

Periodic Maintenance

Tires & Wheels	<p>Check the air pressure with a gauge and add air if needed (page 121).</p> <p>Examine the tread for wear (page 123).</p> <p>Look closely for nails, embedded objects, cuts, and other types of damage (page 123). Roll your motorcycle so you can inspect the entire surface.</p> <p>Check the condition of the rims and spokes.</p>
Fluids	<p>Check the levels of the engine oil (page 85), coolant (page 92), brake fluid (page 114), and final drive oil (page 98). Add the correct fluid as necessary, and investigate the cause of any low fluid level.</p>
Lights	<p>Make sure the headlight, brakelight, taillight, and turn signals are working properly.</p>
Freeplay	<p>Check the freeplay of the clutch lever (page 103), rear brake pedal (page 117), and throttle grip (page 101).</p>
Fuses	<p>Make sure you have a full supply of spare fuses.</p>
Nuts & Bolts	<p>Check the major fasteners and tighten as needed.</p>