

1985 BMW Motorcycles R80GS

- Price
USD 14 475
EUR 13 500 (listed)
Year of manufacture 1985
- **Condition** Restored
- **Location** 
- **Motorcycle type** Street
- **Colour** Other
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Description

History

It was presented to the international motoring press in September 1980 in Avignon, after a gestation that lasted 20 months.

What appears to be a large, awkward and heavy motorcycle immediately turns out to be an extremely effective travel machine in all road conditions.

Excellent weight balance, first-rate chassis, ample load capacity and good comfort over long distances combined with the ability to tackle even demanding off-road routes, decree its immediate success despite a decidedly high sales price.

Mechanically very similar to the road version R 80/7, of which it mounts the opposed-cylinder boxer unit of 797cm³ that delivers 50hp at 6500 rpm, it has the most important innovations in the chassis. Front fork with advanced pivot with 21 "wheel and off-road tires (Metzeler enduro 1), disc with Brembo caliper and sintered pads and, above all, single-sided rear swingarm that integrates the drive shaft inside, as tradition of the brand, cardan.

Cantilever mounted 18 "rear wheel, extremely practical in case of puncture, and tube type tires. Single exhaust terminal, left, with large compensator under the frame.

The model remains in production until 1985, even if some specimens are still sold in Italy in 1986. In 1986 the closing model of what will be considered the first series arrives. An iconic bike for true enthusiasts of the German brand, which still today express charm, strength and power.

Our BMW R 80 GS

- Motorcycle with original MI number plate and regular papers.
- FMI registered.
- Odometer 65,351 kms
- Restored respecting the original configuration
- Reliable mechanics and chassis in excellent condition
- Exhausts in good condition
- Rims and tires in very good condition
- Full engine with no power loss.
- Specimen that retains all the distinctive features of the model
- Exchanges with vintage cars and motorbikes are accepted.
- Shipments in Italy and abroad

This motorcycle can be viewed at the Reggio Emilia showroom, Via Daniele da Torricella 29, or online, by booking a call with sale operator, via Skype, Zoom, Whatsapp and Google Meet platforms.

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