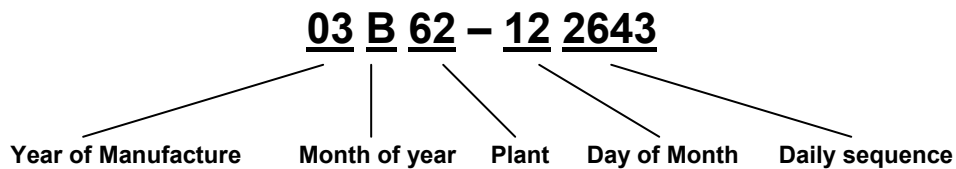


DATE CODES – SERIAL NUMBERS

The serial number on all Franklin Electric motors can be found etched/engraved into the motor stator shell, just above the etched nameplate information.

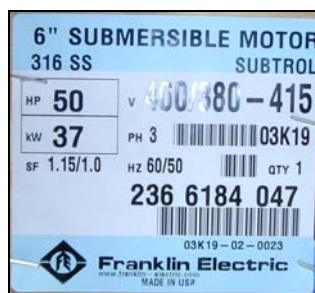
The first two digits in the date code represent the year of manufacture, with the third being the month of manufacture. We use A – M, which is 13 letters for only 12 months, because we do not use the letter I (it looks too much like 1). The third and fourth digit represent which plant the product was manufactured in.

The second grouping of numbers represents the day of the month and the build sequence. If you look at the entire sequence number below, you will find this motor was built in February 2003 in Germany on the 12th day and was no 2643 built.



Year of Manufacture	Month of Manufacture	Franklin Mfg Plant
99 = 1999	A = January	17 = Bluffton, IN
00 = 2000	B = February	18 = Siloam Springs, AR
01 = 2001	C = March	19 = Wilburton, OK
02 = 2002	D = April	45 = Jonesboro, IN
03 = 2003	E = May	62 = Wittlich, Germany
04 = 2004	F = June	72 = Berzo Demo, Italy
05 = 2005	G = July	
	H = August	
	J = September	
	K = October	
	L = November	
	M = December	

When a motor is dispatched from Franklin Electric in Melbourne, a further date code is applied to the stator with the Month and Year, using the above sequencing; A03, J04, F05.



Carton Label with date codes



Motor with date codes