TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR ALFA ROMEO GIULIETTA

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The main base of information for this work is the factory Giulieta's work shop manual. Other follow-up work shop manuals and related articles that have differing information have been included as source of expert opinion. The non-factory data is referenced where necessary by a (*) or/and italicize print. The reader then, at his or her option may choose which limits to use or accept for the application at hand for the car or work in question. This is therefore an example of, in some cases, a diverse set of tolerances and possible limits. This writer does not claim to be an expert and therefore make an opinion on the "right and correct" set to use. It is my intent to report on the experts and by sorting and comparing the data at hand, attempts do one or two things. One, by side by side comparison, helps eliminate confusion caused by quoting conflicting "expert" specs' during bench racing secessions and two, give the reader the opportunity to see where historically work was done so that fine tuning on the car at hand can be made to obtain the best results.

The other goal was to develop a format so that the reader may witness the development of the different spec. engines and models. This should allow one to more appreciate the model changes as well as decode and decipher for oneself the various changes made by the factory and others in your cars past history. I have compiled this list from any and all references to the Giulietta that I could find. I however did not cover the special Giulietta's such as the Sprint Speciale (saving some limited references), or the Zagato models, as each is beyond the scope of this work and would be a study within its self.

Please note that this work is not intended to replace the fine and competent work shop manuals available but to serve as a study to compare the different expert sources and give the reader a base for making the correct choices for the specific car of his or her intent or focuses.

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NOTES TO SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. All data shall refer to all models unless noted.
- 2. All data shall refer to 750 Series except where noted to be for 101 Series.

MAIN DATA

Numbe	er of cylinders	4		
Bore a	nd stroke	74 X	75 mm	
Maxim	um rated H.P.			
	Spider Veloce @ 6000 RPM	90 H		
	Sprint Veloce @ 6000 RPM Spider @ 6000 RPM	90 H 80 H		
	Sprint @ 6000 RPM	80 H	.P.	
Berlina @ 5200 RPM t.i. @ 5500 RPM		53 H 65 H		
Track				101*
	front	1286 mm	4' 2.5"	4' 2.9"
	rear	1270 mm	4' 2"	4' 2"
Wheel	base			101*
	Spider Veloce	2200 mm	7' 3"	7′ 4.6"
	Sprint Veloce	2200 mm	7' 10"	7′ 9.7″
	Spider Sprint	2380 mm 2380 mm	7' 3" 7' 10"	7' 4.6" 7' 9.7"
	Sprint Berlina	2380 mm	7 10 7' 10"	1 9.1
	t.i.	2380 mm	7' 10"	

^{*}Data from sources other than factory shop manual

MAIN DATA

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Minimum turning circle

Spider Veloce	9600 mm31' 6"
Sprint Veloce	11000 mm36' 1"
Spider	9600 mm31' 6"
Sprint	11000 mm36' 1"
Berlina	11000 mm36' 1"
t.i.	11000 mm36' 1"

Number of seats

Spider Veloce	2
Sprint Veloce	4
Spider	2
Sprint	4
Berlina	4
t.i.	4

Fuel Consumption per 100 km (Italian C.U.N.A. Std. spec.)

Spider Veloce	11 liters2.4	₊19 gal.
Sprint Veloce	112.4	119 T
Spider	91.9	979
Sprint	91.9	979
Berlina	8.31.8	325
t.i.	8.5 1.8	369

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WEIGHTS

	W	eia	ht	of	car
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uı			750*	101*
	Spider Veloce	830 kg.	1.903#	1,903#
	Sprint Veloce	850 kg	1,996#	1,991#
	Spider	830 kg	1,892#	1,892#
	Sprint	850 kg	1,936#	1,991#
	Berlina	880 kg	2,013#	•
	t.i.	880 kg	,	

OVERALL DIMENSIONS

Dimensions

	length	width	height
Spider Veloce	3,850mm 12' 7 7/32"	1,580mm 5' 2 1/4"	1,335mm w/ top 4' 4 1/2" 1,250mm w/o top 4' 1 1/4"
Sprint Veloce	3,980mm	1,535mm	1,320mm
	13' 0 1/2"	5' 0 1/2"	4' 4"
Spider	3,850mm 12' 7 7/32"	1,580mm 5' 2 1/4"	1,335mm w/ top 4' 4 1/2" 1,250mm w/o top 4' 1 1/4"
Sprint	3,980mm	1,535mm	1,320mm
	13' 0 1/2"	5' 0 1/2"	4' 4"
Berlina	3,990mm	1,555mm	1,405mm
	13' 1"	5' ½"	4' 7 1/2"
t.i.	3,990mm	1,555mm	1,405mm
	13' 1"	5' 1 1/4"	4' 7 1/2"

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

PERFORMANCE

Speed						
		1st gear	2nd gear	3rd gear	4th gear	reverse
Spider Veloce with Bev. dr. ratio	10/41	54 kph 34 mph	92 kph 57 mph	113 kph 84 mph	180 kph 112 mph	53 kph 33 mph
Sprint Veloce with Bev. dr. ratio	10/41	54 kph 34 mph	92 kph 57 mph	113 kph 84 mph	180 kph 112 mph	53 kph 33 mph
Spider with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	48 kph 30 mph	82 kph 51 mph	118 kph 72 mph	165 kph 103 mph	49 kph 30.5 mph
Sprint with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	48 kph 30 mph	82 kph 51 mph	118 kph 72 mph	165 kpm 103 mph	49 kph 30.5 mph
Berlina with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	42 kph 26 mph	72 kph 45 mph	104 kph 65 mph	140 kph 87 mph	41 kph 25 mph
t.i. with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	47 kph 29 mph	79 kph 49 mph	114 kph 71 mph	155 kph 97 mph	46 kph 28.5 mph

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PERFORMANCE

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Owners manual*, circ: 1958, list following performance figures a bit different than the above figures from the shop manual.

		1st gear	2nd gear	3rd gear	4th gear	reverse
Sprint Veloce with Bev. dr. ratio	10/41	54 kph 34 mph	92 kph 57 mph	113 kph 83 mph	180 kph 112 mph	53 kph 33 mph
Spider with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	48 kph 30 mph	82 kph 51 mph	118 kph 72 mph	155 kph 96 mph	47 kph 29 mph
Sprint with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	48 kph 30 mph	82 kph 51 mph	118 kph 72 mph	160 kpm 100 mph	47 kph 29 mph
Berlina with Bev. dr. ratio	9/41	42 kph 26 mph	70 kph 44 mph	100 kph 62 mph	135 kph 84 mph	40 kph 25 mph

"Road & Track" reported in April 1956 on a Giulietta Spider with a column mounted shifter. The 0 to 60 mph time was 14.8 sec. and 1/4 mile at 20.0 sec. at 70 mph.

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CAPACITIES

To 1961

OIL

OIL .	ENGINE	GEARBOX	REAR AXLE	STEERING BOX
Spider Veloce	13 pts	2.6 pts	2.6 pts	0.5 pts
Sprint Veloce	13 pts	2.6 pts	2.6 pts	0.5 pts
Spider	12 pts	2.8 pts	2.6 pts	0.5 pts

Sprint Berlina t.i.	ı	12 pts 11.5 pts. 11.5 pts.	2.8 pts 2.8 pts 2.8 pts	2.6 pts 2.6 pts 2.6 pts	0.5 pts 0.5 pts 0.5 pts
After 19 Spider Sprint Spider Sprint Berlina t.i.	Veloce Veloce	13 pts 13 pts 12 pts 12 pts 11.5 pts. 11.5 pts.	3.8 pts 3.8 pts 3.8 pts 3.8 pts 2.8 pts 2.8 pts	3.0 pts 3.0 pts 3.0 pts 3.0 pts 3.0 pts 3.0 pts	0.5 pts 0.5 pts 0.5 pts 0.5 pts 0.5 pts 0.5 pts
Water		7.5 liters	15.8 pints		
Fuel ta	nk capacity				
	Spider Veloce Sprint Veloce Spider Sprint Berlina t.i.	80 liters 80 liters 53 liters 53 liters 40 liters		gal. gal.	

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TIRES

155 x 15

	Pirelli Cinturato	Michelin X
	front rear (psi)	front rear (psi)
Spider Veloce	21 22.5 (3) 24 25.2 (4)	

	26.8	28	(5)			
Sprint Veloce	21 24 26.8	22.5 25.2 28	(3) (4) (5)			
Spider	21	22.5		19.5	21	
Sprint	21	22.5		19.5	21	
Berlina	19.5 21	21 22.5	(1) (2)	18.2	19.5	
t.i.	21 22.5	22.5 24	(1) (2)	19.5 21	21 22.5	(1) (2)

⁽¹⁾ For touring use and small loads: (2) For sports use and full loads: (3) For road use, up to 100 mph: (4) For road use, over 100 mph: (5) For race track use.

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ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

		MARELLI	LUCAS		BOSH*
Gener	ator	DN 44 A	C 39 PV 2		
Contro	ol box	IR 32 A IR 32 B	RB 106/1		
Starter	motor	MT 35 E	M 325 BZ 1		AL/EDD 0.5/12R*
		MT 40 B	M 325 BZ 2		
Distrib	utor	S 71 B	DM 2		
Coil		B 17 A	LA 12-B 12/1 45058*		
Battery	/				
•	Spider Veloce	30 A/h	Sprint	30 A/h	
	Sprint Veloce Spider	30 A/h 30 A/H	Berlina t.i.	38 A/h 38 A/h	
	Spidei	30 A/11	t.i.	30 A/II	
	38 A/H, Marelli 6VB7*				
Stater	motor:*	Lucas*	Marell	i*	

M325

MT40B

brush spring tension (gr)	28-32	19-25
free running:		
max. amps	50	25
min. RPM	10,000	11,000
mim volts	-	11.6
resistance test:		
max. amps.	250	100
min. volts	8.5	10
torque (M/Kg)	.65	.15
RPM	1,000	3,350
lock test:		
Max amps.	350	300
min. volts	7.25	7.0
Torque (M/kg)	1.11	.75

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ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

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Generator:*	Lucas* C39PV2	Marelli* DN44A DN44C DN44E
Brush spring tension (gr)	567-708	400-500
Field amperes @ 12 volts	-	5
resistance	6.1	-
Control Box*	Lucas* RB106/2	Marelli* IR32A IR32 B
Cutout relay cut-in voltage reverse current	12.7-13.3 3.5-5.0	11.0-12.5 2.0-7.5
current regulator amps. under load)	-	20
voltage regulators (voltage on open circuit)	15.6-16.2	15.1-16.0
watts	-	250

^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory manual

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SPARKING PLUGS

	PLUG TYPE	ELECTRODE GAP
Spider Veloce Marell	ii CBW 1000 B Lodge RL 47 Lodge 2 HLN Lodge HLM* Ch, N5*	0.5mm to 0.55mm 0.38mm to 0.46mm 0.55mm to 0.65mm
	Ch. N3*	0.55mm to 0.65mm
Sprint Veloce	Marelli CBW 1000 B Lodge RL 47 Lodge 2 HLN ChNA12*	0.5mm to 0.55mm 0.38mm to 0.46mm 0.55mm to 0.65mm 0.38mm to 0.46mm
Spider	Marelli CW 225 G Lodge HLM <i>Ch. N3</i>	0.6mm to 0.7mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm 055mm to 0.65mm
Sprint	Marelli CW 225 G Lodge HLM <i>Ch. N3</i> *	0.6mm to 0.7mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm 0.55mm to 0.65mm
Berlina	Marelli CW 225 G Lodge HLM <i>Ch. N5*</i>	0.6mm to 0.7mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm
t.i.	Marelli CW 225 G Lodge HLM <i>Ch. N5</i> *	0.6mm to 0.7mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm 0.5mm to 0.6mm

^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory shop manual.

IGNITION

Firing order	1, 3, 4, 2
Firing order	1. 3. 4. 2

Point gap 0.35 mm to 0.40 mm

Fixed advance

Spider Veloce 5 degrees to 8 degrees
Sprint Veloce 5 degrees to 8 degrees
Spider 8 degrees

Spider 8 degrees
Sprint 8 degrees
Berlina 8 degrees
t.i. 8 degrees

Maximum advance at 5,000 to 5,200 RPM

Spider Veloce	46 to 48 degrees	(43 to 49 degrees) *
Sprint Veloce	46 to 48 degrees	(43 to 49 degrees) *
Spider	44 degrees	(40 to 46 degrees) *
Sprint	44 degrees	(40 to 46 degrees) *
Berlina	44 degrees	(40 to 46 degrees) *
t.i.	44 degrees	(40 to 46 degrees) *

Distributor

1101	distributor*	point gap*	dwell*
Spider Veloce & Sprint Veloce	Marelli S73A Marelli S73A Marelli S73A Bosh 0231 112 060	.42 to .48 mm .42 to .48 mm .37 to .48 mm .3540mm	60 deg. 65 deg.
Spider & Sprint	Lucas 40649A Lucas 40431K Lucas DM-2 Bosh 0231 112 060	.35 to .40 mm .35 to .40 mm .35 to .40 mm	60 deg.
Sprint	Marelli S71B	.37 to .38 mm	60 deg.
Berlina	Marelli S71B	.42 to .48 mm	
t.i.	Marelli S71B	.42 to .48 mm	

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

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IGNITION (cont.)

	distributor*	pt spring* tension	condenser* capacity	advance* deg - RPM
Spider Veloce	Marelli S73A	26-30 oz	.25 Mfds.	18.5 @ 2650
Sprint Veloce	Marelli S73A	26-30 oz	.25 Mfds.	18.5 @ 2650
Spider & Sprint	Lucas 40649A Lucas 40431K	18-24 oz 18-24 oz	.1825 Mfds. .1825 Mfds.	19 @ 3000 18 @ 3000
Berlina	Marelli S71B	18-21 oz	.25 Mfds.	18 @ 2500
t.i.	Marelli S71B	18-21 oz	.25 Mfds.	18 @ 2500

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CARBURATION

Spider Veloce

CARBURETOR MODEL	Weber 40 DC 03
Choke Main jet	28 mm 1.10 winter 1.05 summer
Idling jet Emulsioner air jet Idling air jet Accelerator pump jet Accelerator pump outlet iet	0.50 1.90 1.75 0.40 1.50

Sprint Veloce

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

CARBURETTOR MODEL

Weber 40 DC 03

Solex 35 APAI-G

28 mm
1.10 winter; 1.05 summer
0.50
1.90
1.75
0.40
1.50

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Spider

CARBURETTER MODEL

Choke No. 1	24 mm
Main jet	1.20
Idling jet	0.40
Emulsioner air jet	1.50
Idling air jet	1.00
Starter jet	1.60
Accelerator pump jet	0.60
Choke No. 2	24 mm
Main jet	1.50
Emulsioner air jet	1.90

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CARBURATION

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Sprint (fitted to the first 1,000 Giulietta Sprint cars)

Choke No. 1 22 mm Main jet 1.15 Idling jet 0.45 Emulsioner air jet 2.00 Idling air jet 1.00 Starter jet 1.50 Accelerator pump jet 0.45 Choke No. 2 23 mm Main jet 1.25	CARBURETOR MODEL	Solex 32 PAIAT
Emulsioner air jet 1.10	Main jet Idling jet Emulsioner air jet Idling air jet Starter jet Accelerator pump jet Choke No. 2 Main jet	1.15 0.45 2.00 1.00 1.50 0.45 23 mm 1.35

Sprint (fitted to Giulietta Sprint cars after the first 1,000)

Idling air jet Starter jet

CARBURETOR MODEL

CARBURETOR MODEL	Solex 35 APIA-G
Choke No. 1 Main jet Idling jet Emulsioner air jet Idling air jet Starter jet Accelerator pump jet Choke No. 2 Main jet Emulsioner air jet	24 mm 1.20 0.40 1.50 1.00 1.60 0.60 24 mm 1.50 1.40
CARBURETOR MODEL	Solex 32 BIC
Choke Main jet Idling jet Emulsioner air jet	21 mm 1.05 0.40 1.60

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1.00 1.30

Solex 35-APAI-G

CARBURATION

(cont.)

t.i.

Berlina

Choke No. 1	24 mm
Main jet	1.30
Idling jet	0.40
Emulsioner air jet	1.80
Idling air jet	1.80
Starter jet	1.60
Accelerator pump jet	0.60
Choke No. 2	24 mm
Main jet	1.55
Emulsioner air jet	1.10

CARBURATION*

SPIDER VELOCE SPRINT VELOCE

	note 1.*	note 2*.	note 3.*
CARBURETTER MODEL	Weber 40DCOE2	Weber 40DCOE	Weber 40DCOE
Choke	29 mm	30 mm	32 mm
Main jet	1.10	1.20	1.30
Idling jet	F11/.50	F11/.50	F11/.50
Emulsion air jet	F16	F16	F16
Accelerator pump jet	0.35	.50	.50
Air correct jet	2.00	1.50	1.50
Needle valve seat	1.50	1.50	1.50
Float Ht. Drop Wt.	8.5 mm 15 mm 26 gr.		
Aux. venturi	4.50 mm	4.50 mm	4.50 mm
Starting jet	F5/.60	F5/.60	F5/.60
Return hole @ pump check valve	.70 mm		
Accelerator pump bypass	.50		

NOTE: For maximum acceleration recommend factory settings.

note 1. Street tune: compiled variations from factory settings.*

note 2. Fair acceleration. Improved high speed performance. *

note 3. Poor acceleration. Best for high speed performance, on long courses. *

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory manual.

CARBURATION*

SPIDER VELOCE SPRINT VELOCE

	note 1.*	note 2.*	note 3.*
CARBURETTER MODEL	Weber 40DC03	Weber 40DCO3	Weber 40DCO3
Choke	28 mm	30 mm	32 mm
Main jet	1.05	1.10	1.25
ldling jet	0.50	F11/.50	F11/.50
Emulsion air jet	1.90	TS1211**	TS1211**
ldling air jet	1.75	1.70	1.50
Accelerator pump jet	0.40	.45	.40
Accelerator pump outlet jet	1.50		
Air correct jet	1.90	1.70	1.50
Needle valve seat	1.75	1.75	1.75
Aux. venturi	4.50 mm	4.50 mm	4.50 mm

NOTE: for max. acceleration use factory setting.

note 1. Variation on factory settings.

note 2. Fair acceleration. Improved high speed performance over factory setting.

note 3. Poor acceleration. Best high speed performance, for long courses.

^{** 1.5} mm center hole in emulsion tube.

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

CARBURATION*

Spider

	note 1.*	note 2.*	note 3.*	note 4.*
CARBURETTER MODEL	35APAIG	35APAIG	35APAIG	35APAIG
Choke No. 1	24 mm	22 mm	24 mm	25 mm
Main jet	1.15	1.10	1.30	1.35
Idling jet	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40
Emulsion air jet	1.50	1.80	1.80	1.80
Idling air jet	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Starter jet	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Accelerator pump jet	.60	.60	.60	.60
Choke No. 2	24 mm	25 mm	24 mm	27 mm
Main jet	1.60	1.55	1.55	1.50
Emulsioner air jet	1.60	1.10	1.10	1.70
Counter weight, incl. screws & washers; no bracket.	27 to 29 grams	58 to 60 grams	39 to 41 grams	25 to 27 grams

note 1. Variation on factory setting.

note 2. Early Giulietta factory setting

note 3. Improved performance

note 4. Maximum power.

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

CARBURATION*

SPRINT

	note 1.	note 2	note 3.	note 4.
CARBURETTER MODEL	35APAIG	35APAIG	35APAIG	35APAIG
Choke No. 1	24 mm	22 mm	24 mm	25 mm
Main jet	1.15	1.10	1.30	1.35
Idling jet	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40
Emulsion air jet	1.50	1.80	1.80	1.80
Idling air jet	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Starter jet	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Accelerator pump jet	.60	.60	.60	.60
Choke No. 2	24 mm	25 mm	24 mm	27 mm
Main jet	1.60	1.55	1.55	1.80
Emulsion air jet	1.60	1.10	1.10	1.10
Counter weight, incl. screw & washers, no bracket.		58 to 60 grams	39 to 41 grams	25 to 27 grams

******NOTES******

note 1. Variation on factory setting. note 2. Early Giulietta factory setting.

note 3. Improved performance.

note 4. Maximum power.

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CARBURATION*

The Webber 36 DCLD3 was recommended best up-grade in 1960's for replacing the factory installed Solex.*

SPIDER & SPRINT

	note 1.*	note 2.*	note 3.*
CARBURETTER MODEL	Webber 36 DCLD3	Webber 36 DCLD3	Webber 36 DCLD3
Venturi	24 MM	26 mm	24 mm
Aux. venturi	4.50	4.50	4.50
Main jet	1.30	1.45	1.25
ldle jet	.50	.55	.50
Pump jet	.60	.50	.60
Emulsion tube	F13	F8	F13
Air correction jet	2.10	2.00	1.90
Needle valve	1.70	1.75	1.75
secondary Venturi	24 mm	27 mm	24 mm
secondary Aux. venturi	4.50	4.50	4.50
secondary main jet	1.30	1.5	1.30
secondary emulsion tube	F13	F8	F13
secondary air correction jet	1.50	1.80	2.10
Pump stroke		3 mm	3 mm

note 1. Street driving.

note 2. High speed driving and racing.

note 3. Maximum acceleration and power.

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

TORQUE WRENCH DATA

Cylinde	er-head nuts after 1961			6.5 kgm 5.6 <i>kgm</i> *	
Cranks	shaft bearing cap nuts after 1961			3.25 kgm 3 <i>.5 kgm</i> *	
Camsh	naft caps		2.0 to 2	2.5 kgm*	
Sparki	ng plugs		2.5 to 3	3.5 kgm*	
Con-ro	od big-end nuts Spider Veloce Sprint Veloce above after1961		3.9 to 4	l.1 kgm l.1 kgm 3.9 <i>kgm</i> *	
	Spider Sprint Berlina t.i. t.i after 1961		3.7 to 4 3.0 to 3 3.0 to 3	I.0 kgm I.0 kgm B.25 kgm B.25 kg* B.6 kgm*	
Other	Torque Data*	normal		750/10	1 Veloce
Engine Cylinde w/oil cold hot	e er-head nuts	42 ft# 45 ft#		42 ft# 45 ft#	r veloce
Cam b cap nu		14 ft#		14 ft#	
cam co	over w/oil		12 ft#		12 ft#
spark į	olug w/oil		18-25 f	t#	18-25 ft#
main b cap nu	pearing ut w/oil	25 ft#		25 ft#	
rod be	aring w/oil	26 ft#		29 ft#	
flywhe	el bolts	33 ft#		33 ft#	
clutch	bolts (dry)	18 ft#		18 ft#	

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

TORQUE WRENCH DATA

(cont.)

Split case gear box (all)*

front bell housing nuts	32 ft#
case nuts/bolts	13 ft#
rear cover nuts	15 ft#
layshaft nuts	58 ft#
main shaft yoke nut	87 ft#
input shaft nut	87 ft#

STANDARD BOLT AND NUT TIGHTENING TORQUE*

DI.	PITCH	6T		8T	
mm	mm	m-kg	ft-lb	m-kg	ft-lb
6	1	.07-1.0	5.0-7.2	0.8-1.2	5.8-8.8
8	1.25	1.6-2.3	12-17	1.8-2.7	13-20
10	1.25	3.2-4.7	23-34	3.7-5.5	27-40
12	1.5	5.6-8.2	41-59	6.4-9.5	46-69
14	1.5	7.7-10.5	56-76	10-14	75-101
16	1.5	12-16	85-116	16-22	115-156
18	1.5	17-23	123-166	23031	163-221

^{*} Data compiled from sources other than factory shop manual.

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DIMENSIONS

Note: unless noted values given are common to all types.

CAM-SHAFT BEARING AND JOURNAL

Cam-shaft journal seat diameter 27.000 to 27.021 mm

Clearance between

cam-shaft journal and seat

new 0.020 to 0.062 mm

maximum wear 0.10 mm

Axial-play between cam-shaft and thrust bearing 0.10 mm

Camshaft type*

Spider Veloce	10106 03200 00*
Sprint Veloce	10106 03200 00*
Spider	10100 03200 00*
Sprint	10100 03200 00*
Berlina	10100 03200 00*
t.i.	10100 03200 00*
S.S.	10106 03200 00*

^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory shop manual.

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DISTRIBUTION

VALVE TIMING

	inlet starts opening	inlet finish closing	exhaust starts opening	exhaust finish closing
	B.T.D.C	A.T.D.C.	B.T.D.C.	A.T.D.C
(degrees) Spider Veloce	34	63	63	30
Sprint Veloce	34	63	63	30
Spider	22	65	55	12
Sprint	22	65	55	12
Berlina	22	65	55	12
t.i.	22	65	55	12

For camshafts marked between first and second cam lobes by a circle with a cross in the center, use the following:

	B.T.D.C	A.T.D.C.	B.T.D.C.	A.T.D.C
Spider	25 deg 20 min	68 deg	61 deg 20 min	18 deg 40 min
Sprint	25 deg 20 min	68 deg	61 deg 20 min	18 deg 40 min
Berlina	25 deg 20 min	68 deg	61 deg 20 min	18 deg 40 min
t.i.	25 deg 20 min	68 deg	61 deg 20 min	18 deg 40 min

VALVE CLEARANCE

Cold, new valves:

	Inlet		Exhau	st
	mim.	max.	min.	max.
Spider Veloce	0.375mm	0.40mm	0.535mm	0.56mm
Sprint Veloce	0.375mm	0.40mm	0.535mm	0.56mm
Spider	0.425mm	0.45mm	0.475mm	0.50mm
Sprint	0.425mm	0.45mm	0.475mm	0.50mm
Berlina	0.425mm	0.45mm	0.475mm	0.50mm
t.i.	0.425mm	0.45mm	0.475mm	0.50mm

For camshafts marked between first and second cam lobes by a circle with a cross in the center, use the following.

Cold, new valves:

	Inlet		Exhau	st
	mim.	max.	min.	max.
Spider	0.475mm	0.50mm	0.525mm	0.55mm
Sprint	0.475mm	0.50mm	0.525mm	0.55mm
Berlina	0.475mm	0.50mm	0.525mm	0.55mm
t.i.	0.475mm	0.50mm	0.525mm	0.55mm

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VALVE CLEARANCE

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Cold, valves worn to maximum:

	Inlet		Exhau	st
	mim.	max.	min.	max.
Spider Veloce	0.35mm	0.425mm	0.51mm	0.585mm
Sprint Veloce	0.35mm	0.425mm	0.51mm	0.585mm
Spider	0.4mm	0.475mm	0.45mm	0.525mm
Sprint	0.4mm	0.475mm	0.45mm	0.525mm
Berlina	0.4mm	0.475mm	0.45mm	0.525mm
t.i.	0.4mm	0.475mm	0.45mm	0.525mm

For camshafts marked between first and second cam lobes by a circle with a cross in the center, use the following:

Spider	0.45mm	0.525mm	0.5mm	0.575mm
Sprint	0.45mm	0.525mm	0.5mm	0.575mm
Berlina	0.45mm	0.525mm	0.5mm	0.575mm
t.i.	0.45mm	0.525mm	0.5mm	0.575mm

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VALVES AND VALVE GUIDES

Valves

diameter

inlet 37 mm exhaust 34 mm

stem diameter

inlet 7.976 to 8.001 mm exhaust 7.950 to 7.976 mm

total length

inlet 97.75 mm exhaust 96.85 mm

Valve guides

I.D. when fitted 8.014 to 8.026 mm

O.D. when fitted 13.028 to 13.039 mm

clearance at guide to valve

stem when fitted

new, fitted

inlet 0.013 to 0.050 mm

exhaust 0.038 to 0.076 mm

maximum wear

inlet 0.10 mm

exhaust 0.13 mm

Valve guide I.D. at

cylinder head 13.000 to 13.011 mm

interference fit between

valve guide O.D.

and I. D. at head 0.017 to 0.39 mm

VALVES AND VALVE GUIDES

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Valves*	750*	101*
diameter inlet*	1.463"	1.463"
exhaust*	1.344"	1.344"
stem diameter		
inlet*	.3140 to	.3528 to
	.3150"	.3538"
exhaust*	.3130 to	.3518 to
	.3140"	.3520"
total length	0.040#	4.004"
inlet*	3.848" 3.843"	4.291" 4.274"
exhaust*	3.813"	4.274"
clearance at guide to valve		
stem when fitted		
new, fitted		
inlet*	.0005 to	.0005 to
	.0020"	.0021"
exhaust*	.0015 to	.0016 to
oxiiade.	.0030"	.0031"
Valve guide *		
O.D.*	.5129 to	.5525 to
O.D.	.5133"	.5529"
I.D. installed*	.3155 to	.3543 to
	.3160"	.3549"(int)
(1300 & 1600 GTA)*		.3346 to
(1000 & 1000 GTA)		.3352"(ex.)
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bore di. in head*	.5118 to	.5508 to
	.5122"	.5519"
interference*		
guide to head	.0007 to	.0007 to
5	.0015"	.0021"

^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory manual.

VALVE LIFT

Valve lift

Spider Veloce	8.5 mm
Sprint Veloce	8.5 mm
Spider	8.0 mm
Sprint	8.0 mm
Berlina	8.0 mm
t.i.	8.0 mm

VALVE CUPS

Valve cups

Cup diameter

standard 32.479 to 32.495 mm

enlarged 32.679 to 32.695 mm

cup seat diameter

standard 32.500 to 32.516 mm enlarged 32.700 to 32.716 mm

play, assembled, new 0.005 to 0.037 mm

play at maximum wear 0.06 mm

VALVE SPRINGS

valve springs

outer spring

free length 43.0 to 44.6 mm

compressed length at

load of 24 to 25 kg. 22.5 mm

inner spring

free length 39.35 to 40.95 mm

compressed length at

load of 14 to 15 kg 21.0 mm

CYLINDER HEAD

CYLINDER HEAD

head height

Spider Veloce	101.5 mm
Sprint Veloce	101.5 mm
Spider	103 mm
Sprint	103 mm
Berlina	103 mm
t.i.	103 mm

head height*

750	101
3.995"	4.350"
3.995"	4.350"
4.055"	4.410"
4.055"	4.410"
	3.995" 3.995" 4.055"

Minimum clearance between piston and valve.*

intake .070"* exhaust .075"*

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^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory manual.

CONNECTING RODS

Length of connecting ro	d		132.955 to 133.045 mm
Internal diameter of sma	all-end bearing		20.005 to 20.015 mm
Clearance between smale		prescribed max. wear	0.005 to 0.020 0.05
Diameter of bearing seats		48.658 to 48.671 mm	
Bearing thickness			
	standard		1.822 to 1.829 mm
	1st re-grind		1.949 to 1.956 mm
	2nd re-grind		2.076 to 2.083 mm
	3rd re-grind		2.203 to 2.210 mm
Radial clearance between pins and bearings			0.025 mm to 0.064 mm
Axial clearance between con-rod & crank			0.20 to 0.30 mm

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PISTON & LINERS

Cylinder liner, standard diameter* 74.00 to 74.019 mm

Ovality

new liner (tolerance) 0.014 mm worn liner (maximum limit) 0.050 mm

Liner projection beyond the cylinder block 0.000 to 0.06 mm

Piston *

Standard diameter (measured at 11 mm from bottom edge of skirt)

Spider Veloce	73.835 to	73.865 mm
Sprint Veloce	73.835 to	73.865 mm
Spider	73.925 to	73.955 mm
Sprint	73.925 to	73.955 mm
Berlina	73.935 to	73.965 mm

Clearance between cylinder liner and piston *

	Prescribed, when coupled	at maximum wear
Spider Veloce	0.14 to 0.159 mm	0.18 mm
Sprint Veloce	0.14 to 0.159 mm	0,18 mm
Spider	0.05 to 0.069 mm	0.12 mm
Sprint	0.05 to 0.069 mm	0.12 mm
Berlina	0.04 to 0.059 mm	0.12 mm

Compression and oil scraper rings:

standard diameter. 74.00 mm

Clearance between the ends of compression or oil scraper rings (when rings are placed inside liner)

compression 0.30 to 0.45 mm oil scraper 0.25 to 0.40 mm

max. wear 1.0 mm

* NOTE

The dimensions stated for the pistons and liners are the maximum limits. When assembling, mix and match pistons and liners so as to ensure the prescribed amount of clearance.

PISTON & LINERS

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Thickness of rings

compression 1.972 to 1.984 mm

oil scraper 3.958 to 3.970 mm

Axial play between seats and rings

compression 0.041 to 0.068 mm

oil scraper 0.045 to 0.072 mm

max. wear 0.10 mm

Diameter of piston pins 19.994 to 20.000 mm

Diameter of piston pin bore 20.000 to 20.003 mm

Clearance between piston-pin and piston-pin bore

prescribed 0.000 to 0.008 mm

maximum wear 0.004 mm

* NOTE

The dimensions stated for the pistons and liners are the maximum limits. When assembling, mix and match pistons and liners so as to ensure the prescribed amount of clearance.

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CRANKSHAFT

	standard	1st re-grind	2nd re-grind		3rd re-grind
crank shaft jou	ırnal di.				
	57.074 to 57.086 mm	56.820 to 56.832 mm	56.566 to 56.578 mm		56.312 to 56.324 mm
Crank pin diar	neter				
	44.963 to 44.975 mm	44.709 to 44.721 mm	44.445 to 44.447 mm		44.201 to 44.223 mm
Thickness of crankshaft Journal					
	1.829 to 1.835 mm	1.956 to 1.962 mm	2.083 to 2.089 mm		2.210 to 2.216 mm
Maximum permitted ovality of crank pins and crankshaft journal				0.05 m	nm
Maximum lack of alignment between crank pins and crankshaft journals			0.07 m	nm	
Diameter of crankshaft bearing seats			60.769	o to 60.782 mm	
Diametral clearance between crankshaft journal and bearing (prescribed) 0.013 to 0.0				0.013 to 0.050	

mm

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CRANKSHAFT

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Length of crankshaft	standard	1st re-grind	2nd re-grind	3rd re-grind
center journal	30.000	30.127	30.254	30.381
journal	to	to	to	to
	30.035 mm	30.162 mm	30.289 mm	30.416 mm
Thickness of thrust rings for the crankshaft center journal	2.311 to 2.362 mm	2.374 to 2.425 mm	2.438 to 2.489 mm	2.501 to 2.552 mm

Axial play of the thrust rings for the crankshaft center bearing (prescribed)

0.076 to 0.263 mm

Axial play of the con-rods (prescribed) 0.200 to 0.30 mm

Crankshaft journal fillets 2.00 mm

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CLUTCH

Internal diameter of the driven plate 130 mm External diameter of the driven plate 200 mm Clearance between the thrust ring and disengaging ring prescribed 2 mm 1 mm maximum wear Thickness of the driven plate new linings 10 mm maximum wear 6 mm Thickness of clutch lining 3.5 mm Clearance between flywheel and thrust ring face 59 to 59.5 mm Clearance between thrust ring face and plane of outer face of cover 26 to 26.3 mm Number of springs 9 Length of uncompressed springs 43.5 to 45.5 mm length of springs under load of 45 to 49 kg 29 mm Free pedal movement 23 mm Maximum permissible out of balance of clutch unit 20 gr. cm

GEAR BOX

(Transmission)

		1st and 2nd gears 3rd and top gears		15.3 mm 11.5 mm
Springs when loaded				
		1st and 2nd gears at 1.6 to 1.8 kg		12.5 mm
		3rd and top gears at 1.9 to 2.1 kg		9 mm
Gear ratios				
	1 st gear		1:3.313	}
	2nd gear		1:1.959)
	3rd gear		1:1.354	ļ
	top gear		1:1	
	reverse		1:3.365	5

Speedometer

No. of teeth on speedometer drive gear-wheel for ratio of	10/41	9
No. of teeth on speedometer pinion for ratio of	10/41	19
No. of teeth on speedometer drive gear-wheel for ratio of	8/41	8
No. of teeth on speedometer pinion for ratio of	8/41	22
No. of teeth on speedometer drive gear-wheel for ratio of	9/41	9
No. of teeth on speedometer pinion for ratio of	9/41	21

PROPELLER SHAFT

(Drive shaft)

Maximum permissible lack of squareness between rear shaft and face of front flange. (Measured at flange extremities) 0.05 mm

Maximum eccentricity of intermediate bracket bearing seat 0.03 mm

Maximum eccentricity of rear shaft 0.02 mm

Maximum permitted lack of balance of rear shaft 10 gr.cm

REAR AXLE

Rear-axle ratio

Spider Veloce	10/41
Sprint Veloce	10/41
Spider	9/41
Sprint	9/41
Berlina	9/41
t.i.	9/41

Backlash, pinion/crown wheel 0.13 to 0.18 mm

Maximum crown-wheel eccentricity 0.025 mm

Pinion bearing preload with oil seal* 0.145 to .195 m/kg*

Carrier bearing preload (total of carrier and pinion bearing preload)*

and pinion bearing preload)* 0.165 to .222 m/kg*

Type of bevel drive. HYPOID

Type of bearing for pinion and

differential box. TAPER ROLLER BEARING

Type of rear-axles. HALF-FLOATING

^{*} This data from sources other than factory work shop manual.

FRONT SUSPENSION

Wheel camber* 0 degrees

Toe-in (measured at rims)* 3 mm

King-pin caster slant* 8 degrees 35 min.

King-pin caster angle*

Spider Veloce 1 deg. 20 min. +/- 30 mim.

Sprint Veloce 50 deg. +/- 30 mim.

Spider 1 deg. 20 min. +/- 30 mim.

Sprint 50 deg. +/- 30 mim.

Berlina

up to car no. 148810000

10 deg. +/- 30 mim.

from car no. 148810001

30 deg. +/- 30 mim.

t.i. 30 deg. +/- 30 mim.

Steering angle

inner 36 deg.

outer 28 deg. 30 mim.

^{*} All this above data related to vehicles fully loaded

FRONT SUSPENSION

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Length of springs when not compressed

Spider Veloce	364 mm	+/- 5 mm		
Sprint Veloce				
standard on request	371 mm 384 mm	+/- 5 mm +/- 5 mm		
Spider	410 mm	+/- 5 mm		
Sprint				
up to car No. 149302800				
	410 mm	+/- 5 mm		
from car No. 149302801				
	394 mm	+/- 5 mm		
Berlina				
up to car No. 148810000				
	389 mm	+/- 5 mm		
from car No. 148810001				
	396 mm	+/- 5 mm		
t.i.	396 mm	+/- 5 mm		

FRONT SUSPENSION

(cont.)

Length of springs under load

Spider Veloce

load, 426 +/- 12.8 kg. 267 mm

Sprint Veloce

load, 460 +/- 13.8 kg. 267 mm

Spider

load, 465 +/- 14 kg. 267 mm

Sprint

up to car No. 149302800

load, 525 +/- 15 kg. 2.67 mm

from car No. 149302801

load, 505 +/- 15 kg. 2.67 mm

Berlina

up to car No. 148810000

load, 500 +/- 15 kg. 267 mm

from car No. 148810001

load, 500 +/- 15 kg. 274 mm

t.i.

load, 500 +/- 15 kg. 274 mm

REAR SUSPENSION

Length of springs when not compressed (uncompressed)

Spider Veloce	387 mm +/- 5 mm
Sprint Veloce up to car No. 149304500 up to car No. 149304500 (on request)	383 mm +/- 5 mm 402 +/- 5 mm
from car No. 149304501	383 +/- 5 mm
Spider up to car No. 149501850	436 mm +/- 5 mm
up to car No. 149501850 (on request)	420 mm +/- 5 mm
from car No. 149501851 to car No. 149503250	433 mm +/- 5 mm
from car No. 149503251	418 +/- 5 mm
Sprint	
up to car No. 149302800	461 mm +/- 5 mm
from car No. 149302801 to car No. 149304500	425 mm +/- 5 mm
from car No. 149304501	414 +/- 5 mm
Berlina up to car No. 148810000	471 mm +/- 5 mm
from car No. 148810001	463 mm +/- 5 mm

463 mm +/- 5 mm

REAR SUSPENSION

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Length of springs under load	enath of springs	under	load
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Spider Veloce

load, 155 +/- 4.65 kg. 240 mm

Sprint Veloce

load, 171 +/- 5.13 kg. 240 mm

Spider

up to car No. 149501850

load, 161.5 +/- 4.80 kg. 240 mm

up to car No. 149501850 (on request)

load, 171 +/- 5.10 kg. 240 mm

from car No. 149501851 up to car No. 149503250

load, 161.5 +/- 4.84 kg. 240 mm

from car No. 149503251

load 162 +/- 4.86 kg. 240 mm

Sprint

up to car No. 149302800

load, 210 +/- 6.30 kg. 240 mm

from car No. 149302801 to car No. 149304500

load, 195 +/- 5.85 kg. 240 mm

to car No. 149304501

load, 185 +/- 5.85 kg. 230 mm

Berlina

up to car No. 148810000

load, 245 +/- 7.35 kg. 260 mm

from car No. 148810001

load, 245 +/- 7.35 kg. 250 mm

t.i.

load, 245 +/- 7.35 kg. 250 mm

BRAKES

Internal drum diameter

front 266.7 to 266.8 mm rear 254 to 254.1 mm

Diameter of brake shoes

front 265.8 to 266.1 mm rear 253.2 to 253.5 mm

Type of lining

FERODO MZ 41

Useful width

front 57 mm rear 44.45 mm

Useful thickness

front 2.8 mm rear 2.2 mm

Hydraulic pump diameter

25.4 mm

Brake cylinder diameter

front 25.4 mm rear 22.22 mm

Useful stroke of brake pedal

120 mm

Millimeters to inches

Inches to millimeters

mm	inches	inches	mm
0.01	0.00039	0.001	0.0254
0.02	0.00079	0.002	0.0508
0.03	0.00118	0.003	0.0762
0.04	0.00157	0.004	0.1016
0.05	0.00197	0.005	0.1270
0.06	0.00236	0.006	0.1524
0.07	0.00276	0.007	0.1778
0.08	0.00315	0.008	0.2032
0,09	0.00354	0.009	0.2286
0.1	0.00394	0.01	0.254
0.2	0.00787	0.02	0.508
0.3	0.01181	0.03	0.762
0.4	0.01575	0.04	1.016
0.5	0.01969	0.05	1.270
0.6	0.02362	0.06	1.524
0.7	0.02756	0.07	1.778
0.8	0.03150	0.08	2.032
0.9	0.03543	0.09	2.286
1	0.0394	0.1	2.54
2	0.0787	0.2	5.08
3	0.1181	0.3	7.62
4	0.1575	0.4	10.16
5	0.1968	0.5	12.70
6	0.2362	0.6	15.24
7	0.2756	0.7	17.78
8	0.3150	0.8	20.32
9	0.3543	0.9	22.86
10	0.3927	1	25.4

^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory manual.

FORMULAS*

TO GO FROM:	MULTIPLY BY:
centimeters to inches	0.3937
centimeters to feet	0.0328
cubic centimeters to cubic inches	0.0610
kilograms to pounds	2.2046
kilometers to miles	0.6214
kilometers/hr to m/p/h	0.6214
liters to gallons	0.2642
liters to cubic inches	61.024
m/p/h to kilometers/hr	1.6093
miles to kilometers	1.6093
pounds to kilograms	0.4536
cubic inches to cubic centimeters	16.387
gallons to liters	3.7854
feet to meters	0.3048
inches to centimeters	2.54
ounces to grams	28.349
ounces to kilograms	0.0283
ounces to pounds	0.0625

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PRODUCTION DATA

Production data. This concept has always intrigued me given that anyone possessing such a list of serial numbers and related dates can find the serial number of a car of interest and verify the date of manufacture, the model, and in some cases type of accessories or option(s) included by the factory, and the country of release etc. I am also intrigued by the fact that every list of said serial numbers, dates and related information that I have had the opportunity to field test, gives me some information but not always the total picture that seems to have been promised. This is the second series of cars that I have attempted to make sense out of the available production date lists. The Giulietta has presented the same curious situation as the my first endeavor. The experts that have published previous studies don't seem to agree with each other for whatever reason. Now please do not misunderstand me here. I am not taking any fault with anyone only making an observation. There are all possible sorts of reasons for discrepancies, editing errors, printing and transposing errors and interpellation errors where no original facts exist. 1954 was very different from today. Record keeping then may not have been, for whatever reason, what it is now.

The following production data is presented in three separate lists. Each of the following production lists is from different and I am certain reliable source. I have not made any attempt to edit this information as I should think that only the Alfa Factory would have the accurate account that is if the files still exist. As I don't have access to the factory and as this is more or less a report on available information, I will only report the expert's testimony on the obviously confusing production history of the ALFA GIULIETTA.

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HISTORICAL REFERENCES*

The following information was given in reference to racing engines where the cost of winning may be the risk of damage to the engine. Therefore by following the modifications below or any deviations from competent repair manuals may considerably shorten the life of a street driven engine or race engine for that matter.

Please note that this writer does not, in anyway, under-write, recommend, suggest, or assume that the following is correct or safe for any car. THIS IS A HISTORICAL REPORT and should be used for research only. It is recommended that any repairs or maintenance work be undertaken with the aid of

manuals specifically referencing the make and model of the car in question.

Early Alfa Giulietta racing was very successful in the US and much tuning was done in quest for the checkered flag. The following is included help the reader trace modifications made to an engine or car.

Competition Tuning recommended, circ: 1960 Alfa Giulietta Veloce.

- 1. Shave head .005" (maintain compression ratio of 9.5 to 1)
- 2. Piston skirt to cylinder clearance, .006" @ 80 degrees F.
- 3. Radius top of piston outer edge @ (inside radius) (or top edge grooved) R = .140", and bevel lower edge of radius or grove @ 15 degrees. Note: This gives extra clearance between head and piston at pistons outer edge.
- 4. Turn down ring lands to .020" less than cylinder bore.
- 5. Polish and match ports.
- 6. Weber 40DCO3 with 30 to 32 mm venturi with larger exhausts.
- 7. 7 mm holes through bowl cover (visible with jet cover plate removed. Early Webers had 4 mm holes.
- 8. For increased performance above 6,000 RPM, when using carburetors and straight exhaust as described in No. 6 above, set valve clearance at .002" to .003" closer than normally prescribed.
- 7. Check and maintain minimum clearance at valve to head @ .060"
- * Data compiled from source other than factory manual.

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HISTORICAL REFERENCES*

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9. Valve timing:

intake exhaust

open 34 degrees BTDC 63 degrees BBDC closes 63 degrees ABDC 30 degrees ATDC

For the strong at heart the following was suggested:

80 degrees overlap.

open 46 degrees BTDC 65 degrees BBDC closes 65 degrees ABDC 34 degrees ATDC

10. Set spark advance at 44 degrees at 6,000 RPM for top end performance, or at 47 degrees at 6,000 RPM for low end performance. It was noted that 47 degrees advance could shorten engine life.

Another racer recommended the following:

Timing for the Veloce at 45-65-65-35 degrees respectively. For the Normale it was suggested to go with a 3 to 6 degree advance on the intake cam on a pre 1959 car and 0 to 3 degree advance on a 1959-1960 car with the larger carburetor.

Over filling of oil in the sump by one quart reduces oil pressure loss in corners on engines with earlier pan designs.

It was also was discussed back in 1961 that a 1300cc engine could be turned into a 1500cc engine by replacing pistons, rings, pins, wet sleeves, and head gasket. Serious machine work is required to the block to accept the larger sleeves and sealing O rings. The head also requires mating to the larger chamber. Note that you can not return to the 1300cc configuration due to the removal of material to the block and head. It was estimated that such a conversion by it's self would yield 10 HP in a standard (Normale) and 15 HP in a Veloce.

It should be noted that these recommendations were made also in reference to different tires and gearing in regards to the difference in track shape and length. As this is performance tuning and it is typical to lose on the top end when gaining on the lower end, and vise versa, performance tuning that is tried out on street cars never achieves the over-all performance of the "stock" tuning. Research any contemplated revisions with a competent Alfa Technician before moving into new areas that may be expensive to return from.

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^{*} Data compiled from source other than factory manual.