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Motor



Motors

what is the use of motor in a bike



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In the context of a bike, a motor, especially in electric bikes, **converts electrical energy into mechanical energy to propel the bike forward, offering assistance with pedaling or providing the sole means of propulsion.**

Here's a more detailed explanation:

Function:

The primary function of a motor in a bike (especially an electric bike) is to convert

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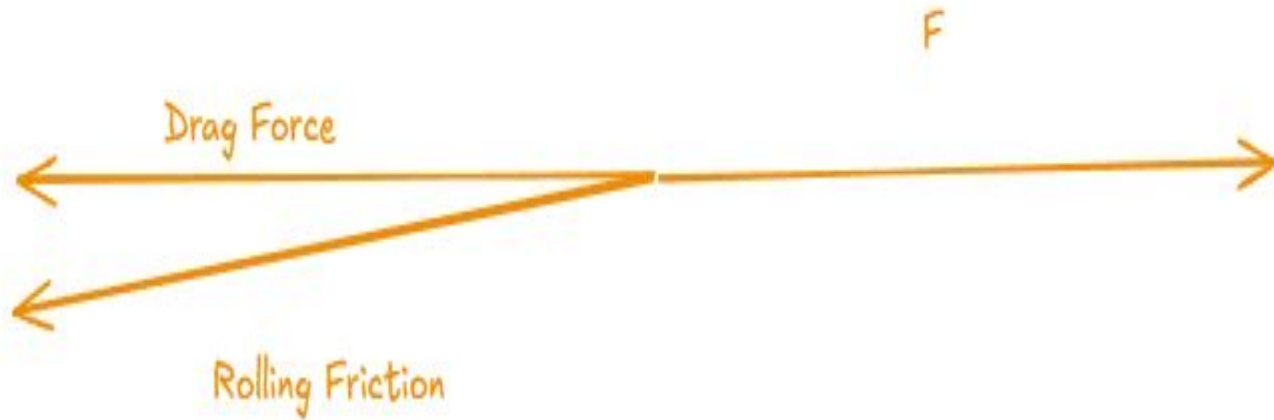
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Forces To Overcome when in running condition



Free Body Diagram



Forces(edge cases)

$$F_{\text{drag}} = \frac{1}{2} C_d A \rho v^2$$

$C_d = 1.2$ (for upright person)

$A = 0.5 \text{ m}^2$

$v = 25 \text{ m/s}$ (90Km/h)

$P = 1.293$

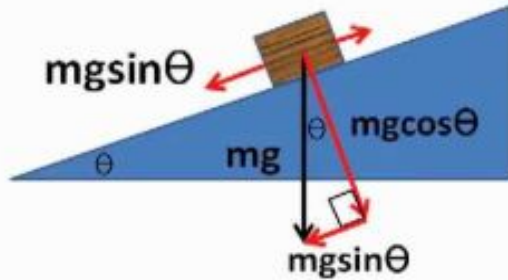
$$F_{\text{rolling}} = C_r mg$$

$C_r = 0.02$

$$F = F_d + F_r$$

Slope consideration

Consider the case where there **is** friction.



IRC = 1 IN 12 edge case theta becomes around 4.76

$$\text{Force} = 353.5655$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= F * V \\ &= 8839.1375 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

So the power should be 8.9 Kw to have at least constant velocity of 25 m/s for one person and 11 Kw FOR 2 PERSONS

Requirement is 12-14 KW BLDC motor for 1 person and 16-18 KW BLDC motor for 2 persons

Due to the speed being higher the force to overcome during starting is lower where static friction comes into play

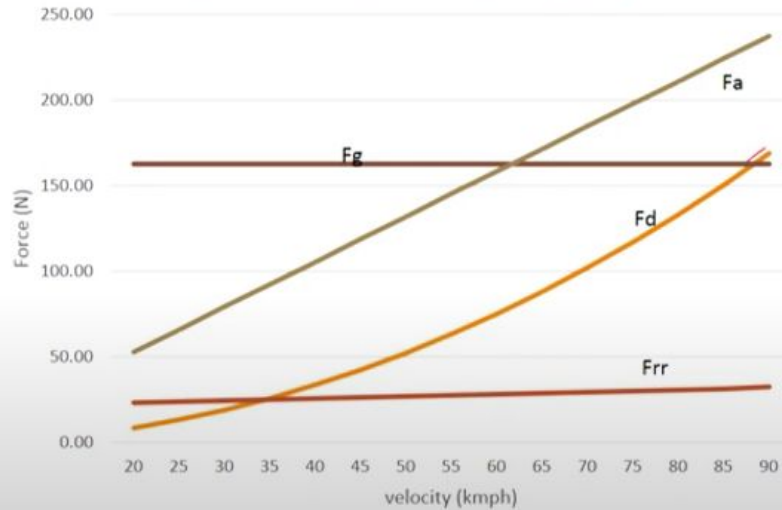
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Some resources :

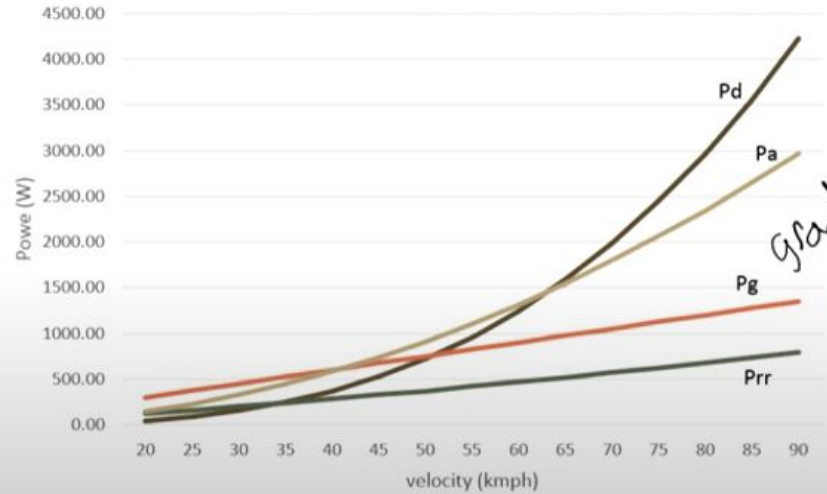
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For motor power calculation (paste this link)

Force for a 2-wheeler with 20 sec pick-up



Power (W) vs velocity (kmph)



gradient requires torque

$\rho = 1.2 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $C_D = 0.9$, $A = 0.5 \text{ sqm}$, $\mu = 0.013$, weight = 180 Kg, Gradient of 5°

2-wheeler

Power

- Gradient and Acceleration not required together
- Gradient never done at high speed: Climbing 5° slope at 15 kmph will require about **700 W**
- Acceleration (pick-up) power is small at 25 kmph; and only **1000 W** even at 50 kmph
- Rolling resistance on decent roads is small and higher than others only at very low speed
- Drag power is only 700W even at 50 kmph, but can become **very high at higher speed**

Force related to Torque: Only gradient or acceleration torque matters at all speeds

- $T_{req} = 44.8 \text{ Nm}$ ($R_{wheel} = 0.28\text{m}$) at 60 kmph

Speeds below 25 kmph

- **500 Watts** motor will be enough

With **20 sec pick-up** to 50 kmph

- Acceleration Power reqd. itself is 1 kW
- Drag is also considerable: Power reqd. 2 kW

Power required is 6 kW at 80kmph and 9kW at 90 kmph

- **For slower pick-up, a 5 kW drive will just about be ok for up to 90 kmph**