

# Is Your Motorcycle Ready to Ride?

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*Leaks* Look under the motorcycle for signs of leaking fluids (fuel, engine oil, brake fluid).

*Engine Oil* Check the level and add oil if needed (page 64).

*Fuel* Check the level and add fuel (page 59) if needed. Also make sure the fuel fill cap is securely fastened.

*Drive Chain* Check the condition and slack. Adjust and lubricate if needed. Also check the chain slider for wear and replace if needed (page 104).

*Cables* Check the cable housings for wear. Check the fittings for looseness. Replace or tighten as needed.

*Nuts & Bolts* Use a wrench to make sure all accessible nuts, bolts, and fasteners are tight.

*Spark Plug & Cap* Check for looseness (page 78).