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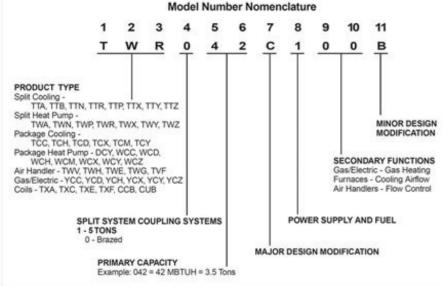
Trane byc nomenclature

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How to determine the date of production/manufacture or age of Trane® HVAC Systems. The date of production/manufacture or age of a Trane® HVAC unit can be determined from the serial number. Parent: Ingersoll Rand Trane® has utilized multiple serial number formats over the years. Trane is an old and very established company with its roots originating in 1885 as a family plumbing business in La Crosse, Wisconsin which developed an innovative low-pressure steam heating system.

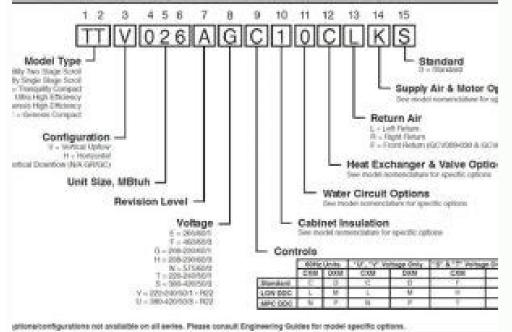


By 1913 the family business had incorporated as The Trane Company, and began establishing themselves as a well-known climate control pioneer over the next hundred years. Trane acquired Sentinel Electronics during the later General Electric's Central Air Conditioning Division in 1982. In 1984, American Standard Companies Inc.® acquired the Trane Company and launched its American Standard Heating & Air Conditioning® brand four years later. In 2007, American Standard Companies divided, and Ingersoll Rand® later acquired Trane in June of 2008.



(History information from Trane®) The serial number styles used during these many company changes are reflected below.

Several styles overlap in certain years as the newly acquired companies transitioned. Several were only used for a brief period, some were used intermittently at various periods and for various products, while others continued to be used for many years under the trademarked Ingersoll Rand®, American Standard®, Trane®, and even GE® brand names. Our research also indicates that some styles used only a sequential order numbering that has no obvious method of decoding. Because of the wide variety of styles found, other determining clues such as condition of the unit, style of the data plate, ANSI or CGA standards compliance dates, dates on service tags, and simple common sense should be used to approximate or estimate the year or decade of manufacture. (NOTE: Serial Number styles found for several Ingersol Rand® and American Standard® Brands are being used here.) This Trane (American Standard) style began use in 2002.

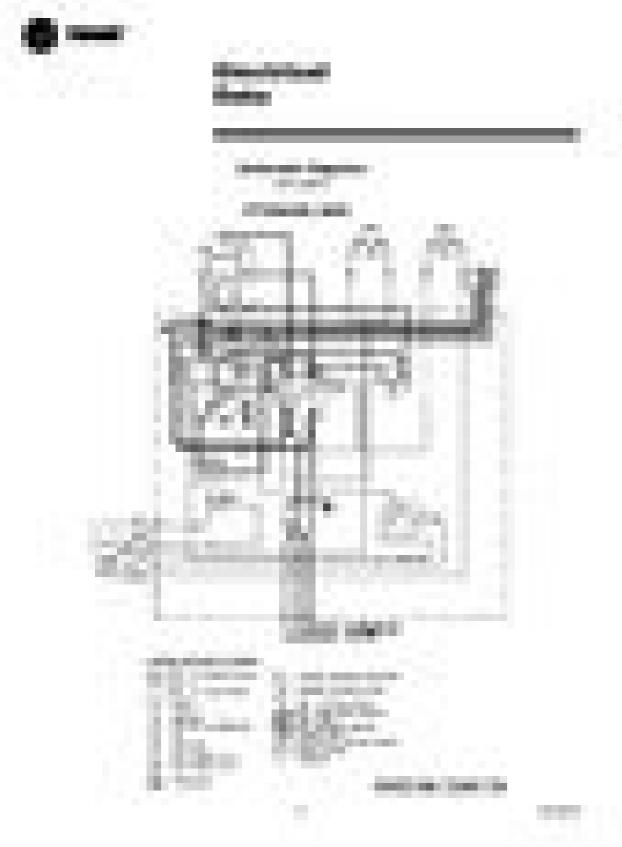


It consists of at least 3 or 4 digits at the beginning of the serial number. From 2002 to 2009 the first digit represents the year. The next two digits represent week.



Starting in 2010, the first two digits represent year, and the next two digits represent week. The remaining characters (sequence) can be any combination of letters or numbers usually starting with a single digit representing day of the fiscal week. This style is VERY common and is still found in use under the Trane, American Standard, Ameristar, and Ingersoll Rand brand names to name a few. Please see the examples below. Our research indicates that some earlier commercial and residential Trane models manufactured circa 1978-79 may have also used this style. Should you encounter one of these, their estimated age should be clearly evident based on condition or appearance alone, and they will have far exceeded the average estimated end of useful service life (EUL). NOTES: This style consists of 9 characters, always beginning with a letter followed by 2 digits.

The first letter represents year of manufacturer (see chart below).



The next two digits represent week of manufacture. The remaining characters (sequence) can be any combination of letters or numbers usually starting with a single digit representing day of the fiscal week. This style began seeing use during the 1980's in various brands, models, and products manufactured by Trane/American Standard. The company ceased using letters to designate year of manufacture after 2001 (represented by the letter "Z"), so any system encountered that uses this styling will typically be very near or has exceeded the average estimated useful service life (EUL). Beginning in 2002, numbers rather than letters are used for the year designation which is depicted in style 1 above. Examples: F23456789 would be manufactured the 23rd week of 1991. C01D47415 would be manufactured the 1st week of 1988. Note: The letters "S" and "Z" represents 2001. The letters "A", "I", "L", "O", & "Q" were not used with this style. Note: This style can be easily confused with style 2 formatting also included the manufacture date clearly printed on the data plate/label. See also style 4 for additional relevant information. This Trane style began seeing use in the 1970's and has reappeared in various models, brands, and

NOTE This format is very similar to style 2 above as it is also 9 characters in length, and can be easily confused. The difference is this style begins with a letter, followed by a 2 digit year, and then another letter. Also helpful is to note the ANSI standard revision year. (See photo) The first letter represents the factory code.

Two factory codes we have encountered include "A" and "C" The 2nd and 3rd digits represent the year of manufacture. **NOTE:** - The data plate photo above lists the compliance standard ANSI Z83.8 with revision date of 1990 (outlined in the green box). Most manufacturers today are required to include the manufacture compliance standard on the data tag. The compliance standard for the U.S. is typically from the American National Standards Association Group (CSA).

Many times both standards are listed if the specific product is sold in both countries. Many manufacturers will normally list the compliance extification on the data tag/plate and indicate which revision YEAR the unit complies with.

These standards are revised or renewed approximately every 4 to 6 (+/-) years. Because of this, one can reasonably estimate the year of manufacture within 4-6 years from (after) the standard revision year of 1990. This information is helpful in estimating the year of manufacture when it cannot be determined from the serial number is illegible. This Trane serial numbe

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First letter: The model number starts with 4. This number represents the type of refrigerant the unit uses. 2 stands for R-22 and 4 stands for R410A. Second letter. T stands for Trane.

The next 3 letter represents the product type. W stands for split heat pump and T stands for split cooling. The third letter equals the product family. Z = leadership, Z

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