

motorcycle

1. ['məʊtə.saɪk(ə)l] *n*

мотоциклѣт, мотоцикл

racemaker motorcycle - *спорт.* мотоцикл для гонок за лидером

motorcycle racing - мотогонки

2. ['məʊtə.saɪk(ə)l] *v*

1) водить мотоцикл

2) заниматься мотоспортом

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motor-cycle [motorcycle motorcycles] *BrE* ['məʊtəsaɪkl] *NAmE*

['mɒtərsaɪkl] (also **motor-bike** especially in *BrE*) *noun*



a road vehicle with two wheels, driven by an engine, with one seat for the driver and a seat for a passenger behind the driver

- motorcycle racing
- a motorcycle accident

See also: ↑[motorbike](#)

Collocations:

Driving

Having a car

have/own/ (*BrE*) run a car

ride a motorcycle/motorbike

drive/prefer/use an automatic/a manual/ (*NAmE, informal*) a stick shift

have/get your car serviced/fixed/repaired

buy/sell a used car/ (*especially BrE*) a second-hand car

take/pass/fail a (*BrE*) driving test/ (*both NAmE*) driver's test/road test

get/obtain/have/lose/carry a/your (*BrE*) driving licence/ (*NAmE*) driver's license

Driving

put on/fasten/ (*NAmE*) buckle/wear/undo your seat belt/safety belt

put/turn/leave the key in the ignition

start the car/engine

(*BrE*) change/ (*NAmE*) shift/put sth into gear

press/put your foot on the brake pedal/clutch/accelerator

release the clutch/ (*especially BrE*) the handbrake/ (*both NAmE*) the emergency brake/the parking brake

drive/park/reverse the car

(*BrE*) indicate left/right

(*especially NAmE*) signal that you are turning left/right

take/miss (*BrE*) the turning/ (*especially NAmE*) the turn

apply/hit/slam on the brake(s)

beep/honk/ (*especially BrE*) toot/ (*BrE*) sound your horn

Problems and accidents

a car skids/crashes (into sth)/collides (with sth)

swerve to avoid an oncoming car/a pedestrian

crash/lose control of the car

have/be in/be killed in/survive a car crash/a car accident/ (*NAmE*) a car wreck/a hit-and-run

be run over/knocked down by a car/bus/truck

dent/hit (*BrE*) the bonnet/ (*NAmE*) the hood

break/crack/shatter (*BrE*) the windscreen/ (*NAmE*) the windshield

blow/ (*especially BrE*) burst/puncture (*BrE*) a tyre/ (*NAmE*) a tire

get/have (*BrE*) a flat tyre/a flat tire/a puncture

inflate/change/fit/replace/check a tyre/tire

Traffic and driving regulations

be caught in/get stuck in/sit in a traffic jam

cause congestion/tailbacks/traffic jams/gridlock

experience /face lengthy delays

beat/avoid the traffic/the rush hour

break/observe/ (*NAmE*) drive the speed limit

be caught on (*BrE*) a speed camera

stop sb for/pull sb over for/ (*BrE, informal*) be done for speeding

(*both informal*) run/ (*BrE*) jump a red light/the lights

be arrested for/charged with (*BrE*) drink-driving/ (*both US*) driving under the influence (DUI)/driving while intoxicated (DWI)

be banned / (BrE) disqualified from driving

Example Bank:

- He died after falling off his motorcycle.
- He was sitting on his motorcycle.
- He's learning to ride a motorcycle.
- She climbed onto the back of my motorcycle.
- a collection of vintage motorcycles
- a crowd of bikers all revving up their motorcycles

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motorcycle /'məʊtəsaɪkəl \$ -tər-/ BrE " AmE " noun [countable]



a fast two-wheeled vehicle with an engine **SYN motorbike**

—**motorcycling** noun [uncountable]

—**motorcyclist** noun [countable]

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