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# Accessorizing the R1200R

rain, often making dedicated rain gloves unnecessary.

**GPS.** My current favorite is the Garmin 2720. I prefer it mounted so it requires minimal head/eye movement to see and wired so I can listen to it. A GPS can be a safety factor IF it's used with audio. Audio eliminates staring at the screen.

**Windscreen.** I hoped the sport shield that came on the bike would be adequate for me. It was obvious on the test ride that the small screen allowed enough wind to hit me that I'd be holding on fighting the wind blast at highway speeds. My ideal is a windscreen that provides some wind protection with no turbulence to cause noise in my helmet and gives me fresh air behind it. That ideal isn't easy to achieve.

**Headlight modulator.** After having them on four bikes I've owned, I can see the difference in driver reaction to the bike as soon as it's turned on. A modulator gets attention of inattentive or distracted drivers.

**Heated gear temperature controller.** I try to ride year-round in New Jersey and I found heat is a good thing to have. My Gerbing jacket liner lets me stay comfortable from about 30 degrees and up. The only problem with the Gerbing liner is that it can be way too hot if used with only a switch. There are several vendors offering variable controllers. I prefer one built into the bike that is inconspicuous, easy to use and always there.

**Tankbag.** I'm a fan of tankbags. Tankbags are useful for the little items that you need when riding that would be a pain to try to dig out of the luggage. Garage door opener, maps, tire pressure gauge, water, Aleve - all of these end up in my tankbag and get used frequently.

Other items are put in the tank bag for longer trips: a more comprehensive first aid kit, an electric tire pump, more tire patching tools/supplies, extra gloves, windshield and faceshield wax. In an ideal world, a tank bag could expand from tiny to large to accommodate the different needs and never be in the way.

Continue reading about Don's modifications in the May issue.