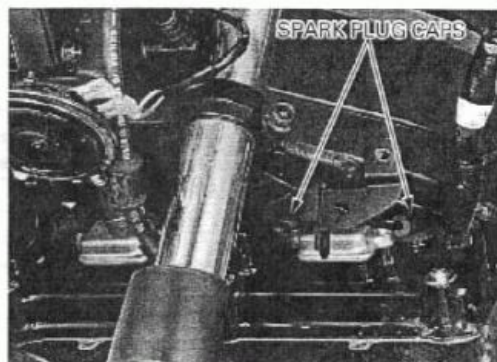


Disconnect the spark plug caps.

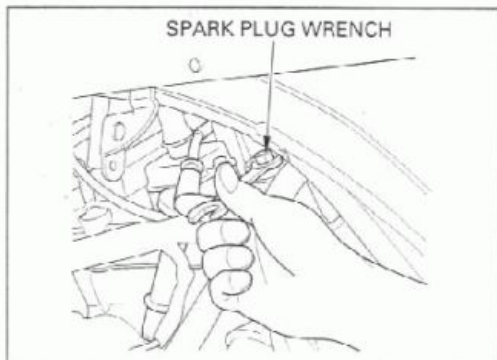
NOTE:

Clean around the spark plug bases with compressed air before removing, and be sure no debris is allowed to enter the combustion chamber.



Remove the spark plug using the supplied spark plug wrench or an equivalent.

Inspect or replace as described in the maintenance schedule.



INSPECTION ('99:)

Check the following and replace if necessary (recommended spark plug: page 3-1)

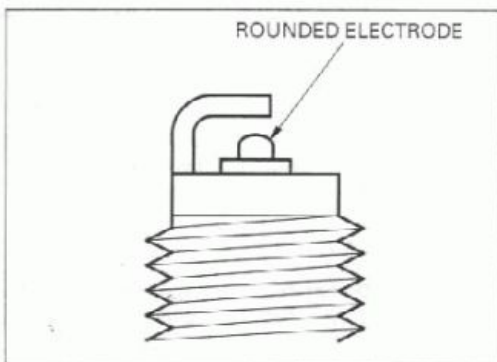
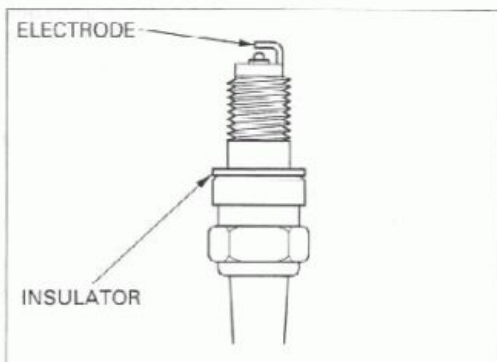
- Insulator for damage
- Electrodes for wear
- Burning condition, discoloration

If the electrode is contaminated with accumulated objects or dirt, clean the electrode using the spark plug cleaner.

CAUTION:

- *This motorcycle's spark plug is equipped with platinum type electrodes. Do not use a wire brush to clean the electrodes.*
- *The plug cleaner should be used with air pressure of less than 6 kgf/cm² (85 psi) and for less than 20 seconds.*

Replace the plug if the center electrode is rounded as shown in the illustration.



SPECIFIED SPARK PLUG: IMR9A-9H (NGK)

Always use the specified spark plugs on this motorcycle.