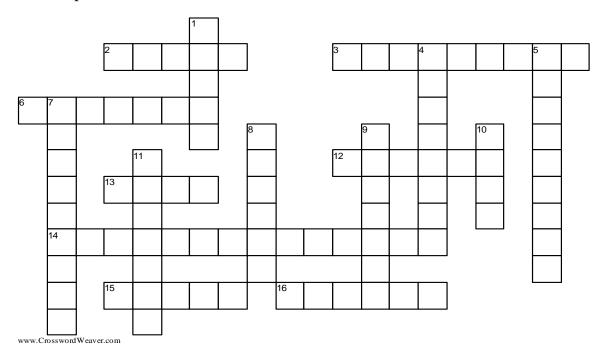


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Chapter 1 - Service Information, Work Orders, and Vehicle Identification



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_ guides: Documents listing service procedures and the time it should take to perform them, serving as a reference for service estimations. 3 Refers to the thickness or resistance to flow of a fluid, such as motor oil, important for proper engine operation. _ Weight Rating: The maximum weight limit for a vehicle as defined by the manufacturer, essential when hauling loads. 12 A process initiated by either the manufacturer or NHTSA when a safety or emissions issue is identified, requiring corrective action on affected vehicles. _____ order: Another term for a repair order, 13 documenting service tasks performed and serving as a contract between the vehicle owner and the service _ Number: A unique 17-character 14 Vehicle_ identifier for vehicles, with specific characters denoting aspects such as country of origin and engine code. Axle Weight Rating: The maximum weight 15 an axle can support, typically indicated as "FR" (front

axle) or "RR" (rear axle).

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16 _____ manual: A document provided with a vehicle containing specifications, maintenance instructions, and operation details useful for service

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1	year: The tenth character in the VIN, which
	denotes the vehicle's model year.
4	A manufacturer initiative aimed at improving product
	performance or enhancing customer satisfaction. If
	related to safety or emissions concerns, it is classified
	as a recall.
5	Service Bulletin: Issued by
	manufacturers to inform technicians about known
	issues or important service information.
7	Vehicle Control Information: A label
	under the hood listing emissions compliance codes
	and significant emissions control systems.
8	order: A legal document detailing the service
	work requested or performed, signed by the vehicle
	owner or their representative.
9	information: Specifications and procedures
	necessary to properly service or repair vehicles, often
	including technical bulletins.
10	rate: The standardized labor time
	documented in labor guides, specifying the average
	time a task should take, used for creating estimates
	and paying technicians.
11	of origin: The first character in the Vehicle
	Identification Number (VIN) indicating where the
	v ehicle was manuf actured.