Engine Oil & Filter

Changing Engine Oil & Filter

Refer to Safety Precautions on page 77.

Your ATV's oil filter has very specific performance requirements. Use a new genuine Honda oil filter specified for your model or a filter of equal quality.

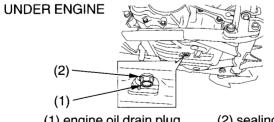
NOTICE

Using the wrong oil filter may result in leaks or premature engine damage.

This procedure requires mechanical skill and professional tools such as a torque wrench, as well as a means for disposing of the drained fluid (page 178). If you do not have the skills or the tools, see your Honda dealer

Drain the Engine Oil:

- 1. Start the engine in a well-ventilated area and let it idle for 3-5 minutes. Stop the engine and wait 2-3 minutes.
- 2. With the ATV on level ground, remove the engine oil filler cap from the left side of the crankcase cover.
- 3. Place an oil drain pan under the crankcase and remove the engine oil drain plug (1) and sealing washer (2).



(1) engine oil drain plug

(2) sealing washer