

THROTTLE OPERATION

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 45).

Cable Inspection:

Check for smooth rotation of the throttle grip from the fully open to the fully closed position. Check at full left and full right steering positions. Inspect the condition of the throttle cable (1) from the throttle grip down to the carburetor. If the cable is kinked, chafed or improperly routed, it should be replaced or rerouted.

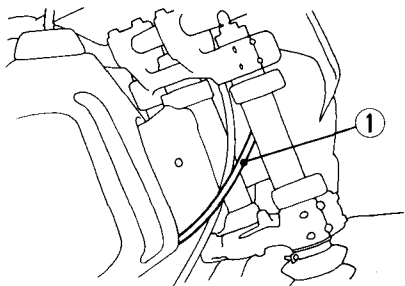
Check the cable for tension or stress at both full left and full right steering position. Lubricate the throttle cable with a commercially available cable lubricant to prevent premature wear and corrosion.

⚠ WARNING

- * **For safe operation and positive engine response, the throttle cable must be properly adjusted.**

Free Play Adjustment:

Standard throttle grip free play is approximately 2–6 mm (1/8–1/4 in) of grip rotation. This play is adjusted at the grip play adjuster.



(1) Throttle cable