

Appearance Care

Frequent cleaning and polishing will keep your Honda looking newer longer. Frequent cleaning also identifies you as an owner who values your scooter. A clean scooter is also easier to inspect and service.

General Recommendations

Refer to *Safety Precautions* on page 70 .

- To clean your scooter, you may use:
 - water
 - a mild, neutral detergent and water
 - a mild spray and wipe cleaner/ polisher
 - a mild spray and rinse cleaner/ degreaser and water

- Avoid products that contain harsh detergents or chemical solvents that could damage the metal, paint, and plastic on your scooter.
- If your scooter is still warm from recent operation, give the engine and exhaust system time to cool off.
- Park in a shady area. Washing your scooter in bright sunlight may cause the finish to fade because water droplets intensify the sun's brightness. Spotting is also more likely because surface water can dry before you have time to wipe it off.
- Clean your scooter regularly to protect surface finishes.