

3. Insert the rear axle shaft from the left side, through the left swingarm, wheel hub and rear brake bracket.
4. Install the drive chain by pushing the rear wheel forward.
5. Install the rear axle nut and tighten the drive chain adjusting bolts. Refer to drive chain adjustment (page 97).
6. Tighten the axle nut to the specified torque:
127 N·m (13.0 kgf·m , 94 lbf·ft)

When installing the wheel, carefully fit the brake disc between the brake pads to avoid damaging the pads.

7. After installing the wheel, apply the brake several times and then check if the wheel rotates freely. Recheck the wheel if the brake drags or if the wheel does not rotate freely.

If a torque wrench was not used for installation, see your Honda dealer as soon as possible to verify proper assembly. Improper assembly may lead to loss of braking capacity.