

## Checking Spark Plug

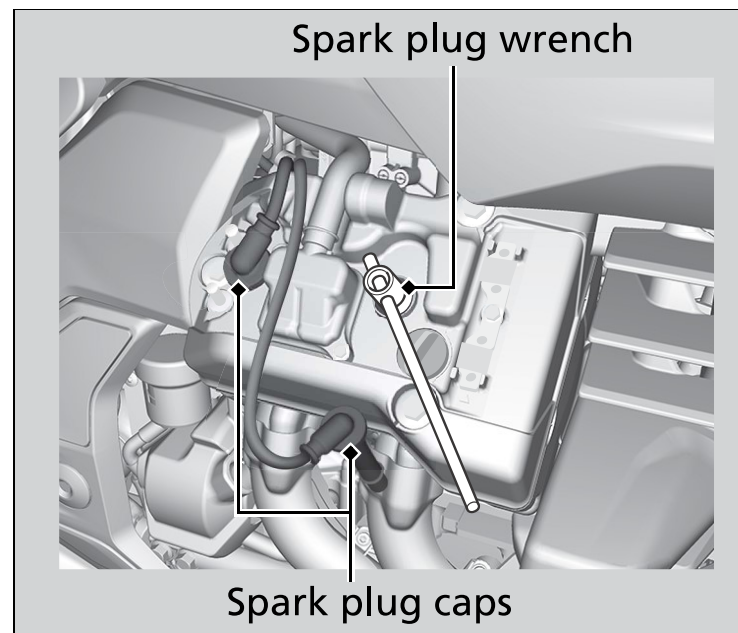
For the recommended spark plugs, see “Specifications.” ➤ P. 159

Use only the recommended type of spark plugs in the recommended heat range.

### NOTICE

Using spark plugs with an improper heat range can cause engine damage.

1. Remove the right and left over head covers. ➤ P. 88
2. Disconnect the spark plug caps from the spark plugs.
3. Clean any dirt from around the spark plug bases.
4. Remove the spark plugs using a spark plug wrench.



5. Inspect the electrodes and centre porcelain for deposits, erosion or carbon fouling.
  - ▶ If the erosion or deposit is heavy, replace the plug.
  - ▶ Clean a carbon or wet-fouled plug with a plug cleaner, otherwise use a wire brush.