



M.G. Car Club Y Type Register

Registrar's Report to the A.G.M. held on 14th April 2013

It is pleasing to report that our knowledge of Y Types around the world has continued to grow once again and it is really quite surprising that 'new' finds continue to appear on a regular basis.

During the past year, we have gained information on a further 23 cars that were previously unknown to the Register. In addition, a further 5 cars that were previously listed as 'fate unknown' have been rediscovered and are either under restoration or are on the road. This brings the total of 'live' cars worldwide to 1,115, a total increase of 28 on last years figures.

Of particular interest this year is the welcome news that Y types have been uncovered in Thailand, Gibraltar and Argentina. The car in Thailand may not be there for much longer as its new owner intends to repatriate it back to the UK in the near future (DVLA permitting). Other newcomers are spread around the world with the greatest 'new' contingent appearing in England, where 8 new cars have been uncovered this year. The numbers in each country can be identified from the 'Total' column in the following table.

The total number of cars on our records has risen to 1,844 including 162 cars being confirmed as 'dead', having been broken or parted for spares. The remainder are unclassified at present.

The accuracy of the information we hold is not always consistent with the current status of individual vehicles. It is possible that, over the period since the Register was formed, some of the cars listed as "live" may no longer be so. On our database, cars are given a "live" designation where information has been received since 1991 when the Register gained its independence from the T Register. "Live" does not necessarily mean that the car is roadworthy. It may be awaiting or undergoing restoration.

The number of owners who are willing to take part in our "Get You Home Scheme" has been maintained this year and the number currently participating stands at 96. Over the past year a few participants have retired from the scheme but happily they have been replaced by new members. The latest list was sent out at the end of January, along with an entry form for our Spring Run. We also included a request for owners to visit our website and inform us of any changes in ownership.

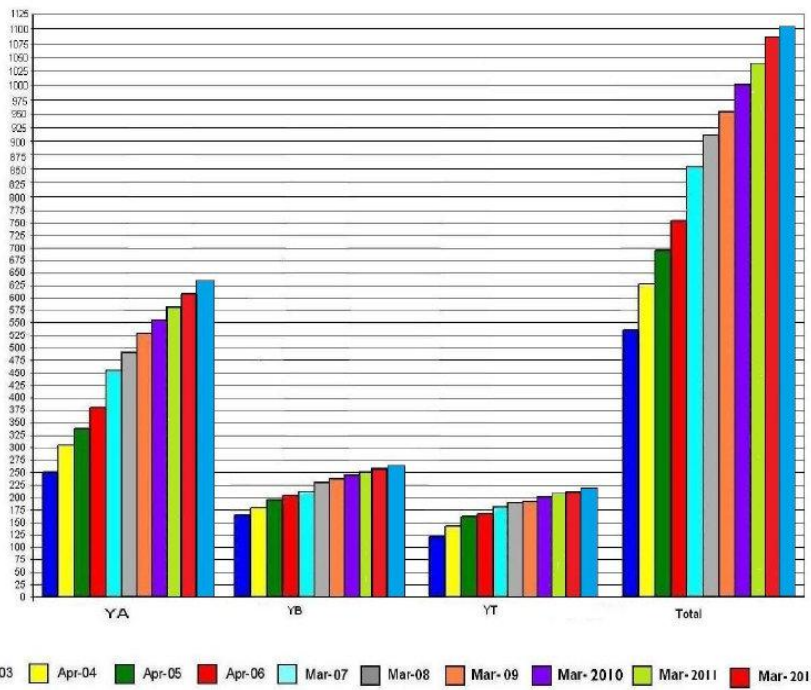
In the formative days of the Register, I was tasked to compile a photographic record of cars around the world and I have maintained this record ever since. I currently have images of 844 cars worldwide. Most important, of course, are the photographs of YAs.



Distribution of 'LIVE' Cars

Country	YA		YB		YT		Total	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
Argentina	0	1	-	-	-	-	0	1
Australia	166	167	5	5	70	70	241	242
Austria	-	-	1	1	1	1	2	2
Belgium	3	3	-	1	-	-	3	4
Brazil	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Canada	3	3	2	2	10	10	15	15
Channel Islands	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2
Cuba	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
Denmark	7	7	-	-	-	-	7	7
Eire	5	6	6	6	3	3	14	15
England	240	244	183	185	30	32	453	461
Finland	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
France	3	3	-	-	7	8	10	11
Germany	11	13	9	10	5	5	25	28
Gibraltar	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Holland	13	13	10	10	2	2	25	25
Hong Kong	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
India	2	2	-	-	2	2	4	4
Israel	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
Italy	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Japan	4	4	1	1	-	-	5	5
Luxembourg	3	3	-	-	1	1	4	4
Madeira	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Malaysia	1	1	-	-	1	1	2	2
Malta	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
New Zealand	17	18	1	1	3	3	21	22
N. Ireland	5	5	2	2	2	2	9	9
Norway	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Portugal	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2
Scotland	16	16	6	7	3	3	25	26
Singapore	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	2
South Africa	10	11	-	-	4	4	14	15
Spain	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1
Sri Lanka	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3
Sweden	8	9	-	-	-	-	8	9
Switzerland	13	13	1	1	6	6	20	20
Thailand	0	1	-	-	-	-	0	1
Uruguay	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	3
U.S.A.	43	45	19	20	62	63	124	128
Venezuela	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
Wales	21	22	11	11	1	1	33	34
Totals	613	631	258	264	216	220	1087	1115

'Live' cars worldwide. (March 2003 to March 2013)



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