Vehicle Identification

GROUP 1

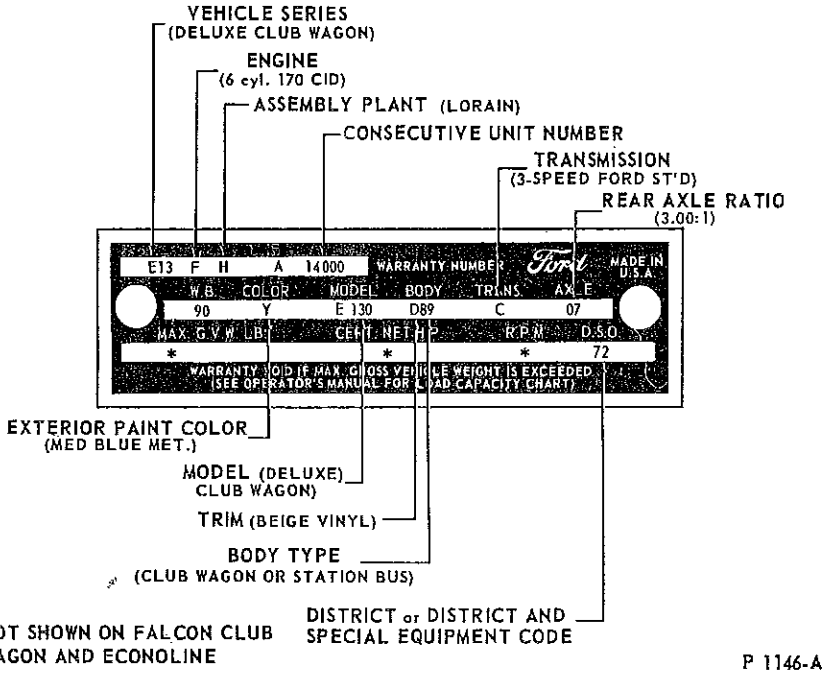


FIG. 1—Typical Rating Plate — Econoline

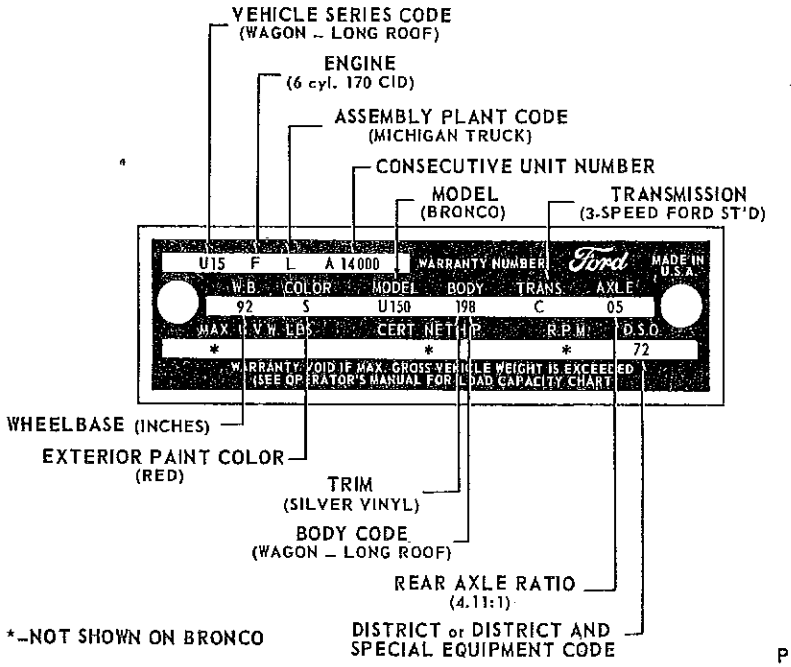


FIG. 2—Typical Rating Plate-Bronco

Figure 1 illustrates a typical Econoline Rating Plate. The rating plate is attached to the rear (lock) face of the left front door. On vans, buses and wagons, the official serial number, for registration purposes, is stamped on the top horizontal surface of the transmission tunnel just to the rear of the engine cover. On pick-up models, the number appears on the right hand rear lamp shield.

Figure 2 illustrates a typical Bronco Rating Plate which is located on the inner left side cowl panel (near the clutch pedal). The official registration number is stamped 12 inches to the rear of the right front shock absorber tower on the top surface of the right frame side rail.

Official serial numbers are preceded and followed by asterisks to prevent unauthorized altering of numbers or symbols. Do not use the Vehicle Warranty Number which appears on the Warranty Plate for title or registration purposes.

VEHICLE DATA

The Vehicle Data appears on the Rating Plate on the two lines following the Warranty Number. The first three digits under W.B. identify the wheel base in inches. The one or two letters under COLOR identify the exterior paint color (two letters designate a two-tone). The letter and three digits under MODEL designate the truck type within a series. The letter and numerals under BODY, designate the interior trim and body type. The letter identifies the interior trim scheme and the two numerals identify the body or cab type. The transmission installed in the vehicle is identified under TRANS by a letter code. The axle ratio is identified by either a letter and a number or two numbers under AXLE.

Falcon Station Buses and Club Wagons will not show the code information under W.B. (wheelbase), MAX. G.V.W. LBS. (maximum gross vehicle weight pounds), CERT. NET H.P. (certified net horsepower) or R.P.M. (at revolutions per minute). The District Code (two digit number), which appears between R.P.M. and D.S.O., identifies the district which ordered the vehicle. The numerals under D.S.O. reflect the Special Order Number (if the unit is other than standard production). The charts that follow list in detail the various vehicle data codes.

VEHICLE WARRANTY NUMBER

The Warranty Number is the first line of numbers and letters appearing on the Rating Plate. (Fig. 1). The first letter and two numbers indicate the truck series. The letter following the truck series code designates the engine identification code. The letter following the engine identification code indicates the assembly plant at which the vehicle was built. The remaining numbers indicate the consecutive unit number. The charts that follow, list the various vehicle warranty number codes.

REAR AXLE CODES — BRONCO

REGULAR	RATIO RATING	LOCKING
03	4.11:1 2780 Lb.	A3
04	4.57:1 2780 Lb.	A4
05	4.11:1 3300 Lb.	A5
06	4.57:1 3300 Lb.	A6
18	3.50:1 2780 Lb.	B8
19	3.50:1 3300 Lb.	B9

Note: The number "2" immediately following a rear axle code on the rating plate indicates vehicle equipped with a locking front axle.

ENGINE CODES

Code	Low Comp. Code	Engine
F	6	6 Cyl. 170 CID (1V)
A	1	6 Cyl. 240 CID (1V)
G	–	6 Cyl. 200 CID (1V)
N	–	8 Cyl. 289 CID (2V)

ASSEMBLY PLANT CODES

Code	Assembly Plant	Code	Assembly Plant
A	Atlanta	P	Twin Cities
D	Dallas	R	San Jose
E	Mahwah	S	Pilot Plant
G	Chicago	T	Metuchen
H	Lorain	U	Louisville
J	Los Angeles	W	Wayne
K	Kansas City	Y	Wixom
L	Michigan Truck	Z	St. Louis
N	Norfolk		

CONSECUTIVE UNIT NUMBER

Basically, the system assigns the monthly assignment of serial numbers into blocks as follows, beginning with August 1966.

August	A 00,000 - A 13,999
September	A 14,000 - A 27,999
October	A 28,000 - A 41,999
November	A 42,000 - A 55,999
December	A 56,000 - A 69,999
January	A 70,000 - A 83,999
February	A 84,000 - A 97,999
March	A 98,000 - A111,999
April	A 12,000 - A 25,999
May	A 26,000 - A 39,999
June	A 40,000 - A 53,999
July	A 54,000 - A 67,999
August	A 68,000 - A 71,999

TRANSMISSION CODES

Code	Transmission
C	3-Spd Manual Shift
G	C-4 Automatic

EXTERIOR PAINT COLOR CODES

Code	M-30J/M-32J Spec. Number	Color
A	1724-A	Black
B	1734-A	Lt. Aqua
C	1525-A	White
D ①	1638-A	Peacock
E	2045-A	Med. Beige Met.
G	1526-A	Chrome Yellow
J	1515-A	Red
L	1237-A	Dk. Green
M	1619-A	White
Q	1624-A	Med. Blue Met.
S ①	1730-A	Vermilion
U	2097-A	Med. Green
6	1631-A	Lt. Beige
7	2098-A	Dk. Blue
8	1955-A	Yellow

① Bronco only

SERIES AND MODEL CODES

Series	Model	Body	
E10	E100	87A	Std. Pick-Up
	E100	87B	Dlx. Pick-up
E11	E110	89B	Sta. Bus
	E114	89K	Sta. Bus
E12	E120	89C	Club Wagon
	E124	89T	Club Wagon ①
E13	E130	89D	Dlx. Club Wagon
	E125	89L	Dlx. Club Wagon ①
E14	E140	89A	Van, Regular R.H. Side Doors
E16	E140	89J	Van, Regular R.H. ① Side Doors
E14	E140	89E	Van, Display R.H. ① Fixed Windows
E16	E160	89M	Van, Display R.H. ① Fixed Windows
E14	E140	89F	Van, R & L Fixed Windows
E16	E160	89N	Van, R & L Fixed ① Windows
E14	E140	89G	Van, Cargo, R & L Side Doors
E16	E160	89R	Van, Cargo, R & L Side Doors ①
E14	E140	89H	Van, Panel
E16	E160	89S	Van, Panel ① ②
U13	U100	96	Open Body (Roadster)
U14	U100	97	Pick-Up (Short Roof) ②
U15	U100	98	Wagon (Long Roof) ②

① Extended Body ② Bronco Only

INTERIOR TRIM CODES

Code	Trim Color
1	Parchment Vinyl (Bench Seat Bronco Only)
2	Blue Vinyl
3	Green Vinyl
4	Beige Vinyl
5	Red Vinyl
7	Parchment Vinyl (Bench Seat)
8	Parchment Vinyl (Driver Bucket Seat)
9	Parchment Vinyl (Driver & Passenger Bucket Seats)
B	Blue Woven Plastic and Blue Vinyl
C	Green Woven Plastic and Parchment Vinyl
D	Beige Woven Plastic and Parchment Vinyl
E	Red Woven Plastic and Red Vinyl

REAR AXLE CODES — ECONO

REGULAR	RATIO RATING	LOCKING
01	3.50:1 2300 Lb.	—
02	4.00:1 2300 Lb.	—
07	3.00:1 3050 Lb.	A7
11	3.50:1 3050 Lb.	B1
12	4.11:1 3050 Lb.	B2
13	4.57:1 3050 Lb.	B3

FORD OF CANADA DISTRICT CODES

Mercury Regions		Ford Regions	
A1	Central	B1	Central
A2	Eastern	B2	Eastern
A3	Atlantic	B3	Atlantic
A4	Midwestern	B4	Midwestern
A6	Western	B6	Western
A7	Pacific	B6	Pacific
H3		Government	
I1 thru I7		Export	

DISTRICT CODES

Code	District
11	Boston
13	New York
15	Newark
16	Philadelphia
17	Washington
21	Atlanta
22	Charlotte
24	Jacksonville
25	Richmond
27	Cincinnati
28	Louisville
32	Cleveland
33	Detroit
34	Indianapolis
35	Lansing
37	Buffalo
38	Pittsburgh
41	Chicago
42	Fargo
43	Milwaukee
44	Twin Cities
45	Davenport
51	Denver
52	Des Moines
53	Kansas City
54	Omaha
55	St. Louis
61	Dallas
62	Houston
63	Memphis
64	New Orleans
65	Oklahoma City
71	Los Angeles
72	San Jose
73	Salt Lake City
74	Seattle
75	Phoenix
81	Ford of Canada
83	Government
84	Home Office Reserve
85	American Red Cross
89	Transportation Services
90-99	Export

W.B. (WHEELBASE)

The wheelbase in inches is entered in this space. The Falcon bus and Club Wagon wheelbase will not be recorded.

The following information (except District Code) does not apply to the Falcon Club Wagons and Bronco warranty plates.

MAX. G.V.W. LBS.

The maximum gross vehicle weight in pounds is recorded in this space.

CERT. NET H.P. R.P.M.

The certified net horsepower at specified rpm is marked at this location.

D.S.O.

If the vehicle is built on a D.S.O., F.S.O., D.T.O., (special orders) the complete order number will be reflected under the DSO space after the District Code Number.