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BMW R100RS Specifications

Start of Production 1976

End of Production 1984

Numbers Produced 33,648

Price 11,210 DM



Engine

Motor Type

Four-stroke two cylinder horizontally opposed "Boxer" engine, air cooled

Bore x Stroke

94 x 70.6 mm (3.70 x 2.78 in)

Displacement 980 cc

Max Power 70 hp (51 KW) at 7,250 rpm Max Torque 76 Nm / 56 ft lb at 5,500 rpm

Compression Ratio 9.5 : 1 Valves Per Cylinder 2

Valve Control

Carburation System

OHV, using push rod and rocker arm

2 constant depression carburettors, Bing

94/40/105 - 94/40/106

Engine Lubricating System Wet sump

Power Transmission

Clutch Dry single plate, with diaphragm spring

Number of Gears

 Gear Selection
 Dog type gearbox (ratchet foot lever)

 Gearbox Ratios
 4.4 / 2.86 / 2.07 / 1.67 / 1.50 : 1 (Optional sport version: 3.38 / 2.43 / 1.93 / 1.67 / 1.50

Rear Wheel Ratio 1 : 3.0 or 1 : 2.91

Bevel/Crownwheel 11 / 33 teeth or 11 / 32 teeth

Electrical System

Ignition System

Battery ignition. From Sept 1980: contact

free electronic ignition (Bosch)

Alternator Bosch 12V/240 W

Starter Bosch 0.6 hp (from 1978: 0.7 Kw)

Spark Plugs Bosch W 225 T 30 / Beru 230/14/3 A /

Champion N6Y

Chassis

Type of Frame

Double loop tubular frame with bolt on rear

section

Front wheel suspension Telescopic fork with hydraulic shock

absorber

Rear wheel suspension Long swinging arm with adjustable strut

Spring Travel Front/Rear 200 / 125 mm (7.87 x 4.92 in)

Wheel Rims, Front

Wheel Rims, Rear

Tyres, Front

Tyres, Rear

1.85 B 19
2.50 B 18
3.25 H 19
4.00 H 18

Dual disc brake 260 mm / 10.23 in

Brakes, Front diameter. ATE 1 piston caliper up to 1981.

1981 models Brembo 2 piston caliper Simplex drum brake 200 mm / 7.87 in

Brakes, Rear diameter (from 1978: single disc brake 260

mm / 10.23 in diameter)

Dimensions/Weights

Length x Width x Height 2130 (from 1978: 2210) x 746 x 1300 mm

(83.85 (or 87) x 29.37 x 51.18 in)

Wheel Base 1465 mm / 57.67 in

Fuel Tank Capacity 24 litres / 5.27 gal / 6.34 gal US

Unladen Weight with Full Tank

Max. Permissible Weight

Ground Clearance

Seat Height (Unladen)

230 Kg / 506 lb

398 Kg / 876 lb

165 mm / 6.49 in

820 mm (32.3 inches)

Fuel Consumption (at constant 90 Kph) 5.75 litres 100 Km / / 49 mpg / 40 mpg US

Top Speed 200 Kph / 124 mph

Acceleration 0 - 100 Kph / 62 mph 4.6 seconds