MICHELIN XAS RADIALS THE HIGH PERFORMANCE TYRES. FOR HIGH PRECISION DRIVING.







Only when you fit Michelin XAS radials to a performance car, do you get its full performance out of it.

Because the XAS is unique – the only radial tyre with *asymmetric* tread and construction you can buy.

The tread pattern, as you can see, varies across the width. From the widened outer shoulder, to the inner island blocks, each variation in profile and pattern gives a special performance benefit. What you can't see is Michelin's famous steel cord bracing, supple and strong. It gives the XAS its wonderful handling qualities and tremendous endurance over great mileage.

For maximum performance, at all speeds, in all conditions, for cars capable of up to 130 m.p.h., the XAS radial is the perfect driving instrument. It will bring out the full performance of your car. And give a new precision to your driving.

Our free colour brochure gives a detailed comparison of radials with crossplies, and tells you all about the XAS and other British-made Michelin radials. Write to:
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1 Fantastic grip in the wet from these widely spaced island blocks on the inside area. They squeegee the road, shift water fast, prevent aquaplaning.

2 Extended life from this widened shoulder on the outer edge – the part that takes a pounding at high speeds. Reinforcement here, combined with flexible walls, gives the XAS terrific stamina.

(3) Controlled Adhesion at all speeds, from this close ribbing. Even under limit cornering conditions, the XAS holds the line, with the tread flat down across its whole width, gripping like a leech.

(4) Incisive braking because the whole tread is steel braced, to bite down onto the road, hard and fast. Steadily evenly, without distortion.



