

The 1978 IT175: "The dirt

In 1977, the IT175 got rave reviews from **Cycle** magazine. This year's model deserves the same kind of acclaim.

To the serious Enduro rider, this is the ultimate mid-size competition machine. At a price that seems far below what you'd expect to pay for such a completely excellent International Trials motorcycle.

Famous YZ motocross heritage is what makes this machine so at home in the rough stuff. Yamaha's exclusive De Carbon Monocross® Suspension lets the IT175 move through rugged terrain with superior control and precision. The spring tension and dampening can also be finely tuned to fit your particular riding requirements.

Long-travel, leading-axle front forks deliver the kind of handling and consistent dampening you usually only get in machines costing several hundred dollars more.

The power comes from a strong-running 2-stroke reed-valve single with new piston design and improved carburetion. The IT175 gives you plenty of torque, and lots of useable power over a broader band.

A wide-ratio 6-speed transmission means you've got the kind of gearing

versatility you need for any

kind of situation.

tank and polypropylene fenders, large skid plate, spring-loaded chain tensioner, single-element foam air cleaner, off-road lighting, legal silencer/spark arrestor and a quick-change rear wheel.

Standard equipment "extras" include plastic fuel

All in all, you'll be hard-pressed to find a better machine in this class. At any price.

When you know how they're built, you'll buy a Yamaha.



bike buy of the Year." Again.

De Carbon Monocross® Suspension, the same used on Yamaha's motocross machinery, allows over 7 inches of rear wheel travel. This long stroke helps keep the rear wheel on the ground for better control, more comfort and consistent traction over rough terrain.

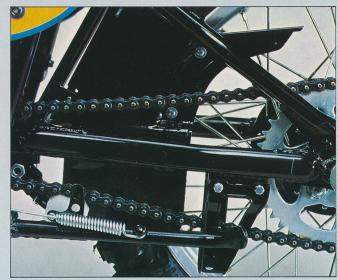




Chain-adjusting cams allow rapid rear wheel alignment when adjusting the drive chain or after removing the rear wheel.

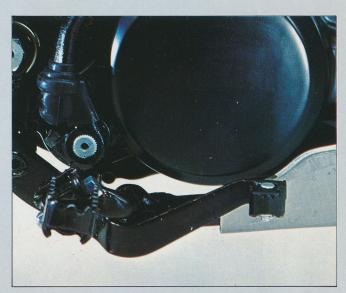
Off-road lighting conforms to the requirements of International Trial events. The headlight has a high and low beam and is vibration insulated.

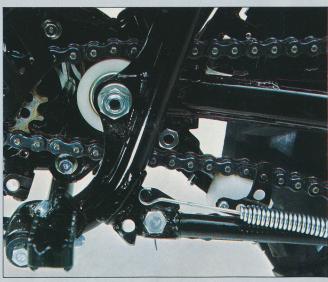




Chain shield keeps mud and sand from being thrown into the chain. Increases chain life.

Mudproof footpegs, a new design from Yamaha, keeps the footpegs nearly free of even the worst mud.





Spring-loaded chain tensioner helps to maintain an even chain tension and perfect adjustment even under extreme conditions.

IT 175	
ENGINE Type. Displacement. Bore and Stroke. Compression ratio. Maximum torque Carburetion Ignition. Starting Lubrication Transmission. CHASSIS Overall length Overall width. Overall height Wheelbase Ground clearance Dry weight. Fuel tank capacity Suspension Front Rear	2-stroke single
Brakes Front Rear Tires	Drum
Front	
Someday, you'll own a Yamaha.	

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