Subject:

XK Series Spark Plugs Specs - All Model Years

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Message:

Here's the OEM information from both JTIS Section 303-07 and the Vehicle Specifications Booklet (Publication Part No. JJM 10 34 99 501) regarding XK Series spark plugs:

Engine Ignition - Specifications JTIS Section 303-07 Model Years 1997 & 1998

General Specifications

Item / Model	Specification
Firing Order (cylinder - bank)	1-1, 1-2, 4-1, 2-1, 2-2, 3-1, 3-2, 4-2
Spark Plug Type	
(Leaded markets - service fit only)	NGK BKR6E-11
4.0l Federal	NGK PFR5G-13E
4.0l Euro	NGK BKR5EVxA-13
Supercharged	NGK PFR6G-13E
Spark Plug Gap	mm (in)
(Leaded markets - service fit only)	1.0 - 1.1 (0.039 - 0.043)
Unleaded	1.2 - 1.3 (0.047 - 0.051)
High Temperature Nickel Anti-Seize Lubricant (Spark Plug Thread)	'Neverseez' (ESE-M12A4-A)

Torque Specifications

Component	Nm
Spark Plugs	25 - 29
Coil on Plug Bolts	4-6
Coil Cover Bolts	4-6

Engine Ignition - Specifications JTIS Section 303-07 Model Years 1999 thru 2002

General Specifications

Item / Model	Specification
Firing Order (cylinder - bank)	1-1, 1-2, 4-1, 2-1, 2-2, 3-1, 3-2, 4-2
Spark Plug Type	
(Leaded markets - service fit only)	NGK BKR5E-11
Normally Aspirated	NGK PFR5G-11E
Supercharged	NGK PFR6G-13E
Spark Plug Gap	mm (in)
(Leaded markets - service fit only)	1.0 - 1.1 (0.039 - 0.043)
Normally Aspirated	1.0 - 1.1 (0.039 - 0.043)
Supercharged	1.2 - 1.3 (0.047 - 0.051)
High Temperature Nickel Anti-Seize Lubricant (Spark Plug Thread)	'Neverseez' (ESE-M12A4-A)

Torque Specifications

Component	Nm
Spark Plugs	25 - 29
Coil on Plug Bolts	4-6
Coil Cover Bolts	4-6

Engine Ignition - Specifications JTIS Section 303-07 Model Years 2003 and After

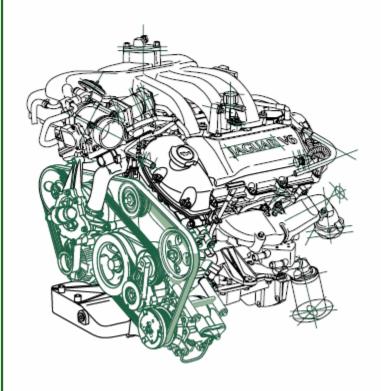
General Specifications

Item	Specification
Firing order	1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8
Spark plug type - Vehicles with supercharger	NGK-IFR-5N10
Spark plug type - Vehicles without supercharger	NGK-IFR-5N10

Torque Specifications

Description	Nm	lb-ft	lb-in
Spark plugs	27	18	-
Ignition coil-on-plug retaining bolts	5	-	44

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VIN		Engine	Market	Spark Plug Part Number	Spark Plug Gap mm (inches)	Engine Type
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XK: 1997 u	p to 1998 M	Y				
001246	018107		NAS	NCA385OHA 1	1.2 - 1.3 (0.047 - 0.051)	
		4.0 liter	ROW	NCA385ODA 2	1.0 1.1 (0.030 0.043)	AJ26 V8
			Leaded	NCA385OCA (service fit only)	1.0 – 1.1 (0.039 – 0.043)	
XK: 1998 aı	nd 1999 MY			•		
018108 A00115	A00115	4.0 liter -	MAG	NCA385OHA 1 up to 1999 MY	1.2 - 1.3 (0.047 - 0.051)	AJ26 V8
			NAS	AJ8 4575 (iridium) from 1999 MY	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	AJ27 V8
			ROW	NCA385OFA 1 up to 1999 MY	1.2 - 1.3 (0.047 - 0.051)	AJ26 V8
				AJ8 4575 (iridium) from 1999 MY	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	AJ27 V8
		4.0 liter SC **	All	NCA385OHA 2	1.2 – 1.3 (0.047 – 0.051)	AJ26 V8 and AJ26.5 V8
		All	Leaded	NCA385OCA (service fit only)	1.0 - 1.1 (0.039 - 0.043)	-
XK: 2000 u	p to 2003 M	Ý		•		
A00116	A30644	4.0 liter	All	AJ8 4575 (iridium)	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	A127 V0
		4.0 liter SC	All	AJ8 4575 (iridium)	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	AJ27 V8 -
		All	Leaded	XR8 15350 (service fit only) *	1.0 - 1.1 (0.039 - 0.043)	
XK: 2003 N	Y onwards					
A30645	Current	4.2 liter	All	AJ8 4575 (iridium)	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	AJ33 V8
		4.2 liter SC	All	AJ8 4575 (iridium)	0.9 - 1.0 (0.035 - 0.039)	A)33 V0

Note: * Not applicable with the introduction of "iridium" spark plugs.

Note: ** SC engine introduced at VIN 024687.

Note that in the third JTIS chart above for MY 2003 and later vehicles, I believe there is a misprint in the Firing Order as shown; I think whoever wrote that section of JTIS was a thinking cylinders 1 thru 4 were in Bank 1 and 5 thru 8 in Bank 2 -- which is incorrect. The cylinders were renumbered in the 4.2 Litre engine but the relative positions of the firing remain unchanged, as shown below:

Engine Cylinder Numbering and Firing Order

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