

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 84), coolant (page 91), brake fluid (page 113), and final drive oil (page 97). 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 102), rear brake pedal (page 117), and throttle grip (page 100).</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>