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## BMW E46 M3 CSL £55,000

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Service History Full BMW History Owners 5 Previous Owners

It's only with the benefit of hindsight you can see how truly special the E46 M3 CSL was and still is. It's only when you fit yourself snuggly in the Recaro seats and place your hands on the alcantara trimmed wheel do you get an inkling of what a beast this car still is.

The modifications required to earn an M3 a CSL badge are legion. Alongside that engine and carbon air box comes carbon-fibre roof, carbob-fibre bumpers, revised suspension, modified brakes, quicker steering and a paddle-operated gearbox capable of swapping one cog for another in 0.08sec or, to put it another way, three times faster than you. Inside, racing seats ensure your body can withstand 1.5G of lateral acceleration without depositing you on your passenger.

The CSL is one of the most hard-core supercars ever sold. Various buttons allow you to choose the speed of the gear change, sharpen the throttle response, disable the stability control or programme it for the race track. Like many things that are bad for you, the CSL is addictive, it possesses a focus that, of its ilk, only Porsche's more expensive GT3 would recognise. Its non-negotiable demand for your undivided attention can make every departure an occasion, every journey an adventure, every arrival an event. It's also rare, beautiful and FANTASTICALLY engineered.

I have known this particular car since the 2nd owner purchased it from Vines BMW in 2004 with 12,000. This serious M3 enthusiast took it home and parked in his garage alongside his E30 M3 Ravaglia. He considered this the ultimate pair of M3s. They were going to be kept forever but a work move to the States in 2013 meant I was set the task of finding these two M3s new homes. Both cars where utterly stunning and it took us little time to find new owners. Since us selling the car in 2013 the car has covered another 5,000 miles. The car was sold to a further two collectors over the last 5 years and is now back with us to find the next lucky owner.

This stunning example was first registered 1st November 2003 and has covered only 49,000 miles in the hands of just five owners. This car is in stunning original condition and has never been used for track days. It comes with all the original tools, handbooks, manuals and a 100% complete service history from new all stamped in the original service book. This is supported by a lovely document file.

Specification & History

Build Date: 23/09/2003 First registered: 1/11/2003

5 Owners 49,000 Miles

Full and documented service history

Silver Grey

SMG Drive Logic Dynamic Stability Control Factory alarm Headlight cleaning Park Distance Control Rain Sensor Green top tint screen Xenon Lights Automatic Air Conditioning Interior Mirror with Anti-Dazzle On-Board Computer BMW Business Radio/CD Player Individual High Gloss Satin Chrome White Indicator Lights Performance Power 360 bhp / @7900rpm Torque 370nm / @ 4900rpm BHP/Litre 111 Power to weight 0.26 bhp / kg Top speed 155mph (restricted) 0-60 mph 4.8s

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Prior to hand over to the lucky new owner, she will pass through our workshop for its very thorough full sales inspection and the following work will be carried out. PDI, road test and new MOT. This gorgeous CSL has passed through the workshop for the usual Classic Heroes due-diligence and the following

PDI, replace low tone horn, replace fuel filler cap, air conditioning service, replace wheel badges, replace bonnet catches, replace front tyres, rectify faulty o/s/f mirror, replace n/s/f splash-shield, road test and MOT car.

The car will be presented to the new owner with original key sets, CSL alcantara wallet, all manuals, original fully stamped service book and supporting document file.

Please enquire with Barney for information on this low mileage M3 CSL