**FERGUSON 35 AND MASSEY FERGUSON SERIAL NUMBERS EXPLAINED**

The serial numbers on these tractors helps to identify which model of the FE/MF 35 you have and when it was made. The following table explains the meanings of the alphabetical codes in front of the serial numbers, and the last table provides the details of the range of serial numbers for each year of manufacture of these tractors.

The first three letters denote the Chassis type, engine type and Clutch type. If there is a fourth letter before the numerals start it will denote the optional transmission types.

**CHASSIS**

**PREFIX TYPE**

S Normal Width

V Vineyard

J Industrial

C High Clearance

**ENGINE**

**PREFIX TYPE**

G Petrol standard (6:1)

H Petrol standard (6:1:1)

D Diesel 23C

K Petrol/TVO Standard

L Lamp Oil standard

N Diesel Perkins A3.152

B Gas (butane) standard

**CLUTCH**

**PREFIX TYPE**

F Single stage

M Dual stage

**TRANSMISSION TYPE**

W Multi-power

Y Differential lock

Using the above a tractor with the letters SNM307240 would be a normal width Massey Ferguson 35 with a Perkins diesel and a dual stage clutch. The numbers following the letters would indicate it was manufactured in 1963 (see table below)

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| **Serial Number** | **Tractor Model and Year** |
| 1001-9225 | FE35 - 1956 |
| 9226-74655 | FE35 - 1958 |
| 74656-79552 | MF35 - 1957 |
| 79553-125067 | MF35 - 1958 |
| 125068-171740 | MF35 - 1959 |
| 171741-220613 | MF35 - 1960 |
| 220614-267527 | MF35 - 1961 |
| 267528-307230 | MF35 - 1962 |
| 307231-352254 | MF35 - 1963 |
| 352255-388382 | MF35 - 1964 |
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