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Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 11:50:32

...finishes tonight on eBay.

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Posted by: surfenstein
Date: 06-02-2010 11:55:15

so what you gonna do.?

Posted by: That_Ruddy_Squirrel
Date: 06-02-2010 12:01:10

A 2007 (imported) model in white perhaps ?

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 12:04:51

Could be, could be... (dont know why I just thought of Hong Kong Fuey ;)


Mark, dont have nearly £4k burning a hole, and have got rid of all loans last October so dont want to start again. Therefore waiting for a sale on the truck...

There will (hopefully) be others.

Posted by: Albannach
Date: 06-02-2010 12:07:01

There will be others. Anyway, we always tell folk not to buy the first truck they see (not sure why though!) :D :D

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 12:15:38

 Albannach wrote:

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:lol: :lol: :lol:

Yeah, its funny that isn't it? Could be the best one out there! Bad advice I think...

Posted by: That_Ruddy_Squirrel
Date: 06-02-2010 12:19:21

Hmmmmmmm dare I post
http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/1999-TOYOTA-CELICA-VVTLI-TRD-SPORTS-M_W00QitemZ280420876953QQcmdZViewItemQOptZAutomobiles_UK

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 12:33:45

:D Dare away. I dont like the later shape, front wheel drive, no pedigree etc etc.

The ST205 was Toyota Team Europe's rally car in the mid 90s, and WRC winner in 93 and 94.

Posted by: surfenstein
Date: 06-02-2010 12:40:44

yea im with andy,i like the rounder shape,dont like all the sharp edges of that one.

Posted by: Albannach
Date: 06-02-2010 12:48:40

I always think they look like they should be stuck under a door to hold it open.

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 13:00:27

There's a guy at work got a silver one with OEM bodykit similar to that. Nicer in the flesh, but they dont 'mean' anything to me. The ST185 and ST205 Celicas are from my time, when I used to follow rallying, when the Lombard / RAC ran on proper stages rather than round an exhibition centre. When men were men... blah blah...

Am going to make the effort to get to more hillclimbs, sprints and rallies this year. There's still loads of smaller events in Wales.

Posted by: oneidadan
Date: 06-02-2010 17:40:28

hello, it looks like you've got some serious interest now, if the other guys can get the money to you sooner then please don't hang around for me, i'd feel guilty if you missed your celica because of me.

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 18:01:24

Dont panic mate. There'll be more. I've emailed the seller, telling him that I'll come and have a look in the week assuming he still has it. Turns out he has two white ones. He's an importer.

Posted by: surfenstein
Date: 06-02-2010 18:38:54

what hes an imposter..... :mad:

Posted by: oneidadan
Date: 06-02-2010 19:09:07

Hello, me again :P OK if no-one else buys it tomorrow I can pay for it and collect the truck Monday evening. Would that be OK with you? :cool:

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 19:16:56

That would be more than OK mate. You OK to take it with you? Got somewhere to keep two trucks or have you sold yours?! :D

Posted by: oneidadan
Date: 06-02-2010 20:02:49

cool, yeah will be fine to take it with me. My dad has agreed to let me use his driveway to store my surf on whilst I sell it. So that sounds like a plan :D

Posted by: Apache
Date: 06-02-2010 21:33:53

Excellent! What time you planning on arriving? I'll take it to the hand wash on Monday lunchtime...

Posted by: oneidadan
Date: 06-02-2010 23:14:25

i'll hopefully be getting into worcester foregate station at 16.30 if the train runs on time :D Now got to start researching stuff, got to fix the speedo first I think, and read a bit about the auto gearbox. What does the red button do? :whistle:

Posted by: Apache
Date: 07-02-2010 10:30:50

I think its ALMOST certainly the sensor at the gearbox. Might be worth swapping the one of your truck to confirm. When it failed, it came and went a bit first, which suggests its probably not the converter electronics. When electronics fail, its usually a clean single event.

I dont finish work til 5 tomorrow - got a customer in so cant slope off early, though if you're in Worcs at 4:30, you should get to Malvern around 4:50ish? I'll take my moby so give me a bell and I'll pick you up from Malvern Link station on my way through from work - unless you're going to Great Malvern, which is 3 mins walk from the house.

Celica sold - bugger! :mad:

Waiting for a reply from a guy with a silver WRC down in Farnham.