

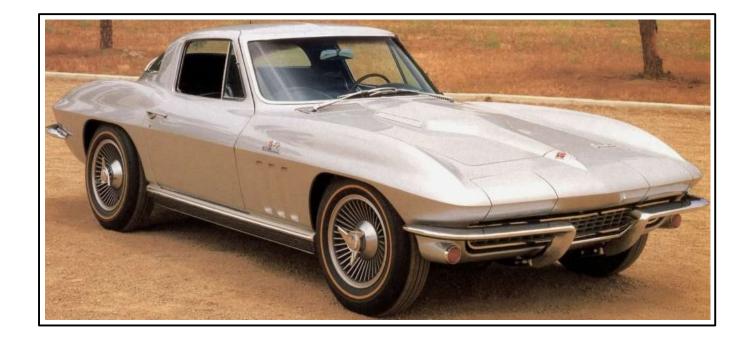
5TH CATEGORY - HISTORIC RACING

GROUP Sb

APPROVED VEHICLE SPECIFICATION

This form details the approved specifications of individual vehicle models in the 5th Category Historic car group. To be issued with a Historic Logbook, cars need to comply with these specifications, the physical appearance shown in the illustrations and the general historic rules as detailed in the current Motorsport Australia Manual.

Make of Car:	Chevrolet	Model:	Corvette Stingray
Period of Original Manufacture:	1966 to 1967		
Motorsport Australia Historic Group:	Sb		
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Update Log				
May 2020 GM Motorsport Block Part # 88962516 added				

SECTION 1 – CHASSIS

1.1 CHASSIS FRAME					
Description:	Box section ladder frame	Material:	Steel		
Period of Manufacture:	1966 to 1967				
Manufacturer:	GM / Chevrolet				
Chassis no. from:	Convertible 1946 77S100001, Co	oupe 1943 77S100001			
Chassis no. location:	Plate under glove box				
Comment:	None				

1.2 FRONT SUSPENSION							
Description:	Independen	Independent with short & long arm wishbones					
Spring Medium:	Coil	Coil					
Damper Type:	Telescopic		Adjustable:	No			
Anti-sway bar:	Fitted	Fitted Adjustable: No					
Suspension adjustable:	Yes	Method:	Caster & camber by	shims, toe by tie rods			
Comment:	None						

1.3 REAR SUSPENSION			
Description:	Independent with trailing	g arms	
Spring medium:	Leaf		
Damper type:	Telescopic	Adjustable:	No
Anti-sway bar:	Fitted	Adjustable:	No
Suspension adjustable:	Yes, by threaded links		
Comment:	None		

1.4 STEERING			
Туре:	Recirculating ball	Make:	GM
Comment:	None		

1.5 BRAKES				
	Front		Rear	
Type:	Disc		Disc	
Dimensions:	299 x (Sb)12 mm (or (Bb)31.75 mm	299 x (Sb)12 mm or (Bb)31.75 mm	
Material:	Cast iron		Cast iron`	
No. cylinders/pots per wheel:	Four		Four	
Actuation:	Hydraulic		Hydraulic	
Caliper Make:	Delco Moraine		Delco Moraine	
Caliper Type:	Fixed		Fixed	
Caliper Material:	Cast iron		Cast iron	
Master cylinder make:	Delco Moraine	Type:	Tandem	
Adjustable bias:	No	Servo Fitted:	Fitted	
Comment:	None			

SECTION 2 - ENGINE

2.1 ENGINE							
Make:	Chevrolet						
Model:	327 in ³ Small block	(Sb)	427in³ Big block (B	o)			
No. cylinders:	Eight		Configuration:	Vee			
Cylinder block material:	Cast iron		Two/Four Stroke:	Four			
	Sb Original	Sb Max	Bb Original	Bb Max			
Bore:	101.6 mm	103.10 mm	107.95 mm	109.45 mm			
Stroke:	82.55 mm	82.55 mm	95.504 mm	95.504 mm			
Capacity - original:	5354 cc	5513 cc	6993 cc	7189 cc			
Cooling method:	Liquid			**			
Identifying marks:	Casting numbers						
Comment:	Refer Appendix A for component substitution • GM Performance Small Block: 10066034 • GM Performance Small Block: 88962516 Aluminium blocks are not permitted for this group. Refer Group S regulations for permitted modifications						

2.2 CYLINDER HEAD								
Make:	Chevrolet							
No. of valves/cylinder:	Two Inlet: One Exhaust: One							
No. of ports total:	Eight	Inlet:	Four	Exhaust:	Four			
No. of camshafts:	One	Location:	Block	Drive:	Chain			
Valve actuation:	Pushrod & rocker		···					
Spark plugs/cylinder:	One							
Identifying marks:	Casting number							
Comment:	 RHS "Pro Runner/6. Part No. 1 	for componen Eagle 180 SBC	t substitut 23 Degree ree Cast II plug	tion e cast iron part ron SBC head –				

2.3 LUBRICATION			
Method:	Wet sump	Oil cooler standard:	No
Comment:	None		

2.4 IGNITION SYSTEM			
Туре:	Points, coil & distributor	Make:	Delco Remy
Comment:	None		

2.5 FUEL SYSTEM			
Carburettor Make:	GM & Holley	Model:	Four barrel
Carburettor number:	One		
Comment:	None		

SECTION 3 - TRANSMISSION

3.1 CLUTCH			
Make:	Delco	Type:	Diaphragm
Diameter:	264 mm	No. of Plates:	One
Actuation:	Hydraulic		
Comment:	None		

3.2 TRANSMISSION			
Туре:	Synchromesh	No. forward speeds:	Four
Make:	GM, Muncie	Model	M20 or M21
Gear change type:	Remote floor	Gearbox location:	Behind engine
Case material:	Cast iron or aluminium	alloy	
Comment:	None		

3.3 FINAL DRIVE			
Type:	Sprung unit		
Make:	GM	Model:	N/A
Wheel drive method:	Rear		
Ratios:	Various		
Differential type:	LSD, GM Posi traction		
3.4 TRANSMISSION SHAFTS	S (EXPOSED)		
Number:	Three		
Description:	Open tail shaft, transmiss	sion to Sprung unit. Half shaft, s	prung unit to wheels.
Comment:	None		

3.5 WHEELS &	TYRES					
Wheel type	Original:	Disc or cast Material		Original:	Steel or Magnesiur	
	Allowed:	Cast		Allowed:	Aluminium alloy	
Fixture metho	od:	Studs		No. studs:	Five	
Wheel dia. &	rim width:	FRONT REAR				
Original:		Std 6	x 15 inch	St	d 6 x 15 inch	
Allowed:			6 x 15 c	on small block		
		8	3 x 15 inch on big bl	ock option, L36, L68	8 & L71	
Tyres allowed	l :	225/60 – 15, 60% minimum aspect ratio, refer approved tyre list.				
Comment:		None				

SECTION 4 - GENERAL

4.1 FUEL SYSTEM			
Tank Location:	Under rear floor	Capacity:	75 litre
Fuel pump type and location:	Mechanical / engine	Make:	AC Delco
Comment:	None		
4.2 ELECTRICAL SYSTEM			
4.2 ELECTRICAL SYSTEM Voltage:	12	Alternator:	Fitted
	12 Behind seat	Alternator:	Fitted

4.3 BODYWORK			
Type:	Sports: Coup or roadster	Material:	Fibreglass
No. of seats:	Two	No. doors:	Two
Comment:	None		

4.4 DIMENSIONS			
With Small block engin			
Track - Front:	1463 mm	Rear:	1480 mm
Wheelbase:	2489 mm	Overall length:	4448 mm
Curb weight:	1436 kg		
With Big block engine			
Track - Front:	Std wheel 1481 mm	Rear:	Std wheel 1499 mm
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Wheelbase:	2489 mm	Overall length:	4448 mm
Dry weight:	1409 kg		
Comment:	None		

4.5 SAFETY EQUIPMENT	i
4.3 SAFLIT EQUIFICION	
Refer applicable Group Regulations	

Appendix A

Engine Block

Spare part 10066034 GM performance parts replacement small block 305, 327 & 350, four bolt design with split rear seal

Spare part 88962516 GM performance parts replacement small block 305, 327 & 350, four bolt design with one-piece rear seal, a kit to retain split rear seals is available and will be permitted.

88962516 Engine Block Casting Numbers

TBA						
Or others by specific approval						

10066034 Engine Block Casting Numbers

3782870	3789817	3790721	3791362	3794460	3852174	3858174	
3858180	3858190	3868657	3876132	3892657	3903352	3914660	
3914678	3932368	3955618	3959512	3970010	3970014	3970016	
Or others by s	Or others by specific approval						

Cylinder Head

GM Cylinder Head Casting Numbers

3782461	3890462	3917291	3917292	3917293	3927185	3927186	
3927187	3927188	3932441	3947041	3973414	3973487	3986316	
3986339	3991492	3998916	3998993				
Or others by s	Or others by specific approval						

- Dart Iron Eagle 180 SBC 23 Degree cast iron part no 10120010
- RHS "Pro Action" 23 degree Cast Iron SBC head (180cc Intake Runner/64cc chamber).

Part No. 12317 straight plug Part No. 12318 angled plug

- The heads to be in the manufactured state, save for refacing the cylinder gasket face and matching the inlet ports by not more than 12mm from the port face.
- Dart Iron Eagle heads require the use of a MSD Soft Touch rev limiter Part No 8728 with a 7500 RPM limit. The limiter will be subject to testing at race meetings. The limiter will be located in an easily accessible position within the engine bay.
- Engine to be sealed as per procedure in this appendix.
- Once approved, endorsement and the engine seal numbers will be recorded in the logbook.



Chevrolet small block sealing procedure for engines using the substitute cylinder head

- 1. Engine to be assemble to short motor without sump.
- 2. Heads to be assembled ready to be fitted to engine.
- 3. 2 sump bolts/studs to be drilled. 2 top timing case bolts/studs to be drilled.
- 4. The sealer will pick two valves from one cylinder of either head to be removed to check that under the valve head and the ports are unmodified and that the valve heads are 2.02" in diameter for the inlet, and 1.60" for the exhaust.
- 5. Check the inlet and exhaust ports are unmodified except for the allowance allowed, from the manifold faces, into the port for manifold alignment.
- 6. Combustion chambers are to be as per above.
- 7. Measure bore and stroke.
- 8. Note whether 2 bolt or 4 bolt block.
- 9. Fit sump and fit seal. Seal timing case.
- 10. Fit heads and drill holes in appropriate positions in the corners of the block and heads to enable wire and seals to be fitted.
- 11. Seal heads to block. Note seal numbers. Competitor gets a signed sealers document.

Note: If the heads are removed they must be re-sealed following the above points 4, 5, 10 and 11.

Allowances

- 1. Surfacing of the head face is allowed to achieve required combustion chamber volume or restore the cylinder head from engine failure damage and/or overheating.
- 2. K Line .030" bronze valve guide inserts are allowed if and to recondition to standard size from excessive wear.
- Port matching in the cross hatched area for the inlet and ports to manifold to a maximum of the 12 mm from the face. <u>Inlet and exhaust ports must be left completely</u> <u>from under the valve seats to within allowed depth from manifold face.</u>
- 4. Machining is allowed of the valve spring pad and valve outside diameter and length as well as pushrod holes. enable spring locators, valve springs, stem seals, valve installation height and pushrod clearance to be correctly fitted.

required

exhaust manifold <u>untouched</u> <u>the</u>

guide This will spring set up and

- 5. Valve seat cutting/grinding is allowed, but the original valve sizes of 2.02" inlet and 1.60" exhaust must be retained. No machining is permitted under the valve seat.
- 6. <u>No machining is permitted in the combustion chamber.</u> Combustion chambers must be left completely untouched except for original machining by the manufacturer.
 - ie. No machining, no hard or soft wire brushing, no coarse or fine grinding either by hand, machine or high speed grinder etc, no shot peening, no sand blasting, no glass bead blasting, no water blasting, no hand scraping, no filing, no emery wheels or stones, no acid etching, no chiselling, no hammering or pneumatic peening, no flexi honing, no spark eroding, no removal of any metal by milling machine.

 The <u>only</u> exception is the metal between the inlet valve head and the exhaust valve head which may be rounded in case it creates a hot spot.