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**TRIUMPH 1927 SD 550CC 1 CYL SV**



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## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

### **Triumph 1924 SD 550 cc side valve combination frame # 336253 engine #94110**

The SD (Spring Drive) was in fact a somewhat modernised version of the famous model H, which had grown out of the "Trusty" veteran Triumph. By the mid-twenties belt drive was losing its appeal to many motorcyclists, so Triumph designed a model with chain secondary drive.

The primary chain is protected by a well-engineered aluminium case and runs in an oil bath to minimize maintenance of chain and clutch. The powerful 550 cc engine (bore x stroke = 85x97) has lots of torque. The machine is equipped with three speed Sturmey Archer gearbox, 26x3 beaded edge tyres and full electric Lucas lighting, an expensive accessory in those years.

The stylish sidecar is a "Whitley".

This SD combination is a fine example of high quality twenties British motorcycle technology.





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