



PBA TOUR

PRODUCT REGISTRATION INFO

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RE: Bowling Ball Date of Manufacture

Listed below is a chart showing how to determine the date of manufacture of a bowling ball by the ball's serial number.

(NOTE: If the serial numbering on a ball does not match the examples below, the manufacturer should be contacted for clarification.)

Bowling Ball Manufacturer	Serial Number Example (Date code in example below is enlarged, bold and underlined)	Date of Manufacture in Example	Explanation of Serial #
900 Global	<u>25</u> TKWC <u>11</u> A005	March 11, 2025	First 2 numbers are year, 4th letter is month (A = January, B = February, etc.), next two numbers are date.
Brunswick	<u>AR</u> P51134	January 2023	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)
Columbia 300	<u>AT</u> P51134	January 2025	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, S = 2024, T = 2025, U = 2026)
DV8	<u>B</u> UP51134	February 2026	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, N = 2020, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)
Ebonite	<u>C</u> SP51134	March 2024	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)
Hammer	<u>G</u> PP51134	July 2022	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)
Motiv	W <u>BR</u> 05901	February 2024	Second letter is month (A = January, B = February), third letter is year (M = 2020, O = 2022, P = 2023, R = 2024, S = 2025, T = 2026)
Storm	<u>22</u> TKWD <u>06</u> A005	April 6, 2022	First 2 numbers are year, 4th letter is month (A = January, B = February, etc.), next two numbers are date.
Radical	<u>AR</u> P51134	January 2023	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)
Roto Grip	<u>26</u> TKWA <u>15</u> A005	January 15, 2026	First 2 numbers are year, 4th letter is month (A = January, B = February, etc.), next two numbers are date.
Track	<u>B</u> UP51134	February 2026	First letter is month (A = January, B = February), second letter is year (M = 2019, O = 2021, P = 2022, R = 2023, T = 2025, U = 2026)