

Manufacturers Reference No. for Application

SUNTIG I



F.I.A. Recognition No.

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# ROYAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB

PALL MALL, LONDON, S.W.1.

## Federation Internationale de l'Automobile.

Form of Recognition in accordance with  
Appendix J to the  
International Sporting Code.

Manufacturer.....SUNBEAM TALBOT LTD.

Model.....TIGER I.....Year of Manufacture 1964

Serial No. of Chassis.....B9499991

Engine.....B9499991

Type of Coachwork.....OPEN 2 SEATER

Recognition is valid from.....11.7.64.....In category GRAND TOURING

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Photograph to be affixed here  $\frac{3}{4}$  view of car from front right.



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affixed here.

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**General description of car:**

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chassis/body construction

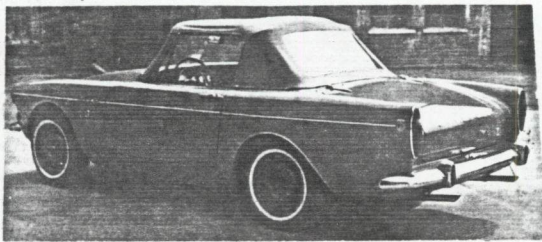
TWO SEATER SPORTS TOURER WITH REAR OCCASIONAL SEAT  
TWO DOOR ONLY

HARD TOP OR SOFT TOP CAN BE FITTED

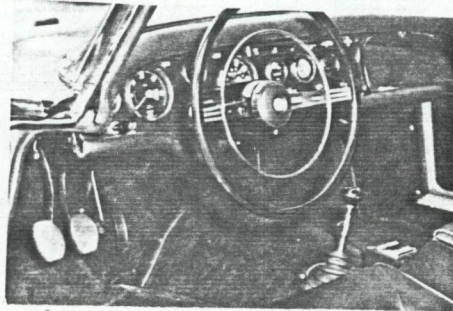
BODY CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL AND ALUMINIUM

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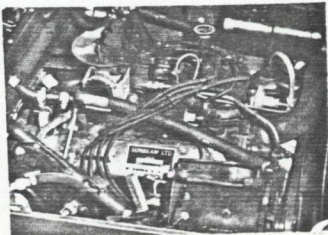
$\frac{3}{4}$  view of car from rear left.



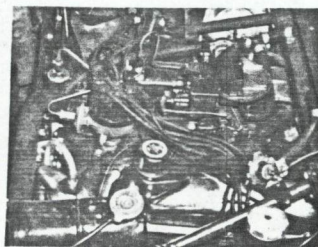
Interior view of car through driver's door.



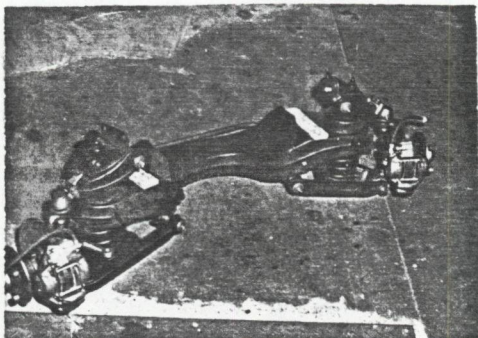
Engine unit with accessories from right.



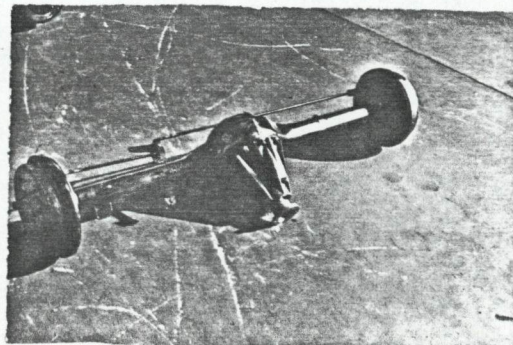
Engine unit with accessories from left.



Front axle complete (without wheels).



Rear axle complete (without wheels).





# ENGINE

in line .....  
 No. of cylinders..... 8 ..... in V ..... YES .....  
 opposed .....  
 Cycle..... 4 STROKE ..... Firing order..... 15426378 .....  
 Capacity..... 4260 ..... c.c. Bore..... 96.5 ..... m.m. Stroke..... 72.8 ..... m.m.  
 Maximum rebore..... 1.524 ..... m.m. Resultant capacity..... 4400 ..... c.c.  
 Material of cylinder block..... CAST IRON ..... Material of sleeves, if fitted..... NONE .....  
 Distance from crankshaft centre line to top face of block at centre line of cylinders..... 206 ..... m.m.  
 Material of cylinder head..... CAST IRON ..... Volume of one combustion chamber..... 47.5 ..... c.c.  
 Compression ratio..... 10:1 .....  
 Material of piston..... ALUMINIUM ..... No. of piston rings..... 3 PER PISTON .....  
 Distance from gudgeon pin centre line to highest point of piston crown..... 46.99 ..... m.m.  
 Bearings { Crankshaft main bearings: Type..... COPPER LEAD Dia. 57.15 ..... m.m.  
 Connecting rod big end: Type..... COPPER LEAD Dia. 53.975 ..... m.m.  
 Weights { Flywheel..... 9.3 ..... kg.  
 Crankshaft..... 16.8 ..... kg.  
 Connecting rod..... 0.63 ..... kg.  
 Piston with rings..... 0.597 ..... kg.  
 Gudgeon pin..... 0.17 ..... kg.  
 No. of valves per cylinder..... 2 ..... Method of valve operation..... PUSHROD .....  
 No. of camshafts..... 1 ..... Location of camshafts..... IN BLOCK .....  
 Type of camshaft drive..... INVERTED TOOTH CHAIN .....  
 Diameter of valves: Inlet..... 49.25 ..... m.m. Exhaust..... 42.85 ..... m.m.  
 Diameter of port at valve seat: Inlet..... 46.0 ..... m.m. Exhaust..... 39.75 ..... m.m.  
 Tappet clearance for checking timing: Inlet..... .61 ..... m.m. Exhaust..... .61 ..... m.m.  
 Valves open: Inlet..... 28 BTDC ..... Exhaust..... 72 ABDC .....  
 Valves close: Inlet..... 72 ABDC ..... Exhaust..... 28 ATDC .....  
 Maximum valve lift: Inlet..... 13.3 ..... m.m. Exhaust..... 13.3 ..... m.m.  
 Degrees of crankshaft rotation from zero to—  
 Maximum lift: Inlet..... 112 ..... Exhaust..... 248 .....  
 ¾ Maximum lift: Inlet..... 50 ..... Exhaust..... 136 .....  
 Valve springs: Inlet..... Exhaust.....  
 Type..... COIL ..... COIL .....  
 No. per valve..... 2 ..... 2 .....  
 Carburettor: Type..... DOWNDRAFT ..... No. fitted..... 1 .....  
 (up or down draft, horizontal)  
 Make..... FORD ..... Model..... C40F - AL 4BBL .....  
 Flange hole diameter..... 39.5 ..... m.m. Choke diameter..... 27 PRIMARY ..... m.m.  
 Main jet identification No..... 52F ..... 29.5 SECONDARY .....



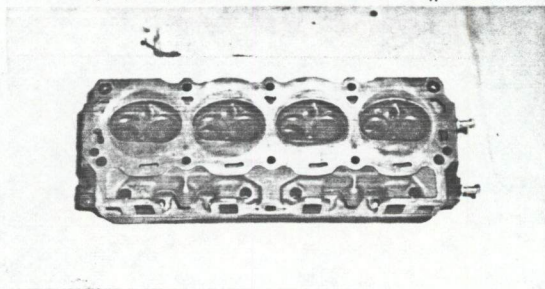
Air filter: Type.....PAPER ELEMENT..... No. fitted.....1.....

Inlet manifold:

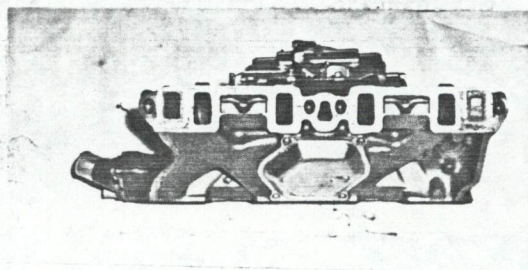
Diameter of flange hole at carburettor.....40.....m.m.

Diameter of flange hole at port.....24 x 47.....m.m.

Photograph of combustion chamber to be affixed here.



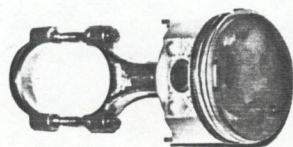
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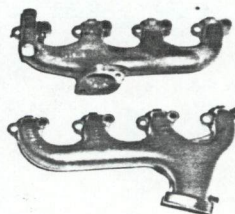
Diameter of flange hole at port.....27 x 36.....m.m.

Diameter of flange hole at connection to silencer inlet pipe.....52.....m.m.

Photograph of piston showing crown to be affixed here.



Photograph of exhaust manifold to be affixed here.



## ENGINE ACCESSORIES

Make of fuel pump.....SU..... No. fitted.....1.....

Method of operation.....ELECTRICAL.....

Type of ignition system.....COIL AND DISTRIBUTOR.....coil or magneto

Make of ignition.....FORD..... Model.....C30F 3MB.....

Method of advance and retard.....CENTRIFUGAL AND VACUUM.....

Make of ignition coil.....FORD OR LUCAS..... Model.....FAC 12029/HA 12.....

No. of ignition coils.....ONE..... Voltage.....12.....

Make of dynamo.....FORD OR LUCAS..... Model.....C40.....

Voltage of dynamo.....12..... Maximum output.....30.....amps.

Make of starter motor.....FORD OR LUCAS..... Model.....M40.....

Battery: No. fitted.....1..... Voltage.....12..... Capacity.....51.....amp. hour

Oil Cooler (if fitted) type.....RADIATOR..... Capacity.....4.....pints



Make SUNBEAM Model TIGER I F.I.A. Recognition No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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## TRANSMISSION

Make of clutch FORD Type DRY  
 Diameter of clutch plate 10" No. of plates ONE  
 Method of operating clutch HYDRAULIC AND MECHANICAL  
 Make of gearbox BORG WARNER Type T34  
 No. of gearbox ratios 4 FORWARD 1 REVERSE  
 Method of operating gearshift MANUAL  
 Location of gearshift CENTRE FLOOR LEVER  
 Is overdrive fitted? NO  
 Method of controlling overdrive, if fitted NOT FITTED

	GEARBOX RATIOS		ALTERNATIVE RATIOS					
	Ratio	No. of Teeth	Ratio	No. of Teeth	Ratio	No. of Teeth	Ratio	No. of Teeth
1.	2.33	36/17	2.33	36/17	2.20	36/17		
2.	1.61	29/20	1.75	30/19	1.63	30/19		
3.	1.20	25/27	1.40	24/23	1.31	29/23		
4.	1.0	DIRECT	1.0	DIRECT	1.0	DIRECT		
5.								

Type of final drive HYPOID  
 Type of differential 6 BEVEL PINION WITH POWER LOCKING  
 Final drive ratio 2.88 Alternatives 3.07 3.31 3.54 4.09 4.27 4.55  
 No. of teeth 46/16 11/44 13/43 13/46 11/45 11/47 11/50 13/49  
 Overdrive ratio, if fitted NOT FITTED

## WHEELS

Type PRESSED STEEL DISC Weight 5.76 kg.  
 Method of attachment FOUR STUD 7/16 UNF  
 Rim diameter 330.2 m.m. Rim width 116.5 m.m.  
 Tyre size: Front 600 x 13 Rear 600 x 13

## BRAKES

Method of operation HYDRAULIC  
 Is servo assistance fitted? YES  
 Type of servo, if fitted GIRLING VACUUM  
 No. of hydraulic master cylinders 1 Bore 22.1 m.m.



	Front		Rear
No. of wheel cylinders	2 PER WHEEL		1 PER WHEEL
Bore of wheel cylinders	54 m.m.		22.2 m.m.
Inside diameter of brake drums	m.m.		223.6 m.m.
No. of shoes per brake			2
Outside diameter of brake discs	250.2 m.m.		m.m.
No. of pads per brake	2		
Dimensions of brake linings per shoe or pad (if all shoes or pads in each brake are not of same dimensions, specify each)			

	Front		Rear
Length	77 m.m.		215 m.m.
	m.m.		m.m.
Width	54 m.m.		44.5 m.m.
Total area per brake	6645 m.m. <sup>2</sup>		19434 m.m. <sup>2</sup>

### SUSPENSION

	Front		Rear
Type	WISHBONE		LIVE AXLE
Type of spring	COIL		SEMI ELLIPTICAL
Is stabiliser fitted?	YES		YES
Type of shock absorber	TELESCOPIC		TELESCOPIC
No. of shock absorbers	2		2

### STEERING

Type of steering gear RACK AND PINION

Turning circle of car 10.36 m., approx.

No. of turns of steering wheel from lock to lock 3

### CAPACITIES AND DIMENSIONS

Fuel tank 52 litres Sump 6.5 INC OIL FILTER litres

Radiator 8.2 WITH HEATER litres

Overall length of car 395 cm. Overall width of car 153.5 cm.

Overall height of car, unladen (with hood up, if appropriate) 135 cm.

Distance from floor to top of windscreen:

Highest point 92.7 cm. Lowest point 87 cm.

Width of windscreen:

Maximum width 122 cm. Minimum width 104 cm.

\*Interior width of car 128 cm.

No. of seats 2

Track: Front 131 cm. Rear 125 cm.

Wheelbase 218 cm. Ground clearance 105 m.m.

\*(To be measured at the immediate rear of the steering wheel, and the width quoted to be maintained in a vertical plane of not less than 25 cms.)

Overall weight with water, oil and spare wheel, but without fuel 980 kgs.



**Additional information for cars fitted with two-cycle engines**

System of cylinder scavenging.....

Type of lubrication.....

Size of inlet port:

Length measured around cylinder wall.....m.m.

Height.....m.m. Area.....m.m.<sup>2</sup>

Size of exhaust port:

Length measured around cylinder wall.....m.m.

Height.....m.m. Area.....m.m.<sup>2</sup>

Size of transfer port:

Length measured around cylinder wall.....m.m.

Height.....m.m. Area.....m.m.<sup>2</sup>

Size of piston port:

Length measured around piston.....m.m.

Height.....m.m. Area.....m.m.<sup>2</sup>

Method of pre-compression.....

Bore and stroke of pre-compression cylinder, if fitted.....m.m.

Distance from top of cylinder block to lowest point of inlet port.....m.m.

Distance from top of cylinder block to highest point of exhaust port.....m.m.

Distance from top of cylinder block to highest point of transfer port.....m.m.

Drawing of cylinder ports.

**Supercharger, if fitted**

Make..... Model or Type No.....

Type of drive..... Ratio of drive.....

**Fuel injection, if fitted**

Make of pump..... Model or Type No.....

Make of injectors..... Model or Type No.....

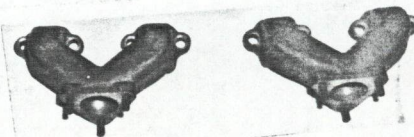
Location of injectors.....



Optional equipment affecting preceeding information:—

1. Alternative carburetion available twin choke down draft Ford Carburettor type No. C4DFE

Flange hole diameter 36.5 m.m.  
Choke diameter 25.4 m.m.  
Main jet identification no. 44F



2. Alternative exhaust system available - all port dimensions identical with type originally specified.

3. Additional fuel tank available to bring fuel capacity up to 140 litres.

4. Engine oil cooler available.

5. Rear axle oil cooler with circulating pump available.

6. A bevel pinion differential available.

7. Alternative engine sump available giving a total oil capacity of 10.2 litres.

8. Magnesium Alloy Wheels available 330.2 x 127 m.m. giving tracks of front 141 cm. rear 135 cm.

9. Magnesium Alloy Wheels available 330.2 x 140 m.m. giving tracks of front 151 cm. rear 145 cm. With same fittings as original wheels.





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Amendment to Form of Recognition

*Some reserve  
formative  
certificate*

Manufacturer SUNBEAM TALBOT LTD.

Model TIGER I.

The chassis and engine nos. quoted on the homologation sheet are incorrect.

These should read Chassis B.9470001.  
Engine 1000 E7 KL.

Alternative Carburettion now available 4 choke downdraught  
Holley Carburettor Part No. C4AF DAA 3LD.

Flange hole diameter 42 MM.

Choke diameter      Primary 35 MM.  
                                 Secondary 35 MM.

Main Jet Identification

Primary. 76  
Secondary. 01.

*Handwritten signature and initials.*

Stamp of F.I.A./R.A.C. to be  
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Date amendment is valid from.....

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3rd July 1964

Mr. Schroeder,  
F. I. A.  
8, Place de la Concorde,  
Paris.

Dear Mr. Schroeder,

Since sending you the forms of recognition, we have received the part Nos on the nine items of optional extras for the Sunbeam Tiger. For your information they are as follows:

- |              |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| 1. C4D59510E | 2. 1219179 | 3. 1219175 |
| 4. A 267     | 5. 1219176 | 6. 1224887 |
| 7. C4026675A | 8. 1219177 | 9. 1219178 |

We have already inserted these numbers on the two original copies we have left.

Yours sincerely,

Competitions Department