

## **MS3**

### **MEGA SPARK 3**

### **IGNITION COIL**

#### **Mega Spark Coil for Lumenition Magnetronic Ignition System,**

#### **For Negative Earth Vehicles Only**

#### **General Information**

The Lumenition Mega Spark 3 coil is intended for use with the Lumenition Magnetronic ignition system. It has been selected to match the requirements of both the ignition system and the target vehicle applications. It is a direct physical replacement for the original coil in most cases.

#### **Ballast Resistors**

The Lumenition Mega Spark 3 has been designed for use with a ballast resistor of about 1.5ohms and a resistor of this value **MUST** be used to avoid premature failure of the MS3 coil. It is recommended that the supplied ballast resistor is used on your vehicle However if the vehicle is already fitted with a 1.5 ohm ballast resistor that resistor may be used instead.

#### **CAUTION !**

MAKE SURE THE VEHICLE IGNITION IS SWITCHED OFF BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO FIT THIS UNIT

On many vehicles the wire from the ignition switch to the ignition coil primary terminal is NOT fused. If this wire is allowed to touch the vehicle bodywork or the engine when the ignition is switched on it can short out the battery, possibly causing a fire or permanent damage to the vehicle wiring.

Autocar Electrical Equipment Co., Ltd. assumes no liability for damage caused from this occurrence or due to any faults in the existing vehicle wiring

#### **Installation Instructions.**

*Please note that these instructions relate to installation in a negative earth vehicle only.*

#### **Connection to a Vehicle with an existing Ballast Resistor.**

Remove the existing coil.

Connect the Positive (+) terminal of the coil to the ignition feed from the existing ballast resistor. An extra cold start wire may also be fitted here, coming from the starter solenoid.

Connect the Negative (-) terminal to the black wire from the Magnetronic module fitted into the distributor.

The red wire from the Magnetronic module can be connected to the

ballast resistor on the ignition switch side.

Reconnect the HT king lead to the top turret of the coil

#### **Connection to Vehicle without an existing Ballast Resistor**

Remove the existing coil.

Connect the Positive (+) terminal of the coil to one side of the supplied ballast resistor.

Connect the other side of the ballast resistor to the ignition switch feed wire that was removed from the original coil.

Connect the Negative (-) terminal to the black wire from the Magnetronic module fitted into the distributor.

The red wire from the Magnetronic module can be connected to the ballast resistor on the ignition switch side.

Reconnect the HT king lead to the top turret of the coil.

#### **WARRANTY**

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