

The Kawasaki Motocrossers

If you've been waiting for a Motocross bike along the lines of the bike that beat the top U.S. Motocrossers, wait no more.

Because now there's just such a Motocross bike waiting for you. The Kawasaki KX125. The KX250. Or the KX450.

And if you know your Motocross machines, there's very little more we can say about these Kawasaki winners.

Except to let the specifications, and the record, speak for themselves.

KX 125

Engine type. 2-cycle, single-cylinder, rotary disc valve
Displacement 124.8cc
Bore & stroke. 56x50.6mm
Compression ratio. 8.0
Ignition system. CDI
Transmission 6-speed
Gear ratios . . 1st-2.00, 2nd-1.44,
3rd-1.17, 4th-1.00,
5th-0.9, 6th-0.8

Final reduction
ratio 4.14 (58/14)
Overall drive ratio. 10.37
Front suspension . . . Telescopic
fork

Rear suspension. . . . Swing arm
Rake/trail 59°/5.09 in.
Fuel tank capacity . . . 1.7 gallons
Overall length. 79.5 in.
Overall width. 34.5 in.
Overall height. 44.1 in.
Wheelbase 52.8 in.

KX 250

Engine type. 2-cycle,
single-cylinder, piston port
Displacement 246cc
Bore & stroke . . . 69.5x64.9mm
Compression ratio. 7.9
Ignition system. CDI
Transmission 5-speed
Gear ratios . . 1st-2.33, 2nd-1.73,
3rd-1.41, 4th-1.16, 5th-1.00

Final reduction
ratio 3.69 (48/13)
Overall drive ratio. 9.9
Fuel tank capacity . . . 2.4 gallons
Front suspension. . . . Telescopic
fork

Rear suspension. . . . Swing arm
Rake/trail 59°/5.6 in.
Overall length. 83 in.
Overall width. 34.5 in.
Overall height. 44.5 in.
Wheelbase 55.8 in.
Ground clearance. 7.7 in.

KX 450

Engine type. 2-cycle,
single-cylinder, piston port
Displacement 441cc
Bore & stroke. 86x76mm
Compression ratio. 6.5
Ignition system. . . . Magneto CDI
Transmission 5-speed
Gear ratios . . 1st-2.89, 2nd-2.00,
3rd-1.40, 4th-1.12, 5th-0.94

Final reduction
ratio 2.87 (43/15)
Overall drive ratio. 6.8
Front suspension. . . . Telescopic
fork

Rear suspension. . . . Swing arm
Rake/trail 59°/5.8 in.
Fuel tank capacity . . . 2.0 gallons
Overall length. 81 in.
Overall width. 34 in.
Overall height. 44.5 in.
Wheelbase 55.5 in.
Ground clearance. 7.7 in.
Weight 215 lbs.

The KX125

