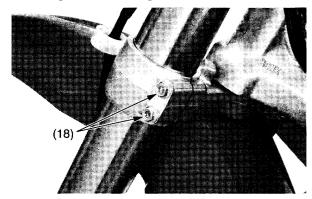
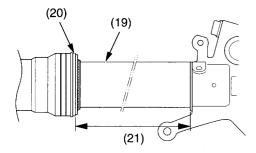
Front Suspension Adjustments

10.Loosen the fork bridge lower pinch bolts (18), then pull the fork legs down and out.



(18) fork bridge lower pinch bolts

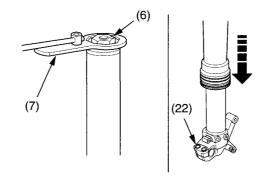
- 11. Clean the fork assembly, especially the sliding surface (19) of the slider and fork dust seal (20).
- 12. Measure the length (21) between the axle holder and outer tube and record it before disassembling the fork.



(19) sliding surface (20) fork dust seal

(21) length

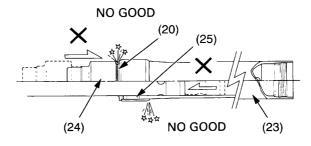
13. Hold the outer tube, then remove the fork damper (6) from the outer tube using a lock nut wrench (7). Gently slide the outer tube down onto the lower end (axle holder) (22).



- (6) fork damper
- (7) lock nut wrench
- (22) axle holder

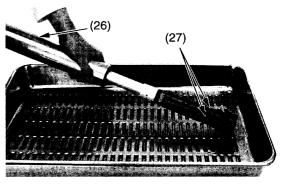
NOTICE

The outer tube (23) can drop on the slider (24) and damage the fork dust seal (20) and guide bushing (25) when the fork damper is removed. To avoid damage hold both the outer tube and slider when removing the fork damper.



- (20) fork dust seal
- (23) outer tube
- (24) slider
- (25) guide bushing

14. Drain the fork oil from the outer tube/slider (26). Drain the fork oil from the oil holes (27) of the fork damper.



(26) outer tube/slider

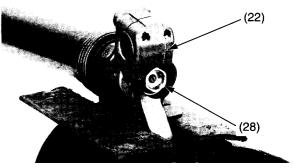
(27) oil holes

- 15. Temporarily install the fork damper to the outer tube.
- 16. Place the lower end (axle holder) (22) of the slider in a vise with a piece of wood or soft jaws to avoid to damage.

NOTICE

Overtightening the vice can damage the axle holder.

17.Loosen the fork centre bolt (28).



(22) axle holder

(28) fork centre bolt

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