

# INTRODUCTION

# Bellagio: One motorbike, one place, one style.

The new Bellagio symbolises the depth of the relationship between Moto Guzzi and its surrounding territory. This relationship is so strong that the immense beauty of the Lariano area affects both the ideas and creativity of man and in a sense leads him to create works of natural beauty in all his endeavours.

This empathy between the local environment and human inventiveness can be clearly seen in the new Moto Guzzi Bellagio that identifies a place known the world over for its beauty with the free spirit of those that revel in motor cycling. Individuality and sheer style are embodied in a reserved, but sophisticated design that displays highly advanced innovative technological solutions balanced with a trendy image.

The CARC (Reactive Shaft Drive System) is a good example of this advanced technology. This system transforms the might of the new 940 cc engine into silky smooth acceleration making this machine Moto Guzzi's most powerful naked bike. Other indicators are seen in the presence of the progressive rear suspension system, in the Brembo floating caliper brake system that act on 320 mm discs, in the rear shock absorber and the fully adjustable forks. These technical high quality solutions favour active safety, set a dynamic equilibrium and provide such riding pleasure that the Bellagio is the new point of reference in the category. The Bellagio has the temperament of a naked under the skin of a custom machine. The spoked wheels, drag bar, rear-set saddle and forward positioned footpegs are just a few examples of the details of a style that concentrates weight on the rear wheel giving the impression of a bike that is fixed to the ground, ready to take off at the drop of a hat.

The new 940 cc engine is more than capable of making this machine fly. While the engine is docile and vibration-free, it puts out huge power with immense torque from even very low revs. This power can be heard in the legendary engine note emitted from new twin silencers that sing a song called Bellagio.





# **STYLE**

# Moto Guzzi tradition in a cutting-edge custom bike.

With the Bellagio, Moto Guzzi have introduced an innovative style to the custom sector. The style is evident not only in the chrome plating and beauty of the engine but also in the "personality" of the magnificent frame that serves to highlight other design elements. The most recognisable example is the rear single swingarm with the CARC system. This patented reactive shaft drive final drive unit is a clear break from the tradition of custom bikes and is an innovation compatible with a sense of reservedness and sophistication.

Although the design draws from the American "power cruiser" style, it has a very European look with little touches of sophistication that are pure Italian.

You cannot but be seduced by the blend of all the components, technical details and style at which Moto Guzzi are the class leaders. Some components like the large spoked wheels, the retro-style rounded instrumentation and the tank decorations are classic heritages from the past incorporated in modern design. Other allusions to traditional custom design include the drag bar pull back handlebars, the forward positioned footpegs, the two-up saddle astride the rear mudguard and the plentiful chrome finishing offset by the coal black colour scheme.

Moto Guzzi style abounds beginning with the transverse V90° twin cylinder engine that is key to the Bellagio design. Other items include the brakes that, by tradition, are generously sized not to mention the twin overlapping silencers that make such a fashion statement. It is items like this that were typical of the skill and attention to detail paid by Moto Guzzi when in 1921 they first created motorbikes that were as unique as they were technically without equal and, it is also typical that they should be influenced by the nature surrounding the area surrounding Bellagio.





# **COMFORT**

# Dominate the road with agility and comfort.

The appearance of the Bellagio is that of a pure custom machine with a low two-up rear-set saddle sitting astride the rear wheel, forward positioned footpegs and spectacular drag bar pull back handlebars for complete control. Surrounded by the music from the exhaust, enjoying the comfort provided by the saddle that was specially designed for long journeys and revelling in the superb suspension, the lone rider soon learns what motor cycling is really all about.

The evenly distributed weight provides surprising manoeuvrability and even the most difficult conditions like city traffic hold no fears due to the ease of changing the bike's direction and the constant load on the front end. The Bellagio however stays true to its custom roots and shows the best side of its character when ridden enthusiastically. When this is the case, the sheer pleasure of riding is to lose yourself all the little details of its seductive style, when you can truly appreciate the finishing touches and enjoy the softness of the commands. It is at moments like this when the rider is in complete harmony with the machine, when he feels in touch with the spirit of an engine that can take him up to enormous speed or carry him along at snail pace past the mirrored walls of the city. The elegant instrument panel is another key element to the Bellagio. It gracefully combines an analogue speedometer with a white face and numerals with a high-tech LCD on-board trip computer that allows the rider to be in complete control of the bike and his destiny through comfortably positioned commands.





# THE FRAME

# The custom bike with the soul of a naked.

Behind the agility and manoeuvrability of the Bellagio lies a secret. An unprecedented tubular steel twin cradle frame connected to an aluminium swingarm housing a reactive shaft drive system. Together, these components provide great structural rigidity that give instant response to the rider. Perhaps "unaffected" is the best word to describe the bike's behaviour. It can be completely trusted even when ridden in the most casual manner but when acting as an accomplice with the enormous power output and powerful brakes lends itself perfectly to being ridden with enthusiasm. It may seem paradoxical but the Bellagio amazes in its ability to eat up miles of even the twistiest roads at the same rate as a naked sports machine.

This ability is due to its excellent suspension system that incorporates solid adjustable 45 mm forks and a progressive rear swingarm featuring an adjustable shock absorber.

This combination ensures a neutral set-up on entering and exiting corners, under acceleration from the 75 CV engine and under braking induced by Brembo calipers acting on perforated 320 mm discs.

It seems that such behaviour should come from a sports bike and it soon explodes the myth that custom machines are more for appearances than for performance.





#### **ENGINE AND TRANSMISSION**

# The most powerful custom machine in its category

The engine layout is the traditional transverse V 90 twin but its cubic capacity and character are new elements that give the Bellagio its temperament.

The engine bore and stroke are 95 and 66 mm respectively. This provides a cubic capacity of 935.6 cc and the engine puts out 75 CV at 7,200 rpm. The power curve is even and maximum torque of 8 Kgm occurs at 6,700 rpm. Eighty percent of the torque is available between 2,800 and 4,800 rpm.

These figures put the Bellagio at the top of the custom category with an engine that has been constantly evolved from both the mechanical and electronic points of view. The engine never fails to start even under the worst weather conditions thanks to the introduction of electronic injection. The 935.6 cc unit has more useable, smoother power delivery and emissions and fuel consumption levels fully comply with Euro 3 standards.

Performance is further enhanced by other technical additions like twin spark plus and having the injectors positioned directly over the inlet manifolds. Lightened piston rods, pistons and rings help reduce weight and sintered valve guides improve smoothness and increased resistance to wear and tear.

Power is transmitted to the rear wheel via the CA.R.C. system (the Moto Guzzi patented "reactive" shaft drive). This transmission system, that is an integral part of the light aluminium alloy rear swinging arm, always offers a smooth precise response with none of the jerkiness that is so typical of shaft drive systems. The anti-shaft effect has also been got rid of and the particular CA.R.C. layout has allowed a one piece rear swinging arm to be fitted that adds to overall rigidity.

Lastly, the six-speed gearbox is a gem of engineering. The gears are quiet, finding neutral is easy and depending upon what the rider wants, the gears have been designed "long" for touring and always offer the perfect response from the engine.





# MAIN CHARACTERISTICS

#### **DESIGN**

- Coal black colour scheme with chrome finishes.
- Drag bar pull back handlebars
- Two up saddle
- Analogue/digital instrumentation with white background and radial numerals.

#### **ENGINE**

- 90° V twin, 935.6 cc, 4 stroke, air cooled
- Electronic ignition
- Twin chamber manifolds
- Sintered valve guides
- Twin spark plugs
- Twin overlapping exhaust pipes
- "Reactive" shaft drive transmission
- 6-speed gearbox.
- Euro 3

# THE FRAME

- Very rigid high tensile steel tubular twin cradle
- 45 mm pre-load and rebound adjustable front forks
- Pre-load and rebound adjustable shock absorber
- Rear suspension with single progressive swingarm adjustment
- Front brakes with 320 mm perforated discs and 2 (opposed) calipers
- Rear 282 mm disc with floating caliper fitted with 2 parallel pistons
- Excel spoked aluminium wheels measuring 3.5" x 18 at the front and 5.5" x 17 at the rear.
- Rear tyre 180/55/17
- Front tyre 120/70/18





# MOTO GUZZI BELLAGIO.

#### Technical Data

Engine Four-stroke V 90 twin

Cooling Air cooled
Capacity 935.6 cc
Bore and stroke 95 x 66 mm
Compression ratio 10

Timing 2 valves per cylinder commanded by light alloy cam acting on rocker

arm and mechanical tappets

Timing diagram Intake valve opening 24 ° before upper TDC.

Intake valve closing 52 ° after lower TDC. Exhaust valve opening 54 ° before lower TDC. Exhaust valve closing 22 ° after upper TDC. measured with rocker arm/valve play

Maximum power output 55 KW at 7,200 rpm Max Torque 78 Nm at 6,000 rpm

Fuel suppli Multipoint sequential electronic injection, Magneti Marelli IAW

phased, alfa-n system; 2 Ø 40 mm throttle bodies with Weber IW

031 injectors

Starter Electric

Ignition Digital electronic with Magneti Marelli IAW 15RC inductive

discharge

Exhaust system 2 stainless steel pipes connected to 1 expansion chamber connected

to two chromed steel silencers; 3-way catalyser with Lambda probe.

Homologation Euro 3

**Transmission** 

Gearbox 6 speed – constantly engaged cogs with integrated flexible couplings

Gear ratios 1st 17/38 = 1 : 2.235

2nd 20/34 = 1 : 1.7 3rd 23/31 = 1 : 1.348 4th 26/29 = 1 : 1.115 5th 31/30 = 1 : 0.968 6th 29/25 = 1 : 0.862

Lubrication Forced lubrication with lobe pump and pressure regulator

Primary drive Helicoidal gears, ratio 24/35 = 1:1.458 Final drive Shaft drive, ratio 12/44 = 1:3.667 Clutch Dry mechanically operated twin plate

<u>Chassis</u>

Frame Very rigid high tensile steel tubular twin cradle

Wheelbase 1,570 mm
Rake 165 mm
Steering angle 28°

Front suspension Marzocchi Ø 45 mm adjustable front forks

Front wheel travel 140 mm

Rear suspension Single swingarm with progressive action – single rebound adjustable

shock absorber with easy to operate pre-load setting knob

Rear wheel travel 120 mr

Front brakes Twin floating 320 mm stainless steel discs, floating Brembo calipers

with 2 parallel pistons.

Rear brakes Single 282 mm fixed stainless steel disc, floating Brembo calipers

with 2 parallel pistons.

Wheels Spoked aluminium alloy (tubeless)





Front wheel	3.5" x 18"
Rear wheel	5.5" x 17"
Front tyre	120/70 ZR 18 M/C (59W) TL Roadtec Z6
Rear tyre	180/55 ZR 17 M/C (73W) TL Roadtec Z6
Electrics	
Voltage	12 V
Battery	12 V - 18 Ah
Alternator	12 V - 350 W
<u>Dimensions</u>	
Length	2,270 mm
Width	890 mm
Height	1,310 mm
Saddle height	780 mm
Minimum ground clearance	150 mm
Dry weight	224 kg
Fuel tank capacity	19 litres
Reserve	4 litres

Technical data specified above for the Bellagio may be changed without prior notice.





# **ACCESSORIES**

# The importance of details

Whether you ride in company, down endless motorways, in the winter, or in the mountains, Moto Guzzi always has the right solution to give you superior weather protection, comfort and that extra touch of elegance.

# Tank bags

Tank bags are made from nylon and PVC to match the Bellagio's coal black colour scheme. The bag carrier has been specially designed to match the line of the tank and comes with a dedicated weatherproof cover. When removed from the tank, the bag becomes a handy backpack.

# Compact tank bag

This smaller tank bag is ideal for carrying non-bulky items. It is made from nylon and PVC, is less obtrusive than the larger version, is easy to carry and has looks to match. The bag is fitted with a weatherproof zip and has reflective inserts for better visibility. Thanks to a convenient handle and 4 powerful magnets that keep it in place, it can be removed from the tank in a single movement and carried easily. The magnets assure that the bag stays in place even at high speed.

# Fly screen

The addition of an elegant Plexiglass fly screen makes the Bellagio even more fascinating and sophisticated.

The fly screen has been tested in a wind tunnel and assures increased comfort on long distance journeys Thanks to solid its construction using the best of materials, the screen easily passed the strict TÜV and DOT tests.

# **Touring Saddlebag**

The beauty and style of the new Bellagio take on a touring look with new side bags. These side bags are easy to lock into position and carry about 15 litres. As they are made from a semi-rigid material, they are also easy to pack and load. Beautiful and bearing the Moto Guzzi name, they fit in perfectly with the Bellagio design and add to its image as a power cruiser.





# LIFESTYLE

# The boutique that clothes Moto Guzzi enthusiasts

A true Moto Guzzi enthusiast has a certain lifestyle and a set of values that includes passion, freedom, the appreciation of quality and a love for things Italian. This is to a large extent a mindset that clearly identifies an elite group of motor cyclists that adhere to the Moto Guzzi way of thinking and living.

Almost ritually, the new Bellagio too introduces a line of "technical" clothing that reflects the Moto Guzzi traditions of quality and care by applying the key concepts of practicality and elegance of this model.

# **Bellagio Jacket**

This jacket is made from vintage hide and carries the Moto Guzzi emblem. It features removable composite protective inserts at the shoulders and elbows as well as adjustable closure at the neck. **Colour** coal black

Sizes S, M, L, XL, XXL

# **Bellagio helmet by Laura Smith**

The "Casco Jet" helmet is made from a special tri-composite mix and features a quick-release chin strap. Internal padding is made from a specially treated washable Terinda Du Pont® material while the visor support is made from steel and the visor itself is scratch resistant.

Colour black

Sizes XS, S, M, L, XL

#### Claw

Summer gloves in Pittard's® sheepskin with inner aramidic fibre lining.

Colour black Sizes S, M, L, XL, XXL

#### Bellagio glasses

Specially designed pilots' glasses for motor cyclists. Made from aluminium and black anodised magnesium, these glasses are feather light but knock-resistant and feature comfortable arms that, like the lenses, bear the Bellagio logo.

