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1978 Volkswagen Super Beetle Convertible

Price: $32,900
Mileage: 23,922 mi
VIN: 1582038615
Stock #: Black
Condition: Used
Transmission: Manual
Exterior colour: —
Interior colour: Tan
Body type: Import Classics
Fuel economy: — city / — highway MPG
Dealer: Zoom Classic Cars, North Haledo, NJ 07508
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Dealer notes

Zoom Classic Cars presents this 1978 Volkswagen Super Beetle Convertible, a Highly Original Survivor with only 23,923 Miles Indicated. The car features original factory black paint with tan vinyl interior and original tan cloth convertible top, the original Fuel-Injected 1600cc Engine and 4-Speed Manual Transmission. A great opportunity to acquire a highly original 1978 Volkswagen Super Beetle Convertible with a fascinating history and remarkably low mileage. Retaining its original factory Tuxedo Black paint and original drivetrain, this late-production air-cooled Volkswagen represents the kind of preserved survivor that collectors can appreciate. The car was previously traded to a Volkswagen dealership by the original owner with approximately 22,000 miles, and then was reportedly used as a showroom display vehicle until 2016 before being sold at Mecum Kissimmee in 2025 for $44,000 and then again to the current owner at the Mecum Indy 2026 Auction. The Original Volkswagen Engineering features power that comes from the original fuel-injected 1600cc air-cooled flat-four engine that sits in a very clean and detailed engine compartment and is paired with a four-speed manual transmission driving the rear wheels. The original drivetrain and factory Black exterior distinguish this Beetle from examples that have undergone repainting, restoration, or mechanical modification. The Super Beetle features revised front suspension incorporating MacPherson struts, along with a redesigned front body section and a larger front luggage compartment than the standard Beetle. These refinements improved everyday usability while preserving the model\'s familiar shape and character.The black paint on the car is in overall excellent condition as is the tan manual convertible top which still looks brand new. All of the original chrome trim and badging is intact and in excellent condition as well. The tan vinyl interior is also in excellent original condition with no rips or tears, Beautiful original dash, wrapped steering wheel and Clarion AM/FM stereo. Only minor issue is that the control to tile the passenger seat doesn’t currently work and will need attention. Trunk compartment is very clean and solid with vinyl mat and houses the original Volkswagen BN2 gasoline-powered auxiliary heater. Undercarriage of the VW is clean and solid. The car rides on Dunlop tires mounted on the factory original steel wheels. This is a desirable late-production convertible as it represents the culmination of decades of development of one of the world\'s most recognizable automobiles. Its air-cooled engine, simple mechanical layout, friendly styling, and open-top configuration have earned it a devoted following among Volkswagen enthusiasts. This 1978 Super Beetle Convertible is particularly significant as one of the final iterations of the classic American-market Beetle. Highly original examples with factory paint and an unmodified drivetrain offer a different appeal from restored cars, preserving the authenticity and character that make these cars special. This Super Beetle is an appealing addition to a Volkswagen collection or a wonderful choice for someone seeking an authentic vintage convertible with a documented auction history and a distinctive place in

Volkswagen\'s heritage. Currently stored in MA and offered with a clean Maine Transferable registration in the owner’s name. Comes with convertible boot, original owner’s manual and some service receipts. Click on the Blue "Additional Info" button just above the Vehicle Decription to see a 2nd video from the 2025 Mecum Kissimmee Auction. Call Jeff for more information or to schedule a viewing. Thanks for looking! Price does not include $0 processing fee

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