



Honda Rotary Mower Buying Guide

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Honda's range of petrol rotary lawn mowers are recognised for their high quality performance and long term reliability. The excellent Izy range is rated highly by garden experts and the recently launched HRX range features a number of best-selling lawnmowers. There are rear roller (for striped effect lawns) and four wheeled lawnmowers in Honda's extensive range with a range of cutting widths.

Key features of Honda's rotary mowers are explained below – please refer to the specification comparison chart to see where these features apply on each model.

Roto-Stop safety braking – when you let go of the handle, the engine continues but the blades stop, so you can leave the engine running while you empty the grass bag and self-propelled models can be safely driven across drive ways.

Hydrostatic drive – this feature ensures that the blades turn at a constant speed regardless of the speed at which the lawn mower is travelling. Giving the user variable speed control, so you achieve the perfect cut no matter how quickly or slowly the lawnmower is moving.

Key start – simple and convenient, the electric start ignition makes starting your lawn mower even easier, and is fitted in addition to the standard recoil pull start.

Cutting height adjustment – this means that the cutting height can be altered with a single lever. It is a fast and simple matter to move the blades up or down to achieve an even cut – you may want longer grass in a rough area, for example, and a shorter cut for a lawn.

Self-propelled (driven) models – with these models, the engine drives the wheels or roller as well as the blades. This means that you don't have to push the lawn mower across the lawn.

Easy start Honda engine – reliable starting, low maintenance, all engines run on unleaded petrol.

Heavy duty cutter decks – polystyrene polypropylene, alloy or new Xenoy decks – hard wearing materials that allow extra durability while reducing overall weight.

Rear Roller – models with a rear roller give your lawn the classic striped effect. A rear roller offers greater machine balance and control when cutting around the edge of your lawn.

Environmentally friendly – reduced noise thanks to a revolutionary new blade design and ecology conscious technology. E-spec applies to all Honda lawn and garden products.

Grass collection – grass cuttings are blasted into a large collection bag with a new dust protector at the rear of the lawn mower. A new and patented deck design means superior grass lift, filling the bag completely so you don't have to stop and empty it as often.

Variable mulching system (HRX 537 range) with a single lever this will either collect the grass cuttings into the bag or finely shred and blow them down into the lawn or both. These fine particles help stop the ground drying out and also act as a valuable fertiliser.



Honda Four Wheeled Rotary Mowers

	HRX 426PX	HRX 426SX	HRZ 536TD	HRX 476SX	HRX 476HX	HRX 537HX	HRX 537HM	HRH 536HX
Engine	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	6.5hpOHC 4 stroke	6.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke
Drive	Push	Push	Self propelled	Self propelled	Hydrostatic	Hydrostatic	Hydrostatic	Hydrostatic
Cutting width	17"/42cm	17"/42cm	21"/53cm	19"/47cm	19"/47cm	21"/53cm	21"/53cm	21"/53cm
Cutting height min/max	18-73mm	18-73mm	19-79mm	14-76mm	14-76mm	20-100mm	20-100mm	22-77mm
Cutting height adjustment		Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Mulching system	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Standard	Standard	Optional
Grass bag capacity	60L	60L	60L	73L	73L	88L	88L	83L
Safety braking	Rotostop	Rotostop	Blade brake	Rotostop	Rotostop	Rotostop	Rotostop	Rotostop
Cutter deck material		Polystrong	Steel	Polystrong	Polystrong	Xenoy	Xenoy	
Starter mechanism	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Key	Recoil
Dry weight			42kg			42kg	43kg	61kg
WARRANTY	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years

Honda Rear Roller Rotary Lawnmowers (for striped effect lawns)

	HRX 426QX	HRX 426RX	HRX 476QX	HRH 536QXE	HRD 536QXE
Engine	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke	5.5hpOHC 4 stroke
Drive	Self propelled	Push	Self propelled	Self propelled	Self propelled
Cutting width	17"/42cm	17"/42cm	19"/47cm	21"/53cm	21-53cm
Cutting height min/max	13-49mm	13-49mm	14-54mm	15-53mm	15-53mm
Cutting height adjustment	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Mulching system	Optional	Optional	Optional		Optional
Grass bag capacity	60L	60L	73L		
Safety braking	Rotostop	Rotostop	Rotostop	Rotostop	
Cutter deck material	Polystrong	Polystrong	Polystrong	Alloy	
Starter mechanism	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil	Recoil
Dry weight		35kg	42kg	58kg	50kg
WARRANTY	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years	5 years