

Honda Helix Air Cleaner and Belt Case Air Cleaner **Maintenance**

Tools and Ease: Fairly easy - 30 minutes

Tools/Supplies: Screwdriver, high flash point solvent (kerosene), possibly new air filter

Step 1 - Remove the left rear side cover.

Step 2 - Remove the five screws and retainer clip that secures the air cleaner housing cover. Remove the screw attached to the bracket that secures the air cleaner.

Step 3 - Inspect the air cleaner for excessive wear or dirt. If needed, install a new air cleaner.

Step 4 - Install the removed parts in reverse order of removal.

Step 5 - Remove the two screws and the element cover on the belt case air cleaner (located just left of the main air cleaner).

Step 6 - Remove the element and gently wash the element in a clean, non-flammable (high flash point) solvent such as kerosene — not gasoline. After cleaning, gently squeeze out the remaining solvent. Avoid twisting or wringing the element. This can tear the foam.

Step 7 - Inspect the element for cracks or tears in the foam or seams. Replace the element if it is damaged. Allow the element to dry thoroughly before installation.

Step 8 - Install the element. Install the element cover. Install the left rear side cover.