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*Making classic cars in wood [Joe B Hicks] on www.enganchecubano.com \*FREE\* shipping on qualifying offers. A collection of ideas for creating cars in wood. The photographs demonstrate the examples of design, along with step-by-step instructions for every kind of woodcarving challenge.*

Cars were hand-built a century ago, and amazingly all Morgan cars are still built by hand, and with an all-wood frame. There are six main build stages: The first stage, chassis assembly, is done at the top workshop near the site entrance and the build stages progress downhill. What is obvious, and very satisfying, is that the English factory has a very manual operation throughout – there are no robots at Morgan. Classics and Aero models have different build stations, but these can be switched at varying stages of construction. The Aero8, for example, has a bonded rivet aluminum chassis. At this bare chassis stage, everything is configured in the car – you can plug a laptop into the car and drive it away. Full configuration, including checks for fuel leaks, drivetrain and engine checks, is done at this stage as it is far easier to pick up here. Every car is issued with a build book, containing a tracking document and quality document, where every build stage has its own page. This system was installed six years ago and is part of the continuous improvement and lean program at Morgan. As the cars go through the production line they start to jockey together at different stages, with some models overtaking others on lines. All the cars arrive at the body mount stage where the craftsmanship really kicks in. For the Classic body frame, an all ash frame is made in the wood shop, dip treated for rot outside, brought back in to be paneled by hand and then mounted to the body. Nearly all the metal is aluminum – on the AeroMax and Aero8 apart from the wishbones and the discs the car is almost entirely aluminum. The Classic has a galvanized steel chassis, a stainless steel bulkhead and firewall, and inner wings – beyond that everything is the same, ash frame paneled body and aluminum. The Aero series wings are made from super plastic-form SPF aluminum. The body shapes are designed in-house, cast steel forms are made and the panels are formed at Superform Aluminum in Worcester. Classics also use SPF for the wings and cowls, but not body panels. Woodwork – or wood engineering – is a core strength at Morgan. Their ash frames are shaped using traditional wooden presses and more modern bag press techniques. You produce a former, for the part, and the vacuum literally sucks the wood down onto the former. This and clamp pressure techniques can produce some extremely complex shapes. Morris shows an AeroMax centre roof spine – beautifully moulded, super-strong. A car is rolled in, where Aeros are fitted with the body and wings and go straight to paint. The Classics has the body and wings fitted then it has pre-drilling, wiring, a heater, oil pipes etc all fitted here before going to the paint line. Both models are painted after being assembled at the Body in White stage. Post Paint, cars are fitted out with leather trim, windows, bonnets and other auxiliary parts such as lights are fitted. Upon completion of the build process the cars are all road tested, they then go through a full technical PDI before having an under body protection. When this process is complete the car then receives a full PDI in preparation for Despatch to either the customer or dealer.

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However, the making of the dash would be similar to making any wooden dash, however a TR6 is quite unique; First we have to go to google what an original TR6 dash looks like before going further into unknown territory. They weigh next to nothing when held and feel fragile. There would have been no thought involved in hooking up the wiring harness, plug it in and go! That was my thinking; The Miata cluster is plain, but kind of nice with the chrome bezel, but is dwarfed by the original TR6 tach. Believe me, it tortured me a bit to do this, but I did find another metal dash before proceeding. Found one on eBay for a decent price. The Miata gauge pod is inseparable from its other components, so it would have to be installed as a whole unit. Though it may not look as good as I had hoped, and I did use it, it sure would have saved money over buying new gauges! Though it never looked right, I still proceeded, knowing I can change things as I go along as nothing is permanent! Luckily in a way, this was a solid piece of wood which cracked. Again, the problem with the Miata gauges: It would have never worked! The steering wheel I thought with the cutout bottom portion, I thought may help offer a little clearance, but still no dice. When a person is in the hobby of car restomodding, you have to be able to do anything! IT would have been nice to have a planer!: I was using the old wooden dash to get the correct angle. I made 3 different panels. The panel to the right, the gauges were going to be too low resulting in making another dash which is laying to the left; looking better with the choice of better Oak laminate. I wish I had made one more dash just in case, but alas, I did not: OH, yeah, I wound up choosing Speedhut gauges. The speedometer works off of GPS, look ma, no wires! Though not perfect; worked ok. I wanted the bezel to be recessed and not just sit on top of the wooden dash, so this neat little tool from my local ACE hardware did the trick! This wound up being the orientation for the Speedhut gauges. I had to cut away some of the sheet metal for this to work. They are obviously relocated more outwards as seen here. These Forstner bits made the holes possible! Inexpensive from HF, I use these amazingly often!!

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