

# DON'T GIVE THIEVES AN EASY RIDE

**MOTORCYCLE  
THEFT IS ON  
THE INCREASE**



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# Is your **motorbike** a target for thieves?

## Prevent opportunistic thieves from striking by:

- Storing the motorbike in a locked garage where possible
- If you can't store it in a garage, locking it through the wheel and frame to an immovable object such as a bike rack, a lamppost or a tree in a place that is well-lit, in view of others and CCTV cameras
- Fitting approved security devices or having an insurance approved combined alarm/immobiliser such as a Thatcham
- Using a large motorcycle chain lock or motorcycle cable lock secured to an immovable object, such as a ground anchor, a lamppost, or another bike
- Insuring your bike either on home contents insurance or separately
- Putting together a motorbike passport with all the details of your bike along with any receipts, warranties or photos
- Marking your motorbike with your vehicle identification number (VIN)