



Car, Bumper

Date
1955-1965

Primary Maker
Lusse Brothers

Medium
Various metals and metal plating; Fiberglass; Paints; Plastics; Foam; Rubber

Description

Amusement part bumper car (a) with metal pole (b). (a) Amusement park bumper car. Car with elongated oval shape, one-piece molded fiberglass body, with styling reminiscent of a an automobile. Decorated with a two-tone paint scheme, blue-green and cream white. Chrome-plated accent trim, including front grille with operable headlamps. Hood ornament featuring crossed racing flags, and side moldings with insignia. Cockpit features upholstered bench-style seat, steering wheel with heavily padded hub, and round foot pedal switch on floorboard. Electrical pickup mast. (b) Metal pole, fits into socket located behind the driver. Top of post has a spring-steel shoe which would have conducted electricity from an energized metal ceiling in the ride pavilion, to power the vehicle.

Dimensions

Height x Width x Depth: 29 × 46 × 76 in. (73.7 × 116.8 × 193 cm)