

SKF Technical Bulletin

VKBA 3646 - Wheel bearing design evolution



VW Multivan, Touareg, Transporter



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Car Make	Kit OE Nb
VW	7H0 498 611, 7L0 498 611

For the above applications, SKF has developed a new bearing design with an open snap ring. The SKF design is in line with OE specifications and complies with OE product quality and performance.

There is no difference in the fitting procedure, bearing performance is equal and this design change is thoroughly tested and approved by SKF.

Note! Depending on the production batches, either design # 1 or # 2 can be packed in SKF boxes, and both can be fitted.



Design 1 with open snap ring



Design 2 with closed snap ring











