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## an introduction to **DRESDA**

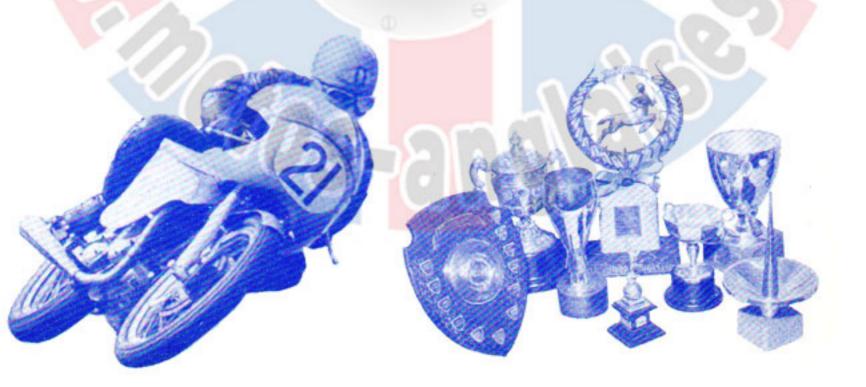
Dresda Autos Limited, founded in 1962 by Dave Degens, has established itself as the leading exponent of the adaptation of the Triumph engine for racing and sporting road use.

The original concept of the Triumph engine and Norton frame combination has been proven by countless racing successes and endorsed by thousands of discriminating, sporting motorcyclists seeking "that little bit extra" in performance, style and handling.

Our policy has been one of continuous development; many new ideas being tested in short circuit racing and arduous long-distant "classic" endurance competitions, notably the Barcelona 24 hour event, in which the Dresda has an enviable record. The findings from these races are always applied to Dresda machines offered for sale.

The logical development of the Triton is the Dresda light-weight; lighter and faster than the Triton, it enjoys the acknowledged superior handling of the featherbed-type of frame combined with the effortless urge of the Triumph twin cylinder motor.

All Dresdas can be tailor-made to your requirements; extras and options are available to suit every individual.





SPECIALISED SERVICES: We will be pleased to quote for: Triumph and Norton engine tuning and preparation, Overhauls and tune-ups, including Stroboscope ignition timing, Engine, frame, fork, wheel, conversions, Machining and turning, Engine plates etc. to pattern, Welding, Insurance repairs, Production racing machine preparation, including expert track testing.

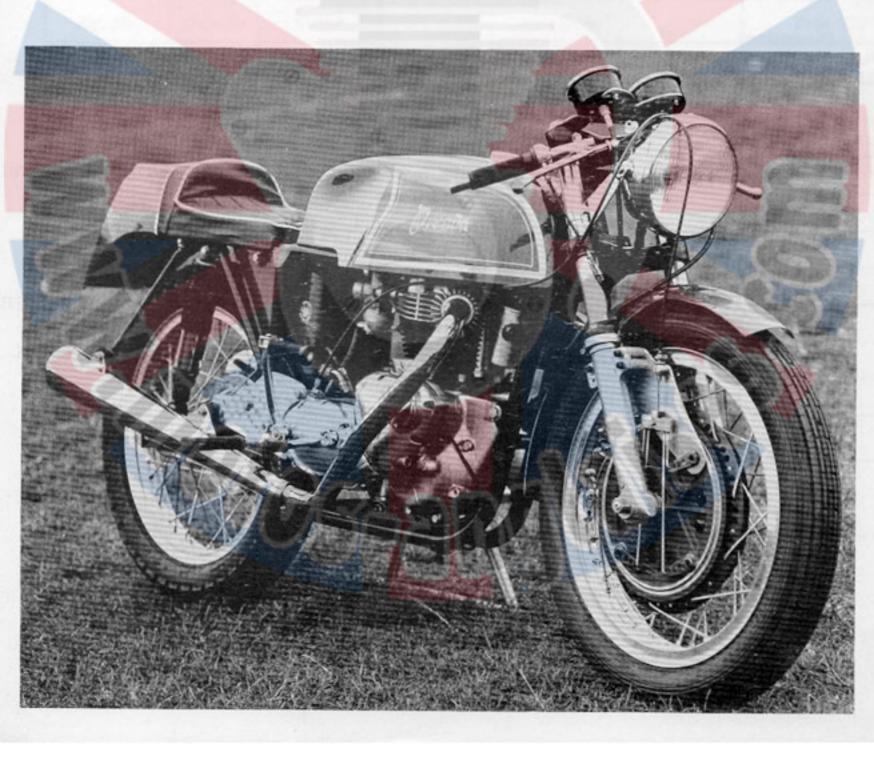
STOCKISTS OF: Bearings, Chains, Gaskets, Oil, Cables, Cibie lights, Spark plugs, Batteries, Dunlop and Avon tyres and tubes, Electrical equipment, Amal carbs and spares, Alloy and steel wheel rims, Krober revolution indicators, Smiths revolution indicators, Smiths speedometers, Hepolite pistons, Dag, Triumph competition spares, Quaife gearboxes, Petrol and oil fittings, Allan screws, Bolts etc. Loctite products, Brakes shoes.

COUNTER SERVICES AVAILABLE: Cylinder boring and Honing. Wheel building and re-building. Electro plating. Stove Enamelling.

INFORMATION ON POSTAL FACILITIES: All orders can be accepted cash with order or C.O.D. Please add 1/per £1 for postage and packing. All fibre-glass equipment is sent BRS: rates: — Tank or fairing ... £1. 0. 0.

Seat ... 10/-. All items are carefully packed, therefore, Dresda Autos cannot accept responsibility for articles
mishandled in transit.

## The DRESDA



#### General

Cycle.

Dresda lightweights are built from Reynold's 531 tubing, silicon bronze welded into a duplex fullloop frame. The rear fork is in square section, pivoting on tapered roller bearings, movement being controlled by Girling spring/damper units.

Telescopic Fork.

The Dresda lightweight racing fork assembly is fitted to all our models, supported by caged headrace bearings. It has hydraulic damping on compression and rebound, die cast high tensile alloy yokes, chromed stanchions and die cast h/t alloy bottom legs with double oil seals and PVC dust cover.

Transmission. Chain 5/8" x 3/8"

Electrical. 12 volt ignition, twin coils, lighting. Alternator charging via rectifier and Zener diode.

Capacities. Petrol 3 gallons, central oil tank 6 pints.

Dimensions.

Kerb weight (with oil, petrol, battery etc) 300 lbs (136 kg)

Wheelbase 52"

Seat height 261/2"

Ground clearance 8"

Mudguards. Fi-glass front moulded to fit forks, rear formed by oil tank and seat/number plate unit.

Side stand.

Fibre-glass colour schemes available.

PILLAR-BOX RED, CANARY YELLOW, POLYCHROMATIC BLUE, ICE BLUE, KINGFISHER BLUE, JET BLACK, PURE WHITE, MIDNIGHT BLUE, VIVID ORANGE, BRITISH RACING GREEN, APPLE GREEN, STAR DUST GREEN, MAGENTA, ROYAL GOLD, TRADITIONAL SILVER.

#### Engines

500cc.

Bore/stroke 69mm x 65.5mm

Cubic capacity 490

Compression ratio 9-1

Overhead valves

650cc.

Bore/stroke 71mm x 82mm

Cubic capacity 649

Compression ratio 9-1

Overhead valves

Carburetter Amal 930 concentric

Gearbox 4 speed in unit-construction with engine.

Primary drive 3/8" duplex chain.

Clutch, multi-plate running in oil.

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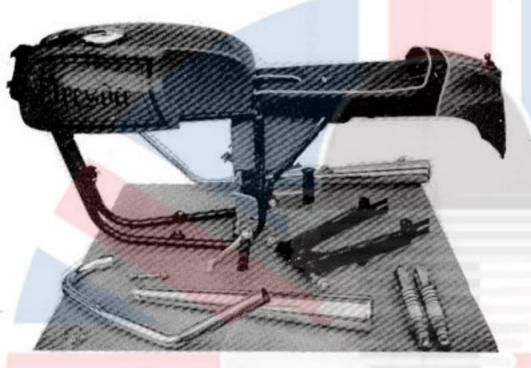
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Phone: 01 870-3934.

### DRESDA'71

THE LIGHTWEIGHT REVOLUTION A FASTER, SLICKER, SAFER MOTORCYCLE WITH A DRESDA FRAME KIT



SPECIFICATION: ROAD KIT

Frame: Reynold's 531 tubing silicon-bronze welded into duplex loop frame with gussetted steering column and rear fork support.

> Square-section swinging-arm on taperroller bearings with locking spindle.

Girling "matched-pair" hydraulic damper units.

Sturdy footrests with incorporated brake pedal

Complete road kit as illustrated £140 (carriage extra) AVAILABLE FOR ALL TRIUMPHS KITS FOR OTHER MACHINES TO SPECIAL ORDER Dural engine plates and rear footrest/silencer hangers.

#### FIBRE-GLASS

3½ gallon petrol tank specially moulded to allow free run for carb, cables, oil lines etc. Tank strap.

Central oil-tank, filtered, capacity 6 pints, rubber mounted, with battery compartment.

Seat combined with rear mudguard and number plate area. Rigidly fixed cutout for oil tank access. Ribbed seat cover with generous padding. Also available with built-in locking toolbox.

#### **EXHAUSTS**

1½" swept exhaust system with megaphone silencers.

#### COLOURS

Frame: Black, silver. Flambuoyant red, flambuoyant blue and special colours at extra cost.

Fibre-glass: Choice of 20 colours.

3 Cylinder Triumph frame kit to order. Frame kits for most engines to special order.

## DRESDA LIGHTWEIGHT RACING FORK ASSEMBLY

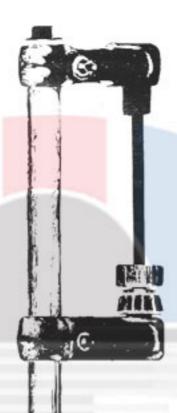
These light, rigid forks have been igorously tested on our racers and are now available for most bikes.

Stanchion tubes ground and hard-chromed.

Die cast high-tensile aluminium slider legs; polished.

Double synthetic oil seals.

2 way damping.



Die cast high tensile aluminium yokes with pinch bolts.

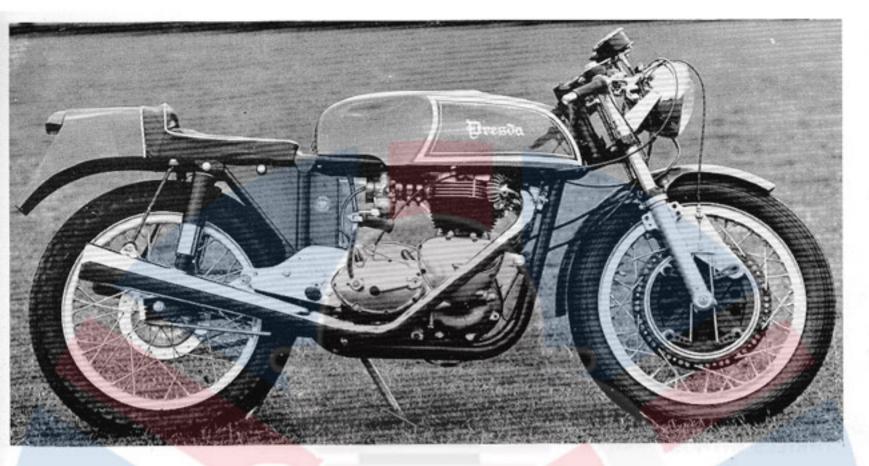
Internal coil springs, adjustable for ground clearance and for machines of different weights.

PVC, moulded dust-excluder.

#### Extra:

Polished top and bottom yokes.
Lightweight clip-on handlebars, chrome
Taper roller head race bearing.
Brake torque arms.
Moulded fibre-glass mudguard many colours.

Available for most machines - details on request.



The choice is yours . . . The specification shown is for your guidance — we can offer a wide range of optional extras to realise the machine of your dreams.

#### Sports

Brakes, twin leading shoe front in 8" full width hub.

Single leading shoe rear, in conical alloy hub with detachable sprocket.

Clip-on chromed handlebars.

Seat with combined number plate.

Swept back exhaust system with megaphone silencers.

Chromium plated wheel rims 18".

Chromed headlamp.

Cycle parts stove-enamelled in black.

#### Barcelona

Wheels-front alloy rim 18" with 8 leading shoe magnesium brake.

Rear multiple leading shoe brake in conical hub with detachable sprocket.

Fairing.

Engine-750cc alloy barrel, close ratio 4 speed gearbox.

Electric rev meter, capacitor ignition.

Single seat with number plate.

Reynold's racing chains.

Heat-dissipating matt engine treatment.

Rubber mounted electrical fittings (coils etc), all electrical connections rubber coated against elements and fatigue.

Tailor made rubber insulated exhaust system.

#### Sports special optional extras

Four leading shoe front brake.

Eight leading shoe front brake.

Multiple leading shoe rear brake.

Alloy rims.

Seat number plate with tool box (locking).

Magnetic or electronic rev counter.

Transistorized ignition.

Progressive springing.

Cycle colours silver, flamboyant blue and

flamboyant red, others to special order.

750cc alloy barrel.

Close ratio 4 speed gearbox.

Close ratio 5 speed gearbox.

Alloy levers.

Signwriting and lining petrol tank.

Chromed suspension springs.

Polished fork top yoke, and rear brake plate.

Half or full fairing.

Twin carbs, 30mm.

Twin carbs. 32mm, and tuned inlet tracts to

suit.

For additional tuning please consult our lists or ask for a quotation.

After sales service A PLEASURE,

#### THRILLS WITHOUT FRILLS

The purist will recognise the Dresda as a functional machine with no "frills", however, striking looks are ensured by our wide range of colour schemes, from modest black to brightest yellow.

All engines are subject to meticulous selective assembly, 650/750cc motors have centre plug position for improved combustion. The riding position, with our ergonomically integrated layout, is perfect for the sporting motorcyclist. Handlebars and controls fall naturally to hand, footrests support and brace the rider's legs and body, the slim seat and tank allow a "tucked-in" position imparting confidence and comfort at any speed.



#### FIBRE-GLASS PETROL TANKS DE64

4 gallon classic style petrol tank, all models

#### **DE65**

5 gallon classic style petrol tank

#### **DE66**

Petrol/oil tank combined, Manx pattern

#### **DE67**

Petrol/oil tank combined Classic style

#### **DE68**

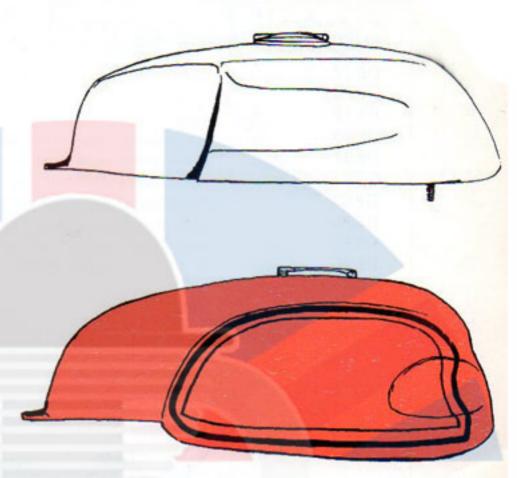
31/2 gallon Manx pattern 3TA/5TA

#### **DE69**

4 gallon pre-unit 500/650 and u/c 650

#### **DE70**

Lining and signwriting



## DRESDATriumphCustom-Track

SEATS

#### DE71

Dual seat, square back, round back or classic

#### **DE72**

fast-back tip-up or rigid fitting

#### **DE73**

Dual seat and number plate tip-up or rigid-fitting

#### DE74

Dual seat and number plate with locking tool box DE75

Single racing saddle, round or square-back

#### DE76

Thruxton production racing saddle, white only, rigid

#### COLOURS

All fibre glass equipment except sports fairings available in the following colours :-

Dark blue, ice blue, kingfisher blue, jet black, pure white, pillar-box red, canary yellow, vivid orange, silver, gold, British Racing Green, apple green, magenta, polychromatic blue.



#### ALLOY CUSTOMISING EQUIPMENT.

DE77 DE78	Exhaust clamps, all models	extra large medium		
DE79	Fork yoke nuts			
DE80	Finned sump plate pre-unit 5	500/650		
DE81	Finned points cover plate u/c 350/500/650			
DE82	Finned rocker feed manifold			
DE83	Magura alloy levers with adju	usters		
DE84	Amal/Doherty alloy levers, v	vith adjusters		
DE85	Plain front mudguard, sports			
DE86	Plain rear mudguard, sports			



#### EXHAUST SYSTEMS.

DE87	Swept back	pipes, all	models
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DE88	Daytona.	balanced	dowswept	pipes.	Daytona and

u/c Bonneville.

DE89 DE90 Megaphone silencers, chrome

Track megaphones, long slow taper, with reverse

cone, chrome.

DE91 11/2" sport or racing exhaust pipes, braced tailored

to fit close to frame and engine.

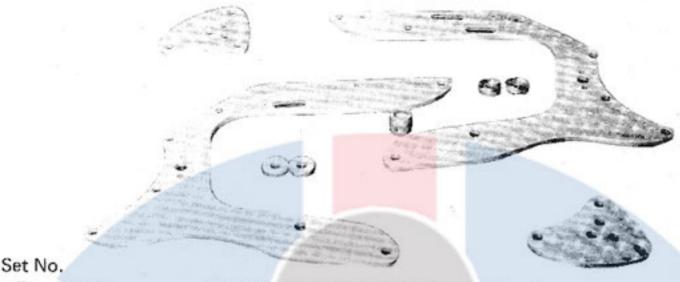
All Triumph exhaust pipes and silencers available to order.

DE92 Rubber mounts for exhaust pipes and megaphones as used

on Dresda racers.

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# **DRESDA** Engine Plates



DE1. To fit Triumph pre-unit 500/650\* and Triumph gearbox

into Norton "Featherbed" twin cylinder frame and

(88, 99, SS, Atlas, wide or slimline) and Manx

frame.

\*Short Chain-case models.

DE2. To fit. As above but single cylinder frame (M50, ES2

etc.)

DE3. To fit. Triumph pre-unit 500/650 and Norton gearbox

into Norton twin or Manx frame.

DE4. To fit As above but single frame, DE4 plates exclude

the use of a dynamo.



DE5. To fit Triumph unit-construction 650 into Norton

twin or Manx frame.

DE6. To fit As above but single frame.

DE7. To fit Triumph unit-construction 350/500 into

Norton twin or Manx frame

All Dresda engine plates are manufactured from aircraft-quality "Dural" plate, ¼" thick, drilled and finished ready for use spacers are supplied with Triton plates. Special plates can be manufactured from patterns or full size drawings. Bolts, nuts and washers can also be supplied.

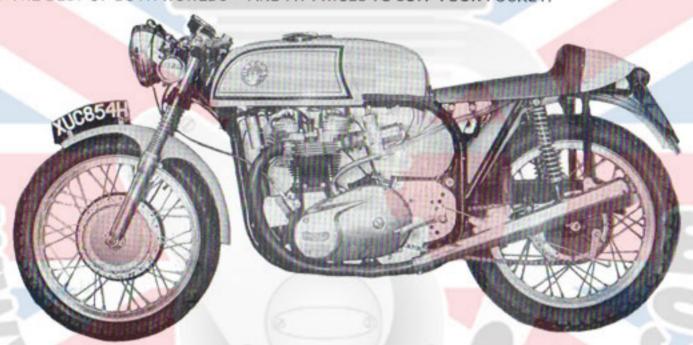
DE9.	Triton head steady unit-construction			
	7/16" Bolts, nuts, washers. 3/8" Bolts, nuts, washers.			
DE 10.	Triton head steady u/c with ignition coil			
DE11. To fit	T150 Trident motor into Norton frame: details on request.			
DE12. To fit	Triumph pre-unit 500/650 into BSA duplex frame.  Bonneville rear engine plates for unit-con. models.			
DE14.	Bonneville rear footrest/silencer hangers.			
DE15.	3TA/5TA front engine plates.			
DE16.	3TA/5TA rear engine plates/silencer hangers.			
DE 17.	Norton Manx and early featherbed rear brake anchor arm.			
DE18,	Triumph rear brake anchor arm.			
DE19.	Norton alloy steering lock-stop (wide frames)			
DE20.	Norton combined speedo/rev:meter bracket (up to 1965).			
DE21.	Norton combined speedo/rev-meter bracket (1965 onwards)			
DE22.	Triumph combined speedo/rev-meter bracket.			
DE23.	Single rev-meter or speedo bracket, Triumph or Norton.			
DE24.	Anchor plate for disc brakes.			
DE25.	Norton Y shape Manx-type mudguard bracket.			

Triton head steady pre-unit.

DE8.

### DRESDA triton

Not a mass-produced machine, but individually hand-made to your specification, combining the proven road holding of the Norton featherbed frame with the high performance and reliability of the Triumph twin cylinder engine. TRULY THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS - AND AT PRICES TO SUIT YOUR POCKET.



#### STANDARD SPORTS TRITON

Single or dual seat

Featherbed frame Fibre-glass mudguards Steel rims (chrome) Swept back exhaust pipes, meggas Fibre-glass central oil tank/battery carrier Fibre-glass petrol tank

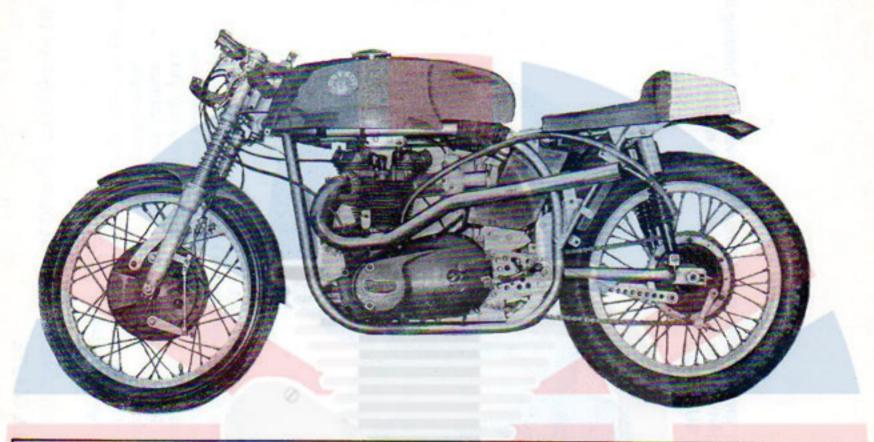
Chrome headlight Clip ons Headlamp brackets Norton Brake 32mm concentrics.

EXTRAS AVAILABLE Dresda light-weight frame kit Alloy rims Rev counter Twin leading shoe front brake J.C. brake Tuned engine to any specification Large capacity petrol tank i.e. large conversion

Close ratio gears Five speed box Alloy top yoke Manx springs Seat/No plate

THE CHOICE IS YOURS FROM THE SPECIFICATION OF THE ENGINE TO THE COLOUR OF CYCLE PARTS YOU SPECIFY - WE WILL QUOTE

### DRESDA triton ....



This machine has three main advantages: -

INEXPENSIVE HIGH PERFORMANCE RELIABILITY

All you have to do is choose what parts you require, we will then build your machine to your chosen specification. Each machine has individual attention, including track testing before delivery is made.

PRICE - Unit-construction from £425

TRIUMPH ENGINE
Pre-unit
Unit-construction
Large conversion

FRAMES Standard featherbed Dresda Light-weight kit Manx frame

BRAKES
Triumph twin leading shoe
Norton twin leading shoe
J.C.4 and 8 leading shoe brake

TANKS F/G Petrol/oil tank F/G 3½ gall. F/G 4 gall. F/G 5 gall.

OIL TANK F/G central with or without battery carrier

SEAT F/G racing seat



DE26 Improve the appearance of your engine by fitting finned rocker box caps, for unit and pre-unit

DE27 Reduce your reciprocating weight and minimise fatigue, lightened and polished rockers

DE28 14mm plug blanks for use with centre plug conversion.





Stop frothing and increase performance, carb. rubber mounts to suit Daytona and 650cc

#### **DE30**

Paired concentrics 32mm DE31 Carb. bell mouths







DE32

Rev safely by using racing valve springs W & S valve springs

DE33

Minimise the strain on your valve gear, fit dural valve caps. (to suit all 500cc and 650cc) DE34

Dresda alloy push rods, made from high quality material each rod weighing ¼oz. lighter than standard.

#### TRIUMPH TUNING EQUIPMENT

#### **DE35**

Champher and polish valve guides

**DE36** 

Remove standard carb. flanges, taper bore 1.3/16" or 114" and refit flanges

DE3/

Shape blend and polish inlet tracts

**DE38** 

Fit welded inlet stubs, open port to 1¼", shape and polish ports, and combustion chambers, fit valve guides, grind in valves

DE39

Fit 1.19/32 inlet valves

DE40 1 19/32" Inlet valves.

**DE41** 

Increase the power of your Triumph engine, let us modify your head to 10mm centre plug conversion

**DE42** 

Help the cooling efficiency of your engine, fit nimonic exhaust valves for 650cc only DE43

Raise your compression ratio by fitting this special thin copper head gasket (9 stud only).

DE44

Increase performance of your unit-construction Triumph 650cc by using this special racing exhaust camshaft

**DE45** 

Drive side roller main bearing, 650 cc only

**DE46** 

Ball main bearing, 650 cc only

**DE47** 

5 speed gear cluster complete with cam-plate and selector mechanism to suit 500, 650, and 750 unitconstruction and 500, 650, pre-units. These five close ratios have been carefully chosen to match the power characteristics of the Triumph engine, improves acceleration and top speed.

**DE48** 

Gear box blanking plugs for speedo drive and kick starter

**DE49** 

Competition gear box cam-plate plunger spring

Increase the life of your primary drive by fitting a duplex chain conversion to your 650cc pre-unit Triumph

DE51

1/4" 20 tooth gear box sprocket for 500 and 650cc Triumph

DE52

10mm and 14mm racing plugs

**DE53** 

Hi-flo oil pump for pre-unit 500 and 650, and unit-construction 650

## DRESDA TRIUMPH engine tuning.

performance goodies for road & racing

DE54 Big-end shells all sizes

DE55 E3134 cam shaft

DE56 Balance crankshaft. Remove and clean sludge trap, check balance factor, and re-fit rods

11-1 or 9-1 high compression pistons

**DE57** Phosphor bronze valve guides, exhaust

**DE58** Treated high lift cams giving longer life, for unit-construction 650cc

1/4 and 3/8" Triumph detachable sprockets 45-50 teeth **DE60** 





High-tensile duralumin push-rod tunnels for T100 and Daytona, pre-unit 500, all 650cc, Trident





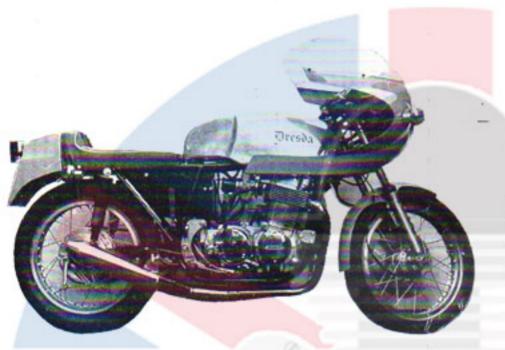
**DE62** 

timing wheels idler fitted with needle roller bearing

**DE63** 

Alloy timing wheels. Lightened timing wheels.

### DRESDA HONDA 500 & 750 4 CYLINDERS

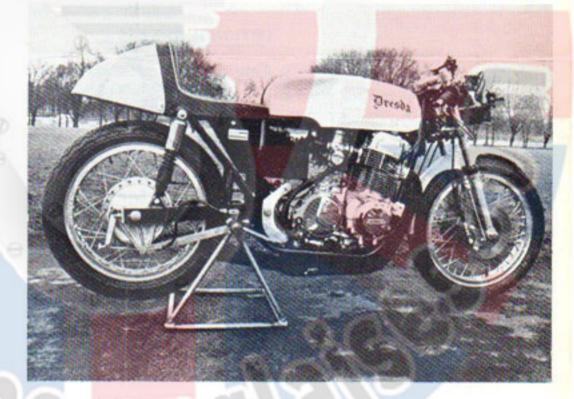


For Road

What Motorcycle Mechanics has to say:

There is no doubt because of its smoothness and power the Dresda four pot is deceptively fast, it corners and performs like a racing motorcycle, but has all the charm and docility of the roadster.

For Racing (with fairing removed to show detail)



#### What 'Bike' magazine has to say:

What remains in your memory after a ride on the Dresda is a clutch of impressions: the harsh savage tug of the wind at high speed if you peep out from the protection of the fairing, the swift response to the throttle at any speed, the delicacy of the brakes as they pin the bike down from high speed over a patchy surface. It's a bike for riding, a selfish machine that you don't want to share with a pillion passenger, a machine to take out and just ride down the road a while ..... and a while longer. The miles just melt away and the fuel economy is better than for the standard Four due to the lighter weight and smaller cross-sectional area, so the range is excellent.

#### DRESDA/HONDA LIGHTWEIGHT

Lightweight frame assembly, stove enamelled in black.

150 mph speedo, rev counter.

Single disc front brake.

Chrome rims.

Polished alloy petrol tank.

Fibre-glass seat/No. plate and front guard.

Tailor made chrome exhaust system.

Rear set footrests, touring handlebars.

Prop stand.

12 volt lighting.

HONDA 4 cylinder 750cc engine 67 bhp or

HONDA 4 cylinder 500cc engine 48 bhp.

Choice of 20 colours for tank, rear seat section and front mudguard.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTRAS**

	4 leading shoe single sided finned front hub 10%", heat treated aluminium.	
	WM2/WM3 serrated alloy rims.	
	Locking tool box fitted in rear of seat	
0	K81 rear tyre	
324	KR84 low profile front racing tyre	
	KR83 rear racing tyre (sucker type)	
10	KR73 rear racing tyre	
	Avon G.P. rear tyre	
4 60	Top section fairing in matching colour	
	Full fairing	
	Lining and sign writing	
2	Swan neck or straight clip-ons	
100	Mag wheels	
-	Chrome rear springs	
	Betor rear shock absorbers, chrome vanadium steel	
-	springs, five height positions	
-	Big bore conversion	
-	Chrome rear swinging arm  Double dist front brake	
	Disc brake back	
	Oil cooler	
	Small crash bars 4 into 1 exhaust	
	4 into 2 exhaust	
	+ IIILO Z EXTIGUST	

Tick boxes to indicate your specification and send to Dresda Autos Ltd., 292 Worton Road, Isleworth, Middx, TW7 6EL. and we will quote on your exact specification.

#### CUSTOMISING AND RACING EQUIPMENT.

DE93 Dresda clip-ons, chromed, light-weight

DE94 Headlamp brackets

DE95 Rubber fork gaiters

DE96 Rear set footrest kit; folding or fixed right hand pedal.

DE97 Hydraulic steering damper

DE98 Hinged clip-ons

DE99 Chrome headlamp with light unit, ammeter, wiring harness, switch etc.

DE100 CIBIE 6 volt or 12 volt light unit, inc. bulbs.

DE101 fork stanchions nickel-plated to prevent rust when clip-ons are fitted.

DE102 rear springs - chromed

DE103 chainguard - chromed

DE104 Alloy clutch pressure plate 3 or 4 spring

DE 105 Alloy clutch spring cups

DE106 Chaincase breather adaptor and pipe: u/c models

DE107 1/4" Dural sprockets, Triumph bolt-on from 45T:

DE108 1/4" Steel sprockets, Triumph bolt-on from 45T:

DE109 %" Steel sprockets, Triumph bolt-on from 45T:

DE110 Hinged headlamp brackets



#### ALLOY RIMS.

DE111 WM 1 x 18" front DE114 WM 1 x 19" front DE112 Borrani WM 2 x 18" fr. or rear DE115 WM 2 x 19" fr. and bck.

DE113 WM 3 x 18" rear DE116 WM 3 x 19" rear

Drilling extra

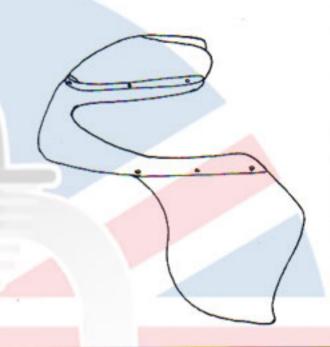
triumph

**DE117** Sports 3 piece with double-curve screen, headlamp aperture and fixing brackets.



DE118 Racing **DE119** 

2 piece with double-curve screen. 3 piece with double-curve screen.



**DE120** 

One piece with double-curve screen, wind-tunnel tested.

Signwriting extra:

# dresda Triumph

#### Mudguards

**DE121** 

Plain section front:

**DE122** 

Plain section rear:

**DE123** Moulded clip-on type front, rounded:

DE124 Moulded clip-on type, razor edge:

