

OPERATION

PRE-RIDE INSPECTION

WARNING

*** If the Pre-ride Inspection is not performed, severe personal injury or vehicle damage may result.**

Inspect your motorcycle every day before you ride it. The items listed here will only take a few minutes to inspect, and in the long run they can save time, expense, and possibly your life.

1. Engine oil level—add engine oil if required (page 26). Check for leaks.
2. Fuel level—fill fuel tank when necessary (page 23). Check for leaks.
3. Front and rear brakes—check operation; make sure there is no brake fluid leakage. Adjust free play if necessary (pages 17—20).
4. Tyres—check condition and pressure (pages 28—29).
5. Throttle—check for smooth opening and full closing in all steering positions.
6. Lighting—See if all lights operate properly.
7. Engine stop switch—check for proper function (page 32).
8. Battery electrolyte—check the level and add if necessary (page 79).

Correct any discrepancy before you ride. Contact your Honda dealer for assistance if you cannot correct the problem.