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DEFENDER MAX DPS HD8

2021

HIGHLIGHTS

TOUGH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heavy-duty Rotax[®] engine • Smooth, durable and responsive transmission • True Can-Am DNA with a strong identity
CAPABLE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work or ride with confidence • Meaningful and versatile functionality • Easy handling and capabilities
CLEVER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced comfort and intuitive cockpit with optimized visibility • Multifunction cargo box with sturdy tailgate and smart storage • 1 year maintenance-free and easy access to key maintenance components
PLATFORM FEATURES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 63.5 in. wide • 115.5 in. wheelbase • 11 in. of ground clearance • 2,500 lb towing capacity • Multifunction cargo box • 27 in. Maxxis[®] Bighorn 2.0¹ • Rear differential with Turf mode • VERSA-PRO bench seats • HMWPE central skid plate • 4.5 in. digital display
SPECIFIC TO DPS HD8 PACKAGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dynamic Power Steering (DPS™) • Visco-Lok¹ QE front differential • 14 in. cast-aluminum wheels • Mossy Oak Break-Up Country Camo water dipped option

ENGINE	HD8
Type	50 hp/50 lb-ft, Rotax 799.9 cc, V-twin, liquid cooled
Fuel Delivery System	Intelligent Throttle Control (ITC™) with Electronic Fuel Injection (EFI)
Transmission	PRO-TORQ Transmission with Quick Response System (QRS), high-airflow ventilation and Electronic Drive Belt Protection, Extra-L/H/N/R/P
Drive Train	Selectable Turf Mode/2WD/4WD with Visco-Lok QE auto-locking front differential
Driving Assistance	Electronic Hill Descent Control ECO™/ECO™ Off/Work modes
Power Steering	Dynamic Power Steering (DPS)

SUSPENSIONS	
Front Suspension	Double A-arm/10 in. (25.4 cm) travel
Front Shocks	Twin tube gas charged shocks
Rear Suspension	TTA with external sway bar/10 in. (25.4 cm) travel
Rear Shocks	Twin tube gas charged shocks

TIRES & WHEELS	
Front Tires	Maxxis Bighorn 2.0 27 x 9 x 14 in. (68.6 x 22.9 x 35.6 cm)
Rear Tires	Maxxis Bighorn 2.0 27 x 11 x 14 in. (68.6 x 27.9 x 35.6 cm)
Wheels	14 in. (35.6 cm) cast-aluminum

BRAKES	
Front	Dual 220 mm ventilated disc brakes with hydraulic twin-piston calipers
Rear	Dual 220 mm ventilated disc brakes with hydraulic twin-piston calipers



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DIMENSIONS & CAPACITIES

Chassis/Cage	Profiled cage, ROPS approved
Estimated Dry Weight	1,750.4 lb (794 kg)
L x W x H	153.4 x 63.5 x 76 in. (389.6 x 161.2 x 193 cm)
Wheelbase	115.5 in. (294 cm)
Ground Clearance	11 in. (28 cm)
Cargo Box Dimensions	38 x 54.5 x 12 in. (96.5 x 138.4 x 30.5 cm)
Cargo Box Capacity	1,000 lb (454 kg)/California only: 600 lb (272.2 kg)
Power Tilt Bed	N/A
Tailgate Load Capacity	250 lb (113.4 kg)
Storage Capacity	Total: 11.1 gal (42.1 L) Under dash: 6 gal (22.8 L) Dash: 1.8 gal (6.9 L) Water-resistant and removable toolbox: 1.7 gal (6.3 L) Armrests and cup holders: 1.6 gal (6.1 L)
Towing Capacity	2,500 lb (1,134 kg)
Payload Capacity	1,750 lb (793.8 kg)
Fuel Capacity	10.6 gal (40 L)
Person Capacity	6

FEATURES

Gauge	4.5 in. (11.4 cm) wide digital display: Speedometer, tachometer, odometer, trip and hour meters, fuel, gear position, ECO™/ECO™ Off/Work modes, seat belt and 4 x 4 indicator, front and rear diff. lock indicators, diagnostics, clock, battery voltage, engine temperature
Battery	12 V (18 A/h)
Magneto	650 W
Instrumentation	Lighter type DC outlet in console (20 A)
Lighting	140 W lighting output from four 35 W reflectors ensuring wide visibility and LED tail lights
Winch	N/A
Seat	Dual VERSA-PRO bench seats with passenger seats flipping up, underside hooks and contoured bench to improve entrance/exit of the cab
Steering Wheel	Adjustable tilt steering
Protection	Integrated front steel bumper, HMWPE central skid plate
Hitch Type	2 in. hitch receiver

WARRANTY

Factory Warranty	2 years BRP limited warranty
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