AWARNING

* Do not downshift when traveling at a speed that would force the engine to overrev in the next lower gear; the rear wheel may lose traction, resulting in a possible loss of vehicle control.

CAUTION:

- * Do not shift gears without disengaging the clutch and closing the throttle. The engine and drive train could be damaged by overspeed and shock.
- * Do not tow the motorcycle or coast for long distances while the engine is off. The transmission will not be properly lubricated and damage may result.
- * Do not ride over a curb or rub the wheel against an obstacle, as wheel damage may result.

NOTE:

* The battery will not charge while the engine speed is near idle speed. Avoid idling for prolonged periods, or continuous operation below:

1,350 min⁻¹ (rpm)

Keep the engine rpm below the tachometer red zone when accelerating in gear, overreving can damage the engine.