

**Appendix B**  
**Original Equipment Tire and Wheel Information for SS & Jaguar Cars**

The following information is based on the best data available and is for use in judging. Some non-North American and International models may not be included. This information may be superseded either by the tire and wheel data contained in the Owner's Manual for a specific model Jaguar or by the Tyre Recommendation Plate attached to the car. Recommendations for additions or corrections to this appendix are encouraged and may be sent to the Chairman of the Judge's Concours Rules Committee (the address can be found in the Clubs, JCNA Committees Section of the *Jaguar Journal*). A copy of the page(s) of the applicable Owner's Manual, or a photo of the Tyre Recommendation Plate, specifying the tire size and/or wheel description, should accompany all submissions.

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>MODEL / NOTE</b>	<b>TIRE SIZE</b>	<b>MFG.</b>	<b>TIRE</b>	<b>WHEEL</b>
<b><u>SS</u></b>					
1931-32	S.S. 1 Coupe	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1931-33	S.S. 2 Coupe <sup>1</sup>	4.75 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	48 Spoke
1932-36	S.S. 1 Coupe/Saloon/Tourer	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1933-34	S.S. 2 Coupe/Saloon	4.75 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1934-36	S.S. 2 Tourer	4.75 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1934-36	S.S. 1 Airline	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-35	S.S. 1 Drop Head Coupe	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-35	S.S. 90	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-37	S.S. Jaguar 1½ s.v. Saloon <sup>1</sup>	4.75 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-37	S.S. Jaguar 2½ o.h.v. Saloon/Tourer	4.75/5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-41	S.S. Jaguar 100 2½, 3½	5.25/5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-38	S.S. Jaguar 1½ All Steel Saloon	4.75/5.25 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
1935-38	S.S. Jaguar 2½, 3½ All Steel Saloon\DHC	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
<b><u>MKIV</u></b>					
1945-48	1½, 2½, 3½ Jaguar (Mk IV)	5.50 x 18	Dunlop	Fort 90	60 Spoke
<b><u>MKV</u></b>					
1948-50	MK V <sup>2</sup>	6.70 x 16	Dunlop	Super Comfort	Pressed Steel 5x16

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<b><u>XKs</u></b>					
1948-54	XK 120	6.00 x 16	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS4 (Later RS5) & Racing	Pressed Steel 4½x16, 5x16 54 Spoke Wire 5x16
1954-57	XK 140	6.00 x 16	Dunlop Racing	Roadspeed RS5 54 Spoke Wire 5x16	Pressed Steel 5x16
1957-61	XK 150	6.00 x 16	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5 Racing	Pressed Steel 5½x16 54 Spoke Wire 5x16 June '58 - 60 Spoke Wire 5x16
<b><u>C and D Types, XKSS</u></b>					
1951-54	XK 120C (C-Type)	(Front) 6.00 x 16 (Rear) 6.50 x 16	Dunlop	Racing	54 Spoke (Early) 60 Spoke (Late)
1955-57	D-Type & 1957 XKSS	6.50 x 16	Dunlop	Racing	5.00 x 16 light alloy perforated disc
<b><u>Large Saloons</u></b>					
1950-57	MK VII, MK VIIM <sup>2</sup>	6.70 x 16	Dunlop	Super Comfort	Pressed Steel 5x16
1956-59	MK VIII <sup>2</sup>	6.70 x 16	Dunlop	Super Comfort	Pressed Steel 5x16
1958-61	MK IX <sup>2</sup>	6.50/6.70 x 16	Dunlop	Super Comfort	Pressed Steel 5½x16
1961-64	MK 10 (3.8)	7.50 x 14	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5	Pressed Steel 5½x14
1964-66	MK 10 (4.2)	205 x 14	Dunlop	SP-41 (Radial)	Pressed Steel 5½x14
1966-68	420G	205 x 14	Dunlop	SP-41 (Radial)	Pressed Steel 5½x14
<b><u>Small Saloons</u></b>					
1955-59	2.4 (MK 1)	6.40 x 15	Dunlop	Super Balloon	Pressed Steel 4½x15 72 Spoke Wire 4½x15
1955-59	3.4 (MK 1)	6.40 x 15	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS4	Pressed Steel 4½x15 72 Spoke Wire 4½x15 after chassis #127785-lhd
1959-67	MK 2 (2.4, 3.4, 3.8) Factory authorized <sup>3</sup>	6.40 x 15 185HR15	Dunlop Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5 SP-41 (Radial)	Pressed Steel 5x15 72 Spoke Wire 5x15
1963-68	3.4S, 3.8S	6.40 x 15	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5	Pressed Steel 5½x15
	radial after 3.4-1B25084 & 3.8-1B75382	185HR15	Dunlop	SP-41/SP-68 (Radial)	72 Spoke Wire 5½x15
1966-68	420	6.40 x 15	Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5	Pressed Steel 5½x15

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1967-69	240, 340	185 HR15 6.40 x 15 185HR15	Dunlop Dunlop Dunlop	SP-41 (Radial) Roadspeed RS5 SP-41 (Radial)	72 Spoke Wire 5½x15 Pressed Steel 5½x15 Optional 72 Spoke Wire 5½x15
<b><u>E-Types</u></b>					
1961-67	E-type (Ser 1) 3.8, 4.2 <sup>4</sup>	6.40 x 15	Dunlop Dunlop	Roadspeed RS5 Racing	Pressed Steel 5x15 72 Spoke Wire 5x15
1967-68	(Option after 10/65) E-type (Ser 1½) 4.2 <sup>4</sup>	185HR15 185HR15	Dunlop Dunlop	SP-41 (Radial) SP-41 (Radial)	Pressed Steel 5x15 72 Spoke Wire 5x15
1968-70	Series 2 E-type	185HR15	Dunlop	SP-41 (Radial)	72 Spoke Wire 5x15 Slotted Pressed Steel 5x15 (Optional)
1971-75	Series 3 E-type <sup>5</sup>	ER70VR15	Dunlop	SP Sport (Radial)	Astro Pressed Steel 6x15 Triple Laced 72 Spoke Wire 6x15
<b><u>XJ6/12 Series 1</u></b>					
1968-73	Series 1 XJ6, XJ12, XJ6L, XJ12L <sup>5</sup>	ER70VR15	Dunlop	SP Sport	Slotted Pressed Steel 6x15
<b><u>XJ6/12 Series 2</u></b>					
1973-79	Series 2 XJ6, XJ6L, XJ6C, XJ12, XJ12L, XJ12C <sup>5</sup>	ER70VR15 205/70VR15	Dunlop Dunlop	Formula 70 SP Sport (XJ12 1977-79) 5-Spoke Kent Polished	Slotted Pressed Steel 6x15 Slotted Pressed Steel 6x15
<b><u>XJ6/12 Series III</u></b>					
1979	Series III XJ6	ER70VR15	Dunlop	Formula 70	SP Sport Pressed Steel w/ Trim Ring 6Jx15
1979-87	Series III XJ6	ER70VR15 205/70VR15	Dunlop Pirelli	Formula 70 P5	5-Spoke Kent Alloy 6x15 5-Spoke Kent Alloy 6x15
1979-82	Series III XJ12	215/70VR15	Dunlop	Formula 70	5-Spoke Kent Alloy
1982-92	Series III V12	215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5	Ogle Perforated Alloy or 5-Spoke Kent Alloy
1984-87	XJ6 Sovereign	215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5	Ogle Perforated Alloy

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<b><u>XJS</u></b>					
1975-81	XJS Coupe	205/70VR15	Dunlop	SP Super	5-Spoke Kent Alloy 6JKx15
		205/70VR15	Pirelli	P5 Super	5-Spoke Kent Alloy 6JKx15
		205/70VR15	Michelin	XWX Super	5-Spoke Kent Alloy 6JKx15
1981-86	XJS HE and XJS 3.6	(Non-US) 215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5	5-Spoke Starfish (Grey Highlights) 6.5x15
1986-88	XJSC Cabriolet XJS V12	(Non-US) P215/70VR15	Dunlop	SP Super D7	Ogle Perforated Alloy 6x15
		215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5 or	5-Spoke Starfish (Grey Highlights) 6.5x15
		215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5 or	Lattice 6.5JKx15, 03/88-on, or
1988	XJR-S Le Mans	245/55ZR16	Dunlop	D7 Sport Super	5-Spoke Starfish 6.5JKx15
1989-91	XJS	235/60VR15	Dunlop	D-40-M2	Radial Alloy 7x16
			Pirelli	P600	Lattice 6.5JKx15
					5-Spoke Starfish
1991	XJS Classic	215/70VR15	Pirelli	P5	Lattice 6.5JJx15 (Body Highlights or Chrome)
		235/60ZR15	Goodyear	Eagle NCT60	Lattice 15x6.5J (Plain or Chrome)
1992	XJS (Redesigned)	235/60ZR15	Goodyear	Eagle NCT60	Lattice 7x15
1993	XJS	235/60VR15	Pirelli	P4000	Lattice 6.5x15
	XJR-S JaguarSport	(Front) 225/50ZR16	Goodyear	Eagle NCT60	JaguarSport Rectangular Slotted 8x16
		(Rear) 245/55ZR16			
		(Spare) 205/70R15			Speedline Alloy Spare
		(Spare) 205/70R15	Dunlop	D7	Speedline 7.5x15
1994	XJS 6 cyl	235/60ZR15	Goodyear	NTC	Lattice (US Standard) 6.5x15
	XJS 6 cyl Sport	225/55VR16	Pirelli	P600	Alloy Painted 5-Spoke 7x16
	XJS 12 cyl	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000E	5-Spoke Diamond Turned Gold 7x16
1995-96	XJS 6 cyl	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000	5-Spoke Diamond Turned 7x16
1995	XJS 12 cyl	225/55VR16	Pirelli	P4000E	20-Spoke Diamond Turned 7Jx16
					(Chrome 5-Spoke optional)
1996	XJS Convertible	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000E	Diamond Turned 11-Slot Aero Sport 7Jx16

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<b><u>XJ6/12 (XJ40)</u></b>					
1987-92	XJ6	205/70VR15	Pirelli	P5	Radial Alloy 7x15
1993	XJ6	225/65ZR15	Pirelli	P4000	(XJ6) Radial 7x15, (VP) Roulette 7x15
1994	XJ6	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000E	Kiwi Alloy 7x16
1994	XJ12 (early)	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000E	Lattice 7x16
1994	XJ12 (late)	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000	20 Spoke Alloy 7x16
1994	Vanden Plas	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000E	Aero Alloy 7x16
<b><u>XJ220</u></b>					
1988	XJ220 Prototype	295/40ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Speedline One-piece Alloy 9x17
1991	XJ220	(Front) 255/45ZR17 (Rear) 345/35ZR18	Bridgestone Bridgestone	Expedia Expedia,	Speedline One-piece Alloy 9x17 Speedline One-piece Alloy 14x18
1993	XJ220C	(Front) 250/640R18 (Rear) 315/655R18	Dunlop Dunlop	Racing Slicks Racing Slicks	JaguarSport Speedline 10x18 JaguarSport Speedline 13x18
<b><u>XJ6 (X300) (See Note #6)</u></b>					
1995-97	XJ6 & '97 XJ6L	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000e	Dimple Cast Alloy-Diamond Polished 7Jx16
1995	Vanden Plas	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000e	Aero Cast Alloy-Diamond Polished 7Jx16
1996-97	Vanden Plas	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000e	20-spoke Cast Alloy-Diamond Polished 7Jx16
1995-96	XJ12	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P4000e	20 Spoke Cast Alloy-Diamond Polished 7Jx16
1995-97	XJR	255/45ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Sport Cast Alloy 8x17
<b><u>X-TYPE (2004-2007) (See Note #6)</u></b>					
2002-02.5	X-TYPE 2.5	205/55R16 91H	Continental	Conti Touring Contact	X-10 Cast Alloy 16x6.5
2002-02.5	X-TYPE 3.0	205/55R16 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-5 Cast Alloy 16x6.5
2002		(Option) 225/45R17	Pirelli	P Zero A-Sport	X-10 Sport Cast Alloy 17x7.0
2002.5		(Option) 225/45R17	Continental	ContiSport Contact	X-10 Sport Cast Alloy 17x7.0
2003	X-TYPE 2.5	205/55R16 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-10 Cast Alloy 16x6.5
2003	X-TYPE 3.0	225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-7 Flute Cast Alloy 17x7.0
		(Option) 225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-10 Sport Cast alloy 17x7.0
		(Option) 225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-Triple 5 Cast Alloy 17x7.0
	(R Performance Option)	225/40R18	Pirelli	P Zero Nero	Melbourne 2-piece 18x7.5
	(R Performance Option)	225/40R18	Pirelli	P Zero Nero	Indianapolis 2-piece 18x7.5

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2004	X-TYPE 2.5	205/55R16 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	Tobago Cast Alloy 16x6.5
2004	X-TYPE 3.0	225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	Cayman Forged Alloy 17x7.0
2004	X-TYPE 3.0 Sport	225/40R18	Pirelli	P Zero Nero	Aruba Forged Alloy 18x7.5
2004	(Option w/Sport)	225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	X-Ten Sport Cast Alloy 17x7.0
2004	X-TYPE 3.0 Luxury	225/45R17 91H	Continental	ContiTouring Contact	Andros Forged Alloy 17x7.0
2004	(R Performance Option)	225/40R18	Pirelli	P Zero Nero	Melbourne 2-piece 18x7.5
2004	X-Type	255/45ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Sport Cast Alloy 8x17
2004	X-Type Estate Wgn	225/45 R17	Pirelli	P Zero	Andros Cast Alloy 7x17
2004	X-Type Sports	225/45 R17	Pirelli	P Zero	Andros Cast Alloy 7x17
2004	X-Type 2.5	205/55 HR16	Pirelli	All Season	Tobago 7-Spoke Alloy 6.5x16
2004	X-Type 3.0 Sports	225/45 R17	Pirelli	P Zero	Agulia 5x2-Spoke Alloy 7x17
2004	X-Type 3.0 Sports	225/45 R18	Pirelli	P Zero	Aruba Cast Alloy 7.5x18
2004	X-Type 3.0 Sports	225/45 R18	Pirelli	P Zero (Optional)	Melborne 2-Piece Alloy 7.5x18
2004	X-Type 3.0	225/45 HR17	Pirelli	All Season	Cayman Alloy 7x17
2005	X-Type 2.5	205/55 HR16	Pirelli	All Season	Tobago 7-Spoke Alloy 6.5x16
2005	X-Type 3.0	225/45 HR17	Pirelli	All Season	Cayman 7-Spoke 7x17
2005	X-Type Wagon	225/45 HR17	Pirelli	All Season	Cayman 7-Spoke 7x17
2006	X-Type 3.0	205/55 HR16		All Season	Antares 15-Spoke 6.5x16
2006	X-Type 3.0	205/55 HR16		All Season	Tobago 7-Spoke 6.5x16
2006	X-Type Sport Wagon	225/45 HR17		All Season	Cayman 7-Spoke 7x17
2006	X-Type 3.0 Sports	225/45 HR17		All Season	Agulia 5x2-Spoke Alloy 7x17
2006	X-Type 3.0 VDP	225/45 HR17		All Season	Belize 12-Spoke 7x17
2006	X-Type 3.0	225/40 ZR18		Optional	Proteus 5-Spoke 7x18
				All Models	Space Saver Spare
2007	X-Type 3.0	205/55 HR16		All Season	Antares 10-Spoke 6.5x16
2007	X-Type Wagon	225/45 HR17		All Season	Bermuda 5x2-Spoke 7x17

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2007	X-Type 3.0 Lux Pkg	225/45 HR17		Optional	Belize 12-Spoke 7x17
2007	X-Type 3.0 Lux Pkg	225/40 ZR18	Pirelli	P-Zero (Optional) All models	Aruba 15-Spoke 7x18 16 " Space Saver Spare
2008	X-Type 3.0	205/55 HR16		All Season	Antares 10-Spoke 6.5x16
2008	X-Type Wagon	225/45 HR17		All Season	Bermuda 5x2-Spoke 7x17
2008	X-Type 3.0 Lux Pkg	225/45 HR17		Optional	Belize 12-Spoke 7x17
2008	X-Type 3.0 Lux Pkg	225/40 ZR18	Pirelli	P-Zero (Optional) All models	Aruba 15-Spoke 7.5x18 16 " Space Saver Spare
<b><u>S-TYPE</u></b> (See Note #6)					
1999-01	S-TYPE 3.0	225/55HR16 94H (Option) 235/50ZR17 96Y	Bridgestone Pirelli	EL42 P Zero	Dynamic Cast Alloy 16x7.5 Sport Cast Alloy 17x8.0
1999-01	S-TYPE 4.0	225/55HR16 94H (Option) 235/50ZR17 96Y	Bridgestone Pirelli	EL42 P Zero	Spirit Cast Alloy 16x7.5 Sport Cast Alloy 17x8.0
2001	(R Performance Option)	245/40ZR18 97Y	Pirelli	P Zero	Monaco 2-piece 18x8
2002-04	S-TYPE 3.0	225/55HR16 94H	Continental	CH95	Artemis Cast Alloy 16x7.5
2002-04	S-TYPE 4.2	235/50HR17	Michelin	Pilot HX MXM4	Kronos Cast Alloy 17x7.5
2002-04	(Sport Option)	235/50HR17	Michelin	Pilot HX MXM4	Herakles Cast Alloy 17x7.5
2002-03	(Performance Option)	245/40ZR18 97Y	Pirelli	P Zero A	Monaco 2-piece 18x8.0
2002-04	S-TYPE 4.2R	(Front) 245/40ZR18 97Y (Rear) 275/35ZR18	Continental Continental	CSC1-R CSC1-R	Zeus Forged Alloy 18x8.0 Zeus Forged Alloy 18x9.5
2004	(R Performance Option)	245/40ZR18 97Y (Option) 245/40ZR18 97Y	Pirelli Continental	P Zero A ProContact	Monaco 2-piece 18x8.0
2004	S-Type	255/45ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Sport Cast Alloy 8x17
2004	S-Type Sports	2_5/45ZR18	Pirelli	P Zero	Triton Alloy 8x18
2004	S-Type 3.0	225/55 R16			Artemis Alloy 7.5x16
2004	S-Type 4.2	235/50 R17			Kronos Alloy 7.5x17
2004	S-Type R	(Front) 245/40ZR18 (Rear) 275/35ZR18			Zeus Alloy 8x18 Zeus Alloy 9.5x18

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2005	S-Type 3.0	235/50 R17			Kronos Alloy 7.5x17
2005	S-Type 3.0 Sport	245/40 R18			Triton Alloy 7.5x18
2005	S-Type 3.0 Sport	245/40 R18			Mercury Alloy 7.5x18
2005	S-Type 4.2	235/50 R17			Juno Alloy 7.5x17
2005	S-Type 4.2 Sport	245/40 R18			Triton Alloy 7.5x18
2005	S-Type 4.2 Sport	245/40 R18			Mercury Alloy 7.5x18
2005	S-Type VDP	235/50 R17		All Season	Aurora Alloy 7.5x17
2005	S-Type R	(Front) 245/40ZR18 (Rear) 275/35ZR18			Vulcan Alloy 8x18 Vulcan Alloy 9.5x18
2006	S-TYPE 3.0	235/50HR17		All Season	Antares 15-Thin Spoke 17x7.5
2006	S-TYPE 4.2	235/50HR17		All Season	Juno 7-Spoke 17x7.5
2006	S-TYPE 4.2 VDP	235/50HR17		All Season	Aurora 7-Spoke 17x8
2006	S-TYPE R	(Front) 245/40HR18 (Rear) 275/35HR18		Performance Performance	Vulcan 5-Spoke 18x8 Vulcan 5-Spoke 18x9.5
2006	S-TYPE 3.0 Premium Pkg	245/40HR18		All Season	Triton 10-Thin Spoke 18x8.5.
2006	S-TYPE 4.2 Premium Pkg	245/40HR18		All Season	Triton 10-Thin Spoke 18x8.5
2006	S-TYPE Aluminum Spt Pkg	245/40HR18		All Season	Valencia 16-Thin Spoke 18x8.5
2007	S-TYPE 3.0	235/50HR17			Antares 17x7.5
2007	S-TYPE 3.0 & 4.2	245/40HR18		All Season (Optional)	Triton 18x8
2007	S-TYPE 4.2	235/50HR17			Juno 17x7.5
2007	S-TYPE R	(Front) 245/40ZR18 (Rear) 275/35HR18			Vulcan 18x8 Vulcan 18x9.5
2007	S-TYPE R	275/30HR19		Optional	Barcelona 19x8
2008	S-TYPE 3.0 V6	245/40HR18		All Season	Triton 10 x 2 Thin Spoke 18x8
2008	S-TYPE 4.2 V8	245/40ZR18		All Season	Vulcan 5-Spoke 18x8
2008	S-TYPE R V8	(Front) 245/35ZR19 (Rear) 275/30ZR19			Barcelona 5x2-Spoke 19x8 Barcelona 5x2-Spoke 19x9.5



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<b><u>XJ8-XJR (X308) (See Note #6)</u></b>					
1998-03	XJ8/L	225/60ZR16 98W	Pirelli	P4000e/P6000	Starburst Cast Alloy 7Jx16
1998-99	XJR	255/40ZR18 95W	Pirelli	P Zero A	Penta Forged Alloy 8Jx18
2000-03	XJR	255/40ZR18 95W	Pirelli	P Zero A	Asteroid Cast Alloy 8Jx18
	(R Performance Option)	255/35ZR19 96W	Pirelli	P Zero A	Milan 2-piece 8.5x19
2001-03		(Alternate) 225/60HR16 98W	Michelin	Pilot HX MXM4	
1998-00	Vanden Plas	225/60ZR16 98W	Pirelli	P4000e	Crown Cast Alloy 7Jx16
2001-03	Vanden Plas & Sovereign	225/60ZR16 98W	Pirelli	P6000	Lunar Cast Alloy 7Jx16
		(Alternate) 225/60HR16 98W	Michelin	Pilot HX MXM4	
2001-03	Super V8	235/50ZR17 98W	Pirelli	P6000	Solar Cast Alloy 7.5x17
2001-03	XJ Sport	255/40ZR18 95W	Pirelli	P Zero A	Penta Cast Alloy 8x18
<b><u>XJ8-XJR (X350 Aluminum) (See Note #6)</u></b>					
2004	XJ8 4.2	235/55R17 99H	Pirelli	P6	Elegant Cast Alloy 7.5x17
		(Alternate) 235/55R17 99H	Continental	CH95	
2004	Vanden Plas	235/50R18 97H	Continental	CH95	Dynamic Forged Alloy 8.0x18
		(Alternate) 235/50R18 97H	Michelin	Pilot HX MXM4	
2004	XJ8	235/55 R17	Pirelli	P Zero A	Elegant 10 -poke Alloy 7.5x17 Matching Spare
	Optional wheels	235/55 R19	Pirelli	P Zero A	Custom Cast Alloy 8.5 x 19
		235/50 R18	Pirelli	P Zero A	Dynamic 8-spoke Alloy 8 x 18
		235/55 R18	Pirelli	P Zero A	Luxury Cast Alloy 8 x 18
2004	XJR	255/40 R19	Pirelli	P Zero A	R-Performance Alloy 8.5x19 Matching Spare
	Optional wheels	255/35 R20	Pirelli	P Zero A	Sepang BBS 2-piece Alloy 8.5x20
2004	VDP	255/40ZR18	Pirelli	P Zero A	Dynamic Cast Alloy 8x18 Matching Spare
2004	Concept 8	255/35ZR21	Pirelli	P Zero A	Penta Cast Alloy 8x21
2004	Super V8 Portfolio	255/35ZR20	Dunlop	P Zero A	Callisto 5-Spoke Alloy 9x20
2004	Daimler (XLWB)	225/60ZR16	Pirelli	P Zero A	Penta Cast Alloy 7x16
2004	XJR	255/40R19 96Y	Pirelli	P Zero A	Performance Forged Alloy 8.5x19
	(R Performance Option)	255/35ZR20 97Y	Michelin	Pilot Sport	Sepang 2-piece 9.0x20

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2005	XJ8, XJ8L	235/50 HR18		All Season	Dynamic 8-Spoke 8x18
2005	VDP	255/40 HR18		All Season	Rapier 20-Spoke 8x18
2005	XJR	255/40 HR19		All Season	Performance 5x2-Spoke 8.5x19
2005	Super V8	255/40ZR19			Custom 5-Spoke Star 8.5x19
2005	XJR	255/35ZR20		All models above Optional	Matching Spare Sepang 15-Spoke 8x20 Space Saver Spare
2006	VDP	235/50 HR18		All Season	Dynamic 8-Spoke 8x18
2006	VDP	235/50 HR18		All Season	Rapier 20-Spoke 8x18
2006	XJ8 & XJ8L	235/50 R18		All Season	Tucana 15-Thin Spoke 8x18
2006	XJR	255/40 ZR19			Sabre 5-Thick Spoke 8.5x19
2006	XJ Super V8	255/40 ZR19			Custom 5-Star Spoke 8.5x19
2006	XJR	255/35 ZR20		Optional	Sepang 15-Thin Spoke 8x20
2006	XJ Super V8	255/35ZR20		Optional	Callisto Cast Alloy 8x20
2007	XJ8 & XJ8L	235/50 HR18		All Season	Tucana 15-Spoke 8x18
2007	VDP	235/50 HR18		All Season	Rapier Cast Alloy 8x18
2007	XJR, Super V8	255/35ZR20		Optional	Sepang 15-Spoke 8x20
2007	XJ Super V8	255/40ZR19			Custom Cast Alloy 8.5x19
2007	XJR	255/40ZR19		All Models	Matching Full Size Spare
2007	XJ8, XJ8L, VDP	255/40ZR19		XJR Only	Space Saver Spare
2007	XJ8, XJ8L, VDP, XJR, Super V8	255/40ZR19		Optional	Custom Cast Alloy 8x19
2007				Optional	Custom <u>Chrome</u> Alloy 8x19
2008	XJ8, XJ8L	235/50 HR18		All Season	Tucana 15-Spoke 8x18
2008	XJ8, XJ8L	255/40 HR19		Optional	Polaris 5x2-Spoke 8.5x19
2008	VDP	255/40 HR19		All Season	Carelia 10-Thick Spoke 8.5x19
2008	XJR	255/35ZR20			Cremona 5-Spoke 9x20
2008	VDP	255/35ZR20		Optional	Callisto 5-Spoke 9x20
2008	XJ8 & XJ8L, VDP	255/40ZR19		Optional	<u>Chrome</u> Sabre 5-Spoke 8.5x19
					Matching Full Size Spare

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
2008	Super V8	255/40 HR19		All Season	Carelia 10-Thick Spoke 8.5x19
2008	Super V8	255/35ZR20			Callisto 5-Spoke 9x20
2008	XJ8 & XJ8L, VDP	255/40ZR19		Optional	<u>Chrome</u> Sabre 5-Spoke 8.5x19 Space Saver Spare
2009	XJ	Standard (Front)	235/50 HR19	All Season	Aleutian 10-Spoke 9x19
	XJL	Optional (Rear)	235/50 HR19	All Season	Aleutian 10-Spoke 10x19
2009	XJL	Standard (Front)	255/40 HR19		Toba 5-Spoke 9x19
	XJ	Optional (Rear)	235/50 HR19	All Season	Toba 5-Spoke 10x19
2009	XJ, XJL	Optional (Front)	255/35ZR20		Amirante 8x2-Short Spoke w/Disc 9x20
	Supercharged Supersport	Optional (Rear)	235/50 HR20	All Season	Amirante 8x2- Short Spoke w/Disc 10x20
2009	Supercharged XJ & XJL	Standard (Front)	255/40ZR20		Kasuga 10x2-Spoke 9x20
	XJ, XJL, Supersport	Optional (Rear)	235/50 HR20	All Season	Kasuga 10x2-Spoke 10x20
2009	All XJ models	Optional (Front)	255/40ZR20		Kasuga Polished 10x2-Spoke 9x20
		(Rear)	235/50 HR20	All Season	Kasuga Polished 10x2-Spoke 10x20
2009	All XJ models	Optional (Front)	255/40ZR20		Orona 8-Spoke 9x20
		(Rear)	235/50 HR20	All Season	Orona 8-Spoke 10x20
2009	All XJ models	Optional (Front)	255/40ZR20		Orona Polished 8-Spoke 9x20
		(Rear)	235/50 HR20	All Season	Orona Polished 8-Spoke 10x20
2009	XJ & XJL Supersport	Standard (Front)	255/40ZR20		Mataiva 5x3-Thin Spoke 9x20
		(Rear)	235/50 20	All Season	Mataiva 5x3-Thin Spoke 10x20
					Matching Full Size Spare
2009	Super V8		255/40 HR19	All Season	Carelia 10-Thick Spoke 8.5x19
2009	Super V8		255/35ZR20		Callisto 5-Spoke 9x20
2009	XJ8 & XJ8L, VDP		255/40ZR19	Optional	<u>Chrome</u> Sabre 5-Spoke 8.5x19 Space Saver Spare

**XK8-XKR (See Note #6)**

1997-99	XK8 & '97 Nieman Marcus	245/50ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Revolver Alloy 17x8 (Chrome Optional)
1997-99	XK8 Option	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Pirelli	P Zero	7 Flute 18x8

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
		(Rear) 255/45ZR18	Pirelli	P Zero	7 Flute 18x9
2000-02	XK8	245/50ZR17	Pirelli	P Zero	Lamina 5-spoke Alloy 17x8
2002-02	XK8 Option	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Impeller Double 7-spoke Alloy 18x8
		(Rear) 255/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Impeller Double 7-spoke Alloy 18x9
2000-02	XKR	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Double 5 10-spoke Alloy 18x8
		(Rear) 255/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Double 5 10-spoke Alloy 18x9
2001	XKR Silverstone & 02-04 XKR Option	(Front) 255/35ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Detroit BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x9 2-piece
		(Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Detroit BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x10 2-piece
2002	XKR 100 & 02-04 XKR Option	(Front) 255/35ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Montreal BBS 9-spoke Alloy 20x9 2-piece
		(Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Montreal BBS 9-spoke Alloy 20x10 2-piece
2003	XK8	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Centaur 7-spoke Alloy 18x8
		(Rear) 255/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Centaur 7-spoke Alloy 18x9
2003	XK8 Option	(Front) 245/40ZR19	Pirelli	P Zero	Apollo 5-spoke Alloy 19x8
		(Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli	P Zero	Apollo 5-spoke Alloy 19x9
2003	XKR	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Hydra Double 7-spoke Alloy 18x8
		(Rear) 255/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Hydra Double 7-spoke Alloy 18x9
2002-04	XKR Option	(Front) 255/35ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Paris BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x9 2-piece
		(Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Paris BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x10 2-piece
2004	XK8	(Front) 245/45ZR18	Continental	ContiSport Contact	Centaur 7-spoke Alloy 18x8
2004	XKR	245/45ZR18	Continental	P Zero	Hydra Alloy 18x8
2004	XKR Portfolio	(Front) 255/35ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Detroit BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x9 2-piece
		(Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Detroit BBS 5-spoke Alloy 20x10 2-piece
2004	XKR Premium	(Front) 245/50ZR19	Pirelli	P Zero	Atlas Alloy 19x8
		(Rear) 245/50ZR19	Pirelli	P Zero	Atlas Alloy 19x8
2004	XKR Performance	(Front) 245/50ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Detroit, Sepang Alloy 20x8
		(Rear) 245/50ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Lamina 5-spoke Alloy 20x9
2004	XKR Performance	(Front) 245/50ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Montreal BBS 2-piece Alloy 8x20
		(Rear) 245/50ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Lamina 5-spoke Alloy 8x20

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
2004	XKR Portfolio	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero Optional Wheels Optional Wheels Optional Wheels	BBS 2-piece Alloy 8x20 BBS 2-piece Alloy 8x20 Detroit R Performance 8x20 Paris R Performance 8x20 Montreal R Performance 8x20
2005	XK8	245/40ZR18	Continental		Aris 14-Twin Spoke 8x18
2005	XK8	245/50ZR17	Pirelli		Gemini (Canada Only) 8x17
2005	XKR	245/45ZR18	Pirelli		Hydra 8x18
2005	XK8 Carbon Fiber	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas 10-spoke Alloy 8x19 Atlas 10-spoke Alloy 8x19
	Optional	(Front) 245/40ZR18 (Rear) 255/40ZR18	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Aris 14-Twin Spoke 8x18 Aris 14-Twin Spoke 8x18
	Optional	(Front) 245/40ZR20 (Rear) 255/40ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	BBS Sepang 15- Spoke 8x20 BBS Sepang 15- Spoke 8x20
2005	XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Hydra 14-Twin Spoke Alloy 8x19 Hydra 14-Twin Spoke Alloy 9x19
2005	XKR			Optional Wheel	BBS 8x20
2005	XKR Premium	(Front) 245/50ZR19 (Rear) 245/50ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Aris Alloy 8x19 Aris Alloy 8x19
2005	XKR Premium	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 245/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas Alloy 8x19 Atlas Alloy 8x19
2005	XKR Premium	(Front) 245/50ZR19 (Rear) 245/50ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Hydra Alloy 8x19 Hydra Alloy 8x19
2005	XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Continental Continental		Hydra 14-Twin Spoke Alloy 8x19 Hydra 14-Twin Spoke Alloy 9x19
2005	XKR (Optional)	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli		Montreal 9-Spoke Alloy 8x20 Montreal 9- Spoke Alloy 8x20
2005	XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x19 Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x19
2005	XK8 (Optional)	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x19 Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x19
2005	XKR (Optional)	(Front) 255/35ZR20	Pirelli	P Zero	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x20

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
2005	XKR (Optional)	(Rear) 255/35ZR20 235/50 R17	Pirelli	P Zero (Canada Only)	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 8x20 Gemini 10-Spoke Star 8x17
2006	XK8	245/45ZR18	Continental	(US Standard)	Aris 14-Twin Spoke 18x8
2006	XK8	245/45ZR18	Continental	(Canadian Optional)	Aris 14-Twin Spoke 18x8
2006	XKR	245/45ZR18	Continental		Hydra 14-Twin Spoke 18x8
2006	XK8 VE	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	(Canadian Std) (Canadian Std)	Atlas Alloy 19x8 Atlas Alloy 19x8
2006	XKR (Optional)	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli		Detroit 5-Spoke Alloy 20x8 Detroit 5- Spoke Alloy 20x8
2006	XKR (Optional)	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli		Montreal 9-Spoke Alloy 20x8 Montreal 9-Spoke Alloy 20x8
2006	XKR (Optional)	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli		Sepang 15-Thni Spoke Alloy 20x8 Sepang 15- Thin Spoke Alloy 20x8
2006	XK8	235/50ZR17		All Season	Gemini (Canada Only) 17x8
2006	XK8 Ltd Ed	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 19x8 Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 19x8
2006	XKR Ltd Ed (Optl)	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 255/40ZR19	Pirelli Pirelli	P Zero P Zero	Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 19x8 Atlas 10-Spoke Alloy 19x8
2006	XKR Ltd Ed	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli		Perseus 16-Spoke Alloy 20x8 Perseus 16-Spoke Alloy 20x8
2007	XK8	(Front) 245/45ZR18 (Rear) 275/40ZR18			Venus 7-Spoke 18x8 Venus 7-Spoke 18x8
2007	XK8	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 275/35ZR19			Carelia 10-Spoke 19x8 Carelia 10-Spoke 19x8
2007	XK8	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20		Sparkle Silver Finish Sparkle Silver Finish	Sabre 5-Spoke 20x8 Sabre 5-Spoke 20x8
2007	XK8/XKR	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20			Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x8 Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x8
2007	XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 275/35ZR19			Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x8 Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x8
2007	XKR	(Front) 255/35ZR20			Cremona 5-Spoke 20x8

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
		(Rear) 285/30ZR20			Cremona 5-Spoke 20x8
2008	XK8	(Front) 245/45ZR18 (Rear) 275/40ZR18			Venus 7-Spoke 18x8.5 Venus 7-Spoke 18x9.5
2008	XK8	(Front) 245/40XR19 (Rear) 275/35XR19		Optional Optional	Carelia 10-Spoke 19x8.5 Carelia 10-Spoke 19x9.5
2008	XK8/XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 275/35ZR19		Optional Run Flat Optional Run Flat	Sabre <u>Chrome</u> 5-Spoke 19x8.5 Sabre <u>Chrome</u> 5-Spoke 19x9.5
2008	XK8/XKR	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20		Optional Optional	Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x9 Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x9.5
2008	XK8/XKR	(Front) 245/40XR19 (Rear) 275/35XR19			Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x8.5 Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x9.5
2008	XKR-S	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 295/30ZR20	Pirelli Pirelli	P-Zero P-Zero	Vortex 14-Spoke 20x8 Vortex 14-Spoke 20x8
2009	XK8 Coupe	(Front) 245/40ZR20 (Rear) 275/35ZR20		Coupe Only Coupe Only	Takoba 5-Spoke 20x8.5 Takoba 5-Spoke 20x9.5
2009	XK8	(Front) 245/40XR19 (Rear) 275/35XR19			Carelia 10-Spoke 19x8.5 Carelia 10-Spoke 19x9.5
2009	XK8/XKR	(Front) 245/40ZR19 (Rear) 275/35ZR19		Optional Run Flat Optional Run Flat	Sabre <u>Chrome</u> 5-Spoke 19x8.5 Sabre <u>Chrome</u> 5-Spoke 19x9.5
2009	XK8/XKR	(Front) 255/35ZR20 (Rear) 285/30ZR20		Optional Optional	Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x9 Senta 5x2-Spoke 20x9.5
2009	XK8	(Front) 245/40XR19 (Rear) 275/35XR19			Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x8.5 Jupiter 5x2-Spoke 19x9.5

YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
<i>Red italics indicates that the tire sizes need to be confirmed as they are not available from the 2010 dealer brochure.</i>					
2010	XK	<i>(Front)245/40ZR19</i> <i>(Rear) 275/35ZR19</i>		Standard Standard	Caravela 10x2-Spoke 19x8.5 Caravela 10x2-Spoke 19x9.5
2010	XKR	<i>(Front)245/40XR19</i> <i>(Rear) 275/35XR19</i>		Standard Standard	Tamana 5x2-V Spoke 19x8.5 Tamana 5x2-V Spoke 19x9.5
2010	XKR	<i>(Front)245/40XR19</i> <i>(Rear) 275/35XR19</i>		Run Flat Run Flat	Artura <u>Painted</u> 10-Spoke 19x8.5 Artura <u>Painted</u> 10-Spoke 19x9.5
2010	XKR	<i>(Front)245/40XR19</i> <i>(Rear) 275/35XR19</i>		Run Flat Run Flat	Artura <u>Chrome</u> 10-Spoke 19x8.5 Artura <u>Chrome</u> 10-Spoke 19x9.5
2010	XKR	<i>(Front)245/40XR20</i> <i>(Rear) 275/35XR20</i>		Optional Optional	Nevis 7 Slotted-Spoke 20x8.5 Nevis 7 Slotted-Spoke 20x9.5
2010	XKR	<i>(Front)255/35ZR20</i> <i>(Rear) 285/30ZR20</i>		Optional Optional	Kalimnos Twin 5x2-Spoke 20x8.5 Kalimnos Twin 5x2-Spoke 20x9.5



YEAR	MODEL / NOTE	TIRE SIZE	MFG.	TIRE	WHEEL
<b><u>XF (See Note #6)</u></b>					
2008	XF 4.2 V8	245/45 R18	96H	Continental	All Season Cygnus 5-Spoke 18x8.5
2008	XF 4.2 V8	245/40 R19	94H	Continental	All Season Auriga 11-Spoke 19x8.5
2008	XF 4.2 V8	235/30 R20	97YXL	Pirelli	Performance Selena 5 x 3-Spoke 20x8.5 Space Saver
2008	XF 4.2 S/C V8	(Front) 255/35 R20 (Rear) 285/30 R20	97Y X/L 99Y X/L	Pirelli Pirelli	Performance Volans 5-Spoke 20x8.5 Performance Volans 5-Spoke 20x9.5
2009	XF 4.2 V8	245/45 HR18			All Season Cygnus 5-Spoke 18x8.5
2009	XF 4.2 V8	245/40 HR19			All Season Auriga 11-Spoke 19x8.5
2009	XF 4.2 V8	235/30 R20			Performance Selena 5 x 3-Spoke 20x8.5 Space Saver
2009	XF 4.2 S/C V8	(Front) 255/35 ZR20 (Rear) 285/30 ZR20			Performance Volans 5-Spoke 20x8.5 Performance Volans 5-Spoke 20x9.5 Space Saver
2010	XF 4.2 V8	245/45 HR18			All Season Cygnus 5-Spoke 8.5x18
2010	XF 4.2 V8	245/45 HR20			All Season Senta 5x2-Spoke 8.5x20
2010	XF 4.2 V8	245/40 HR19			All Season Artura 10-Spoke 8.5x 19
2010	XF 4.2 V8	245/40 HR19			All Season Artura <u>Chrome</u> 10-Spoke 8.5x19
2010	XF 4.2 V8	245/45 HR19			All Season Carelia 10-Spoke 8.5x19
2010	XFR	(Front) 245/45 HR20 (Rear) 285/30 ZR20			Nevis 7 Slotted-Spoke 8.5x20 Nevis 7 Slotted-Spoke 9.5x20 Space Saver

**(Notes below referring to tire judging exceptions will be moved to Chapter V or VI during the next revision.)**

**General:** Tires are considered expendable. Replacement tires must be the same (or equivalent) size and construction (bias/radial) as originally found on the car when delivered by the Jaguar factory or offered by Jaguar Cars as optional equipment. (See exceptions in Chapter VI). In order to ensure that the car will maintain the proper stance and original appearance, replacement tires must maintain the same aspect ratio as the OEM. The size molded into the tire will be accepted as proof of currently exhibited size (example: 6.40 x 15 or 185 x 15). Sidewall or stripe/color or width is currently optional. Universal Tire Company, Lancaster, PA, British Wire Wheel, Fresno, CA or Coker Tire, Chattanooga, TN are sources for hard to find tires.

**Notes:**

1. 4.75 x 18 tires deleted from manufacturer's listings in Oct.89.
2. 6.70 x 16 newly available from Dunlop.
3. In May 1963, Service Bulletin M.7 stated that Dunlop SP tyres (a radial tire) are suitable for use on MK2 Jaguars; all MK2's may therefore be equipped with either bias ply or radial tires of the prescribed size.
4. In light of a Jaguar Service Bulletin, stating that 185 x 15 tires were a proper replacement for Series 1 E-type tires, delegates to the 1997 AGM voted that either 6.40 x 15 or 185 x 15 size tires would be considered authentic for Series 1 E-types. Further, that 185/70 x 15 tires, (purchased prior to 1997) shown on Series 2 E-types, would also be considered authentic.
5. During 1972-1974, the tire industry experienced near-chaos as it changed industry standards and nomenclature. The original equipment Dunlop ER7015VR is available through several manufacturers in either the original size or equivalent: P205/70VR15
6. For cars manufactured, beginning in the late 1990's, there is a stick on the driver's door jam specifying the correct tire size as specified by the manufacturer.

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**TIRE SPEED RATINGS** (The following is provided courtesy of The Tire Rack [www.tirerack.com](http://www.tirerack.com))

Over the years, tire speed rating symbols have been marked on tires in one of the three ways shown in the following examples:

**225/50SR16; 225/50SR16 89S or 225/50R16 89S**

Early tires had their speed rating symbol shown "within" the tire size, such as **225/50SR16**. Tires using this designation were **not** to have been produced after 1991:

**225/50SR16** - 112 mph; **225/50HR16** - 130 mph; **225/50VR16** - in excess of 130 mph.

Beginning in 1991, the speed rating symbol denoting the fixed maximum speed capability was shown only in the speed rating portion of the tire's service description, such as **225/50R16 89S**. Common speed rating symbols, maximum speeds and typical applications are shown below:

<b>N</b> 87 mph, Temporary Spare Tires	<b>T</b> 118 mph, Family Sedans & Vans
<b>P</b> 93 mph	<b>U</b> 124 mph
<b>Q</b> 99 mph, Studless & Studdable Winter Tires	<b>H</b> 130 mph, Sport Sedans & Coupes
<b>R</b> 106 mph, H.D. Light Truck Tires	<b>V</b> 149 mph, 240 Sport Sedans, Coupes & Sports Cars
<b>S</b> 112 mph, Family Sedans & Vans	

When **Z**-speed rated tires were first introduced, they were thought to reflect the highest tire speed rating that would ever be required, in excess of 149 mph. While **Z**-speed rated tires are capable of speeds in excess of 149 mph, how far above 149 mph was not indicated. That ultimately caused the industry to add **W** and **Y** speed ratings to identify tires that met the needs of new vehicles that have extremely high top-speed capabilities:

**W** 168 mph, Exotic Sports Cars; **Y** 186 mph, Exotic Sports Cars.

While a **Z**-speed rating still often appears in the tire size designation, such as **225/50ZR16 91W**, the **Z** in the size signifies a maximum speed capability in excess of 149 mph; the **W** in the service description indicates the tire's 168 mph, maximum speed.

**225/50ZR16** in excess of 149 mph; **205/45ZR17 88W** 168 mph; **285/35ZR19 99Y** 186 mph.

Recently, when the **Y**-speed rating indicated in the service description is enclosed in parenthesis, such as **285/35ZR19 (99Y)**, the top speed of the tire has been tested in excess of 186 mph, indicated by the service description as shown below:

**285/35ZR19 99Y** 186 mph; **285/35ZR19 (99Y)** in excess of 186 mph.

Image above provided by TC Kopke.

# How to read a tire sidewall

