

Extra length valances





Hood fitting service available

FOLDING HOOD MIDGET 1967-79 (NO ZIP OUT WINDOW)

Black mohair hood, fitting the grey (early) or black (later) folding hood frame used on 1275cc Midgets and Sprites and 1500cc Midgets between 1967 and 1979. The hood described here is to original condition without a zip out rear window. A version with the non-original (but very useful) zip out rear window is listed next in this website section.

Mohair is a tightly woven fabric usually found on luxury convertible cars comprising three layers: a weather-resistant layer, a rubberised waterproof membrane and an interior lining. Club hoods feature stronger and longer valances for improved weather sealing and durability. Header rails are not included, but every possible fastener is fitted and the hoods are designed for easy DIY fitment.

Note that 1967-68 cars originally had an extra Tenax fastener on each side of the hood, where later cars used Velcro strip. Owners of these earlier cars should also order an extra two fasteners with their hood order, since the new hood is made to 1969 onwards condition.



Easy to fit. Fitting a new Midget folding hood is not the difficult task often rumoured. Using the Club's preferred 'no-glue' method, allowing adjustment of the hood on the header rail, a hood can be beautifully fitted in around 2 1/2 hours.

FITTING INSTRUCTIONS



Basic hand tools required. Craft knife, crosshead screwdrivers, flat bladed screwdrivers, pop rivet gun, electric drill and chalk. Additionally, fitting 'Durable Dot' press-on hood fasteners requires a medium weight hammer and either a centre punch or a punch and die set (available from MGOC Spares). Fitting 'Tenax' fasteners, if necessary, is easier with a Tenax key.

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RENOVO PLASTIC REAR SCREEN POLISH



RENOVO HOOD SHAMPOO (300ml)