CLASSIFICATION OF AUTOMOBILES

1. RECORDS

For the purpose of attempting CAMS speed and/or endurance records, automobiles will be classified according to their calculated effective engine capacity, using the relevant factors as noted below. Automobiles shall then be placed in one of the following classes:

Vehicles with positive displacement reciprocating engines:

Below 250cc	Class 1
251-350cc	Class 2
351-500cc	Class 3
501-750cc	Class 4
751-1100cc	Class 5
1101-1500cc	Class 6
1501-2000cc	Class 7
2001-3000cc	Class 8
3001-5000cc	Class 9
5001-8000cc	Class 10
Over 8000cc	Class 11

(See "Supercharging", below.)

2. GENERAL

Applicable to all competition (excluding records) unless specifically noted otherwise.

2.1 **Rotary Combustion (Wankel-type) Engines:**
The nominal engine capacity will be calculated by the following formula: 1.8 times the volume determined by subtracting the minimum capacity of the working chamber/s from its/their maximum capacity unless otherwise specified in Group technical regulations.

2.2 **Supercharging:** The nominal cylinder capacity for a supercharged engine shall be multiplied by a factor of:

- for spark ignition engines = 1.7
- for Diesel engines = 1.5

and the automobile will be classified in all respects corresponding to the effective capacity thus obtained.

2.3 **Automobiles with Electric, Turbine, Steam or Hybrid Engines:** Class allocation for competition purposes will be made on application to CAMS.

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3. COMPETITIONS

For international competitions, the class structure shall be in accordance with the ISC.

For other competitions, automobiles shall be classified as below.

Event organisers are permitted to amalgamate any adjoining classes, but shall use only the class limits stated for the relevant category or group.

Competitions shall be conducted only in accordance with the following categories, unless varied by CAMS.

3.1 1st Category: Racing Cars

Australian Formula 2	Formula 4000
Formula Ford, Formula Ford 1600	Formula Vee
Formula 3	Formula Libre (Up to 1300, 1301-2000, 2001-3000, 3001-5000cc)

3.2 2nd Category

(i) Sports Cars:

Up to 1300cc	1301-1600cc
1601-3000cc	3001-6000cc
Above 6000cc	

(ii) Marque Sports Cars:

Up to 1300cc	1301-1600cc
1601-3000cc	3001-6000cc
Above 6000cc	

3.3 Sports Sedans

Up to 1600cc	1601-2000cc
2001-3000cc	3001-4000cc
4001-6000cc	

3.4 3rd Category: Touring Cars

Up to 1300cc	1301-1600cc
1601-2000cc	2001-3000cc
Over 3000cc	

3.5 Improved Production Cars

0-1600cc	1601-2000cc
2001-3000cc	3001-6000cc

3.6 HQ Holdens

As specified in the Group regulations.

3.7 4th Category: Off Road Automobiles

As specified in Group regulations.

3.8 5th Category: Historic Cars

As specified in Group regulations.

3.9 6th Category: Other Automobiles

As specified in the relevant regulations.

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