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## 1956 Lotus Eleven - The Le Mans 24-Hours, Ex-works, Team Lotus, Cliff Allison/Keith Hall

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Lot sold	<b>USD 187 233 - 242 709</b> GBP 135 000 - 175 000 (listed)	Lenkung	Rechts
Baujahr	1956	Innenfarbe	Sonstige
Getriebe	Schaltgetriebe	Zustand	Gebraucht
Rennwagen	Ja	Standort	
Antrieb	Zweirad	Kraftstoff	Benzin
		Außenfarbe	Sonstige
		Automobiltyp	Cabriolet / Roadster
		Markenfarbe außen	Green

## Beschreibung

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1956 Lotus Eleven Le Mans Sports-Racing Roadster

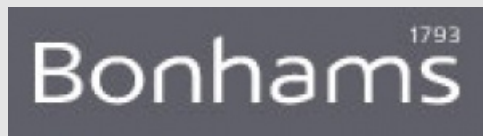
Chassis no. 211

Here we are delighted to offer not just one of the most beautifully restored and exquisitely well-presented Lotus Elevens that we have ever been able to present for auction, but also a distinctively important ex-works Team Lotus Le Mans car - the Cliff Allison/Keith Hall race number '35' as deployed in the 1956 Le Mans 24-Hour race.

The two sister works-entered Elevens - the car offered here co-driven by future Formula 1 factory Lotus and Ferrari driver Cliff Allison/Keith Hall, and that shared by Colin Chapman/Herbert Mackay Frazer, both retired from the gruelling race. This Allison/Hall car - running as race number '35' - completed 89 laps before being sidelined by a crash. "As Cliff Allison was hurtling down the Mulsanne

Straight that night a huge german Shepherd dog suddenly appeared right in his

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