

1941 Bantam BRC Comparison Series-1 to Series-2 By George Hollins



1941 Series-1 BRC
March – June
s/n 1072 - 2562



1941 Series-2 BRC
Oct – Nov
s/n 2563 - 3650

1941 Bantam BRC

Comparison Series-1 to Series-2

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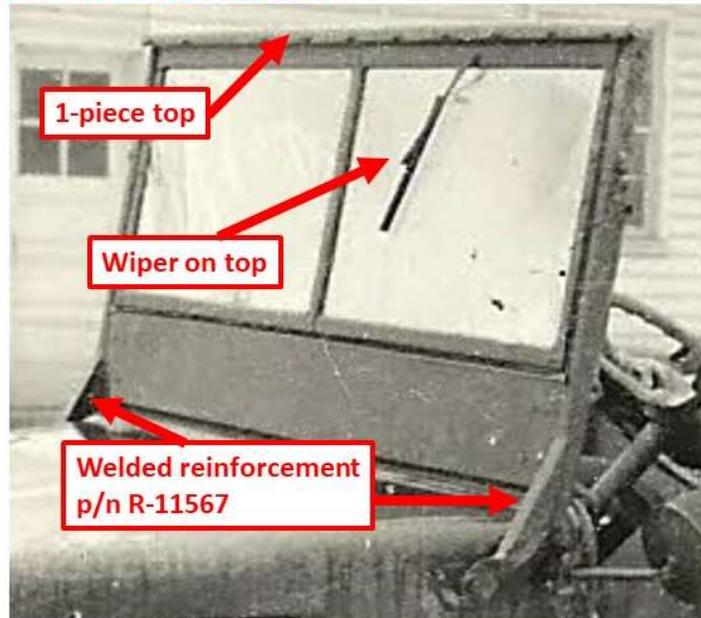
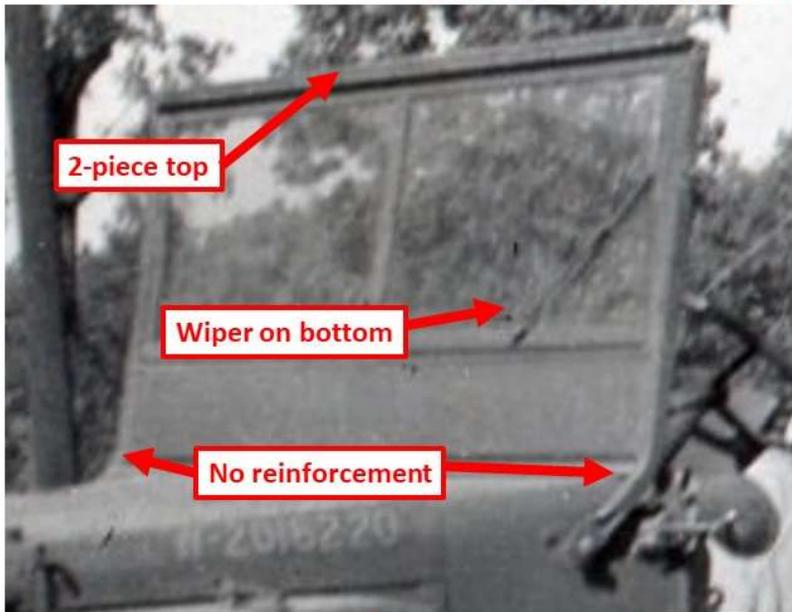
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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Windshield

1941 Bantam BRC Windshield



BRC Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941
Through s/n 2562

BRC Series-1



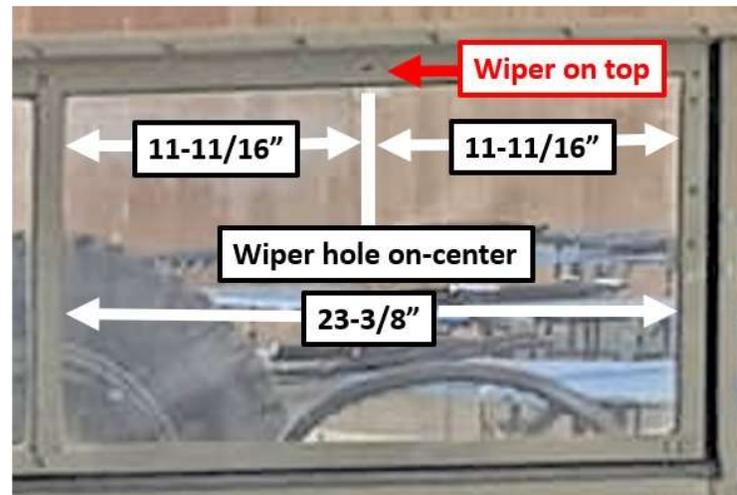
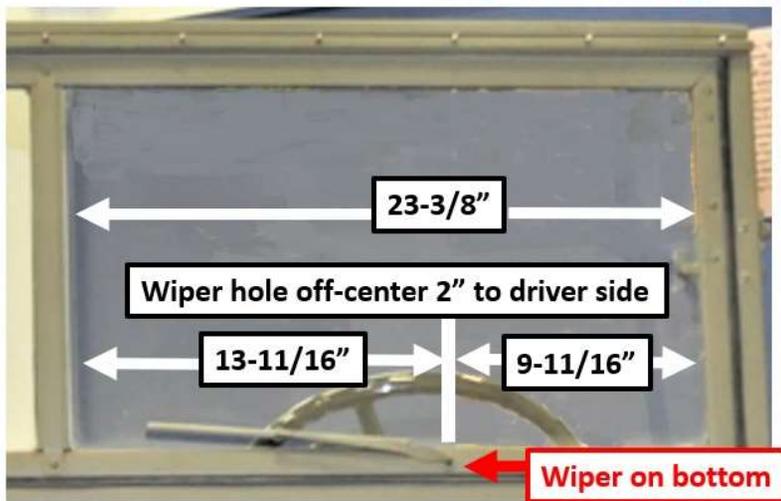
BRC Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941
Effective s/n 2563

BRC Series-2

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1941 Bantam BRC
 Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Windshield

1941 Bantam BRC Windshield



BRC Series-1
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 Through s/n 2562

BRC Series-1



BRC Series-2
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 Effective s/n 2563

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BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Windshield

1941 Bantam BRC Windshield



BRC Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941
No reinforcement
Through s/n 2562

BRC Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941
Welded reinforcement
p/n R-11567
Effective s/n 2563

BRC Series-1

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
 Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Windshield

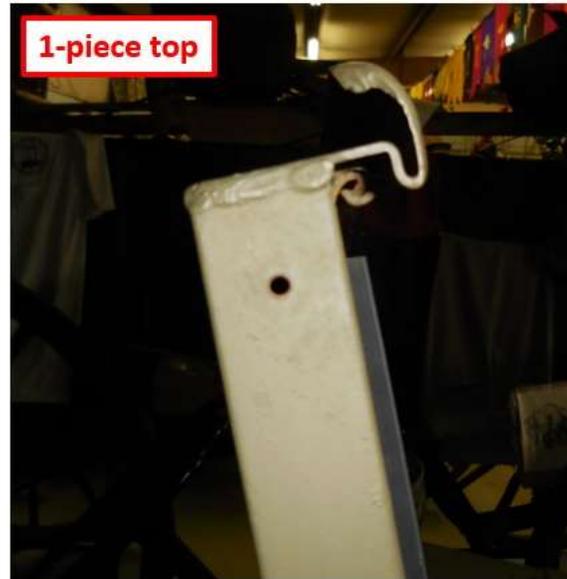
BRC Series-2 (Oct-Nov 1941) parts book page 76

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R-10479	41.20	Windshield Frame	BRC	1
R-11137	1.75	Windshield Bracket Assy R.H.	BRC	1
R-11138	1.75	Windshield Bracket Assy L.H.	BRC	1
R-11567	.40	Windshield Post Reinforcement	BRC	2
R-11283	.06	Windshield Support Spacer	BRC	2
R-11136	.25	Windshield Brac		2
R-11104	.75	Windshield Brac		2
R-11139				2
GM123221				2
GM120382				2
R-11113				1
R-11114				1
GM120396				4
GM120390				2
GM124384				2
GM122299	.01	Windshield Bump 1/2-20 Thin C		2
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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Windshield

1941 Bantam BRC Windshield



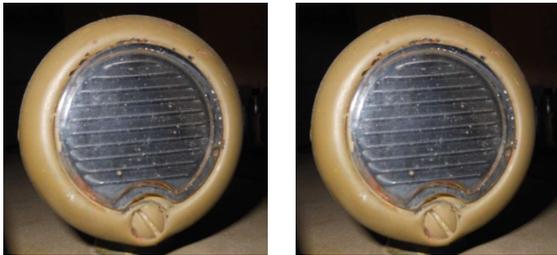
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Mar-Jun 1941
Through s/n 2562

BRC Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941
Effective s/n 2563



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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Lights



BRC Series-1

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Lights

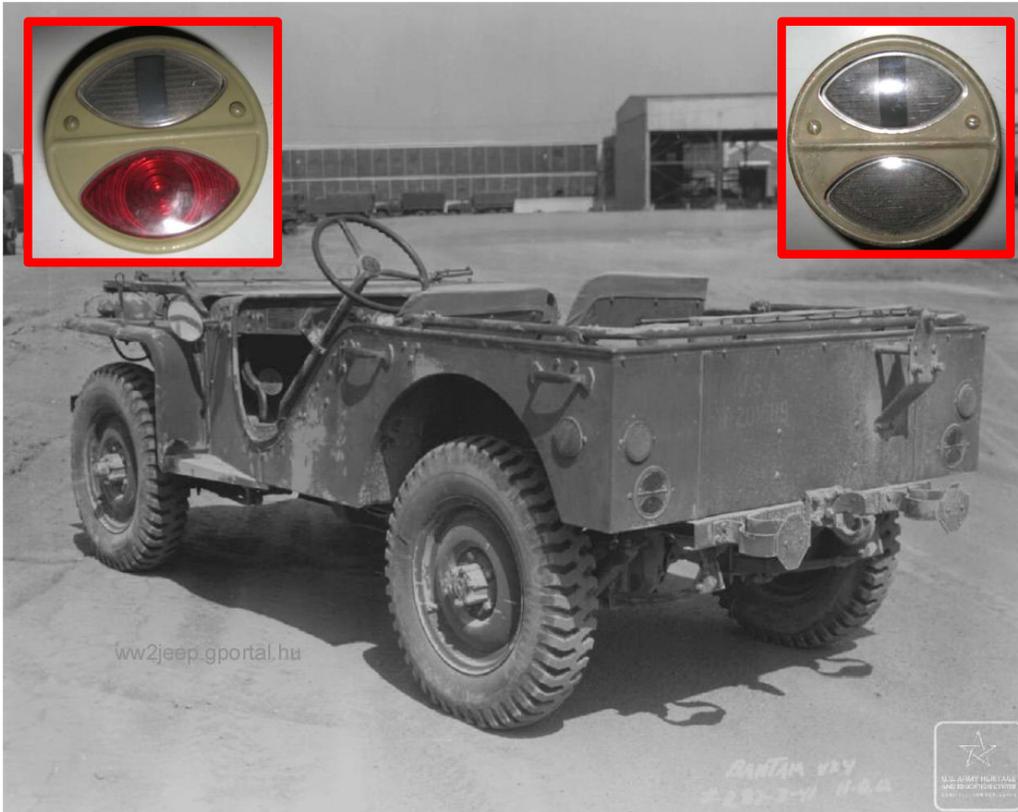


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BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
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Lights



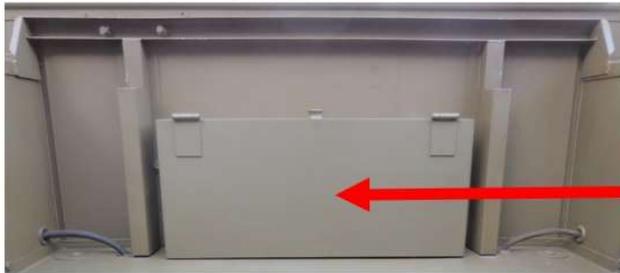
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BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Tool Storage

Series-1



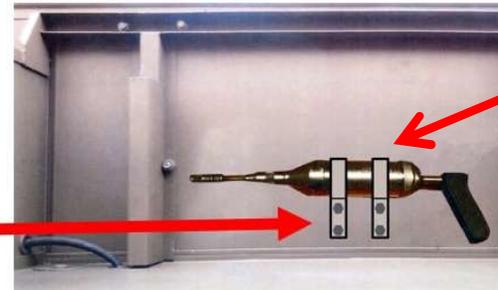
Tool Box



Tool Bin
Small
6" x 6"

BRC Series-1

Series-2



Tool Box
Removed.
Replaced by
Clips for
grease gun

Tool Bin
Large
7" x 8.5"



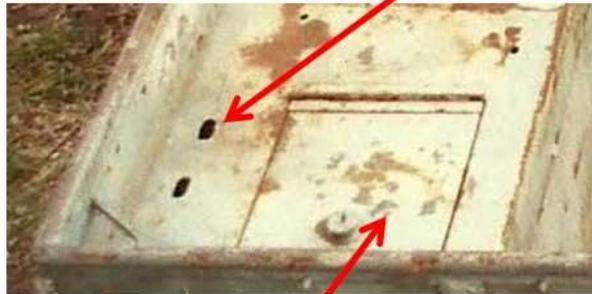
BRC Series-2



1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Tool Storage

BRC tool bin

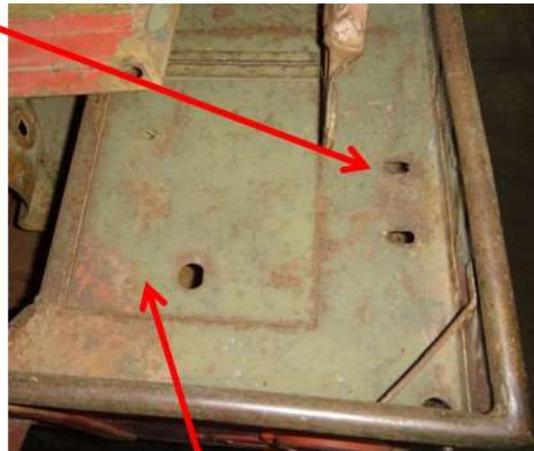
Slotted holes for rear top bow
bracket (note direction of slots)



Small bin 6"x 6"

Series-1

Mar-Jun



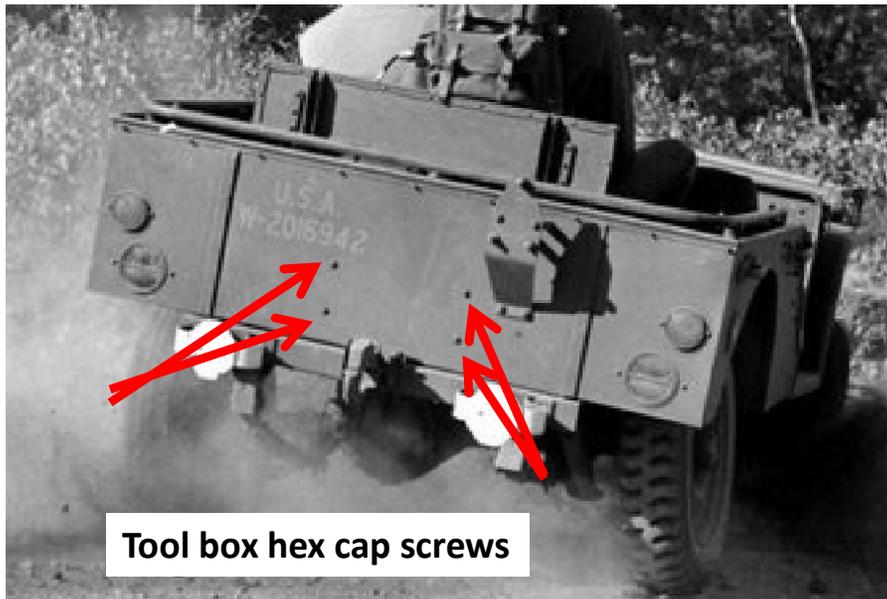
Large bin 7"x 8.5"

Series-2

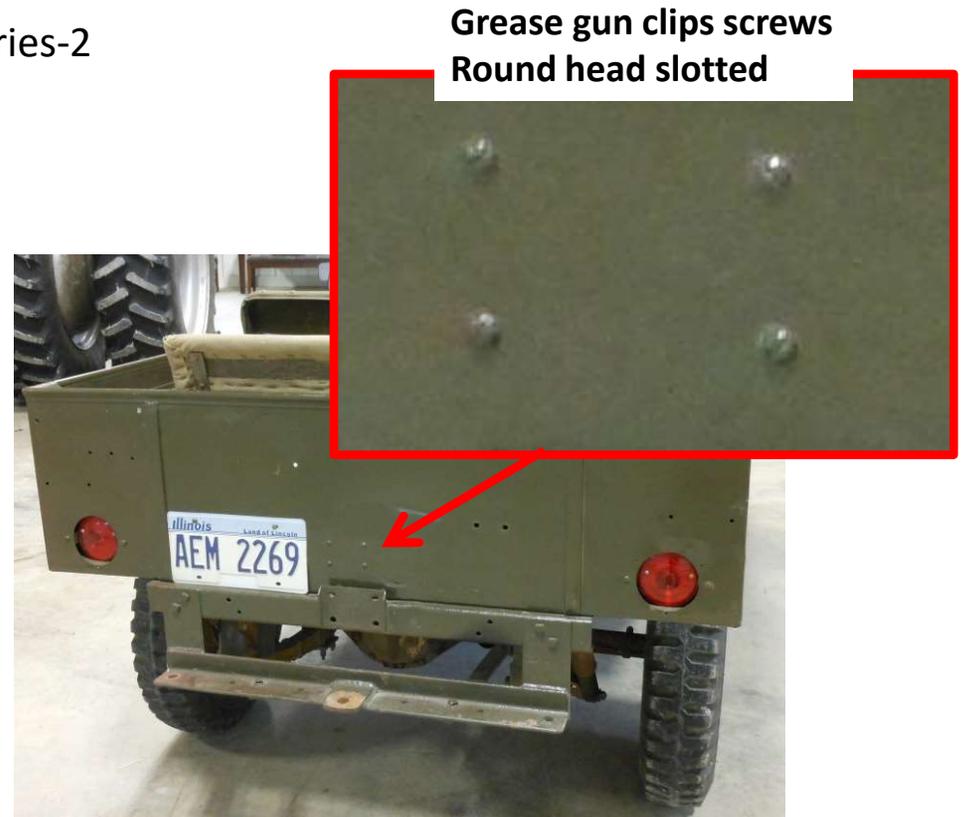
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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Tool Storage



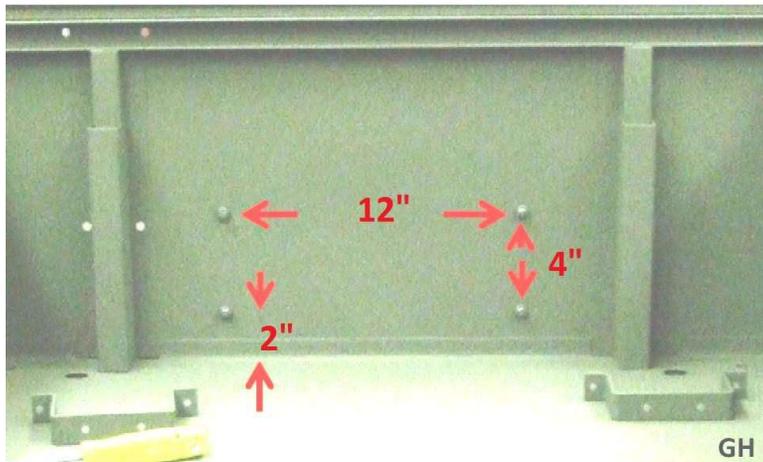
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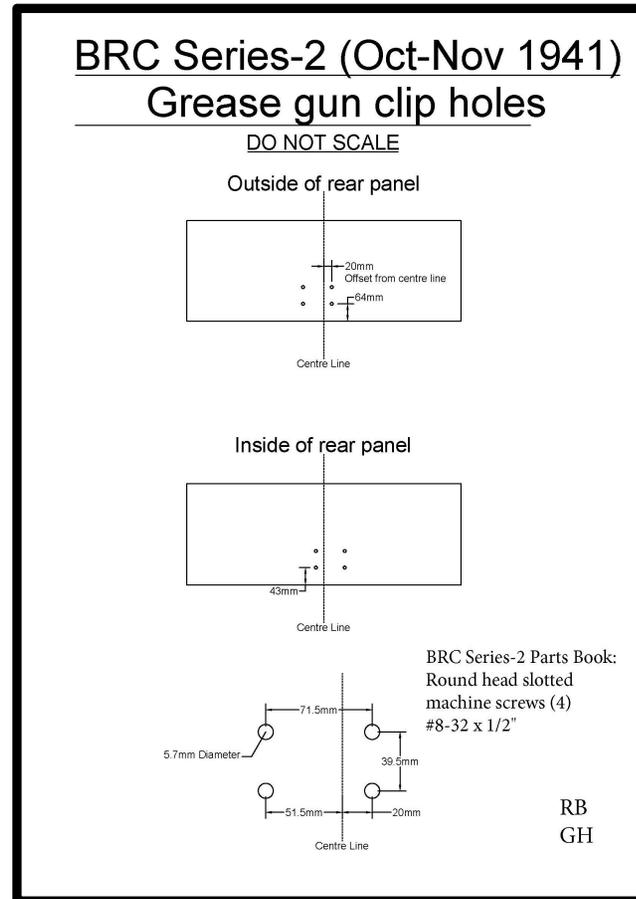
BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
 Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Tool Storage

BRC Tool Box bolt dimensions



BRC Series-1



BRC Series-2

Important:
The 4 holes
for the
grease gun
clips are off
center

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fenders, Front

BRC Fenders, front



1 Grommet

Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941



2 Grommets

Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fenders, Front

BRC Fenders, front



Hood hold down clamp
Reinforcement plate

Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941



Hood hold down clamp
No reinforcement plate

Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fenders, Front

BRC Lights



Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941



Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

Series-2 headlight bucket
Moved forward 1-inch

Series-2 headlight bucket
Stud and grommet moved

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Grill

BRC Fenders, front



headlight moved 1" forward
Horizontal guard cut out for
clearance to glass headlight

Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941

Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Seats

BRC Seats

Reinforcement
Wood **Metal plate** **Bolts (3)**



Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941

Reinforcement
Metal (no wood, no bolts)

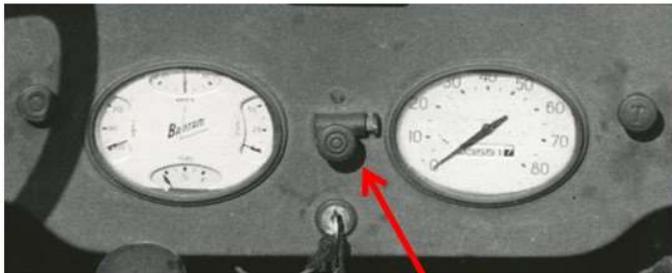


Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

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Dash Instrument Panel

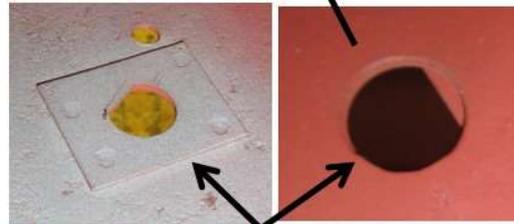
BRC headlight & blackout switch



Light switch horizontal. Wires point down and interfere with ignition switch.

Series-1

Mar-Jun 1941

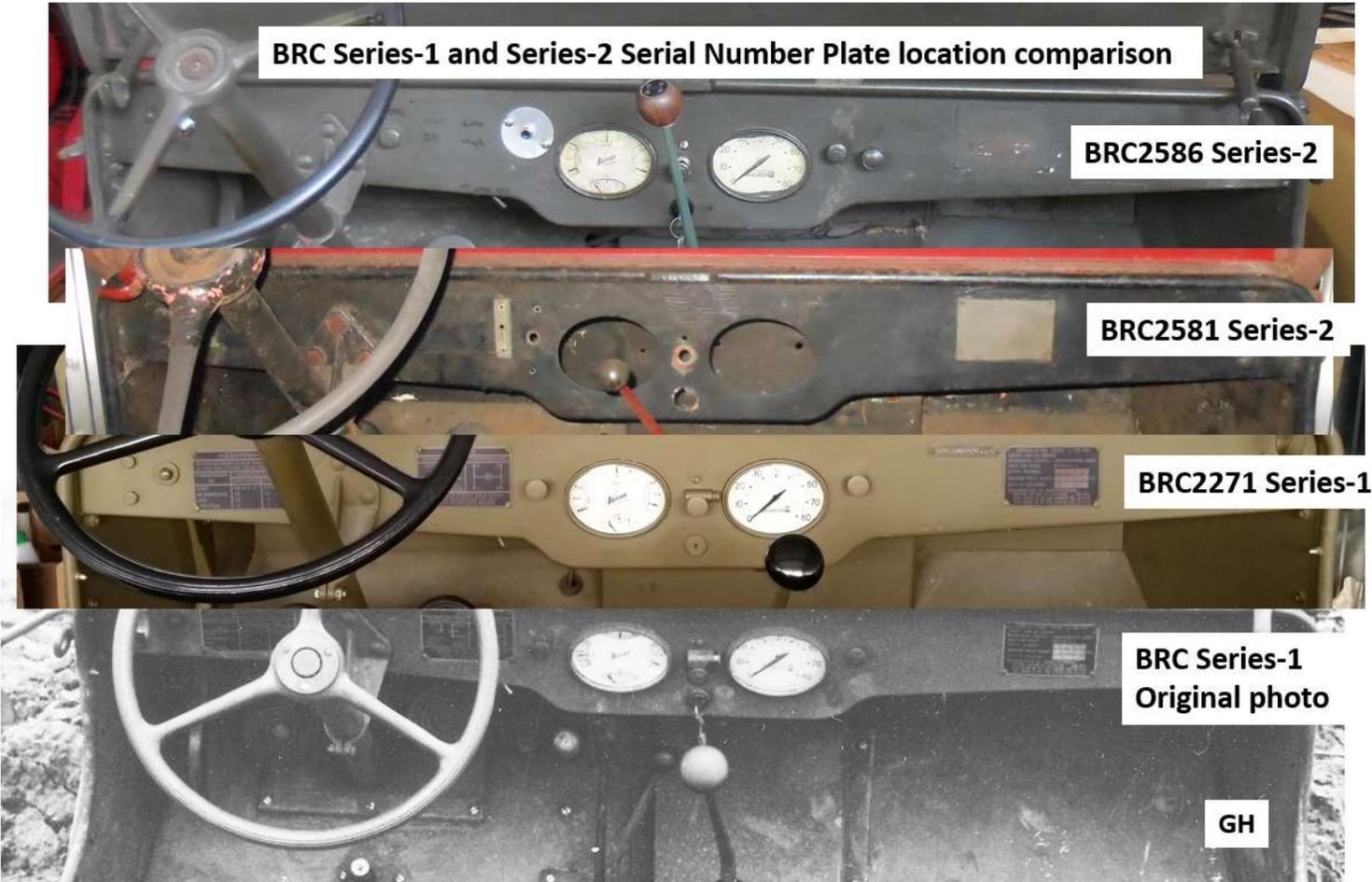


Light switch at angle for wiring clearance. Wires point up. Plate welded behind panel.

Series-2

Oct-Nov 1941 GH

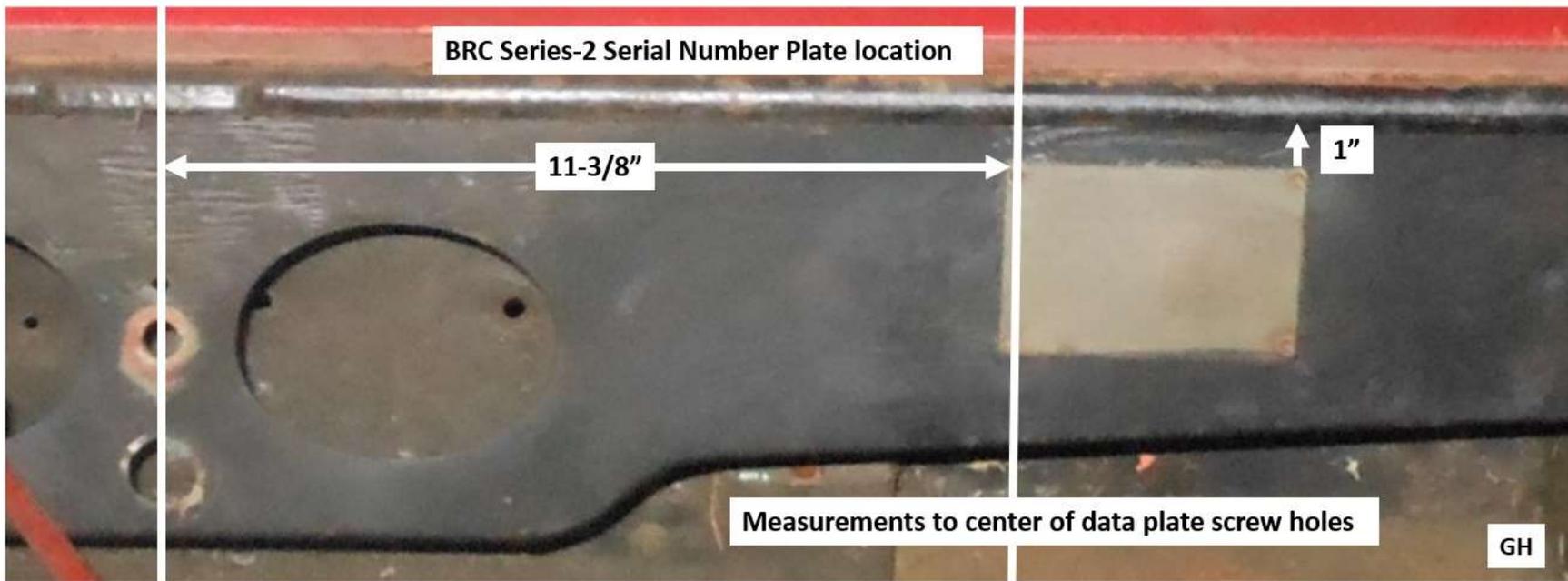
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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Dash Instrument Panel



BRC Series-2 S/N plate
moved toward driver side

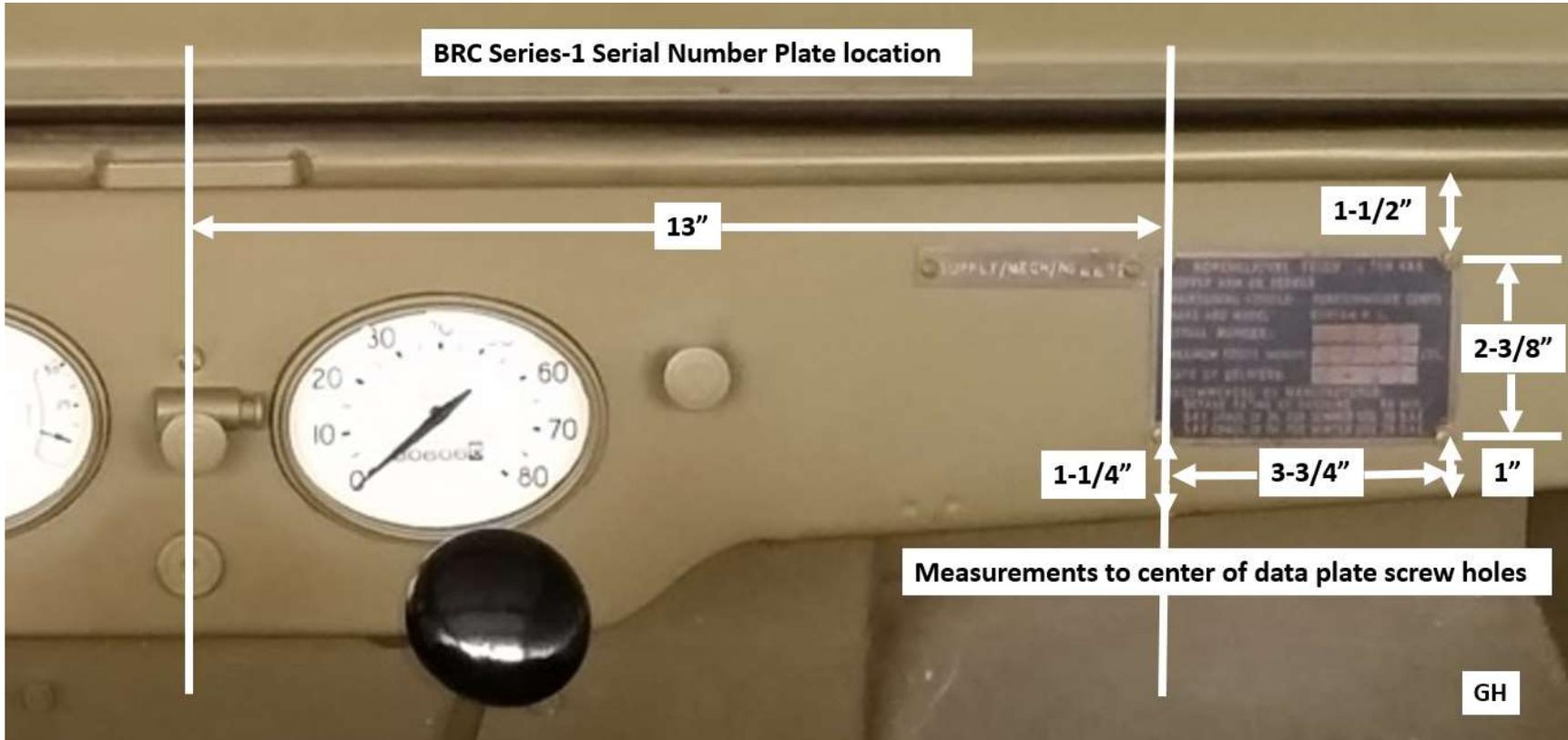
BRC Series-1

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Dash Instrument Panel



BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Dash Instrument Panel



BRC Series-1

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Dash Instrument Panel

BRC data plate screws

#6 slotted pan head



Series-1
Mar-June 1941

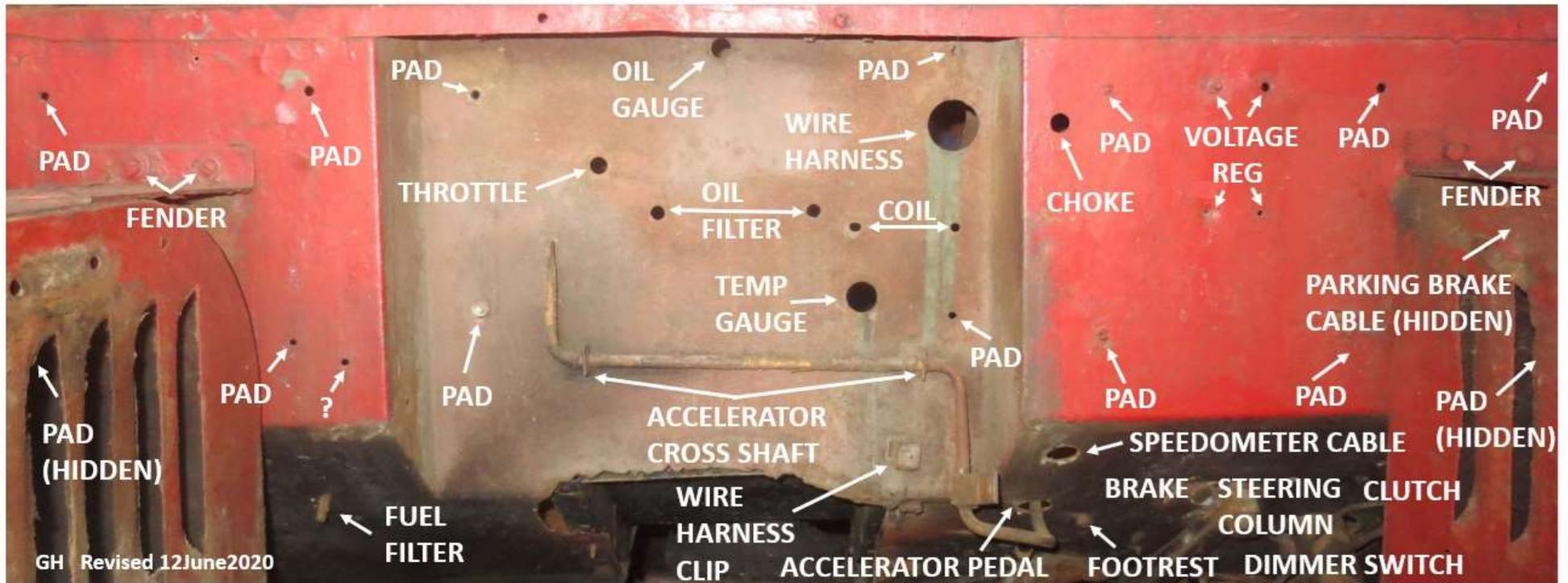
#4 slotted hex head



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Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

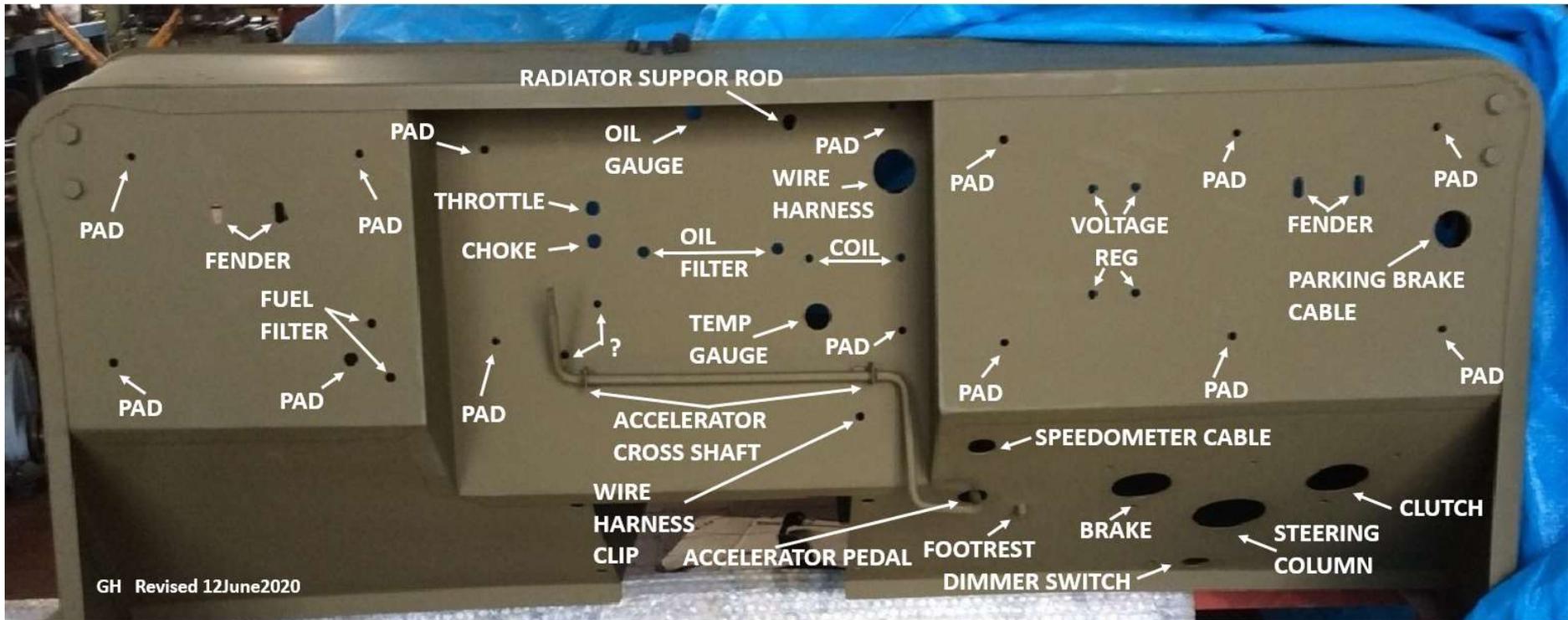
1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall



Bantam BRC Series-2 firewall October-November 1941 production

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
 Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall



Bantam BRC Series-1 firewall March-June 1941 production

BRC Series-1

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall

Bantam BRC firewall

Series-1 Choke and throttle
cables on passenger side



Series-1
March-June 1941

BRC Series-1

Series-2 Choke cable
moved to driver side

Series-2 Volt Reg moved
higher for clearance to
parking brake cable



Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

BRC Series-2

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall

Bantam BRC Firewall

Series-2 Choke cable
moved to driver side



Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941



Series-2
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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall

Series-2 Oct-Nov 1941
Firewall
Voltage Regulator moved up



Series-1
Mar-Jun

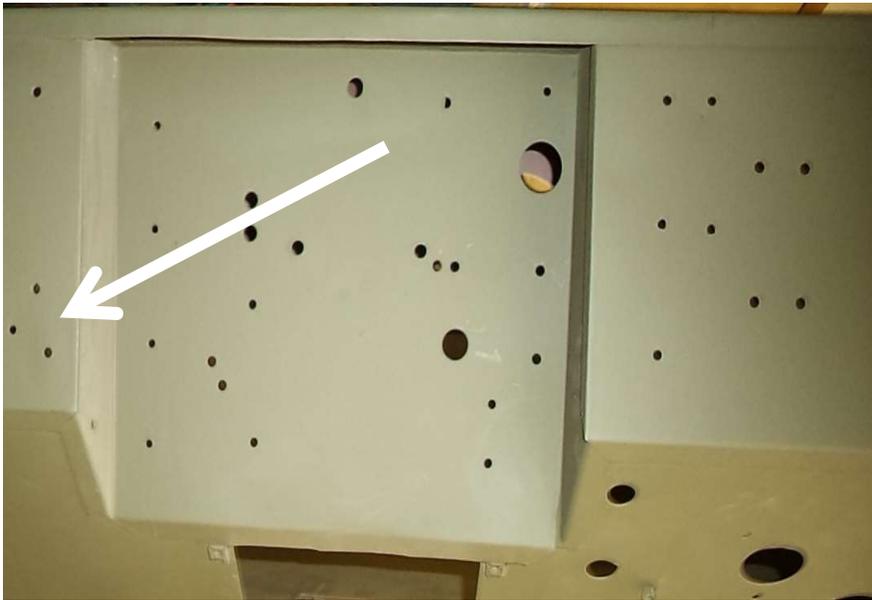


Series-2
Oct-Nov

Parking brake cable

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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall



Fuel filter mounted to fire wall

BRC Series-1



**Fuel filter moved under passenger toe board
for easier access**

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Fire wall



Fuel filter mounted to fire wall

BRC Series-1



Fuel filter mounted under passenger toe board

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Radiator

Radiator support rod hole in firewall
Radiator support rod
Radiator support rod bracket



BRC Series-1 (March-June 1941)

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Radiator support rod hole in firewall eliminated
Radiator support rod eliminated
Radiator support rod bracket eliminated



BRC Series-2 (Oct-Nov 1941)

BRC Series-2

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Hood

BRC Hood



Brace off-center
Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941



Brace on-center
Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Hood



BRC Hood



**Large
plates**



Series-1
Mar-Jun 1941

**Small
plates**

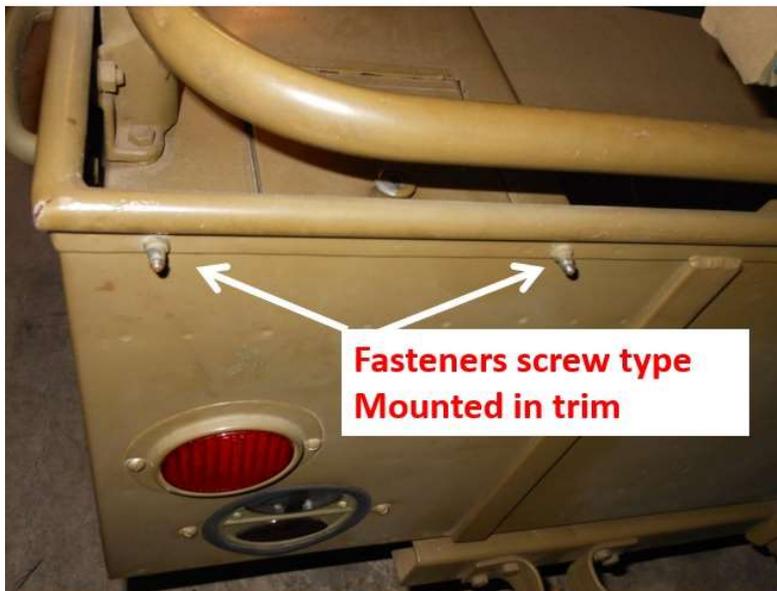


Series-2
Oct-Nov 1941

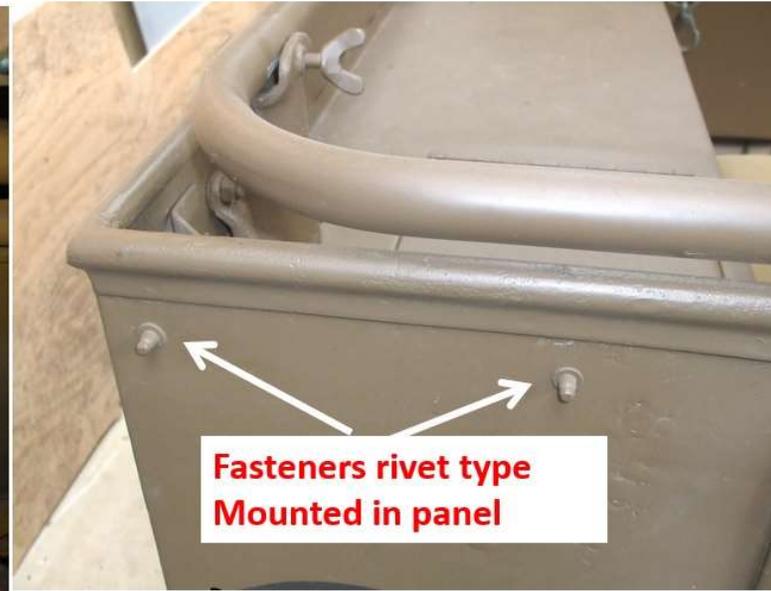
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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Canvas

BRC canvas fasteners rear panel



Series-1 Mar - Jun 1941



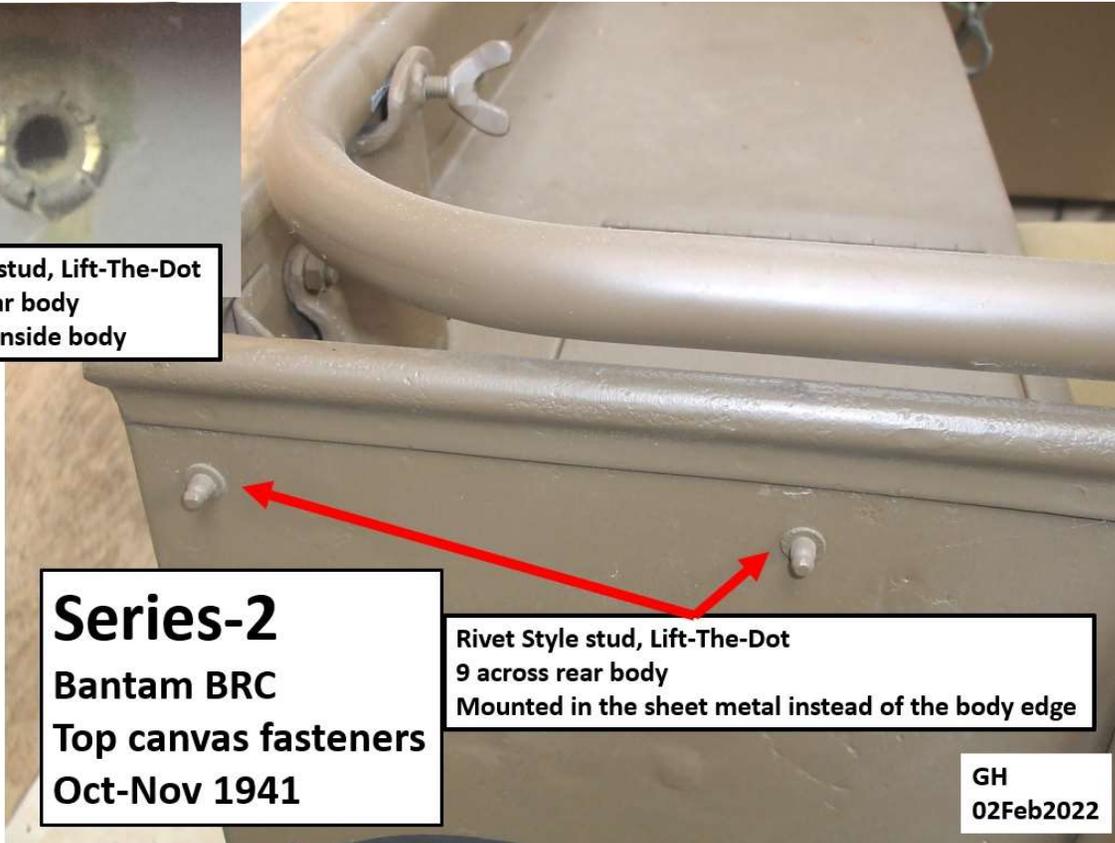
Series-2 Oct - Nov 1941

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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Canvas



Rivet Style stud, Lift-The-Dot
9 across rear body
Rivet flare inside body

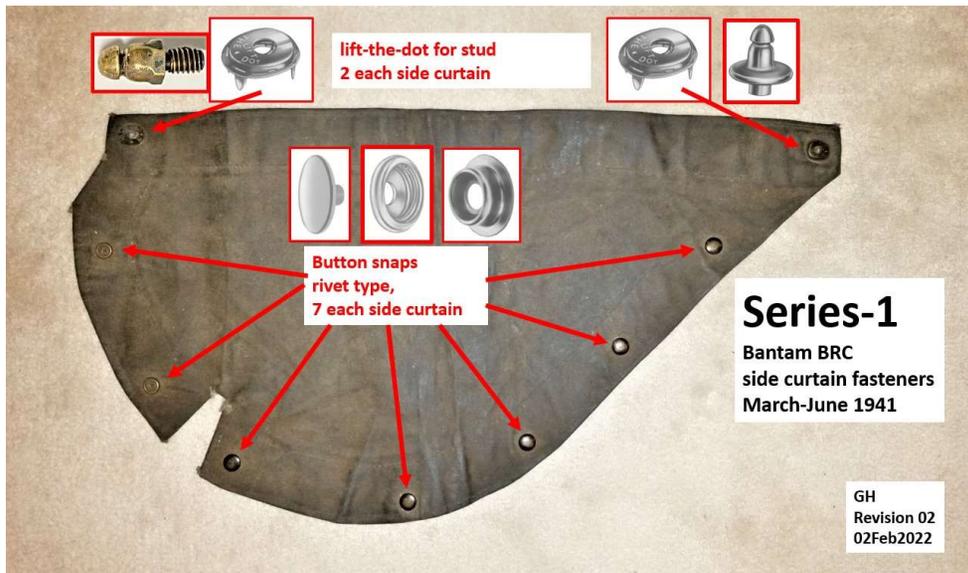


Series-2
Bantam BRC
Top canvas fasteners
Oct-Nov 1941

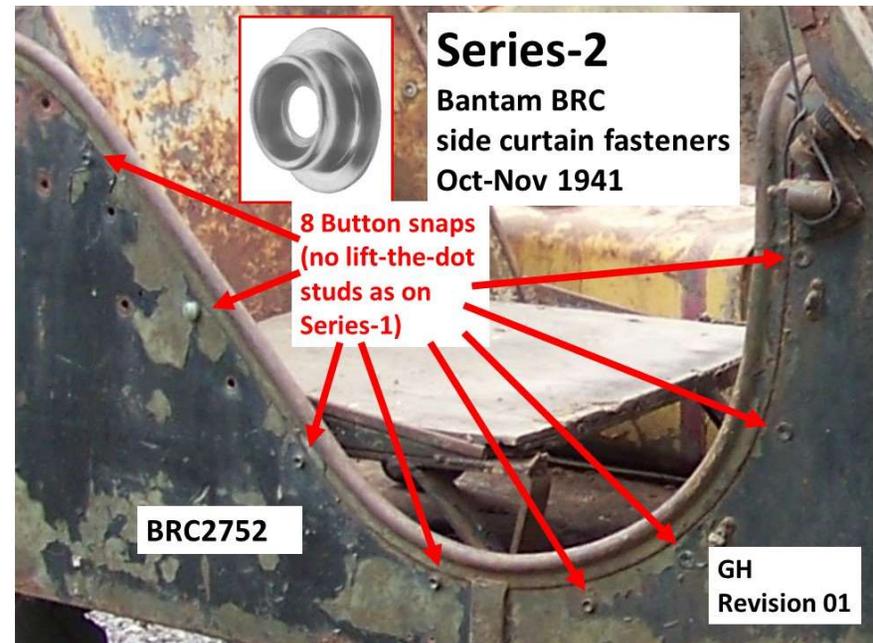
Rivet Style stud, Lift-The-Dot
9 across rear body
Mounted in the sheet metal instead of the body edge

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1941 Bantam BRC
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Canvas



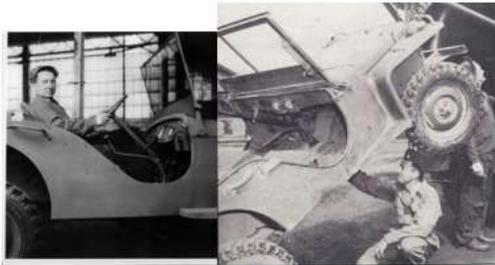
**BRC Series-1
Studs and snaps**



**BRC Series-2
All snaps**

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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2

BRC gear shift lever



Curved
Nov-Dec, 1940
March-April, 1941



Straight
1941 Series-1
April-May-June, 1941

BRC Series-1



Standardized
1941 BRC Series-2
Oct-Nov, 1941
Willys MB, Ford GPW

BRC Series-2

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1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Axles

BRC Axles Spring Perches

Series-1

Series-2

Mar-Jun, 1941

Sep-Oct-Nov, 1941

3 stamped cup spring
perches, 1 cast perch on
short side of front axle.

All 4 cast spring
perches



BRC Series-1

BRC Series-2

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Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Axles

Full Scallops



MB type flats

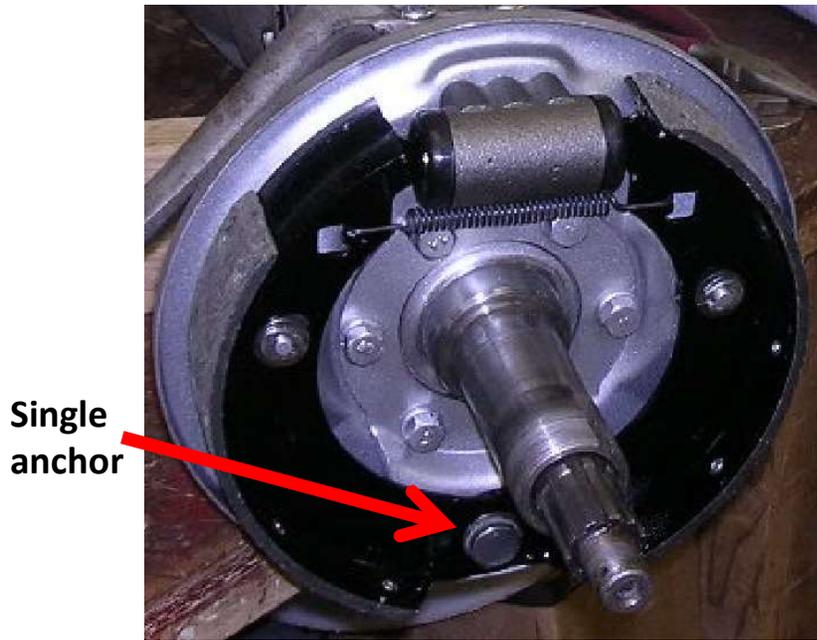


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BRC Series-1

BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
Axles



Single
anchor



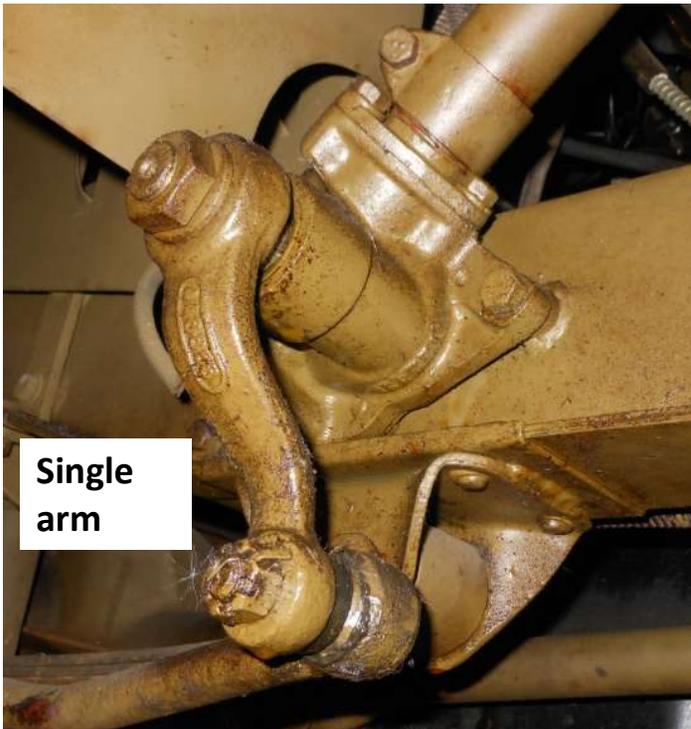
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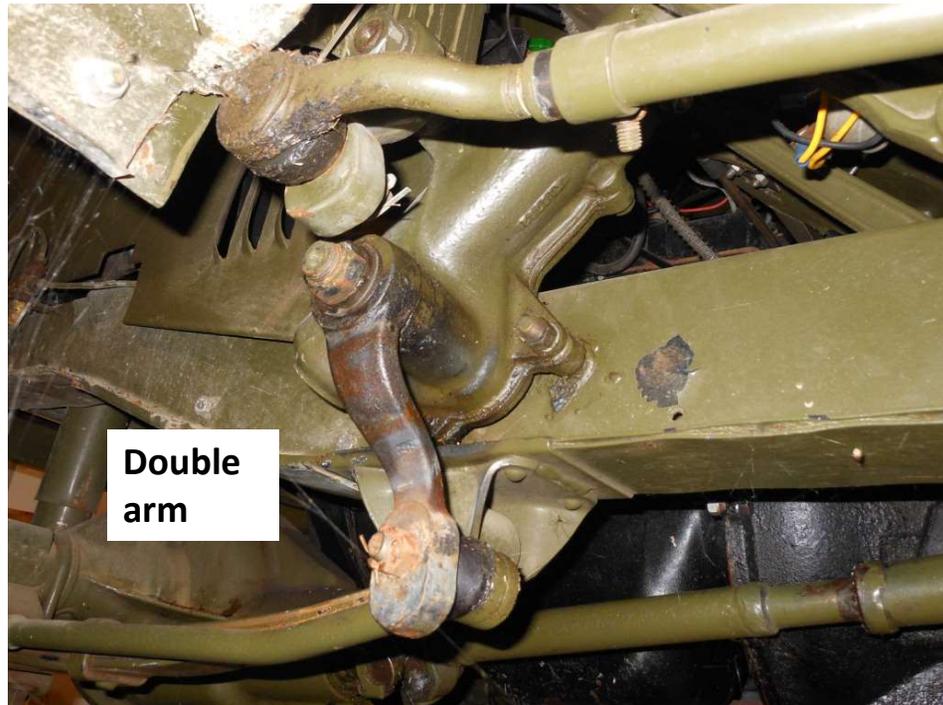
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4WS

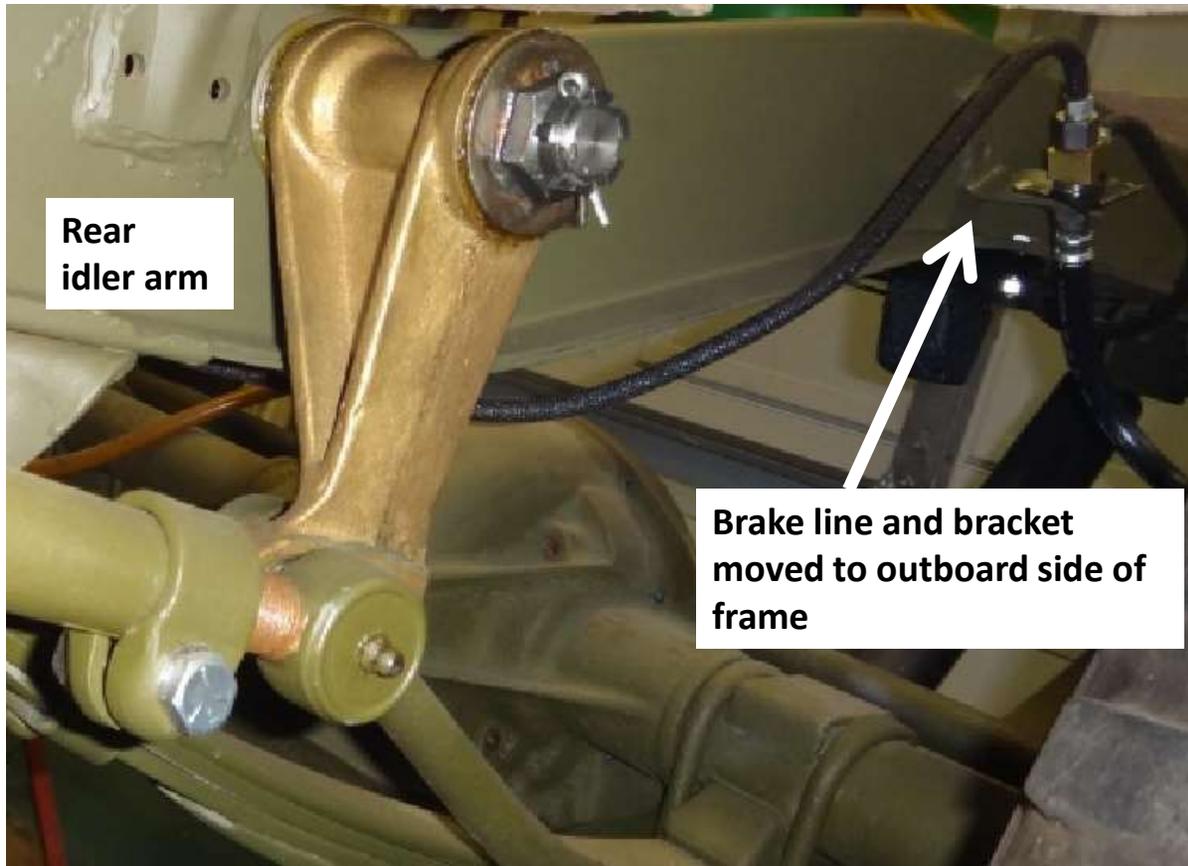


BRC Series-1



BRC Series-2

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
4WS



BRC Series-2 4WS

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
4WS fender well indents

BRC 4WS



INDENTS



GP 4WS



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BRC Series-2 4WS

1941 Bantam BRC
Comparison Series-1 to Series-2
4WS Steering Wheel



**BRC Series-1 and Series-2
2WS Two Wheel Steering
15" Diameter, Key shaft
Wheel and horn button same as Bantam car**



**BRC Series-2
4WS Four Wheel Steering
17" Diameter, Spline shaft
Wheel and horn button same as Willys CJ2A**