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The MGB epitomises the affordable British sports car. Although mass-produced, it exudes *cochet* of the sort normally reserved for much rarer thoroughbreds, and has always attracted remarkable affection. When new, in 1962, the MGB offered an entry ticket to a lifestyle far more exotic than its humble origins, and yet near the end of its life – 18 years later – it had taken on almost unrivalled classic appeal in an automotive world of increasing ugliness and conformity. Today, enthusiasm for the MGB remains as strong as ever, despite the appearance of a whole new breed of modern upstarts that attempt to replicate the character of this most friendly of sports cars.

MGB is packed with fascinating new material about the MGB, together with its MGC and MGB GT V8 derivatives. Besides the production story, other chapters detail the competition history of these cars, as well as offshoots like the marketing campaigns, Australian manufacture and development of the RV8 model. If you have ever owned an MGB, travelled in one or merely admired one from a distance, this is the place to discover the best-kept secrets of the most-loved sports car of all time.

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