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Storing Your Honda

- 7. Lubricate the drive chain (page 144).
- 8. Inflate the tires to their recommended pressures (page 132).
- 9. Store your motorcycle in an unheated area, free of dampness, away from sunlight, with a minimum of daily temperature variation.
- 10. Place your motorcycle on blocks to lift both tires off the floor.
- Cover your motorcycle with a porous material. Avoid using plastic or similar non-breathing, coated materials that restrict air flow and allow heat and moisture to accumulate.

Removal from Storage

Refer to Safety Precautions on page 62.

- 1. Uncover and clean your motorcycle.
- 2. If your motorcycle has been stored for more than four months — change the engine oil (page 95).
- 3. If your motorcycle has been stored for more than two months — ask your Honda dealer to drain and replace the fuel.
- 4. Charge the battery (page 150) as required. Install the battery.
- 5. Lubricate the drive chain (page 144).
- 6. Perform a pre-ride inspection (page 33), then test-ride your motorcycle at low speeds.

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