

Periodic Checks

You should also perform other periodic maintenance checks at least once a month regardless of how often you ride, or more often if you ride frequently.

Also, check the odometer reading against the Maintenance Schedule and perform all maintenance that is due. ➤ P. 138

Tires and wheels	Check the air pressure (➤ P. 147), examine tread for wear and damage (➤ P. 147), and check the wheels for damage.
Fluid levels	Check the engine oil level (➤ P. 154), engine coolant level (➤ P. 158), clutch fluid level (GL1800/B) (➤ P. 164), final drive oil level (➤ P. 159) and brake fluid level (➤ P. 160).
Lights	Check that the headlight, brake light, taillight, turn signals and license plate light are working properly.
Controls	Check the freeplay of the throttle grip (➤ P. 165). Check the clutch lever (GL1800/B) (➤ P. 167), front brake lever (➤ P. 167), rear brake pedal, and parking brake (GL1800BD/D/DA) (➤ P. 162) operate properly.
Fuses	Check that you have a full supply of spare fuses.
Nuts & bolts	Check the major nuts and bolts, and tighten as needed.