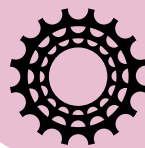



BEST IN TEST



So quick it almost defies its sportive billing, the ROC races to the win

The Genesis is practicality personified. Done up nicely in satin blue paint it looks great and functions unimpeachably. It's not particularly light but it rolls along readily



The Merlin is also quick. We expected a lot given the overheads it ducks, and it delivered: not a weak link in the spec and a blast to ride. We're not sure it'd be out first pick for a long ride, but for bombing about on it's a lot of bike for not a lot of buck. 

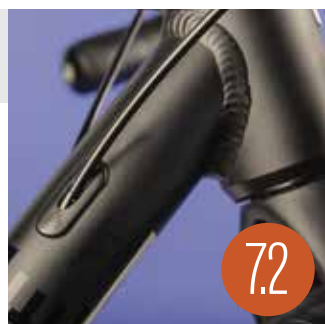
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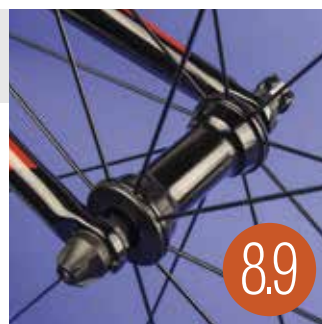
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We expected a lot from the Merlin and it delivered – not a weak link in the spec and a blast to ride