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TUSK Tusk 2Track Adventure Tire

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MODEL: 150/70B-17 (69T)

Introduction

This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your Tusk 2Track 150/70B-17 (69T) Adventure Motorcycle Tire. Adhering to these guidelines will ensure optimal performance, safety, and longevity of your tire. The Tusk 2Track tire is designed for adventure and dual-sport motorcycle applications, offering a balanced performance for both on-road touring and off-road exploration, with a classification of approximately 70% dirt and 30% street use.

Setup and Installation

Proper installation is crucial for tire performance and rider safety. It is highly recommended that tire installation be performed by a qualified professional using appropriate tools and techniques.

- **Compatibility:** Ensure the tire size 150/70B-17 (69T) is compatible with your motorcycle's rim and specifications. This tire is designed for rear fitment.
- **Tubeless/Tube Type Ready:** The Tusk 2Track tire is designed to be used as either tubeless or with an inner tube, depending on your rim type and motorcycle manufacturer's recommendations.
- **Directional Tread:** Observe the directional arrows on the tire sidewall to ensure correct mounting direction. Incorrect mounting can affect handling and wear.
- **Initial Inflation:** After mounting, inflate the tire to the pressure recommended by your motorcycle manufacturer. Do not exceed the maximum PSI indicated on the tire sidewall during seating.
- **DOT Compliant:** This tire meets Department of Transportation (DOT) standards for highway use.



Image: The Tusk 2Track 150/70B-17 (69T) Adventure Motorcycle Tire, showcasing its aggressive tread pattern.

Features You Need for Your Next Big ADV Ride



Tubeless and tube
type ready



Tire is directional

DOT Compliant

Image: Visual representation of key tire features including tubeless/tube type readiness, directional tread, DOT compliance, and its 70% dirt / 30% street performance rating.

Operating Guidelines

The Tusk 2Track tire is engineered for versatility across various terrains.

- **On-Road Performance:** The large tread blocks provide consistent on-road handling, offering comfort, grip, and stability in variable riding conditions. While capable on pavement, its aggressive tread pattern may result in more road noise and vibration compared to dedicated street tires.
- **Off-Road Performance:** The aggressive 2Track tread design offers excellent traction on dirt roads, gravel, and other off-road surfaces. The deep tread provides enhanced off-road grip and performance.
- **Durable Compound:** The tire features a durable rubber compound designed for confidence-inspiring traction and long-lasting wear across mixed terrain.

High Performance and Long Lasting Tire

Tested in the most brutal conditions

Designed to meet the needs of larger adventure bikes
whose riders crave challenging terrain



Provides smooth, predictable on-road
performance while offering excellent
off-road capability

Image: A motorcycle equipped with Tusk 2Track tires navigating a dirt trail, demonstrating its off-road capability.

Built for the Ultimate ADV Bike Experience



Durable rubber compound for confidence-inspiring traction and long-lasting wear



Strategically reinforced and connected knob bases to provide increased handling and stability



Large tread blocks for consistent on-road handling



Deep tread provides more off-road traction and performance



Tread pattern gives the tire an aggressive look and feel

Image: A motorcycle with Tusk 2Track tires cornering on a paved road, illustrating its on-road handling characteristics.

Maintenance

Regular maintenance extends tire life and ensures safe operation.

- **Tire Pressure:** Check tire pressure frequently (at least weekly and before every ride) when tires are cold. Refer to your motorcycle's owner's manual for recommended inflation pressures. Incorrect pressure can lead to premature wear, poor handling, and increased risk of failure.
- **Tread Wear:** Regularly inspect the tire tread for wear. Replace the tire when the tread depth reaches the wear indicators, or if the tread is worn unevenly. The original tread depth is approximately 6/32nds of an inch.
- **Damage Inspection:** Periodically inspect the tire for cuts, punctures, bulges, or other damage. Any significant damage should be assessed by a professional.
- **Cleaning:** Clean tires with mild soap and water. Avoid harsh chemicals that can degrade rubber compounds.



Image: A detailed close-up of the Tusk 2Track tire's aggressive tread pattern, highlighting its block design for traction.

Troubleshooting

Addressing common issues promptly can prevent further problems.

- **Rapid or Uneven Wear:** This can be caused by incorrect tire pressure, improper wheel alignment, or aggressive riding style. Verify tire pressure and consult a mechanic for alignment checks.
- **Loss of Traction:** Ensure tire pressure is appropriate for the riding conditions. Inspect tread for excessive wear or damage.
- **Vibrations or Wobbling:** This may indicate an unbalanced wheel, damaged tire, or issues with the motorcycle's suspension or steering. Have the tire and motorcycle inspected by a professional.
- **Punctures:** Small punctures in the tread area may be repairable by a professional, depending on size and location. Sidewall punctures are generally not repairable and require tire replacement.

Specifications

Specification	Value
Brand	TUSK
Model	Tusk 2Track Adventure Tire
Size	150/70B-17 (69T)
Section Width	130 Millimeters
Load Capacity	639 Pounds (69T Load Rating)
Speed Rating	T (118 mph)
Tread Depth	6/32nds (0.58 inches / 14.8mm)
Tread Type	Directional
Rim Width	17 Inches
Tire Diameter	39 inches (Overall)
Construction Type	Bias
Max PSI	40
Load Range	B
Tread Plies	4 Nylon
Sidewall Plies	2 Nylon
Position	Rear
Sidewall	Blackwall
Weight	19.20 lbs.
Tube / Tubeless	Tube/Tubeless
DOT Compliant	Yes
Recommended Use	70% Dirt / 30% Street

Specs



Size	150/70B-17
Tire Construction	Bias Belted
Load Rating	69 (719 lbs.)
Speed Rating	T (118 mph)
Max PSI	40
Load Range	B
Tread Plies	4 Nylon
Sidewall Plies	2 Nylon
Position	Rear
Sidewall	Blackwall
Weight	19.20 lbs.
Rim Size	17
Tube / Tubeless	Tube/Tubeless
Directional	Yes

Image: A table summarizing the key specifications of the Tusk 2Track Adventure Tire.

Dimensions



Image: Diagram illustrating the dimensions of the 150/70B-17 (69T) rear tire, including section width, overall diameter, and tread depth.

Warranty Information

Tusk products are manufactured to high standards. This tire is covered by the manufacturer's standard warranty against defects in materials and workmanship. For specific warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact Tusk customer support directly. The warranty typically does not cover damage due to improper installation, misuse, neglect, road hazards, or normal wear and tear.

Support

For further assistance, technical questions, or to report any issues, please contact Tusk customer support or your authorized dealer. When contacting support, please have your tire size, model, and purchase information readily available.

You can find more information and contact details on the official Tusk website or through your product retailer.

