

FRONT AND REAR SUSPENSION INSPECTION

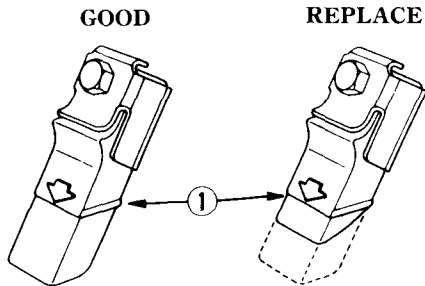
(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 54).

1. Check the front fork assembly by locking the front brake and pumping the fork up and down vigorously. Suspension action should be smooth and there must be no oil leakage.
2. Swingarm bearings should be checked by pushing hard against the side of the rear wheel while the motorcycle is on the center stand. Free play indicates worn bearings.
3. Carefully inspect all front and rear suspension fasteners for tightness.

SIDE STAND

(Refer to the maintenance precautions on page 54).

Check the rubber pad for deterioration and wear. Replace if wear extends to the wear line (See (1) in the picture). Check the side stand assembly for freedom of movement. If parts must be replaced, please contact an authorized HONDA dealer.



(1) Wire line