

**V8** 

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## **MGBGTV8** models

Peter Ellis mentioned he has seen two new 1/18 scale model V8s are coming out in September 2021, one in Harvest Gold and the other in Bracken. Both are described on the Cult Scale Models' website as "1973" models but they have the rear number plate illuminators mounted on the top of the bumper and not in the side of the overrider as you see on the cars in the early months of production. At 1/18 scale the models are quite large at around 8.7" long (21.7cm) and 3.3"



wide (8.5cm). Prices vary from about £170 to just over £200 each!

Victor Rodrigues has a new 1/18 scale model of a Factory MGBGTV8 made in China by the company Universal Hobbies with a very detailed engine bay under the bonnet, opening doors, very good Dunlop wheels and a heated rear window.

E10 petrol from 1st September
All UK forecourts will be required to sell
E10 unleaded petrol as standard
containing up to 10% bioethanol in
each litre from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021.
Currently across the UK unleaded
petrol contains 5% ethanol and is
labelled E5. For "More" on this see:
https://v8register.net/more.htm