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Mongoose built the world's first race-ready BMX machine in 1975.

Getting out of the gate any faster? Probably not. Sure, corporate history makes great catalog copy, but it won't help you win any races.

In 17 seasons of global competition, Mongoose riders have amassed over 30 national and world championships.

Feeling better over those doubles? Never. Most racing titles aren't worth the plastic trophy they give you for winning them.

The point is, BMX isn't about deep roots and record books — it's about fun. Let the other guys make history; Mongoose will always make great bikes. Bikes designed and tested by the finest pro riders and engineers in the U.S. Bikes built with the best components from around the world. Bikes that set the New Standard in performance and quality. Anything else is pointless.



Three-time pro freestyle champ Dennis McCoy played a big part in the development of the radical new Hooligan street/freestyle machine.



Like every Mongoose performance bicycle, the Solution Pro that King of Dirt Fuzzy Hall flies on is covered by our exclusive Limited Lifetime Warranty*.



SOLUTION.

G of a problem with BMX? Mongoose has the Solution — the most sophisticated 20-inch ever built for off-road use. The Solution Pro's 100% chromoly frameset employs a double-ovalized 1-1/2-inch down tube for increased bottom bracket stiffness and head tube strength. Tapered 3/4-inch rear stays eliminate power-robbing flex. 1-1/8-inch tapered forks with zero rake and minimal axle offset deliver instant turning response. Its oversized 26mm chromoly seatpost is unconventional and nearly indestructible.

The Solution Pro rolls light and true on all-new Araya RB-17 32-spoke chromed alloy racing rims and polished, small-flange sealed bearing hubs. Traction is delivered by Mongoose 20x1.80-inch black skinwall knobbies — brand new for '91. With all these features plus our new Pro Class handlebars, forged alloy pedals, and padded Velo saddle, the 1991 Solution Pro defines the state of the art in racing performance and technology.



Some day, every serious BMX bike will have chrome plated 32-spoke Araya RB-17 rims and polished sealed bearing hubs. The Solution Pro has them now.

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Concaved, forged alloy platforms. Big traction spikes. Hardened chromoly spindles. Man, you gotta love the new Mongoose pedals.



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This year's Expert Comp is radically improved to exceed the demands of today's aspiring BMX hero. Our most popular Mongoose is built around our exclusive Monostay chassis with a 4130 chromoly mainframe and chromoly forks. The Expert Comp features Mongoose's revolutionary new padded Kraton stem--a boon to anyone who's ever bashed their knee on a regular gooseneck. Stopping the Expert Comp is easy, thanks to its Dia-Compe Bulldog brakes and Tech-3 alloy lever. Other race-ready features include a set of Araya MP-20 alloy rims with Mongoose skinwall tires, new Mongoose composite pedals, a quick-change alloy chainring, and a supertough Velo saddle.



Slammin' Sam Arellano, a 10-year veteran of BMX, provides valuable input during the design and testing of every Mongoose performance bicycle.



The Expert Mini, like every new Mongoose bike, features our Monstay frame for unequalled stiffness and strength.





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The Expert Mini is an all new, scaled down version of the legendary Expert Comp, designed exclusively for 7- to 10-year old racers and dirt thrashers. Like its larger brother, the Expert Mini features only the finest mini racing componentry. 20 x 1-3/8inch Sun alloy rims, short-reach 630 alloy calipers, Mongoose composite pedals, a Kraton stem, 165mm chromoly cranks, and a junior Velo saddle.

MENACE.



For pint-sized dirt demons, Mongoose offers the 1991 Menace Mini. Like its larger siblings, the Menace Mini features Mongoose 20x1.80 tires, a Mongoose Kraton stem, Mongoose composite pedals, a reliable coaster brake, and our exclusive Monostay chassis.



The new and improved Mitygoose is 16 inches of micro-sized machinery for growing BMXers with a thirst for fun. Training wheels, a rugged steel chainguard, full ball bearing construction, and fat 16-inch knobby tires deliver all the safety and excitement little BMX mayons demand.

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The Mitygoose for girls is a scaled-down version of the rugged and fun Little Cutie. Its standard features include training wheels, a steel chainguard, molded nylon pedals with ball bearing spindles, and a safe, reliable coaster brake.

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LITTLE CUTIE.

Start him young on this — the 1991 Mongoose Little Foot sidewalk bike. This model features a coaster brake for positive stopping, ball bearing construction, a full steel chainguard, and adjustable handlebars with mini mushroom grips.



The 1991 Mongoose Little Foot sidewalk bike for girls features a full steel chainguard, rugged nylon pedals, our new Monostay frame, full ball bearing construction, and a dependable coaster brake---what more could a loving mother ask for?



Mongoose quality and performance. For rad kids, Mongoose builds three of the coolest machines on the street — the Little Cutie 20-inch, the Little Foot 12-inch, and the Mitygoose 16-inch for girls.

> The Little Cutie features Mongoose's rugged new Monostay frame and fork for incredible strength. Its chrome plated rims, heat-treated one-piece cranks, and Mongoose pedals are tough enough to survive daily thrashings at the local park. For comfort during long hauls, the Little Cutie features a padded Velo saddle and a soft and squishy set of mushroom grips.

HOOLIGA

It's never smart to go looking for trouble, but if any should come your way. Mongoose's revolutionary new street/freestyle machine is tough enough to take it. The 1991 Hooligan boasts the longest list of advanced features ever: 100% 4130 TIG-welded chromoly frame and fork. Removable chromoly bashguard with alloy skid plate. Chrome plated 48-spoke Araya 7X rims with sealed bearing hubs. Odyssey Pitbull brakes, a Gyro, and forged alloy two-finger levers. Forged alloy Mongoose platform pedals with chromoly spindles. Chromoly Pro Class freestyle handlebars. 1.75-inch skinwall tires. A 26mm oversized chromoly Mongoose seat post and Velo saddle. You get the point--Bad. Just like Dennis McCoy.





This sticker just about sums it up. The Hooligan is built on an all-new 4130 chromoly Mongoose chassis with oversized tubing. What else did you expect?

VELO

Mongoose's exclusive double-ovalized 1-1/2-inch down tube adds strength and style to our linest freestyle machine ever.

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SEATPOSTS 100% chromoly. Straight or laidback. 26mm oversized design — exclusively for Mongoose performance bicycles. Chrome.



HOOLIGAN FRAMESET

The design of the '90s... made better. Removable chromoly bashguard with replaceable alloy skid plate. Integrated top tube platform. Doubleovalized 1-1/2-inch down tube. Tapered 3/4-inch rear stays. Radiused dropouts. 1-1/8-inch tapered forks with 26-thread axle peg bosses; brazed-on brake cable guide. Black with chrome-plated fork.

ACCESSORIES



PEDALS

Available in two styles: molded composite and forged alloy. Chromoly spindles. 1/2- and 9/16-inch sizes. Large platform design for maximum footing and traction. Black or Silver.



PRO CLASS HANDLEBARS Pro BMX and freestyle design. 100% TIG-welded chromoly construction. Deep knurled, thick-walled bottom tube stays clamped where you want it; resists crushing. Chrome plate.



SOLUTION PRO FRAMESET

Mongoose Monostay design. 100% chromoly construction. Double-ovalized 1-1/2-inch down tube. 26mm oversized seat tube. Radiused dropouts and 3/4-inch tapered rear stays. Tapered 1-1/8-inch forks with butted steer tube. Metallic Blue with chrome plated fork.

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