

# Bolt Length

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GM differentials will have either American Standard or Metric bolts. You need to determine the number of the bolts and the length of the threads to obtain the correct differential for your vehicle.

For GM 10-8.5 and 14-10.5, bolts should be:

- '95 and older - American Standard
- '95 to '97 - Either American Standard or Metric
- '98 and up - Metric

For GM 14-9.5, bolts could be:

- '94 and older - American Standard or Metric (car or truck)
- '95 and up - Metric

Lengths of the American Standard bolts may be 1.0, 1.25

Lengths of the Metric bolts may be 25 MM, 30 MM, or 35 MM.

Measure the bolt length from underneath the head of the bolt to the end of the thread.