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British Historic Vehicle Clubs
Yesterday's Vehicles FOR Tomorrow's Roads

2020 National Historic Vehicle Survey
Historic Vehicles in the UK

HEADLINE RESULTS

THE NUMBER OF HISTORIC VEHICLES REGISTERED IN THE UK

1,538,927

(UP FROM 1,039,950 IN 2015)

THE ESTIMATED NUMBER OF HISTORIC VEHICLE OWNERS IN THE UK

683,967

(UP FROM 493,000 IN 2016)

£7.2BN

ECONOMY

THE ESTIMATED TOTAL SIZE OF SPENDING IN THE HISTORIC VEHICLE SECTOR
(UP FROM £5.5BN IN 2016)

THERE ARE ALMOST 4,000 BUSINESSES IN THE HV SECTOR, EMPLOYING MORE THAN 34,000 PEOPLE

4,000 BUSINESSES & **34,113** JOBS

TOTAL OF ALL UK REGISTERED VEHICLES INCLUDING ON SORN

Driver & Vehicle Licensing Agency

43,000,000

HISTORIC VEHICLES REPRESENT 3.4% OF ALL REGISTERED VEHICLES ACCORDING TO DVLA STATISTICS

SORN | ON THE ROAD

44%

THE PROPORTION OF HISTORIC VEHICLES THAT ARE LICENSED AND ON THE ROAD, THE REMAINDER ARE ON SORN

1,200 MILES PER ANNUM
AVERAGE DISTANCE TRAVELLED BY A HISTORIC VEHICLE

16 TIMES PER ANNUM
AVERAGE NUMBER OF TIMES HISTORIC VEHICLES ARE TAKEN OUT A YEAR

800 MILLION

THE ESTIMATED TOTAL MILES COVERED BY HISTORIC VEHICLES PER ANNUM (0.2% OF 356.5BN THE TOTAL MILEAGE DRIVEN IN THE UK)

35%

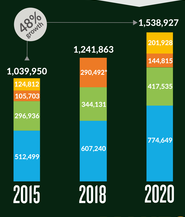
THE PROPORTION OF HISTORIC VEHICLE OWNERS THAT CURRENTLY CONTRIBUTE OR WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO A CARBON REDUCTION SCHEME

21 MILLION

HERITAGE & CULTURE

THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN BRITAIN THAT SEE HISTORIC VEHICLES AS AN IMPORTANT PART OF OUR HERITAGE

HISTORIC VEHICLES



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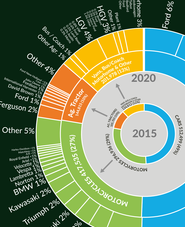

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