

when it becomes necessary to move the rear axle to position B.

Similarly, if the table specifies axle position B, then the chain should be considered excessively worn when it becomes necessary to move the rear axle to position C.

Lubrication :

Lubricate the drive chain every 500 miles. Commercially prepared drive chain lubricants may be purchased at most motorcycle shops and should be used in preference to motor oil or other lubricants.

Saturate each chain joint so that the lubricant will penetrate the space between adjacent surfaces of link plates and rollers.

Removal and Cleaning :

When the drive chain becomes extremely dirty, it should be removed and cleaned prior to lubrication.

1. Carefully remove the master link retaining clip with pliers. Do not bend or twist the clip. Remove the master link. Remove the drive chain from the motorcycle.
2. Clean the drive chain in solvent and allow to dry. Inspect the drive chain for possible wear or damage. Replace any chain that has damaged rollers, loose fitting links, or otherwise appears