

Maintenance Fundamentals

Check the following items at regular intervals:

- Oil level is between the upper and lower level marks. **2 P. 104**
- Brake fluid level is
Front: above the LOWER level mark. **2 P. 112**
Rear: between the UPPER and LOWER level marks. **2 P. 112**
- Engine coolant level is between the UPPER and LOWER level marks. **2 P. 110**
- Side stand functions properly. **2 P. 116**
- **CRF1000D**
Parking brake works properly. **2 P. 114**

Before riding off-road check all of the preceding plus the following:

- Make sure spokes are tight. Check the rims for any damage. **2 P. 121**
- Oil level is between the upper and lower marks. **2 P. 104**
- Check the fuel level and refuel when needed. **2 P. 15, 2 P. 69**
- Be sure the fuel fill cap is securely fastened. **2 P. 69**
- **CRF1000A**
Clutch lever operates smoothly. Adjust freeplay if necessary. **2 P. 122**
- Check for loose cables and other parts, and anything that appears abnormal.
- Use a wrench to check the tightness of all accessible nuts, bolts and fasteners.