

RACECARD

2017 MICHELIN MotoGP™



OFFICIAL MotoGP™ CLASS TYRE

MICHELIN®
AUSTRALIAN
MOTORCYCLE
GRAND PRIX

AUSTRALIA

OCTOBER
20»22
2017

PHILLIP ISLAND
AUSTRALIA



TIMETABLE

FREE PRACTICE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

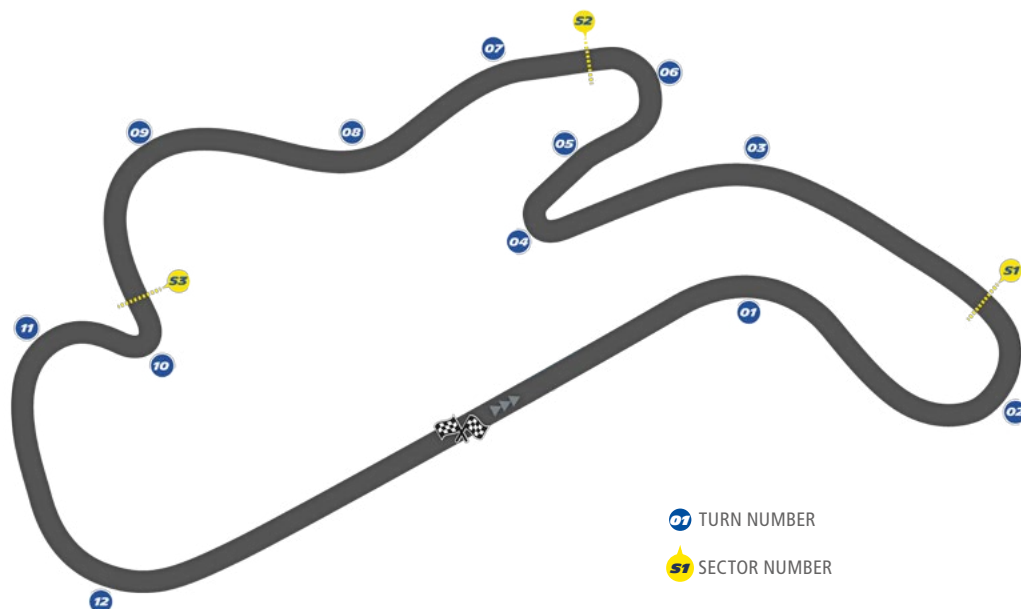
10:00 - 10:40	Moto3	FP1
10:55 - 11:40	MotoGP	FP1
11:55 - 12:40	Moto2	FP1
14:10 - 14:50	Moto3	FP2
15:05 - 15:50	MotoGP	FP2
16:05 - 16:50	Moto2	FP2

QUALIFYING PRACTICE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

10:00 - 10:40	Moto3	FP3
10:55 - 11:40	MotoGP	FP3
11:55 - 12:40	Moto2	FP3
13:35 - 14:15	Moto3	QP
14:30 - 15:00	MotoGP	FP4
15:10 - 15:25	MotoGP	QP1
15:35 - 15:50	MotoGP	QP2
16:05 - 16:50	Moto2	QP

RACE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

10:40 - 11:00	Moto3	WUP
11:10 - 11:30	Moto2	WUP
11:40 - 12:00	MotoGP	WUP
13:00	Moto3	RAC
14:20	Moto2	RAC
16:00	MotoGP	RAC



01 TURN NUMBER

S1 SECTOR NUMBER

LENGTH	WIDTH	RIGHT CORNERS	LEFT CORNERS	LONGEST STRAIGHT	LAPS	TOTAL DISTANCE
4.448 KM	13 M	5	7	900 M	27	120.1 KM

RECORDS

Lap record

Jorge Lorenzo (Yamaha, 2013):
1m27.899s

Race lap record

Marc Marquez (Honda, 2013):
1m28.108s

Race duration

Marc Marquez (Honda, 2015):
40m33.849s

2016

2016 Race duration
40m48.543s

Podium

- 1 C. Crutchlow (Honda)
- 2 V. Rossi (Yamaha)
- 3 M. Viñales (Suzuki)



Pole

M. Marquez (Honda): 1m30.189s

MICHELIN'S RECORD

Wins: 13 (1989, 1990, 1997, 1998,
1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004,
2005, 2006, 2016)

Pole positions: 12 (1989, 1990,
1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2003,
2004, 2005, 2006, 2016)



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SLICK TYRES

For each grand prix weekend (free practice, qualifying, warm-up and race), riders have a total allocation of 22 slicks:

10 front slicks:

- Up to five A-specification compounds
- Up to five B-specification compounds
- Up to five C-specification compounds

12 rear slicks:

- Up to six A-specification compounds*
- Up to five B-specification compounds
- Up to four C-specification compounds

**Riders participating in both Q1 and Q2 (a maximum of two competitors) will be granted an additional A-specification slick rear tyre – offering the optimum grip level – after Q2. This means that these two riders will have access to a maximum of seven A-specification rear tyres and 13 rear slicks.*

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RAIN TYRES

Riders have a total allocation of 11 rain tyres per grand prix weekend (free practice, qualifying, warm-up and race):

5 front tyres:

- Up to four A-specification compounds
- Up to two B-specification compounds

6 rear tyres:

- Up to five A-specification compounds
- Up to two B-specification compounds

In instances where all of the free practice sessions and at least one qualifying session are declared 'wet', an extra set of rain tyres will be allocated to each rider. The new allocation will therefore be composed of:

6 front rain tyres

(four A-specification
+ two B-specification)

7 rear rain tyres

(five A-specification
+ two B-specification)

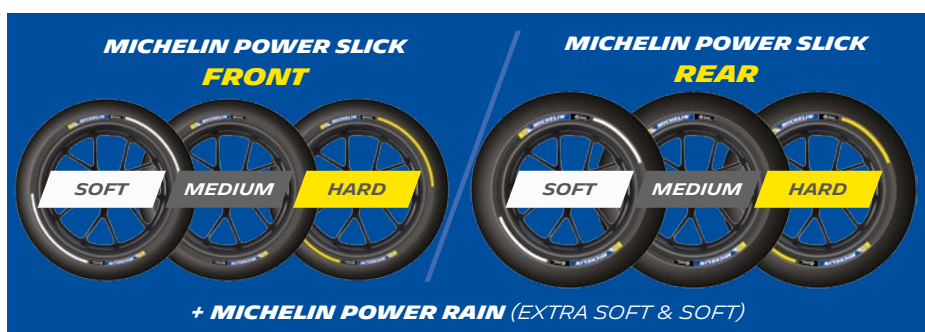
Tread re-cutting is prohibited.



PIERO TARAMASSO,
Michelin Motorsport Two-Wheel Manager

Although every race is important to Michelin, the Phillip Island event has an added significance in that it bears the company's name as the official sponsor. This gives a lot more involvement and added interest from all involved, not just from within the two-wheel sector, but throughout the whole company. The Asian Pacific market is very important to Michelin, so to have a race under its name in that region is a great honour and has a lot of significance.

Phillip Island is one of the one of the most demanding tracks on the calendar and this adds to whole narrative for us as we have the added pressure of such a complicated and challenging circuit, alongside the association of being the title sponsors, so we obviously want to provide good racing and a strong performance from our tyres. We've created a range for here that must contend with high lap-speeds and very fast corners, so we need good grip and durability, as well as the facility for the tyres to warm up quickly as it can be quite cold at Phillip Island. This year's selection has been produced from the data we gathered here last season in our first visit for seven-years and from February winter test, we have created tyres that will be able to perform at whatever limits Phillip Island can supply - which knowing the history of the track that could be very extreme in either direction.



ENTRYLIST

REPSOL HONDA TEAM



MARC MARQUEZ
#93

Born: February 17, 1993

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **87**
Wins **34**
Pole positions **43**
Podium finishes **61**
World titles **3** (2013, 2014, 2016)
Grand Prix debut **2013, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **10**
Podium finishes **22**
Pole positions **13**
World titles **1** (2016)



DANI PEDROSA
#26

Born: September 29, 1985

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **196**
Wins **30**
Pole positions **30**
Podium finishes **111**
Grand Prix debut **2006, Spain**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **8**
Podium finishes **35**
Pole positions **12**

APRILIA RACING TEAM GRESINI



ALEX ESPARGARO
#41

Born: July 30, 1989

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **127**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **2**
Podium finishes **1**
Grand Prix debut **2009, Indianapolis**

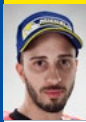


SAM LOWES
#22

Born: September 14, 1990

Nationality **British**
Race starts **15**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2017, Qatar**

DUCATI TEAM



ANDREA DOVIZIOSO
#4

Born: March 23, 1986

Nationality **Italian**
Race starts **175**
Wins **7**
Pole positions **5**
Podium finishes **41**
Grand Prix debut **2008, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **6**
Podium finishes **12**
Pole positions **2**



JORGE LORENZO
#99

Born: May 4, 1987

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **171**
Wins **44**
Pole positions **39**
Podium finishes **109**
World titles **3** (2010, 2012, 2015)
Grand Prix debut **2008, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **5**
Podium finishes **18**
Pole positions **8**

REALE AVINTIA RACING



HECTOR BARBERA
#8

Born: November 2, 1986

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **136**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2010, Qatar**



LORIS BAZ
#76

Born: February 1st, 1993

Nationality **French**
Race starts **47**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2015, Qatar**

MONSTER YAMAHA TECH 3



JOHANN ZARCO
#5

Born: July 16, 1990

Nationality **French**
Race starts **15**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **2**
Podium finishes **1**
Grand Prix debut **2017, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Podium finishes **1**
Pole positions **2**



BROC PARKES
#23

Born: December 24, 1981

Nationality **Australian**
Race starts **19**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2014, Qatar**

MOVISTAR YAMAHA MOTOGP



MAVERICK VINALES
#25

Born: January 12, 1995

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **51**
Wins **4**
Pole positions **5**
Podium finishes **10**
Grand Prix debut **2015, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **4**
Podium finishes **10**
Pole positions **5**



VALENTINO ROSSI
#46

Born: February 16, 1979

Nationality **Italian**
Race starts **302**
Wins **89**
Pole positions **54**
Podium finishes **190**
World titles **7** (2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009)
Grand Prix debut **2000, South Africa**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **65**
Podium finishes **114**
Pole positions **42**
World titles **5** (2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005)

OCTO PRAMAC RACING

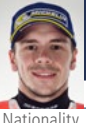


DANILO PETRUCCI
#9

Born: October 24, 1990

Nationality **Italian**
Race starts **97**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **5**
Grand Prix debut **2012, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Podium finishes **4**



SCOTT REDDING
#45

Born: January 4, 1993

Nationality **British**
Race starts **69**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **2**
Grand Prix debut **2014, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Podium finishes **1**

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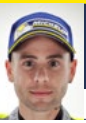
CAL CRUTCHLOW
#35

Born: October 29, 1985

Nationality **British**
Race starts **120**
Wins **2**
Pole positions **3**
Podium finishes **13**
Grand Prix debut **2011, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **2**
Podium finishes **5**
Pole positions **1**

PULL&BEAR ASPAR TEAM



ALVARO BAUTISTA
#19

Born: November 21, 1984

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **137**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **1**
Podium finishes **3**
Grand Prix debut **2010, Qatar**



KAREL ABRAHAM
#17

Born: January 2, 1990

Nationality **Czech**
Race starts **82**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2011, Qatar**

RED BULL KTM FACTORY RACING



BRADLEY SMITH
#38

Born: November 28, 1990

Nationality **British**
Race starts **83**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **2**
Grand Prix debut **2013, Qatar**



POL ESPARGARO
#44

Born: June 10, 1991

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **69**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2014, Qatar**

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JACK MILLER
#43

Born: January 18, 1995

Nationality **Australian**
Race starts **45**
Wins **1**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **1**
Grand Prix debut **2015, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **1**
Podium finishes **1**



TITO RABAT
#53

Born: May 25, 1989

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **32**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2016, Qatar**

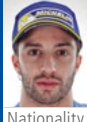
TEAM SUZUKI ECSTAR



ALEX RINS
#42

Born: December 8, 1995

Nationality **Spanish**
Race starts **11**
Wins **0**
Pole positions **0**
Podium finishes **0**
Grand Prix debut **2017, Qatar**



ANDREA IANNONE
#29

Born: August 9, 1989

Nationality **Italian**
Race starts **80**
Wins **1**
Pole positions **7**
Podium finishes **2**
Grand Prix debut **2015, Qatar**

RECORD WITH MICHELIN
Wins **1**
Podium finishes **4**
Pole positions **1**

RIDERS' STANDINGS

RACE				QAT	ARG	USA	ESP	FRA	ITA	ESP	NED	DEU	CZE	AUT	GBR	SMR	ESP	JPN	AUS	MYS	ESP
				Losail 26/03	Rio Hondo 09/04	Austin 23/04	Jerez 07/05	Le Mans 21/05	Mugello 04/06	Catalunya 11/06	Assen 25/06	Sachsenring 02/07	Brno 06/08	Spielberg 13/08	Silverstone 27/08	Misano 10/09	Aragon 24/09	Motegi 15/10	Phillip Island 22/10	Sepang 29/10	Torredonja 12/11
RIDERS' STANDINGS				01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Wins	Podium	Points																		
1	Marc Marquez #93	5	10	244	13	DNF	25	20	DNF	10	20	16	25	25	20	DNF	25	25	20		
2	Andrea Dovizioso #4	5	7	233	20	DNF	10	11	13	25	25	11	8	10	25	25	16	9	25		
3	Maverick Vinales #25	3	6	203	25	25	DNF	10	25	20	6	DNF	13	16	10	20	13	13	7		
4	Dani Pedrosa #26	1	8	170	11	DNF	16	25	16	DNF	16	3	16	20	16	9	2	20	DNF		
5	Valentino Rossi #46	1	5	168	16	20	20	6	DNF	13	8	25	11	13	9	16	DNS	11	DNF		
6	Johann Zarco #5	0	1	125	DNF	11	11	13	20	9	11	2	7	4	11	10	1	7	8		
7	Jorge Lorenzo #99	0	2	116	5	DNF	7	16	10	8	13	1	5	1	13	11	DNF	16	10		
8	Danilo Petrucci #9	0	4	111	DNF	9	8	9	DNF	16	DNF	20	4	9	DNF	DNF	20	0	16		
9	Cal Crutchlow #35	0	1	92	DNF	16	13	DNF	11	DNF	5	13	6	11	1	13	3	DNF	DNF		
10	Jonas Folger #94	0	1	84	6	10	5	8	9	3	10	DNF	20	6	DNF	DNS	7	0	DNS		
11	Alvaro Bautista #19	0	0	70	DNF	13	1	DNF	DNF	11	9	DNF	10	DNF	8	6	4	8	DNF		
12	Alex Espargaro #41	0	0	62	10	DNF	0	7	DNF	DNF	DNF	6	9	8	3	DNF	DNF	10	9		
13	Scott Redding #45	0	0	56	9	8	4	5	DNF	4	3	DNF	0	0	4	8	9	2	0		
14	Jack Miller #43	0	0	56	8	7	6	DNF	8	1	DNF	10	1	2	DNF	0	10	3	DNS		
15	Andrea Iannone #29	0	0	50	DNF	0	9	DNF	6	6	0	7	DNF	0	5	DNF	DNF	4	13		
16	Loris Baz #76	0	0	45	4	5	DNF	3	7	0	4	8	0	DNF	7	1	0	0	6		
17	Pol Espargaro #44	0	0	42	0	2	DNF	DNF	4	DNF	0	5	3	7	DNF	5	5	6	5		
18	Alex Rins #42	0	0	38	7	DNF	DNS	-	-	-	-	0	0	5	0	7	8	0	11		
19	Tito Rabat #53	0	0	29	1	4	3	DNF	5	5	1	4	0	0	0	4	DNF	1	1		
20	Karel Abraham #17	0	0	28	2	6	DNF	1	DNF	0	2	9	0	3	2	3	0	DNF	DNF		
21	Hector Barbera #8	0	0	25	3	3	2	4	DNF	2	7	0	DNF	0	0	2	DNF	0	2		
22	Michele Pirro #51	0	0	18	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-		
23	Bradley Smith #38	0	0	14	0	1	0	2	3	0	DNS	DNF	2	DNF	0	0	6	0	0		
24	Mika Kallio #36	0	0	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	6	-	-	5	-	-		
25	Sam Lowes #22	0	0	5	0	DNF	DNF	0	2	0	0	DNF	DNF	0	0	DNF	DNF	0	3		
26	Katsuyuki Nakasuga	0	0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4		
27	Sylvain Guintoli #50	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
28	Takuya Tsuda #12	0	0	0	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

1st 25 pts 5th 11 pts 9th 7 pts 13th 3 pts DNF: Did Not Finish
2nd 20 pts 6th 10 pts 10th 6 pts 14th 2 pts DNS: Did Not Start
3rd 16 pts 7th 9 pts 11th 5 pts 15th 1 pt
4th 13 pts 8th 8 pts 12th 4 pts





MICHELIN'S MotoGP™ RANGE 2017 SEASON

MICHELIN POWER SLICK

FRONT 12/60 - 17



SOFT

MEDIUM

HARD

REAR 20/69 - 17



MICHELIN POWER RAIN

FRONT 12/60 - 17



EXTRA SOFT

SOFT

MEDIUM

REAR 20/69 - 17



FACTS

1,200

The number of tyres taken to each grand prix

MINIMUM PRESSURE:

Front slick: 2.0 bar

Rear slick: 1.8 bar

Front rain tyre: 2.0 bar

Rear rain tyre: 1.7 bar

MICHELIN'S MOTOGP RACE STAFF

2

developers

8

technicians

2

managers

10

fitters

5

trucks

1

hospitality unit

1

press officer