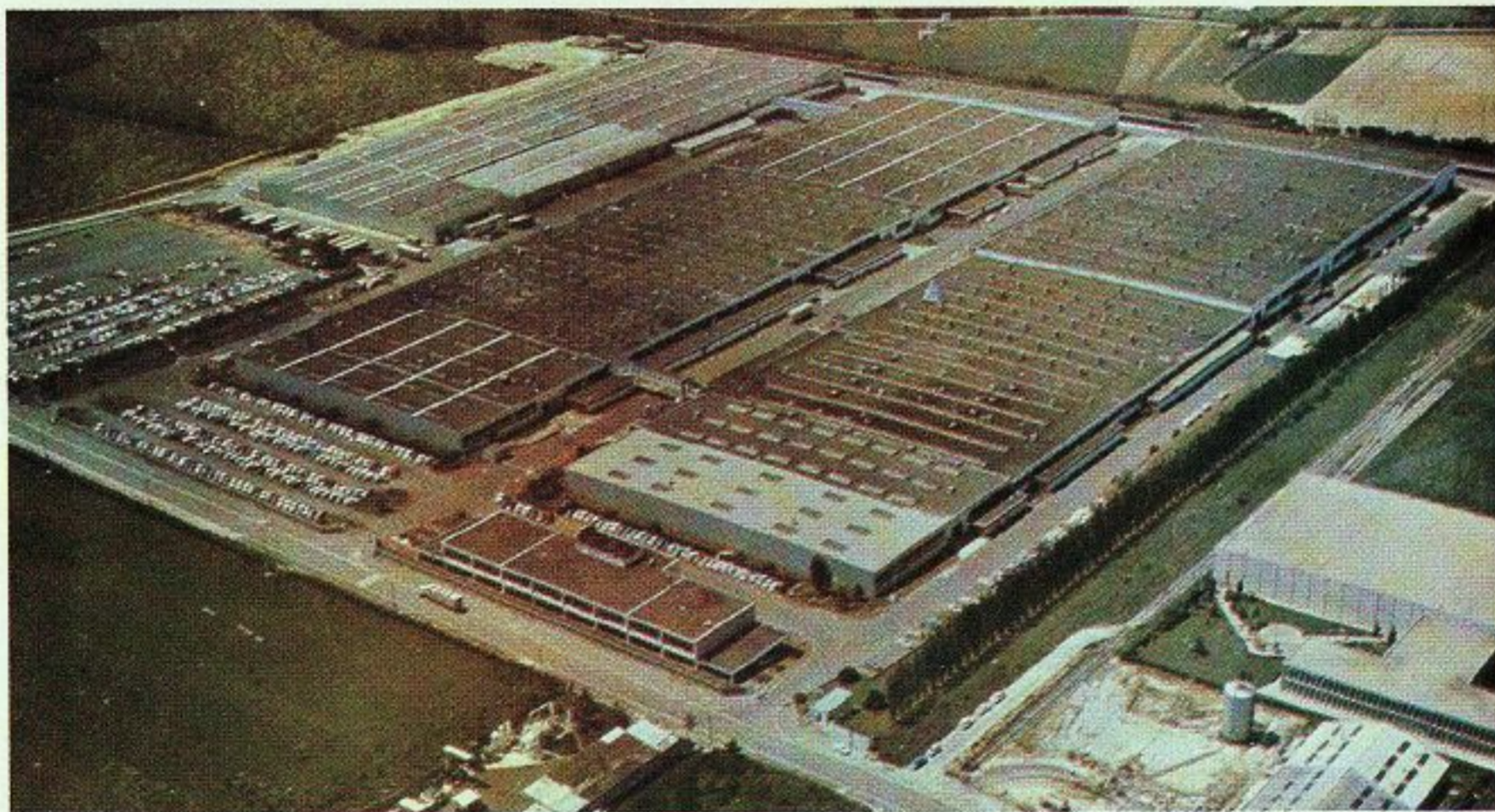




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MOTOBECANE exports to many countries around the world with a special design to suit the needs of each. The models in this catalogue are built for the U.S. market with unique specifications especially designed for the American taste and riding habits.

MOTOBECANE was established over a half century ago and is now the largest two wheel manufacturer in Europe. The factory is divided into three divisions; motorcycles and motorbikes; standard bicycles; and hand built racing and touring bicycles.

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together**

TANDEM

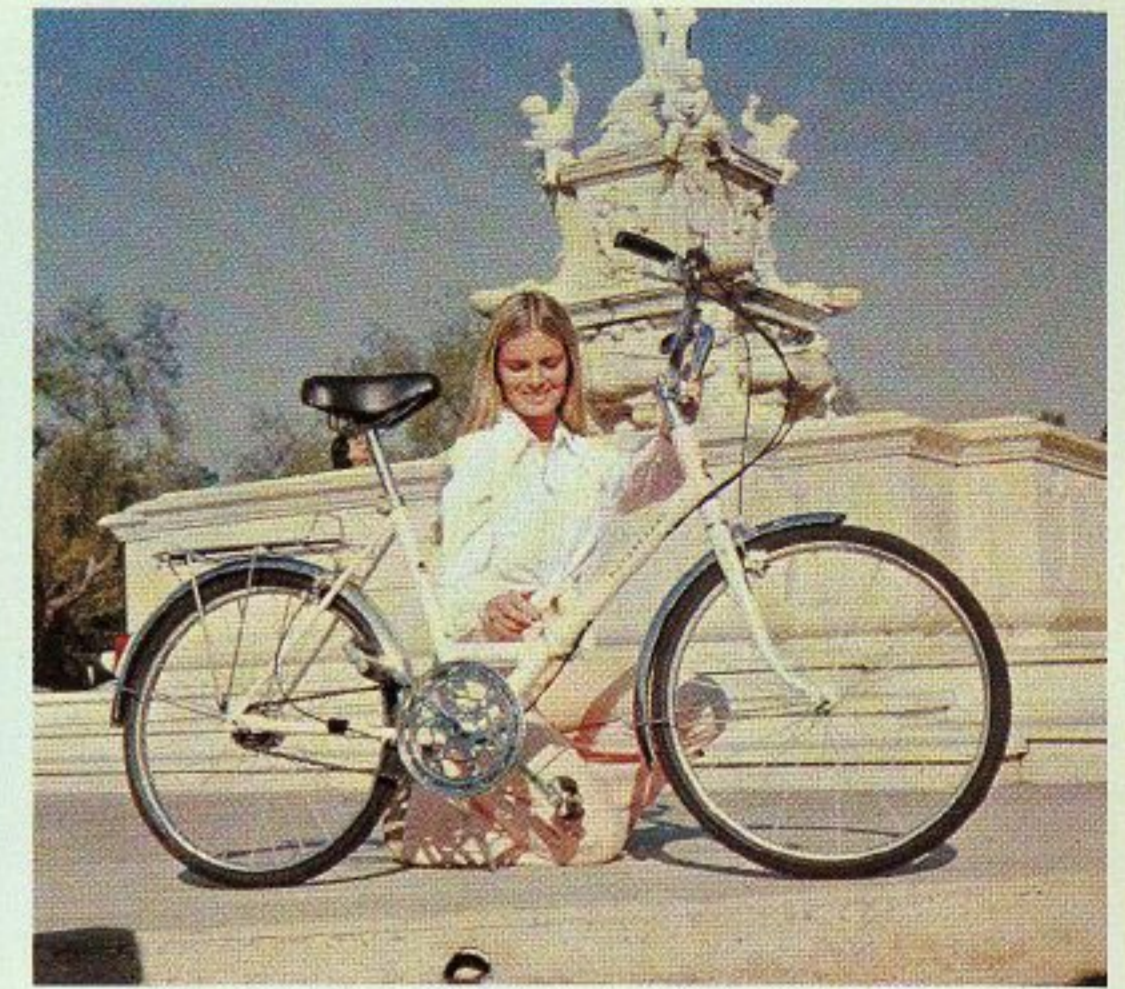
Semi-racing under 45 lbs. For touring and sport, it doubles the pleasure of bicycling together.

NOMADE 24"

Built to similar specifications of its big brother 27" Nomade, giving an adult ride to the young cyclist.

NOMADE 18"

Definitely not a toy, but designed for the beginner who wants to enjoy the pleasures of true cycling.



riviera

3-speed folding, designed for everyone in the family to enjoy by simply adjusting the handlebar and the seat. It is easy to carry in a car, camper, or a boat and is fun to ride anywhere.

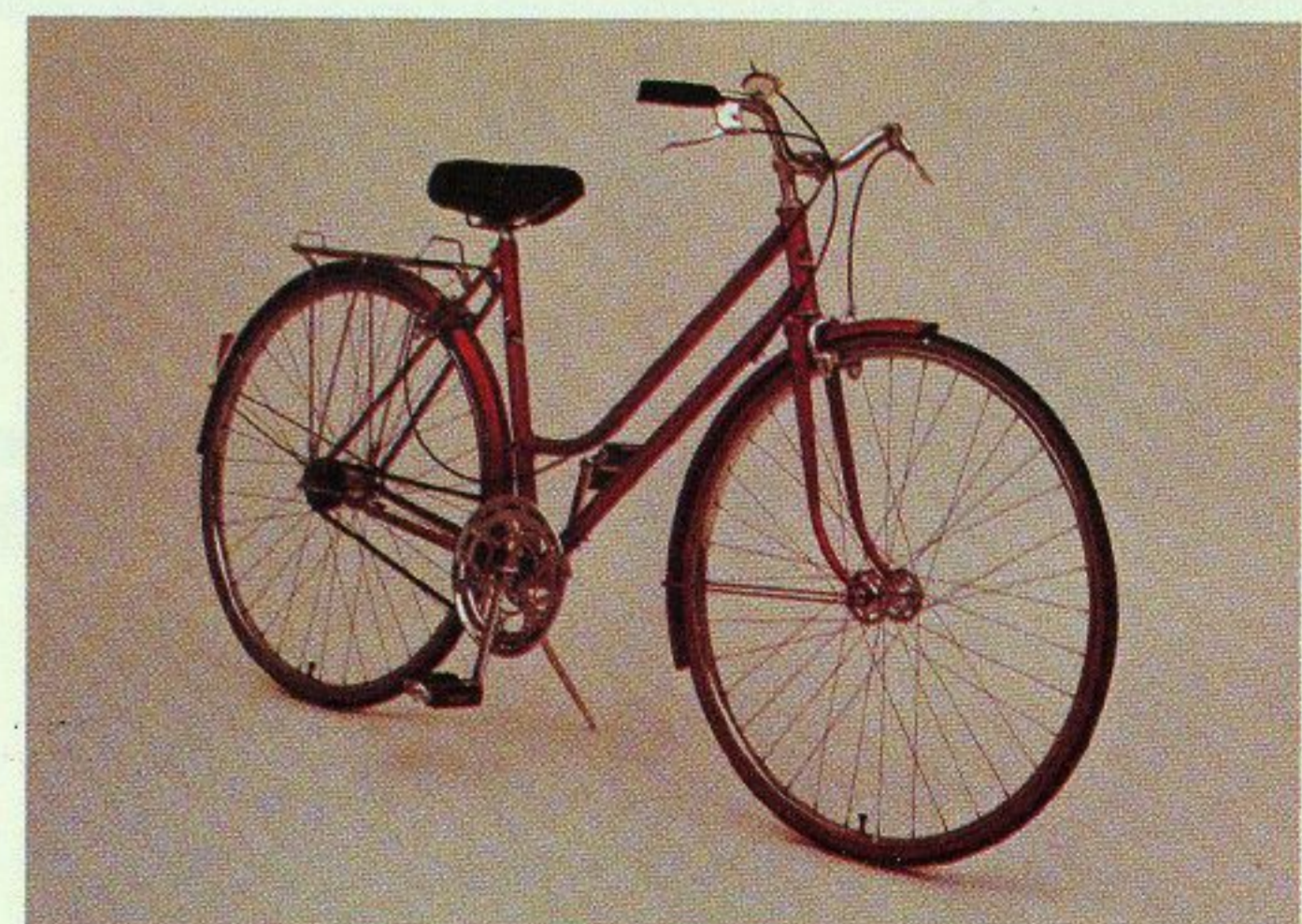
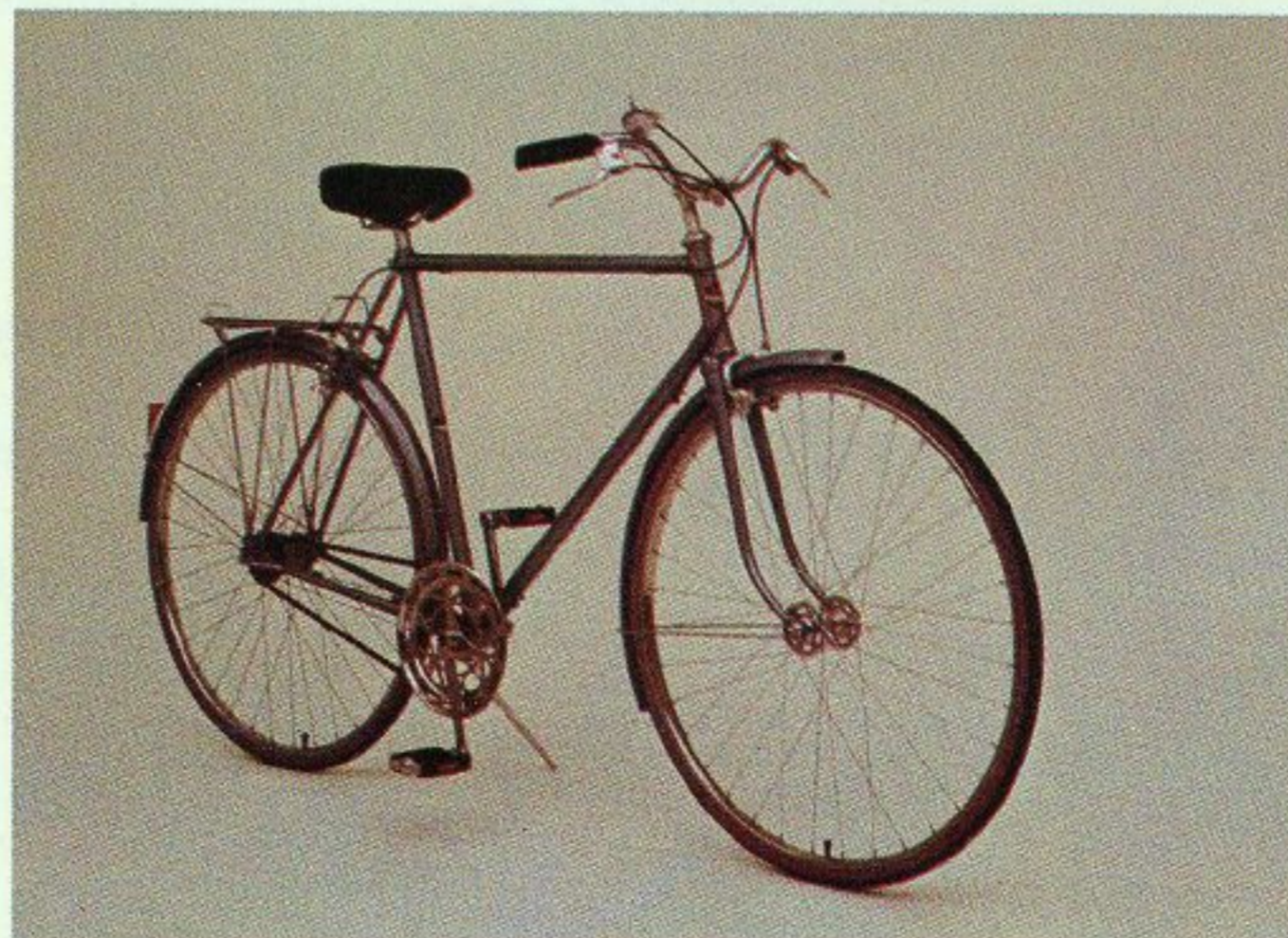


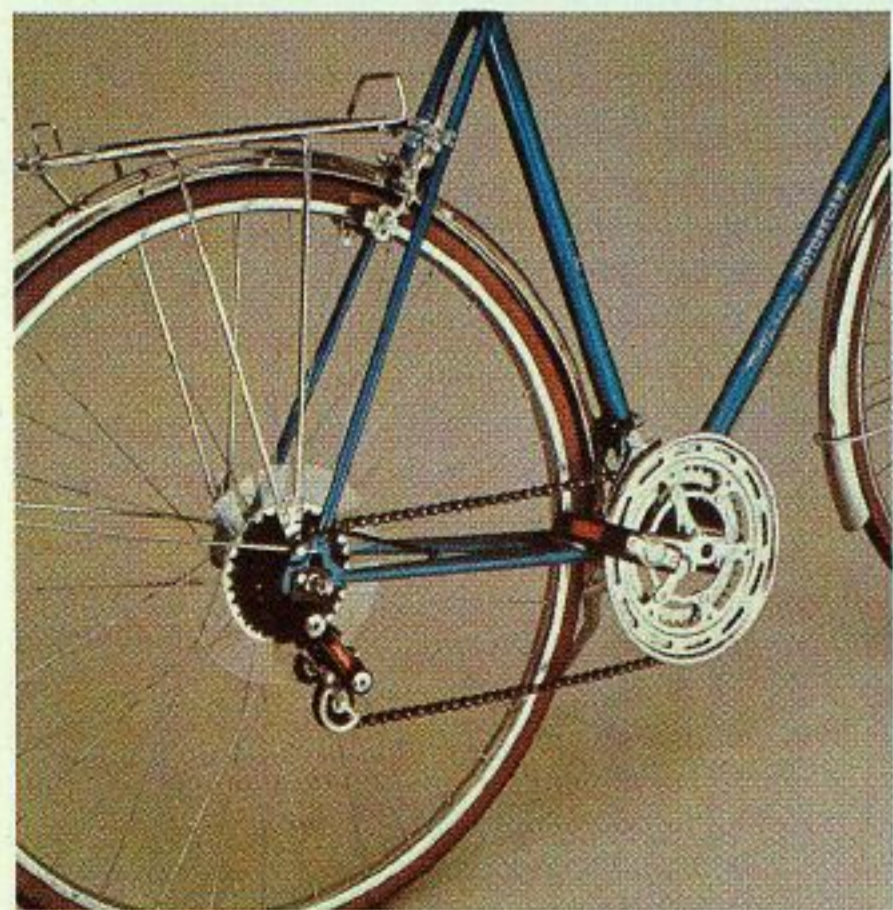
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SPEEDS

Probably the lightest and most nimble 3-speed bicycle built today, for those who want comfort and simplicity.

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SPEEDS

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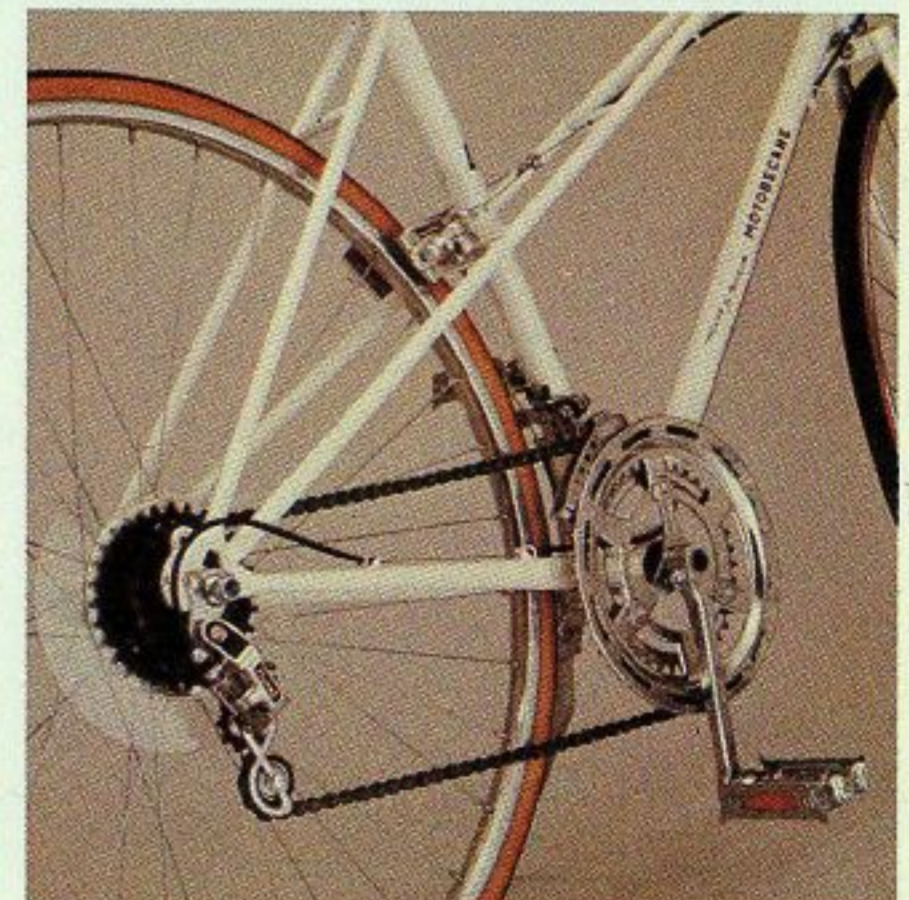
Distinctively classic in design. Built for comfort with easy-reach handlebar, soft saddle, streamlined fenders and handy carrier. Made for those who want a 10-speed bicycle with a noble ride.



Definitely French. Light and beautiful. For those who demand the most without any sacrifice in Motobecane's high quality standard of fine 10-speed bicycles.

MOTOBÉCANE **nomade**

Huret Challenger

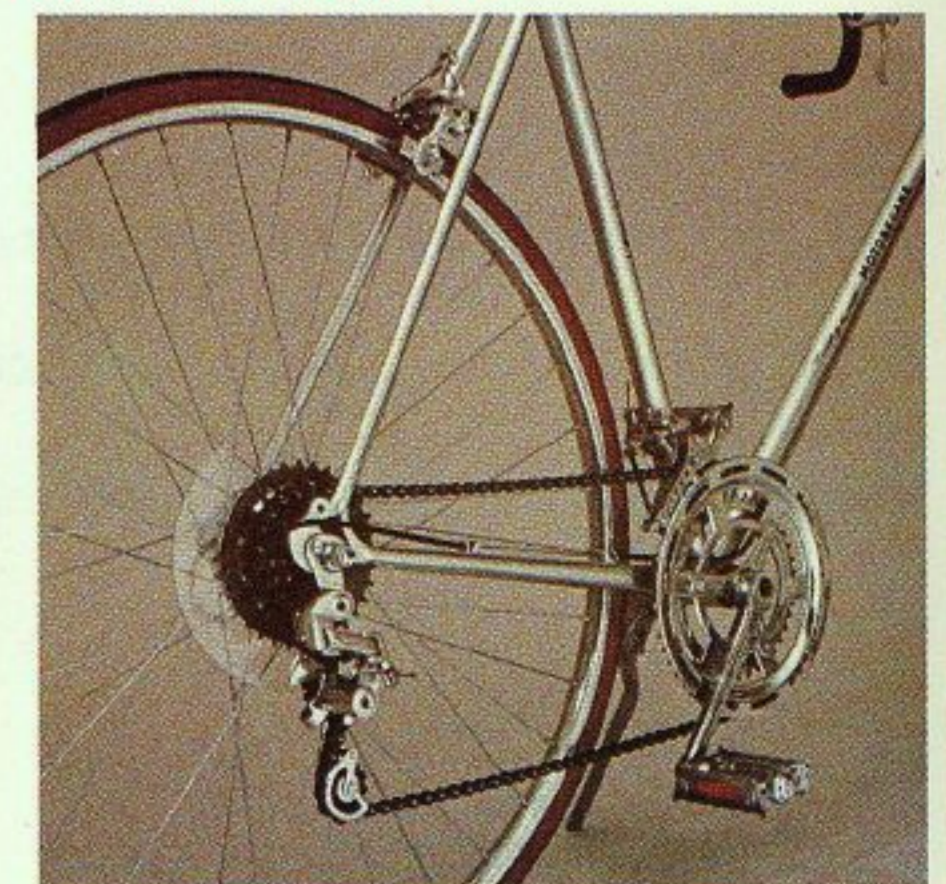




mirage

Beautifully detailed, showing the high quality in design and workmanship. Constructed of "1020" light weight tubing and equipped with fine European components, coupled by the wide ratio alloy derailleur to make riding a real pleasure.

Sun Tour V.G.T. Lux





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grand touring

Light, resilient and under 27 lbs. Frame built with "1020" tubing and completely fitted with choice alloy components. It is certainly made to be a long distance or a Grand Touring bicycle.

Sun Tour V.G.T. Lux

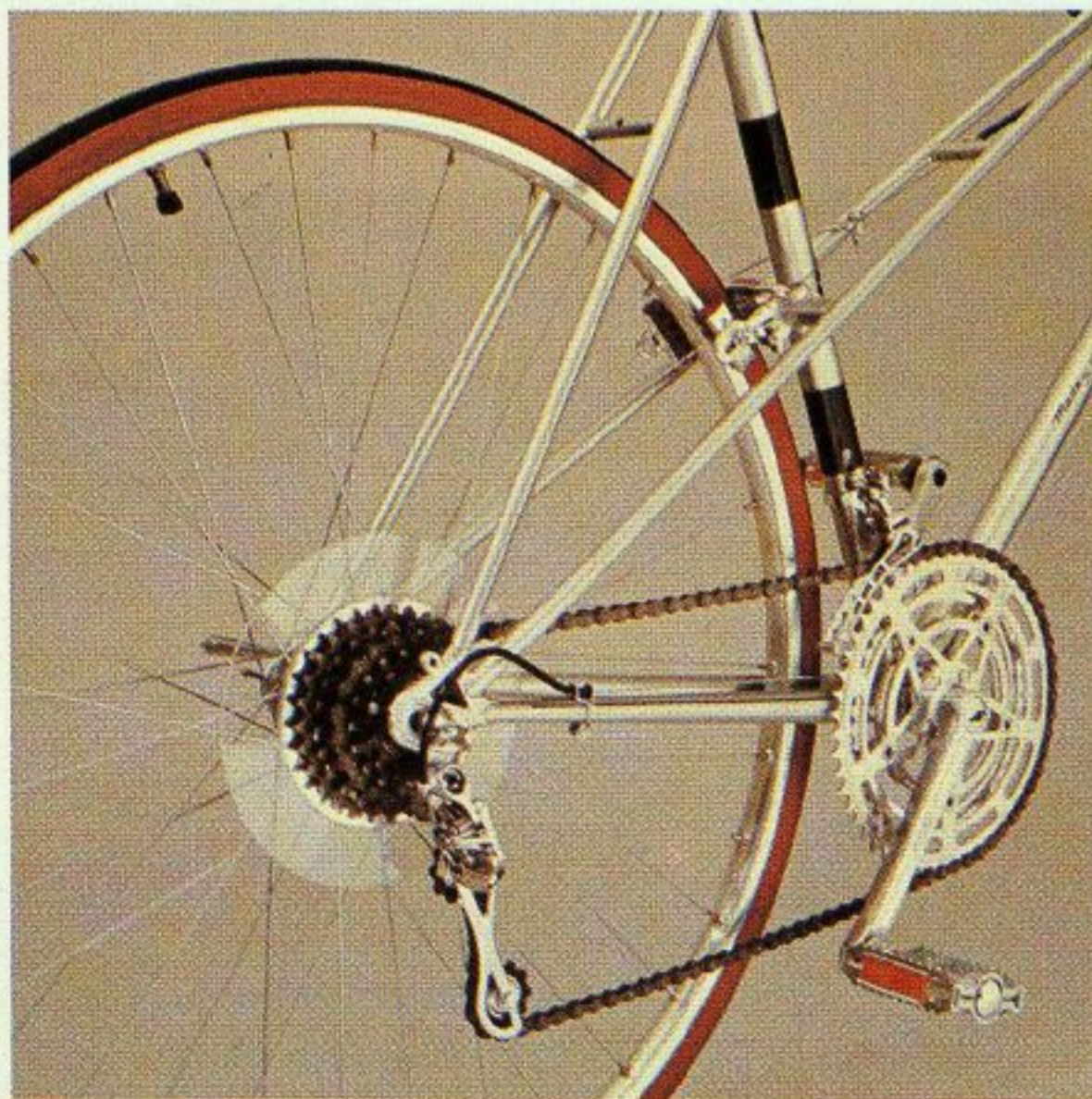




grand jubile

Hand built for the connoisseur with maximum detail, 531 Reynolds tubing, beautifully crafted Nervex Professional lugs, Fitted with carefully selected fine European alloy components.

Huret Jubile

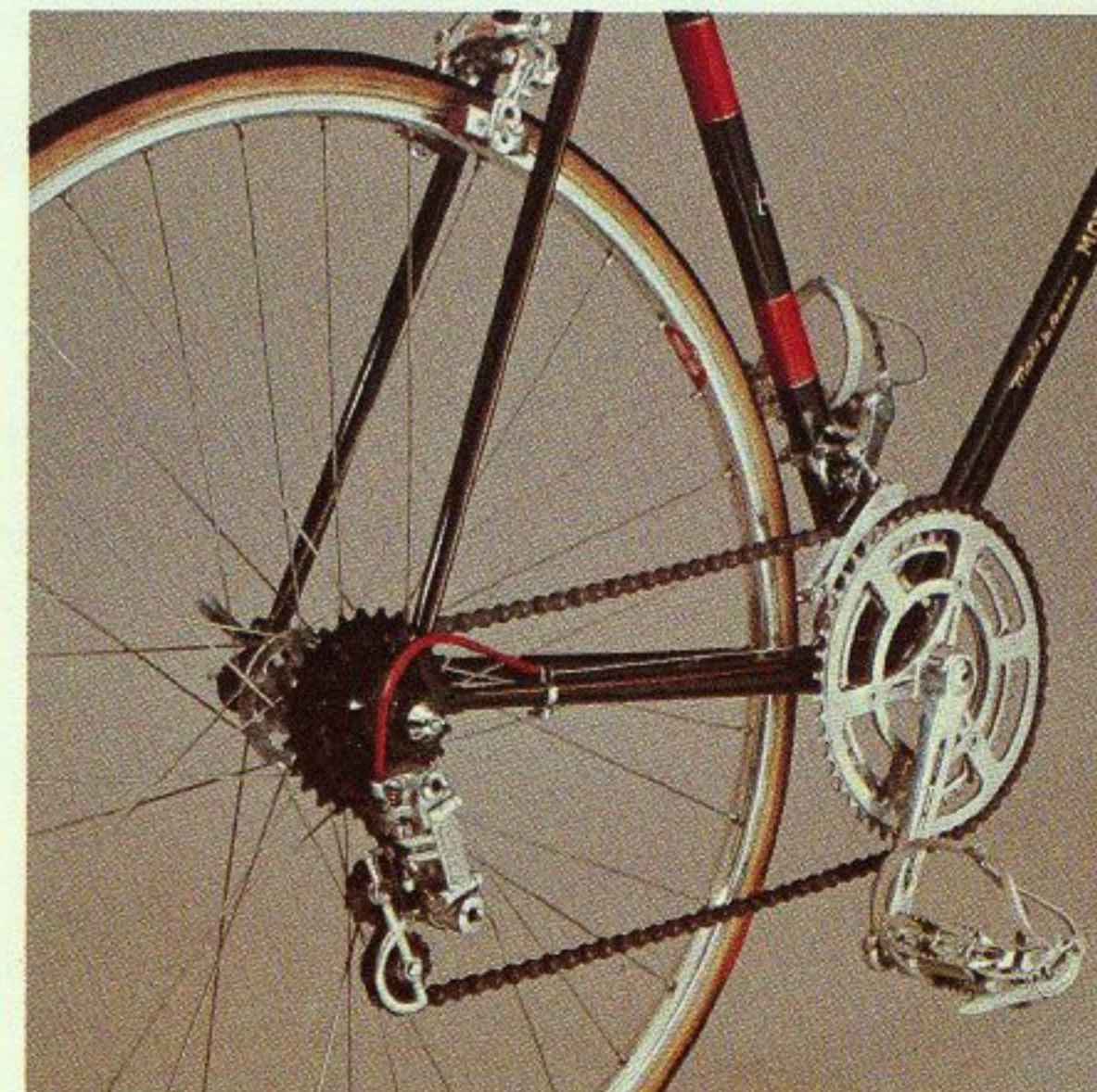


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grand record

Designed for the cyclist who demands the ultimate in performance, whether in touring or racing. A combination many riders seek but is very difficult to find.

Campagnolo Nuovo Record

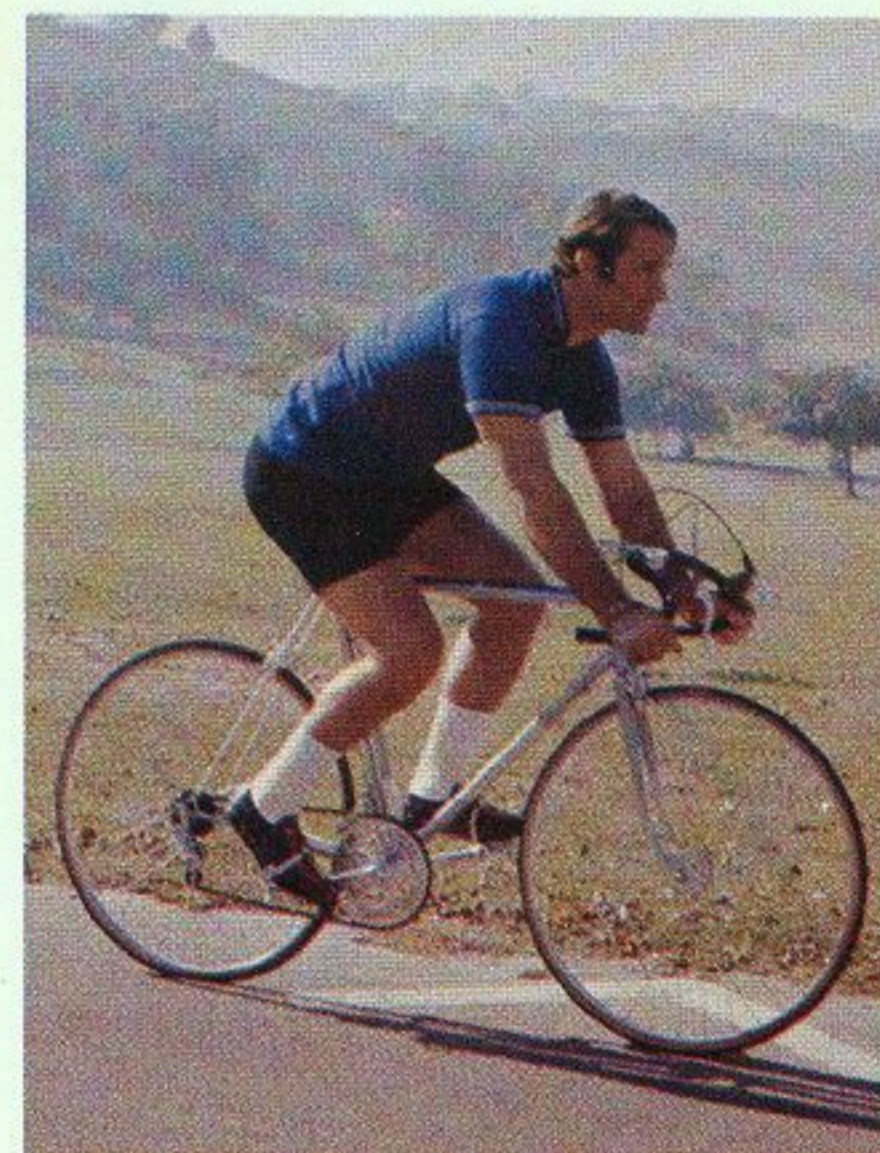


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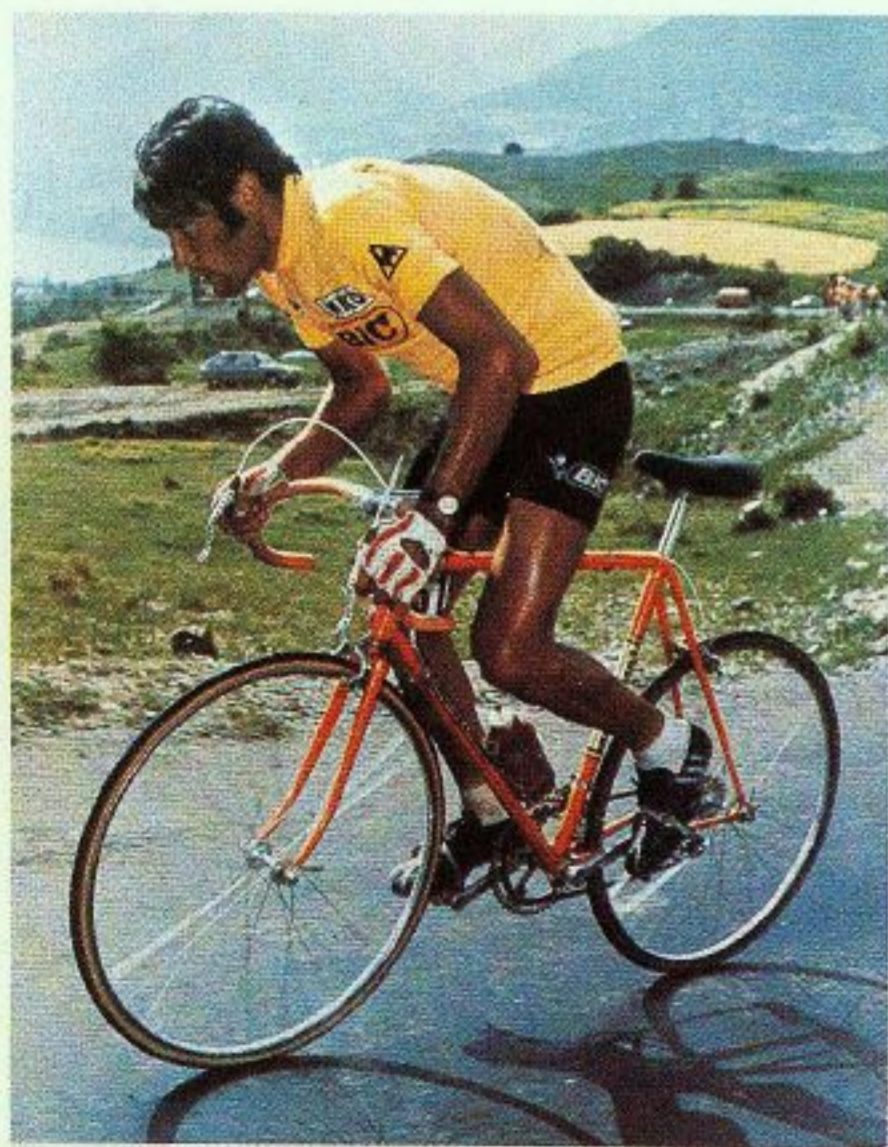
le champion

It is a performance machine built with 531 Reynolds double-buttet tubing throughout and fitted with Campagnolo Nuovo Record group. Definitely handcrafted and beautifully designed to please the most sophisticated cyclist.



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team champion



*Luis Ocana
and his Motobecane
"Team Champion"
bicycle speeds to
victory in the famed
Tour de France*



Strictly a racing machine, limited in production. Built for the
Motobecane **BIC** racing team with its distinctive orange team
color.



Specifications

	TANDEM Page 1	RIVIERA Page 2	NOBLY/3 Page 3	NOBLY/10 Page 4	NOMADE Page 5	MIRAGE Page 6
WEIGHT Approx.	45 lbs.	34 lbs.	32 lbs.	32 lbs.	29lbs.	29 lbs.
FRAME SIZE	Gents: Front 22" Ladies: Rear 20" Mixte	Folding - adjustable	Gents: 21", 23" Ladies: 19-1/2"	Gents: 21" - 23" Ladies: 19-1/2"	Gents: 19-1/2", 21", 23" or 25" Ladies 19-1/2" Mixte	Gents: 19 1/2" 21", 23" or 25" Ladies: 21" Mixte
FRAME	Light steel tubing	Light steel tubing	Fully lugged, light steel tubing	Fully lugged, light steel tubing	Fully lugged, light steel tubing	Fully lugged, 1020 light steel tubing
LUGS		None	MOTOBECANE Racing	MOTOBECANE Racing	MOTOBECANE Racing	MOTOBECANE Racing
FORK	Special heavy duty tubular, chrome crown and tips	MOTOBECANE tubular, painted	MOTOBECANE tubular, painted	MOTOBECANE tubular, painted	MOTOBECANE de Luxe tubular, painted	MOTOBECANE de Luxe tubular with chrome crown and ends
HEADSET	MOTOBECANE	MOTOBECANE	MOTOBECANE	MOTOBECANE	MOTOBECANE	MOTOBECANE
HANDLEBARS	PIVO Professional front, comfort rear	MOTOBECANE, touring bend	MOTOBECANE, touring bend	MOTOBECANE, touring bend	MOTOBECANE, Randonneur bend Ladies: Touring	MOTOBECANE, Randonneur bend
STEM	PIVO Professional	MOTOBECANE	PIVO alloy	PIVO alloy	PIVO alloy	PIVO de Luxe alloy
BRAKES	MAFAC RACER center pull 1 front - 2 rear	WEINMANN side pull	WEINMANN side pull	WEINMANN side pull	WEINMANN 999 center pull with extension levers	WEINMANN 999 center pull, quick release, extension levers
DERAILLEUR	SUN TOUR V.G.T. Luxe, down tube ratchet shifters	STURMEY ARCHER 3 speed hub	STURMEY ARCHER 3 speed hub	SIMPLEX PRESTIGE, stem shifter	HURET Challenger, stem shifter	SUN TOUR V.G.T. Luxe stem power shifter
CLUSTER	ATOM 14-32, with HURET spoke protector	ATOM 20 tooth sprocket	ATOM 20 tooth sprocket	ATOM or MAEDA 14-28, with HURET spoke protector.	ATOM or MAEDA 14-28, with HURET spoke protector	ATOM or MAEDA, 14-32 with HURET spoke protector
CHAIN	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS
CRANKSET	TA Criterium cotterless alloy 40 x 52 chainwheel	SOLIDA steel cottered 48 tooth with guard	SOLIDA steel cottered 48 tooth with guard	NERVAR Steel 40-52 with guard	NERVAR Steel 40-52 with guard	NERVAR Steel 40-52 with guard
PEDALS	LYOTARD Steel with reflectors	UNION Rubber with reflectors	UNION Rubber with reflectors	UNION Rubber with reflectors	UNION Steel with reflectors	LYOTARD Steel with reflectors
WHEELS	Steel rims 27"x1-1/4" gum wall tires	Steel rims 22x1-3/8" black tires	Steel rims 27"x1 1/4" gum wall tires	Steel rims 27"x1 1/4" gum wall tires	Steel rims 27"x1 1/4", gum wall tires	Steel rims 27"x1-1/4", MICHELIN or HUTCHINSON high pressure tires
HUBS	NORMANDY alloy	Steel chrome front S.A. rear	NORMANDY front S.A. rear	NORMANDY alloy	NORMANDY alloy	NORMANDY alloy with quick release front
SADDLE	Racing padded, suede type	Touring padded	Touring padded	Touring padded, black	Racing padded black	Racing padded suede type, black
STANDARD EQUIPMENT No Charge		Stainless Steel fenders, rear carrier and alloy kickstand	Fenders, rear carrier and alloy kickstand	Stainless Steel fenders, rear carrier and alloy kickstand	Alloy kickstand	Alloy kickstand
COLOR	Silver Blue or Orange	Green or White	Silver Blue or Red	Blue or Coffee	Blue, Coffee or White	Blue, Green or Silver

GRAND TOURING Page 7	GRAND JUBILE Page 8	GRAND RECORD Page 9	LE CHAMPION Page 10	TEAM CHAMPION Page 11
27 lbs.	24 lbs.	23 lbs.	22 lbs.	21 lbs.
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Fully lugged, 1020 light steel tubing	REYNOLDS 531 double butted forged tips	REYNOLDS 531 double butted tubing CAMPAGNOLO tips	REYNOLDS 531 double butted tubing throughout, CAMPAGNOLO tips	REYNOLDS 531 double butted tubing throughout, CAMPAGNOLO tips
MOTOBECANE Racing	NERVEX Professional	NERVEX Professional	PRUGNAT Professional	PRUGNAT Professional
MOTOBECANE de Luxe tubular, racing crown, chrome ends	MOTOBECANE de Luxe tubular, racing crown, chrome ends	REYNOLDS 531, CAMPAGNOLO tips, chrome ends	REYNOLDS 531, CAMPAGNOLO tips chromed	REYNOLDS 531, CAMPAGNOLO tips, chromed
MOTOBECANE	STRONGLIGHT Competition	STRONGLIGHT Competition	CAMPAGNOLO Record	CAMPAGNOLO Record
PIVO Professional, Randonneur bend	PIVO Professional	PHILIPPE Professional	PHILIPPE Professional	CINELLI GIRO D'ITALIA
S. R. alloy Recessed bolt	PIVO Professional	PHILIPPE Professional	PHILIPPE Professional	CINELLI GIRO D'ITALIA
WEINMANN 999 center, pull, with quick release, extension levers	WEINMANN 999 de Luxe center pull, with quick release levers	WEINMANN 999 center pull, with quick release de Luxe fitting	UNIVERSAL Mod 68 side pull racing	CAMPAGNOLO Record
SUN TOUR V.G.T. Luxe, stem power shifter	HURET JUBILE, wide ratio	CAMPAGNOLO Nuovo Record	CAMPAGNOLO Nuovo Record	CAMPAGNOLO Nuovo Record
ATOM or MAEDA, 14-32 with HURET spoke protector	ATOM 14-28 with HURET spoke portector	ATOM 14-26	ATOM 14-26	REGINA ORO 13-21
SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS	SEDIS GOLD
TOURNEY Alloy Cotterless, 40-52 chainwheel with alloy guard	STRONGLIGHT 49 D cotterless, 42-52	T.A. PROFESSIONAL 42-52	CAMPAGNOLO Record 42-53	CAMPAGNOLO Record 42-53
ATOM 440, alloy with reflectors	ATOM 440 alloy, with reflectors	ATOM 700 alloy	CAMPAGNOLO Record	CAMPAGNOLO Record
WEINMANN H. P. alloy, knurled sides 27" x 1 1/4", MICHELIN high pressure tires	WEINMANN H. P. alloy, knurled sides 27" x 1 1/4", MICHELIN high pressure tires	SUPER CHAMPION rims, ELVEZIA tubulars	SUPER CHAMPION rims, GRAN- TURISMO tubulars	SUPER CHAMPION rims, PARIS-ROUBAIX tubulars
NORMANDY alloy with quick release	NORMANDY alloy with quick release	NORMANDY LUXE Competition	CAMPAGNOLO Record large flange	CAMPAGNOLO Record low flange
Racing padded, De LUXE suede top, with alloy seat post Alloy kickstand	Racing padded, De LUXE suede top, with alloy seat post	BROOKS PROFES- SIONAL with alloy seat post Toe clips and straps	IDEALE 2001 with CAMPAGNOLO seat post SILCA IMPERO pump with CAMPAGNOLO end toe clips and straps	UNICANITOR with CAMPAGNOLO seat post SILCA IMPERO pump with CAMPAGNOLO end toe clips and straps
Silver Blue or Red	Red or Silver	Black or Silver	Silver Lilac	Competition Orange



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