

# Surviving Italian Armoured Cars

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Listed here are the AB 41, AB 43 and Lince that still exist today.



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## **AB 41 – MM Park, La Wantzenau (France) – running condition**

This vehicle was previously part of the Clères Museum (Jacky Pichon), near Rouen. The museum closed some years ago

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"TABS91", June 2011 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/41890777@N07/6088301325/in/set-72157627344683259/>

## **AB 41 – Reggimento "Nizza Cavalleria", Pinerolo (Italy)**

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<http://www.musil.bs.it/900.html>

AB 41 – Museo dell'industria e del lavoro, Brescia (Italy)



Filippo Cappellano, 1997 - [http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/6\\_ab41\\_vo.htm](http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/6_ab41_vo.htm)

AB 41 – Caserma "Brunner", Villa Opicina (Italy)



Giulio Gobbi, 2002 - [http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/17\\_ab41\\_gro.htm](http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/17_ab41_gro.htm)

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AB 41 – Caserma "Beraudo di Pralorno", Grosseto (Italy) – running condition

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Luigi Iacomino, 2001 - [http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/8\\_ab41\\_vv.htm](http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/8_ab41_vv.htm)

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AB 41 – Museo dell'Aeronautica Militare Italiana di Vigna di Valle (Italy)

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Gabriele Luciani - [http://www.modellismosalento.it/walkaround/mezzi\\_militari/AB41/AB41.html](http://www.modellismosalento.it/walkaround/mezzi_militari/AB41/AB41.html)

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AB 41 – Caserme "Nacci" e "Zappalà", Lecce (Italy)



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AB 41 – El-Alamein War Museum (Egypt)



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AB 41 – Museum of Military History - Johannesburg (South Africa)





"Causa83", November 2008 - [http://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Autoblindo\\_AB-43.jpg](http://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Autoblindo_AB-43.jpg)

**AB 43 – Museo della Motorizzazione Militare della Cecchignola, Rome (Italy) – running c.**  
 The AB43 runs with an original engine (Massimo Foti). Chassis number 55702, manufactured by SPA (dataplate)

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<https://www.facebook.com/groups/451077191685419/permalink/4243291339130633/>

**AB 43 – Museo della Cavalleria, Pinerolo (Italy)**  
 This vehicle was cosmetically restored, but was let as a wrecked vehicle (Massimo Foti)

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Civici Musei di Storia ed Arte di Trieste  
Civico Museo di guerra per la pace "Diego de Henriquez" (inv. n. C.T. 6015)

Massimo Foti, November 2009 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&t=11767>

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### AB 43 – Museo di guerra per la pace Diego de Henriquez, Trieste (Italy)

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Massimo Foti, October 2009 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&p=85982#85982>





Massimo Foti, October 2009 - <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&p=85982#85982>



A.M.B. 2007 - [http://www.ambrescia.com/photofile/Veicoli\\_terrestri\\_uniformi/ab41polizia/ab41police.html](http://www.ambrescia.com/photofile/Veicoli_terrestri_uniformi/ab41polizia/ab41police.html)

### AB 43 – Museo Memoriale della Libertà, Bologna (Italy)

This AB 43 was used by Italian police after WW II. It was recovered by the Museum's crew from Nettuno firing range, where it was sitting on the beach, together with another AB 43, which later went to Temeroli collection, where it was magnificently restored. This vehicle's restoration is still a work in progress, going on pretty slowly, but the engine is back in shape and mechanics is just fine, the restored chassis, without the armour, is already able to run (Massimo Foti)





Giulio Gobbi, 2002 - [http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/ab41\\_grosseto.htm](http://digilander.libero.it/pmg/contributi/censimento/ab41_grosseto.htm)

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AB 43 – Caserma "Beraudo di Pralorno", Grosseto (Italy)

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Cristiano Cantoni, November 2006 - [http://www.modellismopiu.net/m+gallerie/main.php?g2\\_itemId=20900](http://www.modellismopiu.net/m+gallerie/main.php?g2_itemId=20900)

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AB 43 – F. Temérol Collection (Italy) – running condition

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Massimo Foti, July 2009

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AB 43 ferroviaria – Museo della Motorizzazione Militare della Cecchignola, Rome (Italy)

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"Barbarigo", March 2006 - <http://forum.axishistory.com/viewtopic.php?f=47&t=98231&start=0>

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Autoprotetto AS 37 – F. Temérol Collection (Italy) – running condition

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"Causa83", November 2008 - [http://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lancia\\_Lince](http://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lancia_Lince)

### Lince scout car - Museo della Motorizz. Militare della Cecchignola, Rome (Italy)

The museum only owns a single Lince scout car, but it was repainted several times in 10 years, that's why one can think that the museum owns 2 different Lince scout cars. This vehicle runs with an original engine (Massimo Foti)



Stefano Ancarani - [http://www.modellismopiu.net/m+gallerie/main.php?g2\\_itemId=21974](http://www.modellismopiu.net/m+gallerie/main.php?g2_itemId=21974)

### Lince scout car – Caserme "Nacci" e "Zappalà", Lecce (Italy)





<http://miles.forumcommunity.net/?t=43490138&st=15#entry303710757>

### Lancia Lince – Collezione Vincenzo Lancia, Torino (Italy)

This vehicle was previously owned by Salvatore Scarpitta, an artist who died in 2007. Scarpitta restored the vehicle to running condition after he discovered the armoured chassis. The engine and other parts have to be confirmed as being original ones  
(Matteo Sullivan via Massimo Foti)



<https://www.facebook.com/SPAMilitare/photos/a.1343279952354959.1073741852.784713041544989/1343279969021624/?type=3>

SPA Dovunque 35 protetto **reproduction** – Private collection (Italy)



I'm looking for photos of those tanks :

any Italian armored car or self-propelled artillery that I forgot....

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