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**PREPARATION:**

PARK THE BIKE ON A LEVEL SURFACE, TURN THE ENGINE OFF, AND SHIFT THE TRANSMISSION INTO GEAR TO PREVENT THE BIKE FROM ROLLING. TURN THE HANDLEBARS TO THE LEFT TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE ROOM TO ACCESS THE RADIATOR GRILLE. MAKE CERTAIN THE RADIATOR HAS COOLED BEFORE PROCEEDING.

**REMOVAL OF THE OEM GRILLE:**

THE OEM GRILLE IS A SNAP FIT PART SO NO TOOLS ARE REQUIRED FOR REMOVAL. THE GRILLE IS MOUNTED DIRECTLY TO THE RADIATOR. USE CAUTION WHEN REMOVING THE GRILLE TO AVOID INJURY OR DAMAGE TO THE MOTORCYCLE. PLEASE READ THROUGH THESE DIRECTIONS COMPLETELY BEFORE ATTEMPTING THE REMOVAL PROCEDURE.

1. YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO SLIDE THE GRILLE A SMALL AMOUNT TO THE LEFT OR RIGHT. WORKING FROM THE RIGHT HAND SIDE OF THE BIKE, PULL THE GRILLE TO THE RIGHT AS FAR AS IT WILL GO.
2. WITH THE GRILLE PULLED AS FAR TO THE RIGHT AS POSSIBLE, USE YOUR THUMBS TO GENTLY PULL THE BOTTOM RIGHT EDGE OF THE GRILLE FORWARD WHILE AT THE SAME TIME HOLDING THE BOTTOM CENTER OF THE GRILLE IN PLACE WITH YOUR FINGERS. THIS IS SIMILAR TO THE MOTION USED TO REMOVE A PLASTIC LID FROM A CONTAINER. FLEX THE GRILLE TO GET THE GRILLE MOUNTING TABS TO DISENGAGE THE EDGE OF THE RADIATOR. WHEN THE GRILLE IS FLEXED ENOUGH YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO PULL THE CORNER OF THE GRILLE FORWARD WITHOUT RESISTANCE.
3. WHEN THE BOTTOM RIGHT CORNER IS DETACHED FROM THE RADIATOR REPEAT THIS PROCEDURE FOR THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE GRILLE. REMEMBER TO KEEP THE GRILLE FLEXED AS YOU ARE PULLING IT FORWARD. THIS WILL PREVENT THE MOUNTING TABS FROM BREAKING OFF AS YOU PULL IT AWAY FROM THE RADIATOR.
4. WHEN THE RIGHT HAND SIDE OF THE GRILLE HAS BEEN DISENGAGED FROM THE RADIATOR, SLIDE THE GRILLE AS FAR TO THE LEFT AS IT WILL MOVE. THIS WILL DISENGAGE THE LEFT SIDE MOUNTING TABS FROM THE RADIATOR. MOVE TO THE LEFT SIDE OF THE MOTORCYCLE AND FLEX THE GRILLE SLIGHTLY TO GET THE MOUNTING TABS TO COMPLETELY CLEAR THE LEFT EDGE OF THE RADIATOR. THE GRILLE IS NOW FREE OF THE RADIATOR.
5. INSPECT THE RADIATOR AND REMOVE ANY DIRT OR DEBRIS BEFORE INSTALLING THE CHROME GRILLE.

**INSTALLATION OF THE BIG BIKE PARTS CHROME RADIATOR GRILLE:**

THE BIG BIKE PARTS CHROME GRILLE IS A SNAP FIT PART THAT FITS THE RADIATOR IN THE SAME MANNER AS THE OEM GRILLE. PLEASE READ THROUGH THESE INSTRUCTIONS COMPLETELY BEFORE ATTEMPTING THE INSTALLATION.

1. START BY LINING UP THE TOP FLANGE OF THE GRILLE WITH THE TOP OF THE RADIATOR. INSTALL THE LEFT SIDE OF THE GRILLE BY MOVING THE RIB ON THE LEFT REAR OF THE GRILLE BETWEEN THE EDGE OF THE RADIATOR AND THE FRAME TUBE. GENTLY PUSH THE GRILLE TOWARDS THE FACE OF THE RADIATOR AND THEN PULL IT TO THE RIGHT TO ENGAGE THE MOUNTING TABS OF THE GRILLE TO THE EDGE OF THE RADIATOR. YOU MAY NEED TO FLEX THE GRILLE SLIGHTLY WHILE DOING THIS. CHECK THE FIT BY PULLING FORWARD ON THE GRILLE. IT SHOULD BE SECURE AT BOTH THE TOP AND BOTTOM ON THE LEFT SIDE.
2. TO FINISH THE INSTALLATION, PULL THE GRILLE AS FAR TO THE RIGHT AS POSSIBLE. FLEX THE EDGE OF THE TOP RIGHT CORNER FORWARD WITH YOUR THUMBS WHILE AT THE SAME TIME PRESSING THE TOP CENTER OF THE GRILLE IN TOWARDS THE RADIATOR WITH YOUR FINGERS. WITH THE TOP RIGHT CORNER OF THE GRILLE FLEXED YOU WILL BE ABLE TO SLIDE THE MOUNTING TABS OF THE GRILLE OVER THE EDGE OF THE RADIATOR. THIS IS SIMILAR TO SNAPPING A PLASTIC LID ONTO A CONTAINER. REPEAT THIS PROCEDURE FOR THE LOWER RIGHT CORNER OF THE GRILLE.
3. CHECK BOTH SIDES OF THE GRILLE TO ENSURE THAT ALL THE MOUNTING TABS ARE ENGAGED.
4. IF THE GRILLE NEEDS TO BE REMOVED FOR SERVICE, FOLLOW THE SAME PROCEDURE LISTED ABOVE FOR REMOVING THE OEM GRILLE.