

SCOPE R5C REVIEWED



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RATING

Speed: 9 out of 10

Braking: 7 out of 10

Stiffness: 7 out of 10

Weight: 770g / 950g

£1198,-

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If you are looking for all out speed, the R5c is a super-fast set of wheels that won't disappoint. We matched up the wide profile rim with a 25mm tire that produced a smooth aerodynamic profile and delivered our tester a new 10-mile time trial PB. The wide tire also made for a really comfortable ride making the most of the compliance in the tire.

Lighter riders may find them a little harder to handle in strong crosswinds, but we weren't overly put off by the way they coped with them for – about par for a 55 mm deep rim. The supplied Scope own-brand quick-release skewers have a nice internal cam system and feel secure, though, Scope's brake pads were a little disappointing and wore out quickly.

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