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## FASTEST MARINA IN THE WORLD.

Take a 5 litre V8, supercharge it, stuff it into a racy coupe body and there you have it -- the fastest Marina in the world.

The fastest Marina in the world is now under development by Whitelake Racing in England. The company is devoted to one of Britain's fastest growing sports -- drag racing.

Not so much a car as a projectile, the Marina, called "Snow Bird", is capable of more than 160 mph.

It is based on a Marina coupe body mounted to an 18 in. tubular frame chassis and powered by the 5 litre V8 developing a modest 700 BHP.

The power is transmitted through 39 in. diameter rear wheels and slicks and the car sits tail up -- nose down in the "funny car" attitude.

The "Snow Bird" Marina is expected to cut a quarter mile in 9 seconds with a terminal speed of about 160 mph.

<b>CARS</b>	<b>AUSTIN</b>	<b>BUSES</b>	<b>COACHES</b>	<b>FOUR WHEEL</b>	<b>TRACTORS</b>	<b>ROAD ROLLERS</b>
ROVER	MORRIS	LEYLAND	AB DENNING	DRIVE	LEYLAND	GRADERS
JAGUAR	MG	<b>TRUCKS</b>	PRESSED METAL	LANDROVER		AVELING-BARFORD
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