

# 12 BRNO CZECH REPUBLIC

26th AUGUST, 2012



## CZECH OUT THE TYRES FOR BRNO

Round twelve of the 2012 MotoGP season sees the championship head to the Czech Republic and the idyllic Automotodrom Brno; a fast circuit with imposing corners and striking elevation changes that is splayed across wooded hillsides.

Brno's layout features a series of straight sections broken up by a series of technical corners including four left-right corner combinations and the difference in elevation between the highest and lowest part of the circuit is almost 75 metres. As a result, the

challenging downhill braking sections require front tyres with excellent stability, while superior rear grip is vital to provide good drive onto the straight parts of the circuit. Adding to the technical complexity of this circuit for tyres is the abrasive tarmac which demands high levels of durability.

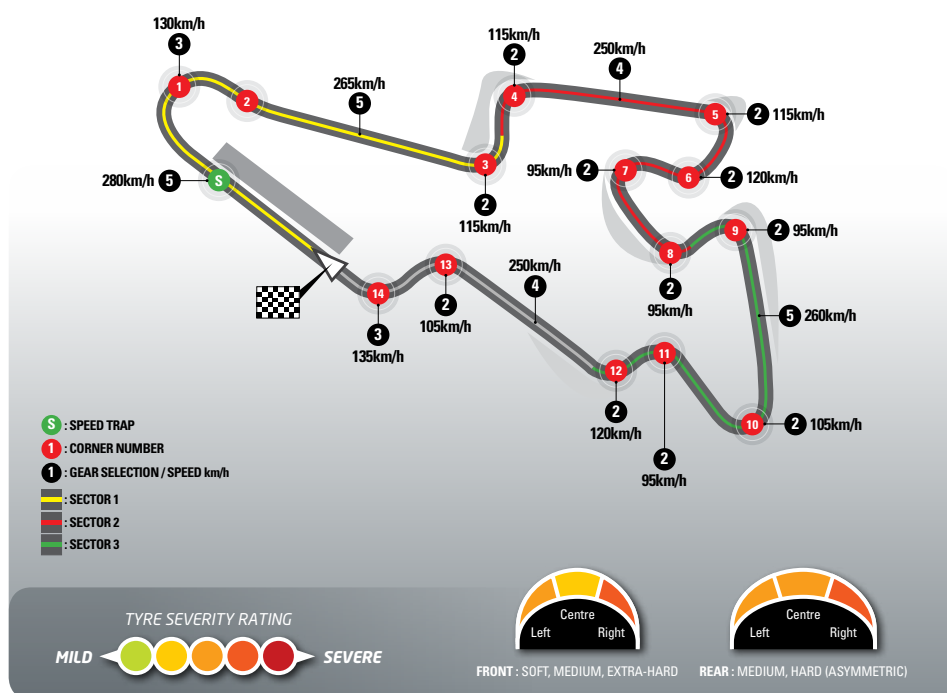
There are a total of eight right-hand and six left-hand corners and though asymmetric rear slicks are provided at Brno, the loads imposed across the left, centre and right of the rear tyre are fairly similar at this circuit. The rear tyre

options supplied at Brno are the medium and hard option asymmetric rear slicks, though the difference in rubber hardness between the left and right shoulders is not as great as at other circuits such as Indianapolis. Front slick options for the Czech Grand Prix are the soft, medium and extra-hard compounds.

**Brno's large elevation changes require tyres that provide excellent stability, while superior rear grip is also important to provide good drive onto the many straight sections**

## CIRCUIT INFORMATION

CIRCUIT DETAILS		CIRCUIT RECORDS	
First race	1965	Pole position	1m 56.145s (167.469km/h)
No. of GPs held	35		Valentino Rossi (Yamaha, 2009)
Laps	22 (MotoGP), 20 (Moto2), 19 (Moto3)	Fastest lap	1m 56.670s (166.716km/h)
Track length	5.403 km / 3.357 miles (Width 15m)		Jorge Lorenzo (Yamaha, 2009)
Race distance	118.866 km / 73.854 miles	Race time	43m 08.991s (165.283km/h)
Longest straight	0.636 km / 0.395 miles		Valentino Rossi (Yamaha, 2009)
Corners	14 (6 left, 8 right)	2011 Winner	Casey Stoner (Honda)



## EVENT SCHEDULE LOCAL TIME

### FRIDAY

09:15-09:55	Moto3 Free Practice 1
10:10-10:55	MotoGP Free Practice 1
11:10-11:55	Moto2 Free Practice 1
13:15-13:55	Moto3 Free Practice 2
14:10-14:55	MotoGP Free Practice 2
15:10-15:55	Moto2 Free Practice 2

### SATURDAY

09:15-09:55	Moto3 Free Practice 3
10:10-10:55	MotoGP Free Practice 3
11:10-11:55	Moto2 Free Practice 3
13:00-13:40	Moto3 Qualifying Practice
13:55-14:55	MotoGP Qualifying Practice
15:10-15:55	Moto2 Qualifying Practice

### SUNDAY

08:40-09:00	Moto3 Warm Up
09:10-09:30	Moto2 Warm Up
09:40-10:00	MotoGP Warm Up
11:00	Moto3 Race (23 laps)
12:20	Moto2 Race (26 laps)
14:00	MotoGP Race (28 laps)

Source : www.motogp.com & Haynes MotoGP Season Review.  
Information subject to change

## TYRE TALK SHINJI AOKI, MANAGER, BRIDGESTONE MOTORSPORT TYRE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Brno is a rider favourite as it has a fast layout with a wide track and since being resurfaced in 2008 has good, consistent grip levels. This resurfacing has also resulted in the tarmac becoming very abrasive, so the circuit is now more demanding on tyres and requires harder tyre compounds, especially for the front which has to deal with considerable weight transfer under braking into the downhill corners. Many corners at Brno are high-speed and flowing and so the lateral loads generated are substantial, with the right shoulders of the rear tyres put under slightly more stress than the left.

The medium speed corners require good shoulder stability and traction from the rear tyres on corner

exit and it is also really important to find a good setup here, as excess sliding around this circuit can result in high levels of tyre wear due to the abrasive nature of the tarmac. Our front tyre allocation for Brno changes slightly this year with the medium and extra-hard options providing the necessary stability and durability needed for this circuit, while the soft option is offered in case of unexpectedly cool conditions. Rear tyre options remain the same as last year with the medium and hard asymmetric options being supplied.



# TEAMS AND RIDERS

Teams and riders order based on 2011 team championship position.

\*Most recent performance listed.

## REPSOL HONDA TEAM

MACHINE Honda RC213V  
WEB www.hondapracing.com

### Casey Stoner Bike number 1



Age: 26 DOB: 16/10/1985 Nationality: Australian GP Debut: SPA06 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 111 (MotoGP) Wins: 37 Poles: 38 Fastest laps: 28 Podiums: 66 Points: 1747  
Best championship position: 1st (x2, 2011\*)

### Dani Pedrosa Bike number 26



Age: 26 DOB: 29/9/1985 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: SPA06 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 109 (MotoGP) Wins: 17 Poles: 22 Fastest laps: 30 Podiums: 66 Points: 1611  
Best championship position: 2nd (2010\*)

## DUCATI TEAM

MACHINE Ducati Desmosedici GP12  
WEB www.ducati.com

### Valentino Rossi Bike number 46



Age: 33 DOB: 16/2/1979 Nationality: Italian GP Debut: RSA00 (500cc)  
GP Starts: 209 (MotoGP/500cc) Wins: 79 Poles: 49 Fastest laps: 67 Podiums: 141 Points: 3547  
Best championship position: 1st (x7, 2009\*)

### Nicky Hayden Bike number 69



Age: 30 DOB: 30/7/1981 Nationality: American GP Debut: JPN03 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 161 (MotoGP) Wins: 3 Poles: 5 Fastest laps: 7 Podiums: 28 Points: 1470  
Best championship position: 1st (2006)

## MONSTER YAMAHA TECH 3

MACHINE Yamaha YZR-M1  
WEB www.teamtech3.fr

### Cal Crutchlow Bike number 35



Age: 26 DOB: 29/10/1985 Nationality: British GP Debut: QAT11 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 27 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 1 Podiums: 0 Points: 176  
Best championship position: 12th (2011)

### Andrea Dovizioso Bike number 4



Age: 26 DOB: 23/3/1986 Nationality: Italian GP Debut: QAT08 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 81 (MotoGP) Wins: 1 Poles: 1 Fastest laps: 1 Podiums: 21 Points: 904  
Best championship position: 3rd (2011)

## NGM FORWARD RACING

MACHINE Suter-BMW  
WEB www.forward-racing.com

### Colin Edwards Bike number 5



Age: 38 DOB: 27/2/1974 Nationality: American GP Debut: JPN03 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 161 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 3 Fastest laps: 3 Podiums: 12 Points: 1177  
Best championship position: 4th (2005)

## CARDION AB MOTORACING

MACHINE Ducati Desmosedici GP12  
WEB www.karelbrahim.com

### Karel Abraham Bike number 17



Age: 22 DOB: 02/01/1990 Nationality: Czech GP Debut: QAT11 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 23 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 82  
Best championship position: 14th (2011)

## LCR HONDA MOTO GP

MACHINES Honda RC213V  
WEB www.lcr.mc

### Stefan Bradl Bike number 6



Age: 22 DOB: 29/11/1989 Nationality: German GP Debut: QAT12 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 11 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 96  
Best championship position: NA

## PAUL BIRD MOTORSPORT

MACHINE ART  
WEB www.pbmuk.net

### James Ellison Bike number 77



Age: 32 DOB: 19/9/1980 Nationality: British GP Debut: CZE04 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 50 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 49  
Best championship position: 18th (2006)

## SPEED MASTER TEAM

MACHINE ART  
WEB www.speedmasterteam.com

### Mattia Pasini Bike number 54



Age: 26 DOB: 13/8/1985 Nationality: Italian GP Debut: QAT12 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 11 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 13  
Best championship position: NA

## CAME IODA RACING PROJECT

MACHINE Ioda-Aprilia  
WEB www.iodaracing.com

### Daniilo Petrucci Bike number 9



Age: 21 DOB: 24/10/1990 Nationality: Italian GP Debut: QAT12 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 11 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 9  
Best championship position: NA

## YAMAHA FACTORY RACING

WEB www.yamaha-racing.com  
MACHINE Yamaha YZR-M1

### Jorge Lorenzo Bike number 99



Age: 25 DOB: 4/5/1987 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: QAT08 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 78 (MotoGP) Wins: 22 Poles: 21 Fastest laps: 14 Podiums: 54 Points: 1319  
Best championship position: 1st (2010)

### Ben Spies Bike number 11



Age: 28 DOB: 11/7/1984 Nationality: American GP Debut: GBR08 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 48 (MotoGP) Wins: 1 Poles: 1 Fastest laps: 1 Podiums: 6 Points: 447  
Best championship position: 5th (2011)

## SAN CARLO HONDA GRESINI

MACHINES Honda RC213V - FTR MGP12  
WEB www.gresiniracing.com

### Alvaro Bautista Bike number 19



Age: 27 DOB: 21/11/1984 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: QAT10 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 43 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 1 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 244  
Best championship position: 13th (2011\*)

### Michele Pirro Bike number 51



Age: 26 DOB: 5/7/1986 Nationality: Italian GP Debut: QAT12 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 11 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 16  
Best championship position: NA

## ASPAR TEAM MOTO GP

WEB www.teamaspar.com  
MACHINE ART

### Randy de Puniet Bike number 14



Age: 31 DOB: 14/2/1981 Nationality: French GP Debut: SPA06 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 114 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 2 Points: 510  
Best championship position: 9th (2010)

### Aleix Espargaro Bike number 41



Age: 22 DOB: 30/7/1989 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: INP09 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 33 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 120  
Best championship position: 14th (2010)

## PRAMAC RACING TEAM

MACHINE Ducati Desmosedici GP12  
WEB www.pramacracing.com

### Hector Barbera Bike number 8



Age: 25 DOB: 2/11/1986 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: QAT10 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 43 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 231  
Best championship position: 11th (2011)

## AVINTIA RACING MOTO GP

MACHINE FTR-Kawasaki  
WEB www.teambqr.com

### Yonny Hernandez Bike number 68



Age: 23 DOB: 25/7/1988 Nationality: Columbian GP Debut: QAT12 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 11 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 17  
Best championship position: NA

### Ivan Silva Bike number 22



Age: 30 DOB: 12/6/1982 Nationality: Spanish GP Debut: NED06 (MotoGP)  
GP Starts: 15 (MotoGP) Wins: 0 Poles: 0 Fastest laps: 0 Podiums: 0 Points: 11  
Best championship position: NC (2007\*)

## TOP RESULTS ON BRIDGESTONE TYRES

RIDERS	TITLES	WINS	2NDs	3RDs	PODIUMS	POLES
Casey Stoner	2	37	10	18	65	37
Valentino Rossi	2	17	13	11	41	10
Jorge Lorenzo	1	21	21	6	48	16
Dani Pedrosa	-	11	18	13	42	12
Loris Capirossi	-	6	7	4	17	5
Makoto Tamada	-	2	1	1	4	3
Andrea Dovizioso	-	1	7	13	21	1
Chris Vermeulen	-	1	3	3	7	3
Ben Spies	-	1	2	3	6	1
Troy Bayliss	-	1	-	-	1	-
Marco Melandri	-	-	3	1	4	-
Toni Elias	-	-	2	3	5	-
John Hopkins	-	-	1	3	4	1
Marco Simoncelli	-	-	1	1	2	2
Colin Edwards	-	-	1	1	2	-
Shinya Nakano	-	-	1	1	2	-
Randy de Puniet	-	-	1	1	2	-
Kenny Roberts Jr	-	-	1	-	1	1
Alex de Angelis	-	-	1	-	1	-
Oliver Jacque	-	-	1	-	1	-
Nicky Hayden	-	-	-	3	3	-
Carlos Checa	-	-	-	2	2	-
Alex Barros	-	-	-	1	1	-
Jeremy McWilliams	-	-	-	-	0	1
Sete Gibernau	-	-	-	-	0	1
Alvaro Bautista	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>96</b>

Current riders in black

## CALENDAR &amp; RIDERS CHAMPIONSHIP

- Extra-Soft
- Soft
- Medium-Soft
- Medium
- Hard
- Extra-Hard
- Wet

## AVAILABLE TYRE COMPOUNDS

			QAT	SPA	POR	FRA	CAT	GBR	NED	GER	ITA	USA	INP	CZE	RSM	ARA	JPN	MAL	AUS	VAL
			Losail 08/04/12	Jerez 29/04/12	Estoril 06/05/12	Le Mans 20/05/12	Catalunya 03/06/12	Silverstone 17/06/12	Assen 30/06/12	Sachsenring 08/07/12	Mugello 15/07/12	Laguna Seca 29/07/12	Indianapolis 19/08/12	Brno 26/08/12	Misano 16/09/12	Aragon 30/09/12	Motegi 14/10/12	Sepang 21/10/12	Phillip Island 28/10/12	Valencia 11/11/12
ALLOCATED - FRONT TYRES			○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Extra-Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard
ALLOCATED - REAR TYRES			○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard	○ Soft ○ Medium ○ Hard
WEATHER CONDITIONS	AIR TRACK		25° 26°	14° 15°	17° 35°	13° 19°	27° 40°	15° 23°	23° 37°	26° 37°	25° 45°	18° 24°	25° 39°							
TRACK CONDITIONS			DRY	DRY	DRY	WET	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY	DRY							
POSITION - RIDER	TOTAL WINS PODIUM	PTS	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1 Jorge Lorenzo (99)	5 10	225	1 1	2 1	2 4	1 4	1 2	1 4	AC	- 3	2 5	1 2	2 1	2 2						
2 Dani Pedrosa (26)	2 10	207	2 7	3 2	3 2	4 1	2 5	3 5	2 2	1 3	2 1	3 3	1 1							
3 Casey Stoner (1)	4 7	186	3 2	1 5	1 1	3 2	4 1	2 3	1 1	AC	8 5	1 2	4 6							
4 Andrea Dovizioso (4)	5 5	137	5 6	5 7	4 7	7 3	3 6	19 8	3 7	3 7	3 7	4 6	3 3							
5 Cal Crutchlow (35)	- 5	106	4 3	4 4	5 3	8 5	5 3	6 21	5 5	8 4	6 6	5 5	AC	- 7						
6 Stefan Bradl (6)	- 5	94	8 9	7 9	9 11	5 13	8 8	8 9	AC	- 4	5 6	4 8	7 9	6 5						
7 Alvaro Bautista (19)	- 5	92	7 11	6 8	6 6	10 8	6 10	4 1	AC	- 8	7 11	10 11	8 7	5 9						
8 Valentino Rossi (46)	1 1	91	10 12	9 13	7 9	2 7	7 9	9 10	13 10	6 8	5 10	AC	- 10	7 11						
9 Nicky Hayden (69)	- 5	84	6 5	8 3	11 10	6 11	9 7	7 7	6 9	10 7	7 4	6 8	DNS	- 8						
10 Ben Spies (11)	- 5	66	11 4	11 6	8 5	16 6	10 4	5 2	4 6	4 2	5 9	AC	- 4	RT	- 4					
11 Hector Barbera (8)	- 5	60	9 8	10 12	6 8	9 9	11 11	10 6	6 6	9 7	9 7	-	-	-						
12 Aleix Espargaro (41)	- 5	39	15 15	12 14	12 12	13 17	13 15	11 11	RT	- 13	13 10	13 12	9 12	10 12						
13 Randy De Puniet (14)	- 5	33	13 14	- 10	13 14	AC	- 12	15 13	12 12	8 12	11 14	12 13	11 11	RT	- 10					
14 Karel Abraham (17)	- 5	18	RT	- 10	17 11	AC	- 13	12 12	DNS	- 20	DNS	- 17	-	-						
15 Yonny Hernandez (68)	- 5	17	14 16	- 17	- 15	15 15	18 19	15 13	AC	- 18	14 18	- 15	12 15	9 13						
16 Michele Pirro (51)	- 5	16	NC	- 17	- 15	14 16	14 14	14 16	13 14	9 14	RT	- 17	- 14	- 16	RT	- 16				
17 Colin Edwards (5)	- 5	14	12 13	16 21	DNS	-	RT	- 14	16 15	RT	- 21	12 13	RT	13 13	13 20					
18 Mattia Pasini (54)	- 5	13	17 18	14 16	AC	- 21	12 20	17 18	RT	- 16	10 15	AC	- 15	15 17	RT	- 18	- 15			
19 James Ellison (77)	- 5	13	18 21	- 20	RT	- 19	11 16	16 17	14 17	14 19	15 20	1	14 16	AC	- 21	15 18				
20 Ivan Silva (22)	- 5	11	16 20	15 19	RT	- 22	18 19	20 21	18 19	12 20	18 19	16 18	14 20	2	12 21					
21 Danilo Petrucci (9)	- 5	9	RT	- 19	13 18	15 20	AC	- 18	19 20	17 18	11 16	17 16	AC	- 20	RT	- 19	- 19			
22 Toni Elias (24)	- 5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 17	11 17	5					
23 Steve Rapp (15)	- 5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14 22	2					
24 Franco Battaini (2)	- 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16 21	-	-	-	-					

\*26 riders have competed in 2012 MotoGP Championship - Chris Vermeulen 25th position and Aaron Yates 26th position.

## CONSTRUCTORS &amp; TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP

A : Reason retired B : Final race position C : Grid position D : Championship points F : Front tyre choice at start  
R : Rear tyre choice at start ● : Tyre changes AC : Accident DQ : Disqualified RT : Retired DNS : Did not start

A B C  
F R D

1. Honda - 246	2. Yamaha - 241	3. Ducati - 115	4. ART* - 54	5. BQR* - 20	6. FTR* - 16	7. Suter* - 14	8. Ioda* - 9	9. APR* - 2	10. BQR-FTR* - 2
1. Repsol Honda Team - 393	4. Ducati Team - 175	7. Power Electronics Aspar - 72	10. Cardion AB Motoracing - 18	13. Paul Bird Motorsport - 13					
2. Yamaha Factory Racing - 291	5. San Carlo Honda Gresini - 108	8. Pramac Racing Team - 65	11. NGM Forward Racing - 14	14. Came IodaRacing Project - 9					
3. Monster Yamaha Tech 3 - 243	6. LCR Honda MotoGP - 94	9. Avintia Racing MotoGP - 28	12. Speed Master - 13						

\* denotes CRT entry

## RESULTS ON BRIDGESTONE TYRES BY SEASON

YEAR	TEAM AND RIDERS	RACES	CHAMPIONSHIP	TEAMS	WINS	POLES	PODIUMS
2002	2 Teams - 3 Riders	16	12th (Aoki)	7th (Proton)	0 (best 5th)	1	0
2003	2 Teams - 3 Riders	16	11th (Tamada)	9th (Pramac)	0 (best 3rd)	0	1
2004	3 Teams - 5 Riders	16	6th (Tamada)	3rd (Camel)	2	4	4
2005	3 Teams - 7 Riders	17	6th (Capirossi)	4th (Ducati)	2	3	8
2006	3 Teams - 8 Riders	17	3rd (Capirossi)	3rd (Ducati)	4	6	11
2007	5 Teams - 12 Riders	18	1st (Stoner)	1st (Ducati)	12	6	33
2008	7 Teams - 13 Riders	18	1st (Rossi)	1st (Yamaha)	15	12	35
2009	12 Teams - 22 Riders	17	1st (Rossi)	1st (Yamaha)	17	17	51
2010	10 Teams - 22 Riders	18	1st (Lorenzo)	1st (Yamaha)	18	18	54
2011	11 Teams - 22 Riders	17	1st (Stoner)	1st (Honda)	17	18	51
2012	16 Teams - 26 Riders	11	--	--	11 (x5 Lorenzo) (x4 Stoner) (x2 Pedrosa)	11 (x5 Stoner) (x3 Pedrosa) (x2 Lorenzo) (x1 Bautista)	33
TOTAL		180	5	5	98	96	281



## BRIDGESTONE EUROPE ROLLS OUT NEW MOTORCYCLE WEBSITE

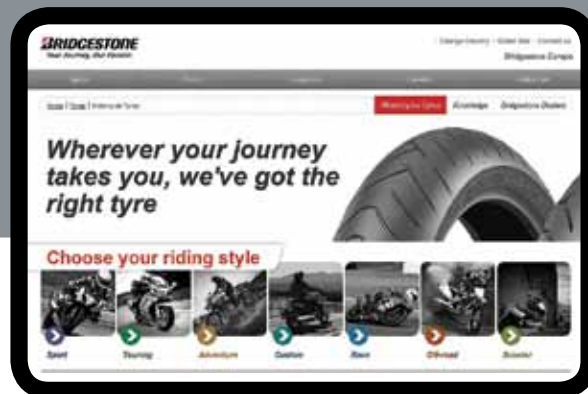
Bridgestone Europe recently launched its new motorcycle tyre website <http://moto.bridgestone.eu/> with a fresh, user-oriented approach that provides many tools to help users select the right tyres for their ride.

Before developing the site, Bridgestone carried out consumer research asking bikers in the major European markets what they expect from a website. Their response was clear; "relevant product information" and "a minimum of gimmicks". The research also identified seven specific types of biker, highlighting 'riding styles' from fanatical racers to scooter commuters.

After users have chosen their 'riding style' on the home page, they are provided with information tailored to this profile. Site content is organized around three main areas: MOTORCYCLE TYRES (tyre ranges, your bike, your size), KNOWLEDGE (reviews, news and advice) and a DEALER LOCATOR application, all of which is delivered in

simple, everyday language in an easy to navigate layout. Bridgestone also gives bikers the possibility to find tyres by size, tyre range, tyre name or by selecting the actual motorcycle or scooter they ride.

"Inspired by the new Bridgestone global tagline 'Your Journey, Our Passion' this new motorcycle tyre website is very user-oriented and provides bikers with real added value." explains Todd Uchida, General Manager European Communications Office, Bridgestone Europe. "The biker is really the core and starting point: we give bikers what they want, not what we want them to want".



## BRIDGESTONE FACT

Since 2007 Brno has had the distinction of being the yardstick for the MotoGP championship with the winners of the last five Czech Grands Prix (Stoner, Rossi, Rossi, Lorenzo, Stoner) going on to claim the title

## LAST YEARS RACE

### FASTEST RACE LAP

Casey Stoner, Honda - Lap 2 - Time: 1m57.191s - Average speed: 165.975 km/h

### 2011 QUALIFYING TIMES

### 2011 RACE RESULTS

RIDER	TEAM	TOP KM/H	TIME	GAP	RIDER	TEAM	TIME	TOP KM/H	GAP
1 Dani Pedrosa	Repsol Honda Team	298.0	1m56.591s		1 Casey Stoner	Repsol Honda Team	43m16.796s	164.786	
2 Jorge Lorenzo	Yamaha Factory Racing	291.4	1m56.704s	+0.113s	2 Andrea Dovizioso	Repsol Honda Team	43m23.328s	164.373	+6.532s
3 Casey Stoner	Repsol Honda Team	295.5	1m56.860s	+0.269s	3 Marco Simoncelli	San Carlo Honda Gresini	43m24.588s	164.293	+7.792s
4 Ben Spies	Yamaha Factory Racing	289.3	1m57.178s	+0.587s	4 Jorge Lorenzo	Yamaha Factory Racing	43m25.309s	164.248	+8.513s
5 Marco Simoncelli	San Carlo Honda Gresini	291.5	1m57.351s	+0.760s	5 Ben Spies	Yamaha Factory Racing	43m26.982s	164.142	+10.186s
6 Valentino Rossi	Ducati Team	289.9	1m57.367s	+0.776s	6 Valentino Rossi	Ducati Team	43m29.428s	163.989	+12.632s
7 Andrea Dovizioso	Repsol Honda Team	295.6	1m57.442s	+0.851s	7 Nicky Hayden	Ducati Team	43m39.833s	163.337	+23.037s
8 Colin Edwards	Monster Yamaha Tech	291.7	1m57.676s	+1.085s	8 Colin Edwards	Monster Yamaha Tech	43m40.985s	163.265	+24.189s
9 Nicky Hayden	Ducati Team	289.4	1m57.721s	+1.130s	9 Hiroshi Aoyama	San Carlo Honda Gresini	43m41.998s	163.202	+25.202s
10 Hiroshi Aoyama	San Carlo Honda Gresini	294.8	1m57.784s	+1.193s	10 Hector Barbera	Mapfre Aspar Team	43m53.362s	162.498	+36.566s
11 Cal Crutchlow	Monster Yamaha Tech 3	290.9	1m57.797s	+1.206s	11 Toni Elias	LCR Honda MotoGP	43m53.475s	162.491	+36.679s
12 Toni Elias	LCR Honda MotoGP	294.3	1m58.245s	+1.654s	12 Randy de Puniet	Pramac Racing Team	43m53.905s	162.465	+37.109s
13 Hector Barbera	Mapfre Aspar Team	295.6	1m58.273s	+1.682s	13 Loris Capirossi	Pramac Racing Team	44m05.707s	161.740	+48.911s
14 Alvaro Bautista	Rizla Suzuki MotoGP	295.6	1m58.274s	+1.683s	NC Alvaro Bautista	Rizla Suzuki MotoGP	32m33.227s	159.332	6 laps
15 Randy de Puniet	Pramac Racing Team	289.2	1m58.889s	+2.298s	NC Karel Abraham	Cardion AB Motoracing	26m08.827s	148.779	10 laps
16 Loris Capirossi	Pramac Racing Team	290.0	1m58.938s	+2.347s	NC Cal Crutchlow	Monster Yamaha Tech 3	12m01.440s	161.766	16 laps
17 Karel Abraham	Cardion AB Motoracing	292.5	1m58.946s	+2.355s	NC Dani Pedrosa	Repsol Honda Team	4m01.636s	160.992	20 laps
18 John Hopkins	Rizla Suzuki MotoGP	-	-	-					

## BRIDGESTONE MOTORSPORT ROUND-UP

**IndyCar** Team Penske's Will Power heads into this Sunday's GoPro Indy Grand Prix of Sonoma at Infineon Raceway leading the IndyCar drivers standings after placing second at the Honda Indy 200 at Mid-Ohio on August 5. Power holds a slender five point lead over Andretti Autosport's Ryan Hunter-Reay, with both drivers scoring three victories each so far this year and with just three races left in the season, a fourth victory will go a long way to securing the championship. Power's Team Penske teammate Helio Castroneves sits third in the overall standings, the 3-time Indy 500 winner currently 26 points adrift of the championship lead.



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