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Used Antique Motorcycl	le Brief Eval	<b>Dated</b> 13/11/2023		Tester AMC					
Make BSA	Model M3	3 <b>Year</b> 1956		Reg No 260 UYJ		Oils checked E, G, P			
<b>Price £</b> 4,400	Co	lour Maroon/cream	Stock No 08668BSA			<b>cc</b> 500			
VIN/Frame BM20.S.8037		<b>Location</b> LHS headstock		Engine No BM33.2104		3M33.2104			
Registration Documents: DVLA V5C registration document MOT expiry Exemp									
<b>History</b> . Originally registered on the 14th of May 1956									

		Nice	Mean	Poor	00r COMMENTS				
E L	Headlamp Operation	✓							
E C	Rear lamp Operation	<b>✓</b>							
T R	Stop lamp Operation	✓							
I C	Horn Operation	✓							
S	Charging System Operation	✓							
S S T U S E P R E I N S I O N B R A K E S	Battery	✓			Voltage = 6	Earth polarity = Pos. Fuse fitte	ed		
	Head Bearings	✓							
	Forks	✓							
	Swing Arm Bearings	n/a							
	Wheel Alignment	✓							
	Girder Links If Applicable	n/a							
	Front Brake	✓							
	Rear Brake	✓							
	Controls Clevis Pins etc	✓							
W T H Y E R E E L S	Front Tyre tread depth	✓			Size 3.25 x 19	(See note 3 below) Cheng shin			
	Rear Tyre tread depth		<b>√</b>		Size 3.50 x 19	(See note 3 below) Cheng shin			
	Front Bearings	✓				, ,			
	Rear Bearings	✓							
	Front Rim	✓			Plating = n/a	Stainless steel			
	Rear Rim	✓			Plating = $n/a$	Stainless steel			
	Front Spokes	✓			Stainless steel	•			
	Rear Spokes	✓			Stainless steel				
G E N E E R A L	Exhaust Silencers	✓			Plating = n/a	Stainless steel			
	Exhaust Pipes	✓			Plating = $n/a$	Stainless steel			
	Fuel System Leaks	✓							
	Speedo	✓			Reading = 33542				
	Cables	✓							
	Handle bars/Levers	✓			Plating = 90%				
	Final Drive Chain	✓			<u> </u>	·			
	Primary Chain Tension	✓							
	Engine Condition		<b>√</b>						
	Cold Starting	✓							
	Hot Starting	✓							
	Oil Leaks	The odd	d drop u	nder the	e primary chain case				
	Gearbox operation	✓			No of gears 4				
	Clutch operation	✓			Ŭ	•			
	Road Test Evaluation	✓			Distance covered 11 miles				
1	Carburettor				Type = Amal Mon	obloc			

Tester reports – Started readily from cold & when hot. The motor ran very well, pulling strongly & happily sitting at 60 mph, though there was some mechanical noise suggesting this to be a high mileage engine. The clutch was light & worked well. All gears selected & functioned normally. Both period brakes worked well. A nice machine with quite a lot of stainless steel goodies fitted.

## Notes: -

- 1. This report is only the opinion of the tester on the day and should only be considered as a rough guide as time does not permit an in depth report. Antique machines will always require ongoing work.
- All antique machines must be thoroughly checked over & fully serviced by a competent mechanic before any use, due to their age & the length of time that they may have been stored.
- WWW.ROSPA.com recommends tyres that have been in storage for over 6 years or in use for 10 years should be replaced. For further information on tyre safety visit the
  ROSPA website page at <a href="http://www.rospa.com/roadsafety/adviceandinformation/vehiclesafety/tyresafet
- 4. The speedometer (if fitted) reading shown in this report is not necessarily an indication of the machines true mileage.
- 5. We strongly recommend that all Flat tank motorcycles are run on **Ethanol Free** petrol, such as Aspen or Avgas.