

# Engine Oil & Filter

## Checking & Adding Oil

Refer to *Safety Precautions* on page 91.

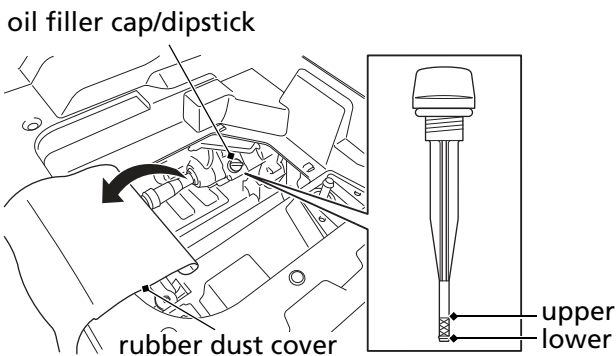
Check the engine oil level each day before operating your Honda SXS and add, if needed.

Before driving your SXS, check the engine oil level.

1. Park your Honda SXS on a firm, level surface.
2. Start the engine in a well-ventilated area and let it idle for 3 – 5 minutes. Stop the engine and wait 2 – 3 minutes.
3. Remove the seat bottom (page 106) and fold open the rubber dust cover on the left side.
4. Remove the oil filler cap/dipstick from the front crankcase cover and wipe it clean.
5. Insert the oil filler cap/dipstick without screwing it in, then remove the dipstick and check the oil level. The oil level should be between the upper level mark and the lower level mark on the dipstick.

### UNDER SEAT BOTTOM

#### LEFT SIDE



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