

## Inspecting the Drive Chain Slack

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Check the drive chain slack at several points along the chain. If the slack is not constant at all points, some links may be kinked and binding.

Have the chain inspected by your dealer.

1. Shift the transmission to Neutral. Stop the engine.
2. Place your motorcycle on its side stand on a firm, level surface.

3. Check the slack in the lower half of the drive chain midway between the sprockets.

### Drive chain slack:

**CRF1000A/D**

1 3/8 - 1 3/4 in (35 - 45 mm)

**CRF1000A II/D II**

1 3/4 - 2 3/16 in (45 - 55 mm)

- ▶ Do not ride your motorcycle if the slack exceeds 2 3/8 in (60 mm).