

MOTO-TEK 3IN1-STAND

It is possible to invent something totally new

WHAT IS IT? The Moto-Tek 3IN1-Stand is the most creative bike stand we have ever tested.

WHAT'S IT COST? \$119.95 (\$139.95 with tool trays)—(818) 592-0735.

WHAT'S IT DO? Let's be serious; if bikes hadn't gotten taller and milk crates filmsier, no self-respecting manufacturer would be building bike stands. But they did—and the rest is history. There have been innovative bike stands from as far back as the original Mark Charles Stand. But in recent years, one stand pretty much looks like another, with the same features, materials and price.

Stop the presses! The Moto-Tek 3IN1-Stand is like no other in the history of the sport. Better yet, it does things that no other stand could hope to duplicate. It is creative, original and owes no allegiance to any other stand. That's all good stuff.

WHAT STANDS OUT? Here's a list of things that stand out with Moto-Tek's 3IN1-Stand.

(1) Center stand: When flipped up on its sturdy legs, the Moto-Tek 3IN1-Stand can be used as a traditional bike stand. It is the exact same height as the most popular bike stands and comes with a rubber padded top (which, paradoxically, is sometimes the bottom).

(2) Front wheel stand: We are lazy. So lazy that the first time we saw the 3IN1-Stand's versatility, we were amazed. Unlike any other motocross stand made, you can use the Moto-Tek stand without ever picking your bike up. We rode in after a long moto and drove the front wheel directly into the laid-down 3IN1-Stand and walked away. No lifting. No grunting. And no standing there for ten minutes waiting for the strength to return to our arms. It is almost idiot-proof. Even the idiot that hit the stand at speed still managed to get the job done.

(3) Hauling: It is a large stand, which means that it will take up a lot of room in your truck bed, but it doesn't have to. You can flip the Moto-Tek 3IN1-Stand against the front of your truck bed and roll the front wheel in before hooking up the tie-downs. It doubles as a wheel chock and a bed strengthener.

(4) Tool trays: For an extra \$20, Moto-Tek includes two triangle-shaped tool trays that rotate in whatever direction the stand is being used. They are just big enough for nuts and bolts.

(5) Place of Manufacture. The good old USA.

WHAT'S THE SQUAWK? No complaints. It does what it says it does.

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Imagine never having to hoist your bike like a 220-pound bag of potatoes after a moto again. Doesn't that sound like a dream? It's reality.