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# FELT F2X

\$6,500



OK. YOU GOT US: THIS BIKE ISN'T ALL BLACK. NO worries, fluorescent yellow can be just as fetching (and polarizing?) as Felt's latest flagship cyclocross offering shows. After the absence of a full carbon cross bike in its lineup, for 2012 Felt's top level cross bike gets the full carbon treatment and comes standard with Shimano's Di2 groupset. Fulcrum supplies the wheels for the F2X, with the aluminum Racing 3 CX wheelset offering tubeless compatibility. Felt

follows through and equips the F2X with tubeless tires from Vittoria, giving riders the ability to run much lower tire pressures without forking over wads of cash for race-day tubulars. TRP's novel linear-pull CX 8.4 brakes offer much more power and control than more conventional cantilever brakes, and are a welcome sight. Still not a fan of the Day-Glo? Don't fret, cover the bike in a good layer of mud and presto-change-o, you're in business. / [feltbicycles.com](http://feltbicycles.com)