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1982 Aston Martin V8 - Vantage Volante

Vantage Volante

- Lot sold
USD 85 887 - 98 157
GBP 70 000 - 80 000 (listed)
Year of manufacture 1982
- **Gearbox** Manual
- **Drivetrain** 2wd
- **Drive** RHD
- **Interior colour** Other
- **Condition** Used
- **Location** 
- **Fuel type** Petrol
- **Exterior colour** Other
- **Car type** Convertible / Roadster
- **Exterior brand colour** Green
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Description

Bonhams Auction of Aston Martina and Related Automobilia

Aston Martin Works Service,

Newport Pagnell

Bucks

22 May 2010

Automobilia at 10:30

Motor Cars at 14:30

1982 Aston Martin V8 Vantage Volante Convertible

Chassis no. 15301

Engine no. V/580/5301

Estimate: £70,000 - 80,000

Footnote:

'Anyone wondering why Aston Martin bother to make their own vee-8 when so many big American ones are so cheaply available need take only one look at the performance data... for the best explanation in the world. Whatever the undisclosed output of the Aston V8, it is enough to rocket this heavy car to 60mph from rest in

exactly six seconds and to 100mph in only 14.7 seconds. Much more than this, we were able to reach 138 mph from rest in a mile and on the Continent record a mean maximum speed of 161.5 mph.' - Autocar, 8 July 1971.

With the resurrection of the 'Vantage' name in 1977, Aston Martin enthusiasts everywhere breathed a sigh of relief; previously applied to high-power versions of the DB six-cylind

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