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## 1964 Lotus Cortina MK I - Consul Special Equipment Saloon

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Lot sold	<b>USD 55 860 - 69 824</b> GBP 40 000 - 50 000 (listed)	Drive	RHD
Year of manufacture	1964	Interior colour	Other
Gearbox	Manual	Condition	Used
Drivetrain	2wd	Location	
		Fuel type	Petrol
		Exterior colour	Other
		Car type	Coupé
		Exterior brand colour	White

### Description

One of just 64 produced

1964 Lotus-Ford Consul Cortina Mk 1 Special Equipment Saloon

Chassis no. Z74424363D

The Ford Cortina GT was already building a major reputation for competitive success in International rallying and circuit racing when Walter Hayes of the British Ford of Dagenham company approached Colin Chapman and Lotus to build further upon this firm base.

The new Ford Cortina-Lotus or 'Lotus-Cortina' entered production in February 1963, with a starting price of £910. While the road cars boasted 105bhp, the racing version possessed more like 150bhp. Once fully developed the Lotus-Cortinas absolutely shone on track, on every Continent bar Antarctica. Lotus-Cortina star drivers included Jim Clark, Jackie Stewart, Graham Hill, Jackie Ickx, Sir John Whitmore, Frank Gardner, Roger Clark, Vic Elford, Trevor Taylor, Peter Arundell, Jack Sears and

many, many more.

This example of the legendary 'Lotus-Cortina' is magnificently well presented

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