

## Jaguar XK8 (X100)

First short VIN (last six digits) by production year, all bodies

Year	First Short VIN
1996	001001 (February)
1997	008106
1998	023018
1999	036194
2000	A04808
2001	A17049
2002	A27749
2003	A35155 (Coupe), A35171 (Convertible)
2004	A40265
2005	A44686
Last	A48684

- Years of construction
  - 1996-1999 – 001001-042775
  - 1999-2005 – A0016-A48684
- VIN construction:
  - First three letters
    - SAJ = all Jaguars
- 1996-1999
  - Fourth letter
    - J = Jaguar
  - Fifth letter
    - G = XK8 and XKR
  - Seventh letter
    - E = Coupe
    - F = Convertible
- 1999-2005
  - Sixth character
    - 4 = XK8 and XKR
  - Seventh character
    - 1 = Coupe
    - 2 = Convertible

## Change Points by model year, all bodies

Date	Assured VIN	Comment
June 1996	001246	1997 model year introduction
August 1997	018108	1998 model year introduction
February 1998	024687	1998.75 model year introduction, launch of the XKR
August 1998	031303	1999 model year introduction
January 1999	A00001	First of the new VIN system
April 1999	A00016	2000 model year introduction
August 1999	042775	Last 1999 model year vehicle, last of old VIN system
February 2000	A06139	First XKR Silverstone
July 2000	A11051	2001 model year introduction
June 2001	A23312	First XKR 100
July 2001	A24196	2002 model year introduction
June 2002	A30645	2003 model year introduction, introduction of the 4.2 litre engine
January 2003	A35155	2003.5 model year introduction
June 2003	A36874	2004 model year introduction
January 2004	A40265	2004.5 model year introduction
June 2004	A42348	2005 model year introduction
January 2005	A44686	2006 model year introduction
January 2005	A45289	Introduction of the 4.2 S Final Edition

Please note the information relating to the various change points, model years and dates are approximate based upon the Assured VIN as allocated by Jaguar Cars. There may be minor discrepancies with specific vehicles due to manufacturing processes. This information must be treated as a guide only.