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# Mitas conquers sandy motocross terrains with all-new TERRA FORCE-MX SAND 2

- The all-new SAND 2 pattern gives ultimate traction in deep sand
- TERRA FORCE-MX SAND 2 already a winner of the MX125 Junior World Championship
- The complete Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX tire range delivers top traction to all types of motocross terrains

Motocross riders will soon have a new tire to conquer deep sand with added traction and control when the new Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX SAND 2 comes off the line this October. Developed and tested with racers, this new rear tire was designed to give top traction in deep and soft sand. The new tread pattern will replace the current SAND pattern for rear wheels.

Gustavo Pinto Teixeira, Vice President of Two Wheels and Specialty Tires at Yokohama TWS remarks: "The TERRA FORCE-MX SAND 2 really takes tire performance on sandy terrain to a whole new level. We are always testing out new compounds and tread designs so racers can get optimal performance and control, even in the most challenging conditions. We're pleased to see that our tire innovation pays off, too, with Mathis Valin (737 Performance GasGas Team) already winning the MX125 Junior World Championship and EMX125 race in Latvia, riding on the SAND 2."

The new TERRA FORCE-MX SAND 2 brings a whole new tread pattern featuring a deep (19.7 mm) paddle design with wide voids for ultimate traction when accelerating, cornering and braking. Its high performance, hard rubber compound and specially designed carcass with increased lateral support gives riders even more incredible control.

Classified as NHS (Not for Highway Service), the SAND 2 is identified by its characteristic dual red stripes and comes only as a rear fitment. It can be used with the Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX SAND or TERRA FORCE-MX SM front tire.









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#### Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX product portfolio for all types of motocross tracks

The Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX motocross tire family covers all types of tracks, from SAND 2 & SAND (sandy terrain), to SM (Soft to Medium terrain) and MH (Medium to Hard terrain), with sizes for bikes from 65cc up to 450cc. In addition, Mitas offers a full range of mousses and UHD tubes that perfectly fit Mitas tires and are shown to boost overall tire performance.

For more information on the Mitas TERRA FORCE-MX tire line, go to: <a href="https://www.mitas-moto.com/en/products/motorcycle-off-road-tires/motocross-tires">www.mitas-moto.com/en/products/motorcycle-off-road-tires/motocross-tires</a>

**Mitas** is the tire brand for customers across Agricultural, Material Handling, Construction and Two-Wheeler markets with a decades-long tradition.

The Mitas portfolio offers reliable tires that meet the everyday challenges on the job or out on the trails on two wheels.

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