



the exciting seven-port Torque Induction system. The important seventh port functions both as an intake and scavenging port, increasing vital engine breathing. With this superb system, the throttle responds instantly over the low and medium rpm ranges as well as at high rpm. Like the outstanding YAMAHA GRAND PRIX machines, the instant throttle response gives you faster acceleration for a quick get-

YAMAHA's remarkable Torque Induction system. Two special stainless-steel reed valves provide an instant response to negative pressure from

the cylinder, eliminating blow-back to the carburetor at low speeds.

vields quick, positive control. The gear ratios are appropriate from dirt riding to open-road riding, making full use of the powerful engine.

Autolube

YAMAHA's two-stroke engines are lubricated by a separate, unique system called Autolube. With Autolube, the amount of oil fed into the high performance RD200 engine is regulated by constantly monitoring the speed of the engine and amount of throttle opening. This precision-engineered system saves you oil and lengthens the life of your engine, plus ending the messy need for manually mixing the gasoline and oil as an extra benefit.

Rear shock absorbers

The RD 200 features rear shock absorbers that are quickly adjustable in three steps so that the rider can more perfectly adjust the rear spring tension to agree with the road to be ridden and the load carried. These hydraulically-damped outer-spring shocks are able to quickly respond to the worst road shocks yielding a smoother, fatigue-free ride.

Brakes

The double-ridge construction of the RD200 brakes is a safety-first for YAMAHA. Both the powerful doubleleading shoe for the front wheel and the single-leading shoe for the rear wheel are dustproof and waterproof. This added protection means quicker, safer braking for your machine.

To yield the best street performance for the RD 200, the rear tire pattern has been selected so that engine power can be more efficiently transferred to the road while the front tire gives maximum maneuverability and control.

Seat

The contoured seat is large enough to comfortably carry the rider and a passenger. Designed to help reduce fatigue, the seat has a cover which is able to withstand the affects of rain and weather extremes.

Speedometer and tachometer

Mounted just over the large headlight for at-a-glance monitoring of overall bike performance are precision tachometer and speedometer. These instruments are shock mounted and sealed so they will not be affected by road shocks, constant vibration, rain or dust giving accurate indications at all times. Also, they are softly back-lighted for easy nighttime viewing.



Starter-generator

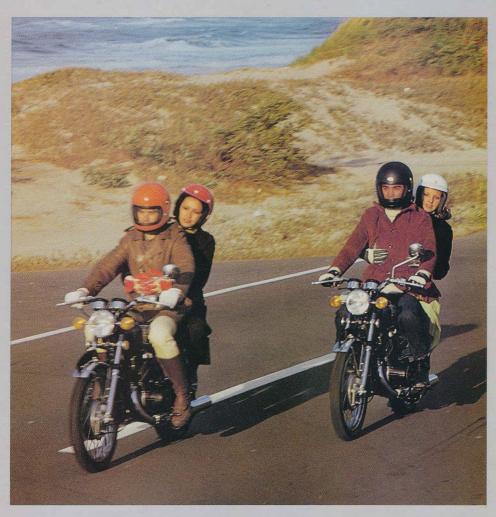
Instant push-button starting and charging the RD200's electrical system are the two distinct functions of the light, compact

starter-generator. This special unit is designed to make easy starting an extra riding pleasure





The electric-starting light-handling big bike!



Yamaha's famed 7-port Torque Induction two-stroke twin engine sends this bike along at a smart pace. Brandishing the features and appearance of the bigger machines, the RD 200 has the maneuverability, flexibility and handling characteristics of a lightweight. Responsive in traffic and in negotiating turns, this machine is stylishly suitable to the ladies, youngsters and young at heart. Yet it proves itself to be a bike for even the most experienced riders.

Press the electric starter and the motor comes alive. No effort! Slip into gear and feel the surge of power as you move out into the world. And Yamaha's competition-proved engineering is your assurance that this bike will serve you day after day with minimum maintenance.

The RD 200. A tasteful combination of power and lightness.





SPECIFICATIONS

Max. speed range	133 km/h
	24°
Min. turning radius	2,100 mm
	14 m @50 km/h
ENGINE	
Type2-stroke,	Torque Induction, Twin
Displacement	195 cc
Bore & Stroke	52×46 mm
Compression ratio:	
Max. horsepower	
(S.A.E. net)	22 bhp @7,500 rpm
Max. torque	.2.17 kg-m @7,000 rpm
Lubrication system .	Autolube
	Primary kick & Electric
Transmission	5-speed gearbox
DIMENSIONS	
Overall length	1,945 mm
Overall width	740 mm
Overall height	1,005 mm
	1,245 mm
Min. ground clearance	155 mm
WEIGHT (net)	116 kg
FUEL TANK CAPACI	TY11.5 lit.
OIL TANK CAPACIT	
TIRES front	
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* Specifications subject to change without notice.

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