

# Multi-Purpose Wheel Ratings

Brand	Model	Durability/ Reliability	Versatility of Performance	Bearing/ Hub	Lateral Stiffness	Compliance/ Comfort	Weight	Aerodynamics	Braking	Finish Quality	Clincher/ Tubular	Overall Score	Price Range
Variable Importance - Points		23	15	12	10	10	10	10	10	10	C = +1	110	
Easton	EA50 SL	21	11	7	5	8	5	7	9	8	C	81	sub \$400
Easton	EA70	21	13	9	6	8	6	7	9	8	C	87	sub \$500
Easton	EA90 SL	21	13	11	7	8	7.5	7	10	8	C	92.5	\$700+
Easton	EA90 SLX	21	13	11.5	6	8	8	7	10	8	C	92.5	\$700+
Flashpoint	60	20	11	8	7	6	4	9.5	8	7	C	80.5	\$1000-\$1500
HED	Stinger 4	20	10	8	7	6	8	9	5	7	T	80	\$1000-\$1500
HED	Stinger 6	20	10	8	7	6	7.8	9.5	5	7	T	80.3	\$1000-\$1500
Lightweight	Ventoux	22	14	12	10	10	9.7	7	8	10	T	102.7	\$3500+
Lightweight	Obermayer	22	13	12	10	9	9.5	8	8	10	T	101.5	\$3500+
Lightweight	Standard 3 Tubular	22	13	11.5	10	9	9.2	8	8	10	T	100.7	\$3500+
Lightweight	Standard 3 Clincher	22	14	11.5	10	9	9	8	8	10	C	101.5	\$3500+
Mavic	Aksium	21	10	7	5	8	4	4	8	8	C	75	sub \$300
Mavic	Ksyrium Elite	23	13	11	7	8	6	5	10	9	C	92	\$500+
Mavic	Ksyrium SL	22	13	11	8	6	7.5	5	10	9	C/T	91.5	\$800+
Mavic	R-SYS	20	13	11	9	9	8	4	10	9	C	93	\$1000-\$1500
Mavic	R-SYS Premium	20	13	11	9	9	8.2	4	10	9	C	93.2	\$1000-\$1500
Mavic	R-SYS SL	20	13	11	9	9	9	4	10	9	C/T	94	\$2000+/-
Mavic	Cosmic Carbone SL	22	13	11	8	7	4.5	9	10	9	C	93.5	\$1000-\$1500
Mavic	Cosmic Carbone SLR	21	13	11	8	8	7	9	10	9	C	96	\$2000+/-
Mavic	Cosmic Carbone Ultimate	21	13	11	10	9	8.5	9.5	8	9	T	99	\$3500+
Reynolds	Solitude	21	12	8	5	8	6.5	7	10	8	C	85.5	sub \$500
Reynolds	Attack	21	14	8	8	8	7.7	7	7.5	8	C	89.2	\$1000-\$1500
Reynolds	Assault	21	13	8	8	8	7.7	8	7.5	8	C	89.2	\$1000-\$1500
Reynolds	MV 32 UL Tubular	21	14	11.5	7	8	9	7	7.5	8	T	93	\$2000-\$3500
Reynolds	MV 32 C UL (Clincher)	21	15	11.5	7	8	8.5	7	7.5	8	C	93.5	\$2000-\$3500
Reynolds	DV 46 UL Tubular	21	13	11.5	8	8	8.7	8	7.5	8	T	93.7	\$2000-\$3500
Reynolds	DV 46 C UL (Clincher)	21	14	11.5	8	8	8.2	8	7.5	8	C	94.2	\$2000-\$3500
Reynolds	RZR 46 T	21	13	12	10	10	10	8	7.5	8	T	99.5	\$3500+ *
Zipp	101	21	14	11.5	7	8.5	7.5	8	10	9	C	96.5	\$1000-\$1500 *
Zipp	202	20	14	11.5	7	9	9.2	8	9	9	T	96.7	\$2000-\$3500
Zipp	303 Tubular	20	13	11.5	8	8.5	8.5	9	9	9	T	96.5	\$2000-\$3500
Zipp	303 Clincher	21	14	11.5	8	8.5	7	9	10	9	C	98	\$2000-\$3500
Zipp	404 Tubular	20	12	11.5	9	8	8	10	9	9	T	96.5	\$2000-\$3500
Zipp	404 Clincher	21	13	11.5	9	8	7	10	10	9	C	98.5	\$2000-\$3500
Items in Yellow indicate best in category.													
* New model. Estimated ratings based on overall brand and similar model history along with general engineering parameters.													
Notes: The wheel that is rated best in a given variable within its category (Multi-Purpose, Aero/Ultralight...) automatically receives full points in that variable (20 out of 20, 10 out of 10...) and all other models are rated in comparison. Being rated best in a category does not mean that a wheel is perfect in regards to this variable, it means that it is currently the best of the wheels rated. We rate in whole numbers whenever possible, but periodically have to use decimals in categories like weight. Tubular vs. Clincher is not given any bias in Aero/Ultralight Category while clinchers are given a 1 point automatic upgrade in the Multi-Purpose Category (under Versatility) as they are the more accepted standard in this category. Only wheels that have 60mm or less rim depth are rated in the Multi-Purpose Category. Price is not factored into any ratings.													