

Austin Healey 3000 EXPECTED

Reference	26.003
Displacement	3000 cc
Bodytype	Cabriolet
Status	2nd hand
1st registration	09/1960
Fuel	Gasoline
Color	Orange



Austin-Healey 3000 Mk I BN7 (1960) – Two-tone Colorado Red / English White | Matching Numbers | Overdrive

A beautiful, timeless “Big Healey” in exactly the right specification. This 1960 Austin-Healey 3000 Mk I BN7 is finished in the handsome two-tone combination of Colorado Red (original Austin-Healey colour) with English White, complemented by a black leather interior with white piping. The result is an exceptionally stylish and correct example—true to both the letter and the spirit of the model.

Provenance & documentation

- Originally delivered new in the USA
- British Heritage Trust document present
- Original matching-numbers engine
- Displayed after restoration at the Saint Louis Car Museum (USA); mileage at the time: 2,748 miles
- Professionally restored; still in very fine condition

Specifications & equipment

- Inline-six with overdrive gearbox
- 60-spoke chrome wire wheels
- Black canvas soft top, tonneau cover and side screens
- Optional heater
- Brakes, chassis and drivetrain neatly set up: drives very well and smoothly

Exterior & interior

- Two-tone Colorado Red / English White — iconic and period-correct
- Black leather with white piping – elegant contrast
- Tight panel fit, fine chrome and a tidy engine bay
- Classic cockpit with clear instruments and correct details

Brief model history

The 3000 Mk I (1959–1961) represents the evolution of the “Big Healeys”: more torque from the 2.9-litre inline-six, improved brakes and more mature grand-touring manners without losing its sporting character. The BN7 is the two-seater version—lighter and purer—and helped lay the foundation for the rally successes that made the 3000 famous. The combination of a strong six-cylinder, overdrive, and the timeless, Michelotti-linked lines makes the 3000 a highly sought-after driver’s classic to this day.

Why this example?

- Attractive colours, matching numbers, overdrive
- Professionally restored, museum history, very fine condition
- Complete with top, tonneau and side screens – ready for tours and events
- Drives excellently: smooth, eager and with that wonderful Big Healey soundtrack

Interested?

Available for viewing by appointment. An expertly cared-for BN7 in the right specification—perfect for the enthusiast who wants authenticity, presence and driving pleasure in one.