

Hennessey Hennessey **Venom GT** pt 2

Hennessey has delivered Chassis Number 01 and in doing so managed to move beyond the realms of Tuner or Vaporware producer to become a fully fledged exotic car builder.

01 gets the twin-turbo Chevrolet LS-series aluminum V8, which has been dynoed to 933 hp at the rear wheels. Stated bench figures are 1,200 hp and 1,135 lb-ft torque.

The 2,548 lbs Elise based rocket was de-

livered from Silverstone in England to the UAE via the Middle East distributor, Al DiMora of DiMora Motorcar.

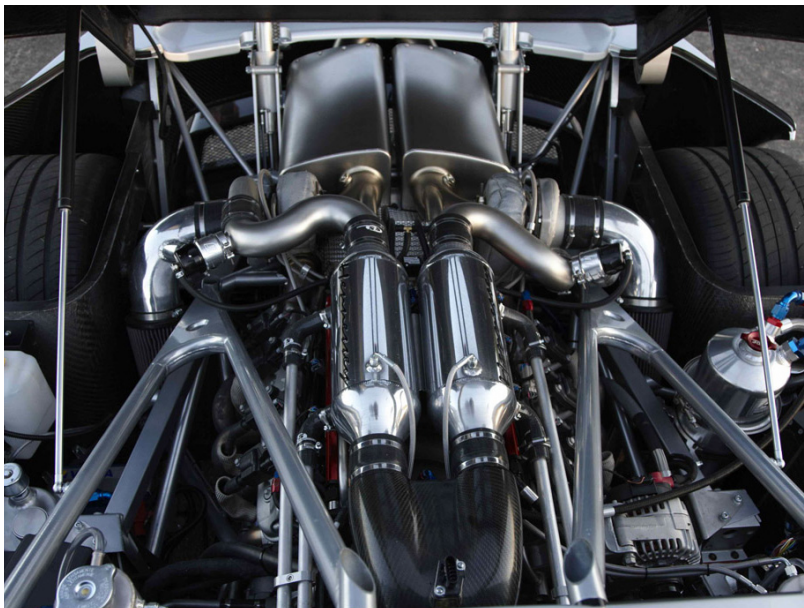
“This is the fulfillment of a dream that I have had since I was a kid”, says company founder, John Hennessey. “But it is also just the beginning as we begin to demonstrate the performance capabilities of the Venom GT in the near future”.

Rod Halligan

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- Chassis 01 delivered to the UAE
- Twin Turbo 6.2 litre LS9 Aluminium V8
- 0 - 300 km/h 14.9 sec
- 1,030 bhp @ 6,500 rpm (933 rear wheel hp)





Hennessey Venon GT

Year 2010
Chassis No. 01
Delivered to UAE

ENGINE

Configuration LS9 90° GM V8
Layout Mid Longitudinal
Construction Aluminium block and head
Induction Twin Ball Bearing Turbochargers
Valvetrain Pushrod OHV, 2 Valves
Fuel feed Sequential Fuel Injection
Oil feed Dry Sump
Displacement 376 ci 6.2 litre
Compression 8.8:1
Redline 7,200 rpm
Power 1,030 bhp @ 6,500 rpm
 933 hp @ rear wheels
Torque 972 lb-ft @ 4,200 rpm
 874 lb-ft @ rear wheel

BODY

Composite Body Panels over modified Lotus Elite composite Monocoque
Curb Weight 2,685 lbs 1,220 kg
Dry Weight 2,524 lbs 1,147 kg
F/R Balance 37/63 empty
 44/56 with driver & passenger
Length 15.27 ft (4,655 mm)
Width 6.43 ft (1,960 mm)
Wheelbase 110.24 in (2,800 mm)
Track - Front 63.46 in (1,612 mm)
Track - Rear 63.15 in (1,604 mm)

DRIVE

Rear Wheel Drive
Transmission Riccardo 6-Speed

SUSPENSION

Type KW Variant 3 Adjustable Coilover
Ride Height Adjustable by 60 mm

BRAKES

Front brakes 15 in Carbon Ceramic Discs
 6-Piston Calipers
Rear brakes 15 in Carbon Ceramic Discs
 6-Piston Calipers
Tyres - Front 235/30/20 Michelin PS2
Tyres - Rear 335/30/20 Michelin PS2
Wheels - Front 8.5 x 20 in
Wheel - Rear 12.5 x 20 in

PERFORMANCE

1st 68 mph
2nd 104 mph
3rd 145 mph
4th 190 mph
5th 232 mph
6th 260 mph @ 6,600 rpm
0 - 100 km/h 2.9 sec
0 - 200 km/h 7.0 sec
0 - 300 km/h 14.9 sec