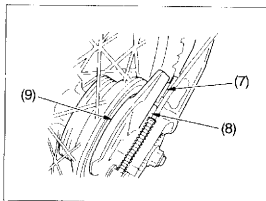


Installation

1. Reverse the removal procedure. Make sure that the lug (7) on the swingarm is located in the slot (8) in the brake panel (9).
2. Adjust the drive chain (page 51).
3. Tighten the axle nut to:
108 N·m (11.0 kgf·m, 80 lbf·ft)
4. Adjust the brake (page 18).
5. Apply the brake several times and check for free wheel rotation after the brake pedal is released.

If a torque wrench was not used for installation, see your Honda dealer as soon as possible to verify proper assembly. Improper assembly may lead to loss of braking capacity.



- (7) Lug
- (8) Slot
- (9) Brake panel

Brake Pad Wear

(Refer to the Safety Precautions on page 35.)

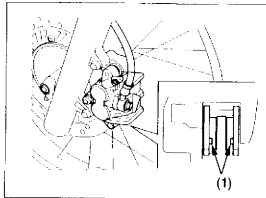
Brake pad wear depends upon the severity of usage, the type of riding, and road conditions. (Generally, the pads will wear faster on wet and dirty roads.)

Inspect the pads at each regular maintenance interval (page 36).

Front Brake

Check the cutout (1) in each pad.

If either pad is worn to the cutout, replace both pads as a set. See your Honda dealer for this service.

FRONT BRAKE

- (1) Cutouts