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Revington TR Roll Over Bar (ROB) and Cage Product Range

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INTRODUCTION

In the 1970s when roll over bars (ROBs) became the thing to have in competition, John Aley started manufacturing roll over bars for the sports cars of the day, which of course included the TRs TR2-6. Later John Aley sold out to Safety Devices, who continued to manufacture these bars into the millennium. A few years ago safety devises got into difficulties which seriously interfered with roll over bar supplies. As a consequence Revington TR took steps to re-tool this range, rationalising and improving the designs, and introducing a full range for TR7 and 8. Our ROBs are now made by Caged in Westbury, exclusively for Revington TR, off our own tooling.

We aim to carry stocks of the complete TR range of Roll over bars and cages for TR2-8 in the variations described below for both road and competition use. To make it easier for you to decide which bar or cage is suitable for you, Revington TR have compiled this information sheet, which explains what features are available for your car and what those features are.

BASE BAR TYPES

ROAD BARS

Revington TR's road bars are designed for the casual road user who wishes to increase the safety of their TR but doesn't necessarily wish to use their vehicle for competition. To make the bar less of an obstruction, more convenient and to reduce the cost of the bar, road bars do not have a diagonal brace but do have 2 angled back stays. The bars are still made out of the same high quality steel as the competition bars and therefore give you that extra piece of mind in case of that unfortunate occurrence of an accident.

COMPETITION BARS

Revington TR's competition bars are designed for those who desire the extra rigidity of a diagonal brace for competition or track day use. Customers who also use their car for general road use may be interested in our removable diagonal range. For general road use the diagonal bar can be left out and when taking the car to the track the extra safety of the diagonal brace can be re-fitted with just 2 bolts.

FULL CAGES

Revington TR offers a complete full cage safety solution for all TRs, for those who are building a competition TR. These cages comply with FIA rules and as the material used and the design conform with the FIA (and the MSA in the UK) no certification is required. These cages comprise front and rear hoops, removable door and roof bars, harness bar and diagonal, and in some cases the option of a removable diagonal.

OPTIONS

HARNESS BAR

All ROBs, can be supplied with an integral harness bar, which will not interfere with the operation of the hood on soft top cars. Many owners, whether using their car on the road or the track, will find the use of a harness both comfortable and reassuring. If you have chosen to fit an ROB it is generally considered better that in the unfortunate event of the car rolling over it is preferable to be firmly strapped in. A full harness will achieve this with much greater effect then a lap and diagonal arrangement.

Roll over bars with a harness bar are suffixed HB.

DIAGONAL AND REMOVABLE DIAGONAL

Our competition range has diagonal cross bracing for extra rigidity. These bars are handed so that the strongest point is above the drivers head, i.e. RHD ROBs have a diagonal running from top right to bottom left. There is also the option of the diagonal being removable, giving you the best of both worlds: the convenience of a non obstructed rear view and better use of the rear shelf, for general road use and the safety of a diagonally braced ROB for competition.

Competition bars are suffixed with an L for LHD and R for RHD.

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TECHNICAL INFORMATION

All our ROB's and Cages are made from CFS3BK cold drawn seamless carbon steel FIA spec tube, this material does not require annealing after welding. The tube dimensions are 1 ½" O/D diameter x 12 gauge (38.1mm x 2.64mm wall thickness). As the tube specification and design meets the minimum requirements of the FIA to their published drawings, there is no need for FIA approval of either ROB's or Cages. However it is still up to the customer to ensure the bar design is appropriate to the sporting regulations of their chosen competition.

Note: Chrome molybdenum 41-30 tubing is very hard and brittle and when welded creates hard spots and can crack, this material needs annealing after welding, therefore making it unnecessarily expensive, likewise T45 material is unnecessarily expensive. However if customers have an overwhelming desire to have bars made out of these alternative materials, this can be arranged at additional cost.

FAQS

Q1. Will I still be able to erect the hood sticks on my soft top car with the ROB fitted?

A1. Yes! All our ROBs, where specifically intended for soft top cars, will allow for the erection of the hood sticks without any modification

Q2. Will I be able to fit the TR2-3B Roll Over Bars with a hard top?

A2. Yes. We have tested the installation with a steel works hard top and with the hard top on Neil's TR2 there was about 5mm clearance between the bar and the under-face of the steel hard top.

Q3. Do I need an FIA certificate if I intend to use the ROB or Cage in competition?

A3. No. All our ROBs and cages comply with FIA rules on construction and material. As the design and materials used conform to FIA drawings (and the MSA in the UK) no certification is required.

Q4. Will the bar or cage fit straight into my car?

A4. No, this would be highly unlikely, particularly on older cars such as the TR2. These early cars were virtually hand built and of course any car which has been rebuilt is likely to be a different shape to original. All ROBs are supplied with fitting instructions detailing methods that can be employed to encourage your car and your new ROB or cage to fit together.

Q5. Are fitting instructions included?

A5. Yes fitting instructions are included where necessary. This in particular refers to full cages, however simple rear hoop ROBs do not require fitting instructions. If help is required Revington TR are always here to help.

Q6. Is the ROB supplied with a fitting template?

A6. No fitting template is required, the bar will only fit in one place

TR2-3B ROB	s RTR9047	Series							
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9047-1	Road					N/A			
RTR9047-1HB	Road	✓				N/A			
RTR9047-2R	Competition		✓			RHD			
RTR9047-2L	Competition		✓			LHD			
RTR9047-2HBR	Competition	✓	✓			RHD			
RTR9047-2HBL	Competition	✓	✓			LHD			
RTR9047-3RK	Competition			✓		RHD			
RTR9047-3LK	Competition			✓		LHD			
RTR9047-3HBR	Competition	✓		✓		RHD			
RTR9047-3HBL	Competition	✓		✓		LHD			
TR2-3B Cages RTR9091 and RTR9128 Series									
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9091R	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	RHD	Front Hoop below the dash		
RTR9091L	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	LHD	Front Hoop below the dash		
RTR9128R	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	RHD	Maximum Protection with a full windscreen height front hoop (not below the dash)		
RTR9128L	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	LHD	Maximum Protection with a full windscreen height front hoop (not below the dash)		
TR4-6 Soft Tops ROBs RTR9053 Series									
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
	Darad					N/A			
RTR9053-1	Road					IN/A			

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Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes	
RTR9053-2R	Competition		✓			RHD		
RTR9053-2L	Competition		✓			LHD		
RTR9053-2HBR	Competition	✓	✓			RHD		
RTR9053-2HBL	Competition	✓	✓			LHD		
RTR9053-3R	Competition			✓		RHD		
RTR9053-3L	Competition			✓		LHD		
RTR9053-3HBR	Competition	✓		✓		RHD		
RTR9053-3HBL	Competition	✓		✓		LHD		

TR4-5 Hard Tops ROBs RTR9148 Series

Revington TR has produced an ingenious backlight and Surrey or hardtop arrangement with an integral roll over bar suitable for TR4, 4A, 5 and 250. This arrangement has been successfully fitted to many TR6's as well. See section 7 for details of the full kit. These bars have been cleverly designed with sliding feet to accommodate different shapes and sizes of car; this will allow the main hoop of the ROB to fit neatly up inside the 'top hat' section of the backlight frame. Once the correct height has been established the sleeve is bolted firmly in place. This is a very tidy solution, which results in the rearward vision not being impaired. Detailed below are the bars that form part of this arrangement.

Whilst intended for use with our fibreglass backlight frame, the basic ROBs can be bought separately so they can be fitted under the original aluminium backlight frame.

Unlike our fibreglass backlight frame for which these ROB's were designed, the original aluminium version has two bosses cast into the under face through which the hard top centre panel or surrey top would be attached. As the ROB will sit directly below these access holes the main hoop incorporates two hollow ferrules to enable the hard top panel or surrey top to be fastened through both the ROB and the backlight frame. Longer bolts are required to fit the hard top centre panel or surrey top.

Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes
RTR9148-1	Road					N/A	
RTR9148-1HB	Road	✓				N/A	
RTR9148-2R	Competition		✓			RHD	
RTR9148-2L	Competition		✓			LHD	
RTR9148-2HBR	Competition	✓	✓			RHD	
RTR9148-2HBL	Competition	✓	✓			LHD	
RTR9148-3R	Competition			✓		RHD	
RTR9148-3L	Competition			✓		LHD	

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Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9148-3HBR	Competition	✓		✓		RHD			
RTR9148-3HBL	Competition	✓		✓		LHD			
TR4-6 Hard To	ops Full Cage	es RTR9177 S	eries						
Please note for T	R6: This arrange	ement will only fi	t open top						
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9177-1R	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	RHD	Dash needs to be cut to fit		
RTR9177-1L	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	LHD	Dash needs to be cut to fit		
TR7-8 Soft To	p ROBs RTRS	9061 Series							
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9061-1	Road					N/A			
RTR9061-1HB	Road	✓				N/A			
RTR9061-2R	Competition		✓			RHD			
RTR9061-2L	Competition		✓			LHD			
RTR9061-2HBR	Competition	✓	✓			RHD			
RTR9061-2HBL	Competition	✓	✓			LHD			
RTR9061-3R	Competition			✓		RHD			
RTR9061-3L	Competition			✓		LHD			
RTR9061-3HBR	Competition	✓		✓		RHD			
RTR9061-3HBL	Competition	✓		✓		LHD			





TR7-8 Coupe ROBs RTR9138 Series									
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9138-1	Road					N/A			
RTR9138-1HB	Road	✓				N/A			
RTR9138-2R	Competition		✓			RHD			
RTR9138-2L	Competition		✓			LHD			
RTR9138-2HBR	Competition	✓	✓			RHD			
RTR9138-2HBL	Competition	✓	✓			LHD			
RTR9138-3R	Competition			✓		RHD			
RTR9138-3LK	Competition			✓		LHD			
RTR9138-3HBR	Competition	✓		✓		RHD			
RTR9138-3HBL	Competition	✓		✓		LHD			
TR7-8 Coupe Full Cages RTR9139 Series									
Part No	Bar Type	Harness Bar	Fixed Diagonal	Removable Diagonal	Front Hoop & Removable Side Bars	LHD or RHD	Notes		
RTR9139R	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	RHD	Dash needs to be cut to fit		
RTR9139L	Full Cage	✓	✓		✓	LHD	Dash needs to be cut to fit		