

Colouring Concept

Introduced this year as a new concept in mid-sized 'naked performance' streetbikes, the lightweight and aggressive Hornet tears up the streets with a heady combination of light weight and compact proportions, aggressive power and handling, and a sleek, uncluttered form shorn of all unnecessary distractions from its clean 'streetfighter' image.

The Hornet's new colour variations for '99 include a fiery red that makes an unmistakeable statement about its high performance intentions, and a brilliant, new pearlescent yellow that gives powerful emphasis to the Hornet's sporty character. Carrying over from the current year, a deep candy blue exudes a cool sense of urban sophistication.

Colours

- Italian Red
- Pearl Shining Yellow
- Candy Tahitian Blue

New Features

- New colour variations.



Specifications**Specifications****Hornet (ED-type)**

Engine	Liquid-cooled 4-stroke 16-valve DOHC inline-4
Bore × Stroke	65 × 45.2mm
Displacement	599cm ³
Compression Ratio	12 : 1
Carburettors	34mm slanted flat-slide CV-type × 4
Max. Power Output	96PS/12,000rpm (DIN) (70.6kW/12,000min ⁻¹)
Max. Torque	6.4kg-m/9,500rpm (DIN) (62.7Nm/9,500min ⁻¹)
Ignition	Computer-controlled digital transistorized with electronic advance
Starter	Electric
Transmission	6-speed
Final Drive	'O'-ring sealed chain
Dimensions	(L×W×H) 2,090 × 730 × 1,060mm
Wheelbase	1,420mm
Seat Height	790mm
Ground Clearance	140mm
Fuel Capacity	16 litres
Wheels	Front 16 × MT3.50 hollow-section triple-spoke cast aluminium Rear 17 × MT5.00 hollow-section triple-spoke cast aluminium
Tyres	Front 130/70 ZR16 (61W) (Michelin, Bridgestone) Rear 180/55 ZR17 (73W) (Michelin, Bridgestone)
Suspension	Front 41mm telescopic fork, 125mm axle travel Rear Monoshock damper with 7-step adjustable preload, 128mm axle travel
Brakes	Front 296mm × 4.5mm dual hydraulic disc with dual-piston calipers, floating rotors and resin mould pads Rear 220mm × 5mm single-piston caliper hydraulic disc with sintered metal pads
Dry Weight	176kg

All specifications are provisional and subject to change without notice.

