

## press release

adidas cycling x 5<sup>th</sup> Floor

## team will #owntheroad in 3 stripes for new season

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adidas and the 5<sup>th</sup> Floor - a cycling and editorial collective based out of London (UK), and New York (USA) – today announce an exciting partnership, which will see the team train and compete in a range of specially designed adidas products.

They key racing pieces for the team will be custom made  $5^{th}$  Floor skin suits, jerseys, bibs, caps, overshoes and warmers. Using the teams iconic green palette and iconic logo combined with adidas' classic 3 stripes. Part of the adidas x  $5^{th}$  floor kit laydown will also be a limited edition version of the newly launched adistar range, which combines sleek 3 stripes designs with leading tech to produce a kit that embodies the brands rich heritage in the sport – performance, innovation and style.

Established in 2010, The 5th Floor was started by a group of friends with a mutual love of cycling and the culture surrounding it. Now, the team is made up of 21 riders across London and New York, riding and racing in all disciplines; from road and track, to CX and touring. While at it's core, remaining a group of good friends who continue to share their rides and experiences.

5<sup>th</sup> Rider, Rudy Melo commented:

"We are really excited to be working with a brand with such a rich heritage in cycling. We've worked together to produce the kit and cannot wait to race in a kit that looks and performs so well".

Kitty Pemberton-Platt , adidas London newsroom, "For us, The 5<sup>th</sup> Floor embodies so much of what we think is great about cycling. They repeatedly push themselves on a competitive level, whilst keeping the social side of the sport at the heart of everything they do, continually inspiring others to get out on the road. We are thrilled to be taking our extensive experience in cycling to London and supporting The 5<sup>th</sup> Floor this season. We've worked very closely together to produce the next generation of 5<sup>th</sup> Floor apparel, which will not only look sharp but give them the best level of performance in the saddle that they've ever had".

More information on the 5<sup>th</sup> Floor can be found on their website at www.the5thfloor.cc with further details on the adidas cycling range available by visiting <u>www.adidascycling.com</u>. Our social media news room <u>www.news.adidas.com</u> or join the conversation on twitter and instagram @adidasuk #owntheroad



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