

TECHNICAL SERVICE BULLETIN

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SUBJECT:

Oil Consumption

MODELS:

All

There appears to be considerable confusion regarding an oil consumption figure which can be considered satisfactory when dealing with alleged oil consumption cases. 2,400 miles or more per gallon (600 per qt.) is an acceptable consumption rate after the vehicle has completed at least 5,000 miles, and is widely accepted. We would therefore advise all concerned that any vehicle suspected of consuming an excessive amount of oil should be properly inspected for signs of leakage and tested to determine as accurately as possible the actual oil usage. We cannot consider warranty claims for rectification work carried out on vehicles with oil consumption at or below this figure.

J.P.