

Superformance Mk III

Owner's Manual Supplement

Three Window Soft Top Installation and Storage

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The Three Window Soft Top

The original soft top had one rear window and a two bow framework.

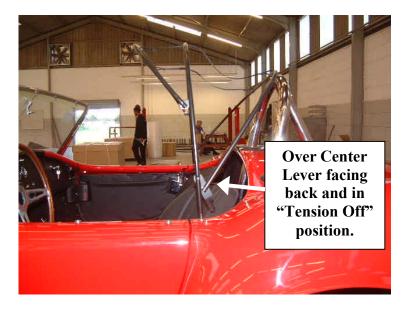
In 2003, Superformance introduced a new soft top. The new soft top incorporates many new features. Some are functional and some are more aesthetically pleasing to the eye. The new soft top has a lower profile, two side windows, a rear window that can be unzipped and left open, and a three bow framework.

At all times we have kept in mind the Superformance Mk III owner, using ease of operation, minimum wind noise and no water leaks as our main design objectives.

We of Superformance hope you will have many years of enjoyment from our product.

Fitting the Soft Top

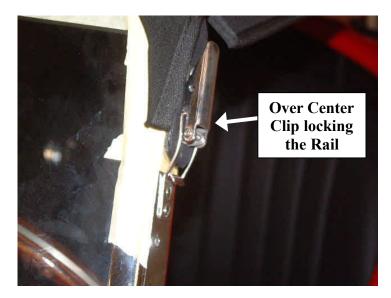
- 1. Remove Soft Top Bows from their storage bags and slot them together.
- 2. Position the Soft Top Bows into the sockets on the car (sockets are at rear of doors on body) and make sure the Over Center Levers are towards the rear of the car.



- 3. Open the Bows to form the shape of the Soft Top.
- 4. Position Over Center Levers in the "Tension Off" position.
- 5. Remove Soft Top from its storage bag and position Soft Top over the Bows (Soft Top Rails to face forwards).
- 6. Locate one Soft Top Rail Locating Pin into a slot at the top center of the Windshield. Lower the Rail onto the Windshield Frame and slide it towards the outside of the car until the Rail is completely located onto the Windshield Frame. It will be necessary to swing the Wind Wing forward to clear for Step 7.

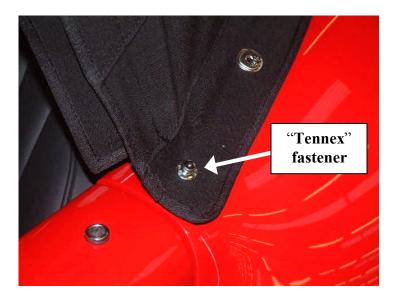


 Secure the Rail to the Windscreen by locking the stainless steel Over Center Clip onto the Windshield Bracket on the Windscreen Side Arm.

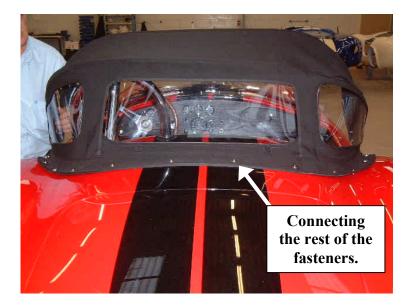


8. Repeat Step 6 for opposite side.

9. Stand at one side of the car and connect the "Tenex" fastener on Soft Top to body. NOTE: This fastener must be lifted at center button to fit and then pushed down to lock.



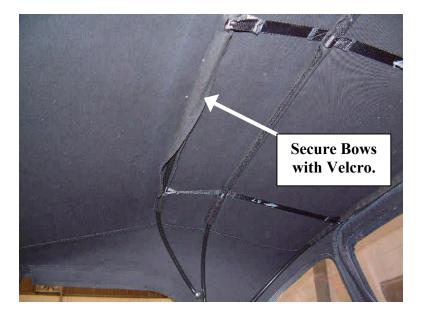
- 10. Repeat Step 9 on the opposite side.
- 11. Stand at rear of car and connect all remaining fasteners working from center of the car to the sides. It may be necessary to push "Seal Roll" away from fasteners to secure Soft Top. (Refer to Stage 14)



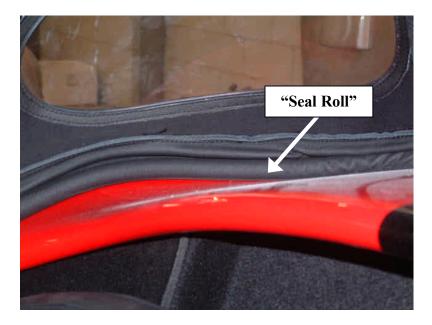
12. From inside of the car, tension the Soft Top by lifting the Over Center Levers.



13. Using the Velcro strips, secure the Soft Top to the Bows.



14. Push Rear "Seal Roll" into the gap between the body and the Soft Top.



15. Finally fit both side screens. Open doors to fit. The side windows should be fitted to the top of the door by slipping the three pins into the sockets on the top of the doors.

Start with the front pin with the doors open. Do not push down on the door - rather slide the window open and squeeze the bottom rail to the top of the door. When closing the door, the front side of the sice screen window should move to the inside of the windscreen pillar.

<u>CAUTION</u>: For driving above 75 mph, the top and side windows should be removed and stowed.

Rolling Down the Rear Window

It is possible to drive the car with the rear window rolled down. Velcro strips are fitted below the rear window for securing the rolled up window. You will have to release the soft top tension before unzipping and zipping of the rear window.

Removing the Soft Top

For removal do steps in reverse from 15 to 1.

Folding the Soft Top



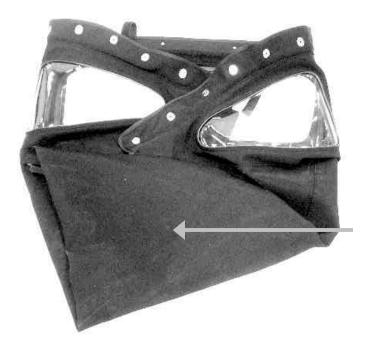
1. Fold the Soft Top open and lay it open on ground as shown.



2. Fold the left half over as shown. Fold from between windows to center of front edge.



3. Fold the other side over as for Step 2. Keep rails as close as possible together. Be sure to turn the rails so that fabric at the junction of the rails is not under undue tension.



4. Now fold the bottom onto the top as shown.



5. Fold the top back onto the bottom. The Soft Top will now be small enough to fit in it's bag.

At all times try to keep the windows "crease free" and do not lay sharp objects on windows as this will mark them permanently.

Storing the Soft Top

