

Pre-ride Inspection

To ensure safety, it is your responsibility to perform a pre-ride inspection and make sure that any problem you find is corrected. A pre-ride inspection is a must, not only for safety, but because having a breakdown, or even a flat tire, can be a major inconvenience.

Check the following items before you get on your motorcycle:

- Fuel level-Fill fuel tank when necessary. [➤ P. 27](#)
- Throttle-Check for smooth opening and full closing in all steering positions. [➤ P. 74](#)
- Engine oil level-Add engine oil if necessary. Check for leaks. [➤ P. 58](#)
- Coolant level-Add coolant if required. Check for leaks. [➤ P. 62](#)

- Brakes-Check operation; Front and Rear: check brake fluid level ([➤ P. 64](#)) and pads wear. [➤ P. 65](#)
- Lights and horn-Check that lights, indicators and horn function properly.
- Engine stop switch-check for proper function. [➤ P. 22](#)
- Clutch-Check operation; Adjust freeplay if necessary. [➤ P. 66](#)
- Side stand ignition cut-off system-check for proper function. [➤ P. 69](#)
- Wheels and tires-Check condition, air pressure and adjust if necessary. [➤ P. 45](#)