

# **UNCHAIN YOUR RIDE**

PERSONAL MOBILITY DRIVE SOLUTIONS



#### GATES HISTORY OF PROVEN DRIVETRAIN TECHNOLOGY ADVANCEMENTS FOR MOBILITY



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CO-DEVELOPED SYNTHETIC RUBBER MASS PRODUCTION



1986 INTRODUCED REVOLUTIONARY POLY CHAIN SYNCHRONOUS BELT



**1917** INVENTED V-BELTS



**1980** ENGINEERED AND DEVELOPED BELTS TO REPLACE CHAINS ON MOTORCYCLES



2006 POLY CHAIN GT CARBON



2007 GATES CARBON DRIVE LAUNCHES FIRST BICYCLE BELT DRIVE SYSTEM



#### GATES CORPORATION IS A LEADING MANUFACTURER OF APPLICATION-SPECIFIC POWER TRANSMISSION AND FLUID POWER SOLUTIONS. WE ARE DRIVEN TO CONTINUALLY PUSH THE BOUNDARIES OF MATERIALS SCIENCE TO ADVANCE THE WAY THE WORLD MOVES.

Gates belts are driving a revolution in personal and micromobility that is transforming how the world gets from A to B. From two-wheelers to four-wheelers, ICE or electric, we deliver belt drive solutions and engineering support to rapidly move your projects from concept to reality.

Our highly trained application engineers work with you from inception to completion, optimizing your design, selecting the ideal drivetrain products, and delivering a power transmission solution that exceeds performance goals for efficiency, durability, and customer satisfaction.



2012 GATES LAUNCHES CARBON DRIVE CRANKSETS



2020 GATES LAUNCHES SIDETRACK



2022 GATES CARBON DRIVE 15TH ANNIVERSARY

GATES LAUNCHES

2022













# PERSONAL MOBILITY DRIVE SOLUTIONS

## **NEW PRODUCTS**

- MOTO X9 BELTS
- MOTO X5 BELTS
- MOTO XF SPROCKETS
- CENTERTRACK SPROCKETS
- MUDPORT SPROCKETS







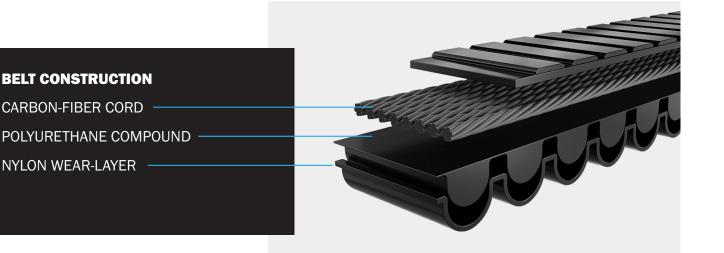


## NEXT GENERATION DRIVE BELT FOR MOTORCYCLES AND SCOOTERS

Gates most advanced drive belt combines our latest technologies in tooth profile design, polyurethane belt compound, carbon tensile cord, and belt construction – creating our narrowest drive belt for motorcycles and scooters.

Carbon Drive Moto X9 delivers extraordinary performance while retaining Gates legendary long lasting and low maintenance characteristics.

AVAILABILITY: **OE ONLY** 



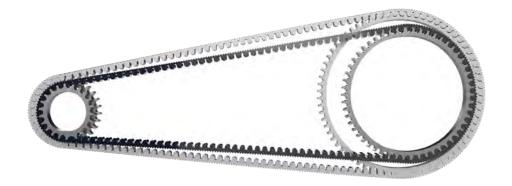
## LEANER. LIGHTER. STRONGER.

Carbon Drive Moto X9 advanced **11mm** construction creates drive flexibility with significant advantages over previous generations of both 14mm and 8mm pitch belts.

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### **DRIVE BENEFITS ACHIEVABLE WITH CARBON DRIVE MOTO X9**

### SMALLER DRIVE PACKAGE

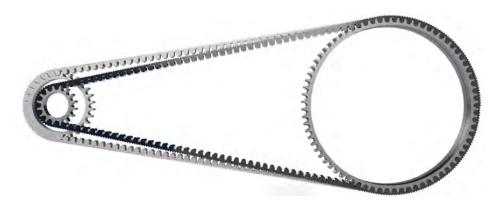


Reduced Sprocket Diameters (20t DriveR Minimum) Less Weight - Material Dependent

Narrower Belt Width

LONGER LIFE

### **DRIVE RATIO FLEXIBILITY**



Increased Torque Eliminate Gear or Reduction Drives for Electric Motors

Under Same Load Conditions



Visit **GatesCarbonDrive.com/MotoX9** to view our webinar and download our white paper to learn about the advantages Moto X9 belts bring to scooter and motorcycle applications, specifically related to the drivetrain weight and packaging, vehicle torque, and drivetrain longevity.



### **INTRODUCING MOTO X5**

### **NEW DESIGN ENABLES QUIETER AND MORE EFFICIENT DRIVETRAINS**

The innovative Moto X5 belt is a significant addition to the Gates Carbon Drive portfolio as it offers the same core belt drive benefits of Clean, Quiet, Smooth, Strong, but with even quieter performance than its predecessors.

Gates achieved this breakthrough in belt technology through the combination of a high-stiffness, longlasting synthetic compound with Gates long-proven carbon-fiber cord reinforcement. The combination not only provides durability and strength, it also results in the quietest Carbon Drive belt yet. Independent lab testing by AVL combined with Gates internal testing shows Moto X5 is up to 15 decibels quieter than chain over a range of vehicle speeds.

Additionally, throughout the life of the vehicle and under normal operating and maintenance conditions, Moto X5 is more energy efficient than chain, which can lead to improved vehicle range, a critical factor on electric vehicle applications.

The Gates Carbon Drive Moto X5 product line is designed specifically for mid-motor sit-down electric scooters and motorcycles typically found in commuting applications in the rapidly evolving Asian market.

### **MOTO X5 COMPONENTS**

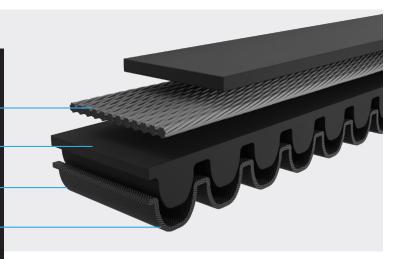
#### **BELT CONSTRUCTION**

CARBON HD TENSILE CORD High performance / stretch resistance

NEXT GEN SYNTHETIC COMPOUND High strength / high stiffness

NEW NYLON TOOTH FABRIC Improved abrasion resistance

8M GT TOOTH PROFILE Backward compatible with Moto X9 8M sprockets





CLEAN No lube. No rust. Ever.



QUIET Our quietest belt yet. Up to 15 decibels (dB(A)) lower than chain.



SMOOTH Higher efficiency than chain over life of the vehicle.



#### STRONG

High-stiffness long-lasting synthetic compound teeth with Gates long-proven carbon-fiber cord reinforcement.



## NEW MOTO-XF FRONT SPROCKET LINE FOR MOTORCYCLES & SCOOTERS

#### **BENEFITS**

- Fast: prototype in 2-3 weeks
- Wide range of sprocket configurations, including custom splines, single or dual flange, and offset variations (Configuration options below)
- High-durability carbon steel (~120k km typical)
- Corrosion coating options dependent on application or environmental requirements
- Most cost-effective option at both low and high volume

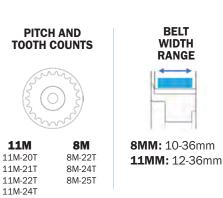


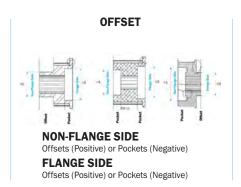
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### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

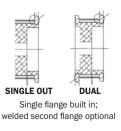
MATERIAL	POWDERED METAL			
COATING*	BLACK E-COATING			
HARDNESS	> 70 HRB > 100 HRB UPON REQUEST			

\*Other options available upon request



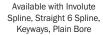






#### SHAFT INTERFACE







## MUDPORT SPROCKET DESIGN





#### GATES ADVANCED SPROCKET DESIGNS SHED DEBRIS



#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

- Patent pending port design for debris-shedding
- Available in 11mm pitch
- Optimized tooth profile for smooth performance
- Single or Double flange options
- Significantly decreased noise and maintenance compared to chains

Gates Carbon Drive MudPort<sup>™</sup> innovation delivers a belt-drive system for scooters and motorcycles that is expected to increase lifetime in high-debris riding conditions while reducing weight vs. standard sprocket designs.

MudPort is compatible with the entire line of Gates Carbon Drive 11mm pitch polyurethane scooter and motorcycle belts and comes in a range of widths and diameters to fit most two-wheel applications.

Learn more about Gates motorcycle and scooter drive solutions, or schedule your application review with one of our engineers at: **Gates.com/Mobility** 



## CENTERTRACK SPROCKET DESIGN



#### SPECIFICATIONS

- Sprocket Width reduction (5mm+)
- Sprocket Weight reduction (up to 10%)
- Equivalent Belt Life to Standard Belt Drive

#### CENTERTRACK BELT SYSTEMS NOW ENABLE OFF-ROAD APPLICATIONS

Gates has now expanded the proven Carbon Drive bicycle sprocket technology for wider belt applications of motorcycles and scooters. This new CenterTrack design delivers all the benefits of belt drive plus the debris-shedding off-road capabilities previously associated only with chain.

Elimination of the standard outer flanges reduces system width, weight, and cost.



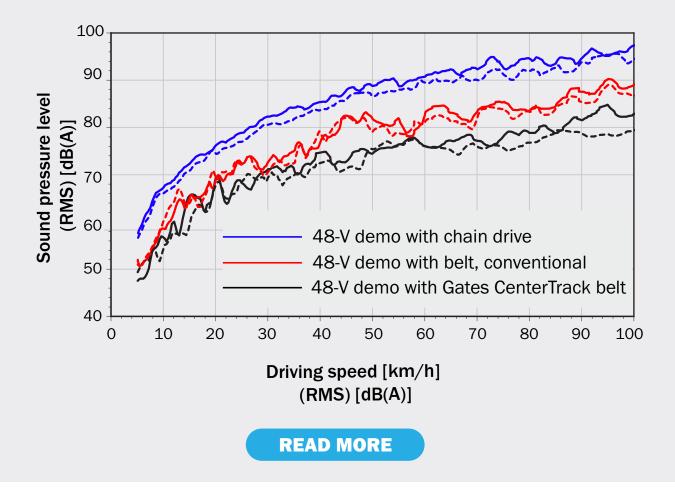
## NOISE ADVANTAGE OF BELT VS. CHAIN PUBLISHED

The acoustics of an electric motorcycle - and Gates innovative solutions impact on such were 3rd-party evaluated and published in the July 2022 issue of ATZ Worldwide Magazine.

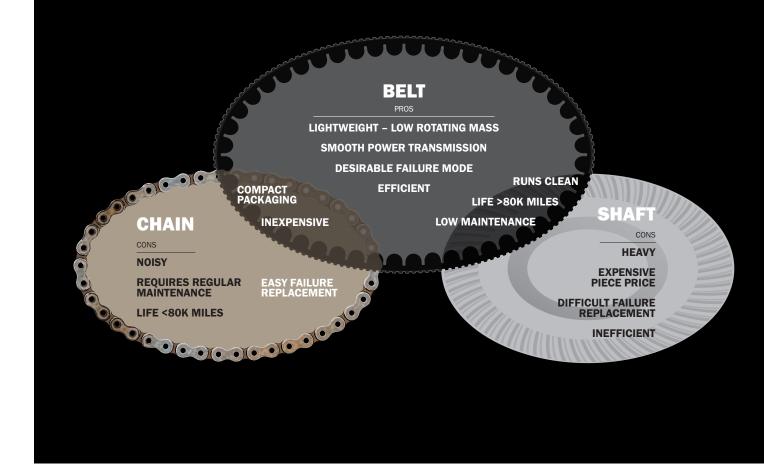
Specifically, the test completed an acoustic comparison of 3 different powertrain concepts: chain, belt (with side flange sprockets), and belt (with CenterTrack sprockets).

As expected, chain delivered the highest levels of the 3, with the Gates CenterTrack solution improving on the quieter levels of the belt (flange) solution.





## GATES BELT DRIVE SYSTEMS IMPROVE UPON THE BEST CHARACTERISTICS OF BOTH CHAIN AND SHAFT OPTIONS



## GATES BELT DRIVE SYSTEMS OUTPERFORM CHAIN CHAIN

MANUFACTURER PRIORITIES	POOR	GOOD	BEST
EFFICIENCY (OVER LIFETIME)		00000	
NOISE	00000		
WEIGHT / ROTATING MASS		00000	
DURABILITY / LIFE		00000	
MAINTENANCE	00000		
INSTALLED COST			00000
TOTAL COST OF OWNERSHIP		0000	

#### GATES MATERIAL SCIENCE ADVANCEMENTS IMPROVE BELT PERFORMANCE WITH CARBON FIBER TENSILE CORDS

SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENTS OVER ALL OTHER TENSILE CORDS – INCLUDING ARAMID (KEVLAR<sup>®</sup>) AND STEEL

- High power density delivers the most compact and lightweight drive designs
- High flex fatigue resistance exceeding steel, glass, and aramid fibers
- High modulus & dimensional stability negligible elongation, keeping pitch fit constant at various loads
- High strength-to-weight ratio
- Low noise
- Environmental resistance no degradation from water, oil, most contaminants

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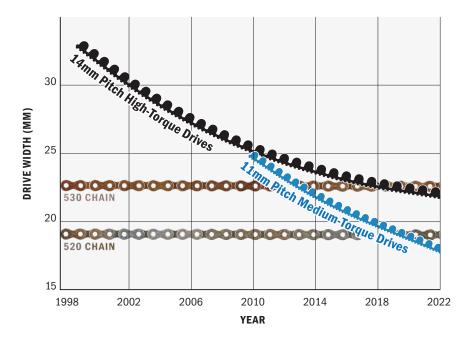
#### **BELT DRIVE EVOLUTION**

Gates enjoys a 40+ year history in motorcycle drives – introducing our first drive belt in 1980 with continuous belt construction advancements creating narrower belt widths.

First carbon tensile cord motorcycle drive belt in 2003

Introduced in 1999, Gates 14mm pitch high-torque belts are now narrower than 530 chain

Launched in 2010, our 11mm pitch medium-torque belts, now in **Moto X9 construction**, rival 520 chain width

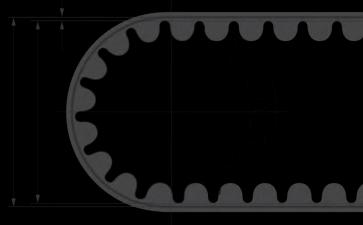




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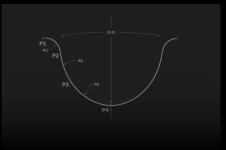
## MEETING YOUR DESIGN NEEDS AT EVERY TURN





Partner with Gates early in your design to extend your engineering team and expand your power transmission experience to achieve the right balance between performance and cost effectiveness. We start by understanding:

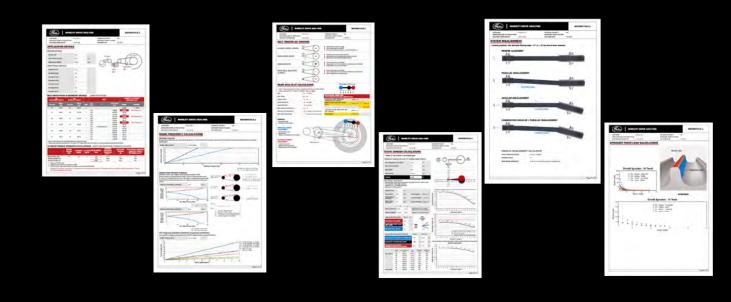
- How does your design move, operate, and function?
- What temperatures, environments, fuel efficiency, loads, or power demands will your system require?
- What type of service, maintenance, and support is required to meet your market demand?



From there, we apply our proprietary software tools to optimize your drivetrain design,

#### **GATES DESIGN POWER**

Gates innovative and industry-first Mobility Drive Analysis tool makes it easier for engineers from bicycle, scooter, motorcycle, and power sports OEMs to design Gates clean, quiet, durable and low-maintenance Carbon Drive belt systems into their next-generation vehicles, further accelerating conversion from chain and other technologies.



#### **GLOBAL ENGINEERING DESIGN & SUPPORT**

#### Drive System Design

- Advanced Systems Engineering
- Component Modeling and Design

#### Drive System Validation

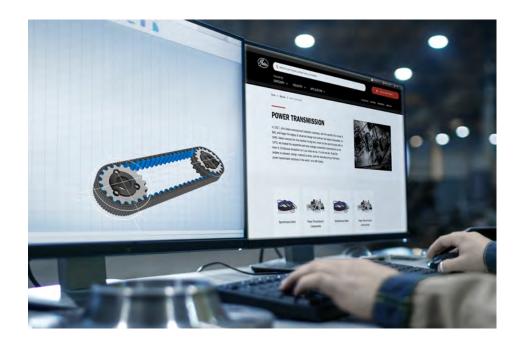
- Clarify System Targets
- Product Testing Assistance
- Drive Improvement Analysis

#### VA/VE Analysis

- Evaluate Opportunities to Improve Drive System
- Supply Chain Simplification

#### Global Project Coordination

- Seamless Global Collaboration to Completion
- Global Sourcing Capabilities



#### GATES GLOBAL FOOTPRINT DELIVERS PRODUCT SUPPORT THROUGHOUT YOUR PRODUCTS LIFE-CYCLE: DESIGN, MANUFACTURING, AND AFTER-SALES

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**GATES TECHNICAL ENGINEERING CENTERS AND TECHNICAL SALES OFFICES** are located around the world to support your design, manufacturing, and after-sales efforts – get moving with Gates.



## WIDEST PORTFOLIO IN THE INDUSTRY



- Synchronous
- CVT Belts
- CAM Belts in Oil
- V-Belts







#### **SPROCKETS**

- CenterTrack or MudPort Debris-Shedding Designs
- Wear and Corrosion Resistance Coatings
- Paint and Finish Options
- Global Manufacturing and Assembly Capabilities









#### **POWERSPORTS CVT BELTS**

For our PowerSports belt solutions, visit Gates.com/GForce



#### **IDLERS & POWER TRANSMISSION COMPONENTS**

- Pulleys
- Idlers and Tensioners
- Isolators Cush Drive
- Accessory Drive Kits
- Water Pumps
- Electric Water Pumps



#### TOOLS

- EZ Align laser alignment tool
- Mobile tensioning app
- Sonic tension meter







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