

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. 37](#)

Tires and wheels	Check the air pressure (▶ P. 48), examine tread for wear and damage (▶ P. 49, 49), and check the wheels for damage.
Fluid levels	Check the engine oil level (▶ P. 54), and brake fluid level (▶ P. 58).
Lights	Check that the headlight, position light, brake light, taillight, turn signals and license plate light are working properly.
Controls	Check the freeplay of the clutch lever (▶ P. 65), and throttle grip (▶ P. 68).
Drive chain	Check the slack (▶ P. 61), adjust the slack (▶ P. 62), and lubricate (▶ P. 47) as needed.
Fuses	Check that you have a full supply of spare fuses.
Nuts & bolts	Check the major nuts and bolts, and tighten as needed.