

Camaro Glass Date Codes

Camaro glass like many other components on a Camaro is date coded for the car. This does not mean the glass date codes will be the same as the build date on your cowl tag. Obviously, the date the glass was manufactured would predate the build date of the car because the glass would not have time to cure and cool. It is acceptable to find glass date codes going back as far as six weeks before the car was built.

Also, there are a several different ways the date code and makers' mark could have appeared on the glass and this depended on if the glass was tinted or clear, what plant manufactured it and which glass it actually was (i.e. vent window, back glass, etc.). All of these different makers' marks are not available from reproduction glass suppliers. Today, these choices have been narrowed down to "Tinted or Clear Glass". When the original makers' marks are viewed from outside the car some of them can be read from outside and some appear backwards. On the reproduction glass, all makers' marks and date codes will appear backwards on all glass pieces except for the windshield.

Note the two pictures below:



The above picture is the makers' mark for *Clear* glass and the date code is shaded in green.



The above picture is the maker's mark for *Tinted* glass. Note "Soft-Ray" above the Libby, Owens and Ford shield.

How do you read the date code on your Camaro Glass?

First Letter Code
MONTH

Second Letter Code
YEAR

N = January
X = February
L = March
G = April
J = May
I = June
U = July
T = August
A = September
Y = October
C = November
V = December

A = 1966, 1979
Z = 1967, 1980
X = 1968, 1981
V = 1969
T = 1970
N = 1971
Y = 1972
U = 1973
L = 1974
I = 1975
C = 1976
G = 1977
J = 1978

Given this information the code of "AA" in the previous picture the date code would be September of 1966 since the glass is in a 1967 Camaro.