6. Inspect the sprocket teeth for possible wear or damage.

Damaged sprocket
Teeth

Replace

Replace

Normal sprocket Teeth

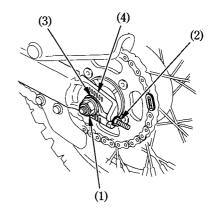
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If the drive chain or sprockets are excessively worn or damaged, they should be replaced. Never use a new chain with worn sprockets; rapid chain wear will result.

Adjustment:

If the drive chain requires adjustment, the procedure is as follows:

- 1. Place a support block under the engine to raise the rear wheel off the ground.
- 2. Loosen the rear axle nut (1).



- (1) Rear axle nut
- (3) Adjuster index mark
- (2) Adjusting nut (4) Graduated scale