

## Update on the exceptional Factory MGBGT V8 coming to auction at Brightwells



### Exchange of emails between George Wilder and Brightwells

From: George Wilder  
Sent: Wednesday 02 September 2009 21:41  
To: classiccars@brightwells.com  
Subject: MGBGT V8 - ADA 33 M

James/Toby

The MGBGT V8 advertised in your September sale is described as original. The photograph appears to show at least the front offside wing and maybe the bonnet in a different colour along with a V8 badge on the same wing which it would not of had fitted when new. The badges were only fitted on the nearside wings at the factory. As I live in North Essex so it is along way to your auction so could you please let me know if the car has been repaired/repainted/restored etc. I understand I would need to inspect such work myself before purchase - just need to know what has been done to the car in general terms.

Thanks  
George Wilder

From: James Dennison  
To: George Wilder  
Sent: Thursday 03 September 2009 21:12  
Subject: MGBGT V8 - ADA 33 M

Dear Mr Wilder,

We do not know for certain if the car has never been restored or painted as it comes with very little history. Apart from the paint mismatch which you have noted, it certainly appears to be original and is certainly an outstanding car but you would have to come and view it and make your own decision. We have spoken to an ex-BL employee who said it was not uncommon for cars to be painted at different stages (e.g. in the rectification department), which could account for a colour mismatch. In the meantime, so as not to mislead anyone, we shall amend our description in line with your comments.

Regards  
James Dennison  
Brightwells