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SCBD Series Load Cell Date Codes

The manufacturing date code for the Cardinal SCBD Series load cells is found in the WIP number. The WIP number is located in 2 different places on the load cell. The image on the left shows the WIP number on the serial tag. The image on the right shows the WIP number for a different load cell on a tag on the end of the load cell body.



The date code is extracted as follows using the above examples:

WIP	Letter	Dash	Year	Month	Date
G-256F52	G	-	25	6	June, 2025
B-204C5A	B	-	20	4	April, 2020

- The letter is used for internal purposes.
- The two digits after the dash are the last two digits of the year.
- The month uses a single hexadecimal character. October would be A, November is B, and December is C.
- The last 3 characters are incremented serial numbers within that month of manufacturing. To determine the exact day of manufacturing, the factory stores this information in a database and can provide it upon request.