

■ RIDING THE MOTORCYCLE

1. After the engine has been warmed up, the motorcycle is ready for riding.
2. Return the throttle grip to the idling position and depress the gear change pedal to shift into low gear (1st).

Note: Refrain from starting out in 3rd (top) gear as this will have an adverse effect on the clutch.

3. Increase the engine speed by twisting the throttle grip inward. When the motorcycle attains a speed of approximately 10 mph (16 kph), close the throttle and shift to 2nd gear by depressing the gear change pedal.
4. This sequence is repeated to progressively shift into the next higher gear. (refer to page 13 for operation of gear change pedal).
The maximum allowable safe speed for the respective gear are shown in the following table.

mph (kph)		
1st (low)	2nd	3rd
13 (21)	30 (48)	47 (75)

Note: When shifting gears either up or down, the throttle grip must be closed.