

Parts of a motorcycle



shaft drive – wał napędowy
swingarm - wahacz
clutch lever – dźwignia sprzęgła
throttle – manetka gazu
handlebars - kierownica
triple trees – półki widelca
fork tubes – rury widelca (łagi)
side stand – podpórka boczna

With state-of-the-art., computer-adjusted front and rear suspension systems and comfortable seating it offers an amazingly smooth riding experience for those just entering the world of motorcycles.

The X43's handlebars are designed to reduce strain and put the driver in full control. Convenient placement of the throttle, the clutch lever, and the for first-time driver. Unlike chain or belt drivers, the X43's shaft drive is extremely durable and requires little maintenance. It's just one example of the X43's reliability. Our aim is to ensure that you get the smoothest ride with minimal maintenance.

And how do we accomplish that goal? We start with a high-strength steel frame. The fork tubes and durable triple trees provide the front suspension, white the swingarm with computer-controlled shock absorbers creates the rear suspension. A sic-gallon fuel tank ensures you can take a long ride without refueling. And not only is the X43 supported by a standard steel side stand, it is supported by Grinnel's three-year, unlimited mileage warranty. Check out the Grinnel X43 today, and get into the world of riding motorcycles.

Get ready!

Before you read the passage, talk about these questions.

1. What are some of the parts of motorcycle?
2. What keeps a motorcycle standing when it is no being driven?

Read the advertisement for a motorcycle. Then, choose the correct answers.

1. What is the advertisement mostly about ?
 - A. Different types of options for a motorcycle
 - B. Types of products from a motorcycle company
 - C. A motorcycle designed for touring
 - D. Available parts for a motorcycle

2. What is true of the x43 model?
 - A. It is built for racing
 - B. It has an optional side stand
 - C. It is recommended for first-time drives
 - D. It weighs less than 900 pounds with fuel

3. Which is NOT a feature of the X43?
 - A. Side stand
 - B. Belt drive
 - C. Steel frame
 - D. Shock absorbers

Read the sentence pair choose where the words best fit the blanks

1. Motorcycle / frame

A _____ is similar to a bicycle with an engine

The wheels, seat, and other parts attach to the _____.

2. Side drive / handlebars

The _____ allow drives to park a motorcycle

_____ are used to make turns.

3. Chain drive / shaft drive

A _____ has a long rod in the drive train.

Gears are an important part of a _____.

4. Fuel tank / belt drive

Gasoline or diesel is stored in the _____.

A _____ connect the engine and rear wheel.

Place the words and phrases from the word bank under the correct heading.

(Umieść słowa i zwroty do prawidłowej pozycji w tabeli)

Clutch lever

Swingarm

Fork tube

Shift lever

Throttle

Shock absorber

Triple tree

Triple tree	Front suspension	Rear suspension controls