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**1965 Mercury Comet Cyclone**  
**302 V-8 Manual**

**RUN #14**



<b>AUCTION</b>	Billings, Montana
<b>RUN</b>	14
<b>YEAR</b>	1965
<b>MAKE</b>	Mercury
<b>MODEL</b>	Comet Cyclone
<b>STYLE</b>	2-Door Hardtop
<b>ENGINE</b>	302 V-8
<b>TRANSMISSION</b>	Manual
<b>COLOR</b>	Red

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Early in its life, the Mercury Comet made do with a very short list of standard features that included such lavish luxury items as carpet. But by 1965, the Comet really came into its own as a sporty, almost luxurious car. And at the top of the line was the Cyclone, which was loaded with equipment including: Stainless steel wheel covers, bright drip-rail moldings, wheel opening and lower body moldings, lower back panel appliques, all-foam bucket seats with horizontal-pleat vinyl coverings, luxury armrests, tachometer, padded dash, console, black vinyl instrument panel applique, walnut-tone three-spoke sports steering wheel, color-keyed carpet and an engine dress-up kit which included chromed rocker arm covers, oil fill-pipe cap, radiator cap, air cleaner lid, oil dipstick handle and more.

This 1965 Mercury Comet Cyclone presented at auction is a very fine example. The car received an extensive restoration inside and outside. Under the hood the car received a refreshed 302 with Roller Rockers, Aluminum intake and more. The transmission was upgraded with a 4 speed Top Loader and the rearend is a 9? Ford. The fit and finish is excellent and the car is coming out of a collection among the finest in the region.