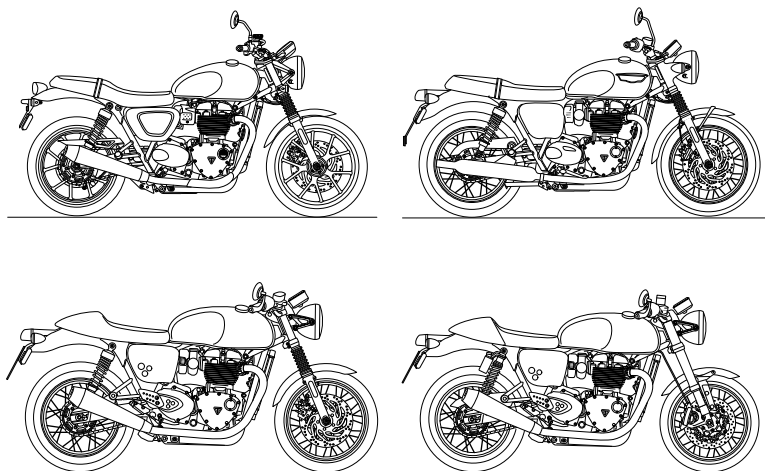




Owner's Handbook

Street Twin, Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120



This handbook contains information on the Triumph Street Twin, Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120 motorcycles. Always store this Owner's Handbook with the motorcycle and refer to it for information whenever necessary.

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FOREWORD

Warnings, Cautions and Notes

Throughout this owner's handbook particularly important information is presented in the following form:

Warning

This warning symbol identifies special instructions or procedures, which if not correctly followed could result in personal injury, or loss of life.

Caution

This caution symbol identifies special instructions or procedures, which, if not strictly observed, could result in damage to, or destruction of, equipment.

Note:

- **This note symbol indicates points of particular interest for more efficient and convenient operation.**

Warning Labels



At certain areas of the motorcycle, the symbol (left) can be seen. The symbol means 'CAUTION: REFER TO THE HANDBOOK' and will be followed by a pictorial representation of the subject concerned.

Never attempt to ride the motorcycle or make any adjustments without reference to the relevant instructions contained in this handbook.

See **page 12** for the location of all labels bearing this symbol. Where necessary, this symbol will also appear on the pages containing the relevant information.

Maintenance

To ensure a long, safe and trouble free life for your motorcycle, maintenance should only be carried out by an authorized Triumph dealer.

Only an authorized Triumph dealer will have the necessary knowledge, equipment and skills to maintain your Triumph motorcycle correctly.

To locate your nearest Triumph dealer, visit the Triumph website at www.triumph.co.uk or telephone Triumph Motorcycles America Limited on (678) 854 2010.

Foreword

Noise Control System

Tampering With the Noise Control System is Prohibited.

Owners are warned that the law may prohibit:

1. The removal or rendering inoperative by any person other than for purposes of maintenance, repair or replacement, of any device or element of design incorporated into any new vehicle for the purpose of noise control prior to its sale or delivery to the ultimate purchaser or while it is in use and,
2. the use of the vehicle after such device or element of design has been removed or rendered inoperative by any person.

Tyres

With reference to the Pneumatic Tires and Tubes for Automotive Vehicles (Quality Control) Order, 2009, Cl. No. 3 (c), it is declared by M/s. Triumph Motorcycles Ltd. that the tires installed on this motorcycle meet the requirements of IS 15627: 2005 and comply with the requirements under Central Motor Vehicle Rules (CMVR), 1989.

Owner's Handbook

Thank you for choosing a Triumph motorcycle. This motorcycle is the product of Triumph's use of proven engineering, exhaustive testing, and continuous striving for superior reliability, safety and performance.

Please read this owner's handbook before riding in order to become thoroughly familiar with the correct operation of your motorcycle's controls, its features, capabilities and limitations.

This handbook includes safe riding tips, but does not contain all the techniques and skills necessary to ride a motorcycle safely.

Triumph strongly recommends that all riders undertake a safety course approved by the Motorcycle Safety Foundation to ensure safe operation of this motorcycle. Information about the nearest Motorcycle Safety Foundation course to you can be obtained by calling the following nationwide toll free number: 800-447-4700, or by writing to the Motorcycle Safety Foundation at: 2, Jenner Street, Irvine, California 92718. To ensure a long and trouble free life for your motorcycle, maintenance should be carried out as described in this manual by an authorized Triumph dealer.

This handbook is available from your local dealer in:

- English
- US English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Dutch
- Spanish
- Portuguese
- Swedish
- Japanese
- Thai.

Warning

This owner's handbook, and all other instructions that are supplied with your motorcycle, should be considered a permanent part of your motorcycle and should remain with it even if your motorcycle is subsequently sold.

All riders must read this owner's handbook and all other instructions which are supplied with your motorcycle, before riding, in order to become thoroughly familiar with the correct operation of your motorcycle's controls, its features, capabilities and limitations. Do not lend your motorcycle to others as riding when not familiar with your motorcycle's controls, features, capabilities and limitations can lead to an accident.

Talk to Triumph

Our relationship with you does not end with the purchase of your Triumph. Your feedback on the buying and ownership experience is very important in helping us develop our products and services for you. Please help us by ensuring your dealership has your email address and registers this with us. You will then receive an online customer satisfaction survey invitation to your E-mail address where you can give us this feedback. Your Triumph Team.

SAFETY FIRST

The Motorcycle

Warning

This motorcycle is designed for on-road use only. It is not suitable for off-road use.

Off-road operation could lead to loss of control of the motorcycle resulting in an accident causing injury or loss of life.

Warning

This motorcycle is not designed to tow a trailer or be installed with a sidecar. Fitting a sidecar and/or a trailer may result in loss of control and an accident.

Warning

This motorcycle is designed for use as a two-wheeled vehicle capable of carrying a rider on his/her own, or a rider and one passenger (subject to a passenger seat being installed).

The total weight of the rider, and any passenger, accessories and luggage must not exceed the maximum load limit of 463 lb (210 kg).

Fuel and Exhaust Fumes

Warning

GASOLINE IS HIGHLY FLAMMABLE:

Always turn off the engine when refueling.

Do not refuel or open the fuel filler cap while smoking or in the vicinity of any open (naked) flame.

Take care not to spill any gasoline on the engine, exhaust pipes or mufflers when refueling.

If gasoline is swallowed, inhaled or allowed to get into the eyes, seek immediate medical attention.

Spillage on the skin should be immediately washed off with soap and water and clothing contaminated with gasoline should immediately be removed.

Burns and other serious skin conditions may result from contact with gasoline.

Warning

Never start your engine or let it run for any length of time in a closed area. The exhaust fumes are poisonous and may cause loss of consciousness and death within a short time. Always operate your motorcycle in the open-air or in an area with adequate ventilation.

Helmet and Clothing

Warning

When riding the motorcycle, both rider and passenger must always wear a motorcycle helmet, eye protection, gloves, boots, trousers (close fitting around the knee and ankle) and a brightly colored jacket. Brightly colored clothing will considerably increase a rider's (or passenger's) visibility to other operators of road vehicles. Although full protection is not possible, wearing correct protective clothing can reduce the risk of injury when riding.

Warning

A helmet is one of the most important pieces of riding gear as it offers protection against head injuries. You and your passenger's helmet should be carefully chosen and should fit you or your passenger's head comfortably and securely. A brightly colored helmet will increase a rider's (or passenger's) visibility to other operators of road vehicles.

An open face helmet offers some protection in an accident though a full face helmet will offer more.

Always wear a visor or approved goggles to help vision and to protect your eyes.



When choosing a helmet, always look for a DOT (Department of Transport) sticker indicating that the helmet has DOT approval. Do not buy a helmet without DOT approval.

Parking

Warning

Always turn off the engine and remove the ignition key before leaving the motorcycle unattended. By removing the key, the risk of use of the motorcycle by unauthorized or untrained persons is reduced.

When parking the motorcycle, always remember the following:

Engage first gear to help prevent the motorcycle from rolling off the stand.

The engine and exhaust system will be hot after riding. DO NOT park where pedestrians, animals and/or children are likely to touch the motorcycle.

Do not park on soft ground or on a steeply inclined surface. Parking under these conditions may cause the motorcycle to fall over.

For further details, please refer to the 'How to Ride the Motorcycle' section of this owner's handbook.

Safety First

Parts and Accessories

Warning

Owners should be aware that the only approved parts, accessories and conversions for any Triumph motorcycle are those which carry official Triumph approval and are installed to the motorcycle by an authorized dealer.

In particular, it is extremely hazardous to install or replace parts or accessories whose fitting requires the dismantling of, or addition to, either the electrical or fuel systems and any such modification could cause a safety hazard.

The fitting of any non-approved parts, accessories or conversions may adversely affect the handling, stability or other aspect of the motorcycle operation that may result in an accident causing injury or death.

Triumph does not accept any liability whatsoever for defects caused by the fitting of non-approved parts, accessories or conversions or the fitting of any approved parts, accessories or conversions by non-approved personnel.

Maintenance/Equipment

Warning

Consult your authorized Triumph dealer whenever there is doubt as to the correct or safe operation of this Triumph motorcycle.

Remember that continued operation of an incorrectly performing motorcycle may aggravate a fault and may also compromise safety.

Warning

Ensure all equipment that is required by law is installed and functioning correctly. The removal or alteration of the motorcycle's lights, mufflers, emission or noise control systems can violate the law. Incorrect or improper modification may adversely affect the handling, stability or other aspect of the motorcycle operation, which may result in an accident causing injury or death.

Warning

If the motorcycle is involved in an accident, collision or fall, it must be taken to an authorized Triumph dealer for inspection and repair. Any accident can cause damage to the motorcycle that, if not correctly repaired, may cause a second accident that may result in injury or death.

Riding

Warning

Never ride the motorcycle when fatigued or under the influence of alcohol or other drugs.

Riding when under the influence of alcohol or other drugs is illegal.

Riding when fatigued or under the influence of alcohol or other drugs reduces the rider's ability to maintain control of the motorcycle and may lead to loss of control and an accident.

Warning

All riders must be licensed to operate the motorcycle. Operation of the motorcycle without a license is illegal and could lead to prosecution.

Operation of the motorcycle without formal training in the correct riding techniques that are necessary to become licensed is dangerous and may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Always ride defensively and wear the protective equipment mentioned elsewhere in this foreword. Remember, in an accident, a motorcycle does not give the same impact protection as a car.

Warning

This Triumph motorcycle should be operated within the legal speed limits for the particular road travelled. Operating a motorcycle at high speeds can be potentially dangerous since the time available to react to given traffic situations is greatly reduced as road speed increases. Always reduce speed in potentially hazardous driving conditions such as bad weather or heavy traffic.

Warning

Continually observe and react to changes in road surface, traffic and wind conditions. All two-wheeled vehicles are subject to external forces which may cause an accident. These forces include but are not limited to:

Wind draft from passing vehicles;

Potholes, uneven or damaged road surfaces;

Bad weather;

Rider error.

Always operate the motorcycle at moderate speed and away from heavy traffic until you have become thoroughly familiar with its handling and operating characteristics. Never exceed the legal speed limit.

Warning

Ensure that you know and respect the rules of the road. Read and observe publications such as 'MOTORCYCLE SAFETY', 'YOU AND YOUR MOTORCYCLE, RIDING TIPS' and also read and become familiar with the contents of the MOTORCYCLE HANDBOOK for your state.

Caution

This Triumph motorcycle is not equipped with spark arresters. Operation in forests, brush or grass areas may violate state and local laws and regulations.

Wobble/Weave

A weave is a relatively slow oscillation of the rear of the motorcycle, while a wobble is a rapid, possibly strong shaking of the handlebar. These are related but distinct stability problems usually caused by excessive weight in the wrong place, or by a mechanical problem such as worn or loose bearings or under-inflated or unevenly worn tires.

Your solution to both situations is the same. Keep a firm hold on the handlebars without locking arms or fighting the steering. Smoothly ease off the throttle to slow gradually. Do not apply the brakes, and do not accelerate to try to stop the wobble or weave. In some cases, it helps to shift your body weight forward by leaning over the tank.

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Handlebars and Footrests

Warning

The rider must maintain control of the vehicle by keeping hands on the handlebars at all times.

The handling and stability of a motorcycle will be adversely affected if the rider removes his hands from the handlebars, resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

! Warning

The rider and passenger must always use the footrests provided, during operation of the vehicle.

By using the footrests, both rider and passenger will reduce the risk of inadvertent contact with any motorcycle components and will also reduce the risk of injury from entrapment of clothing.

! Warning

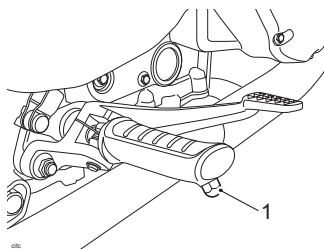
Use of a motorcycle with bank angle indicators worn beyond the maximum limit will allow the motorcycle to be banked to an unsafe angle. Therefore, always replace the bank angle indicator pegs before they are worn to their maximum limit. Banking to an unsafe angle may cause instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident. Details of the bank angle wear limits can be found in the Maintenance and Adjustment section on **page 105**.

! Warning

The bank angle indicators must not be used as a guide to how far the motorcycle may be safely banked. This depends on many various conditions including, but not limited to, road surface, tire condition and weather. Banking to an unsafe angle may cause instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

! Warning

When banking and the bank angle indicator, attached to the rider's footrest, makes contact with the ground, the motorcycle is nearing its bank angle limit. A further increase of the banking angle is unsafe. Banking to an unsafe angle may cause instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.



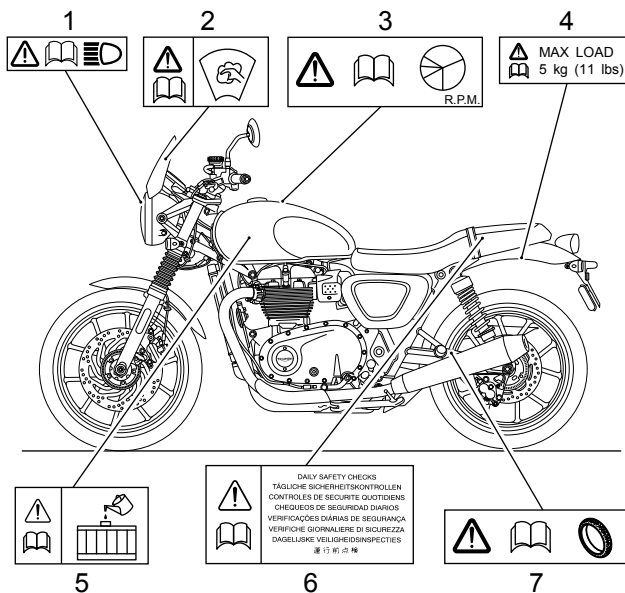
1. Bank angle indicator

Warning Labels

WARNING LABELS

Warning Label Locations

The labels detailed on this and the following pages draw your attention to important safety information in this handbook. Before riding, ensure that all riders have understood and complied with all the information to which these labels relate.

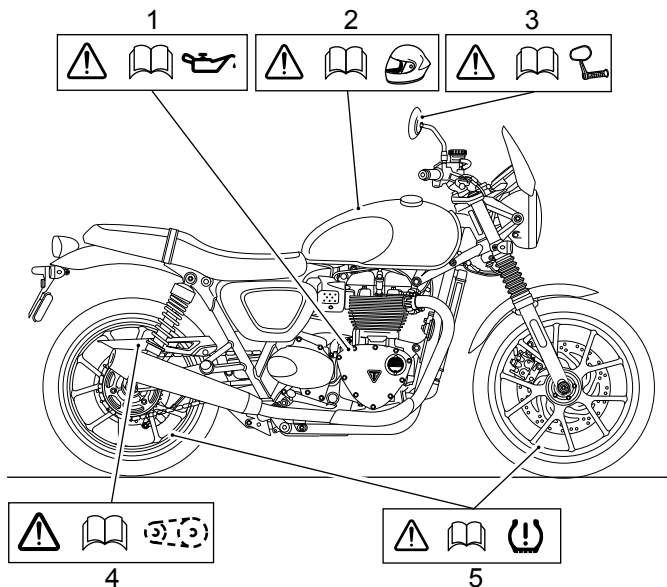


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| 1. Headlight (page 117) | 5. Coolant (page 83) |
| 2. Windscreen (if equipped) (page 111) | 6. Daily Safety Checks (page 59) |
| 3. Running-In (page 58) | 7. Tires (page 105) |
| 4. Panniers (if equipped) (page 72) | |

Warning Label Locations (continued)

! Caution

All warning labels and decals, with the exception of the Running-in label, are installed to the motorcycle using a strong adhesive. In some cases, labels are installed prior to an application of paint lacquer. Therefore, any attempt to remove the warning labels will cause damage to the paintwork or bodywork.

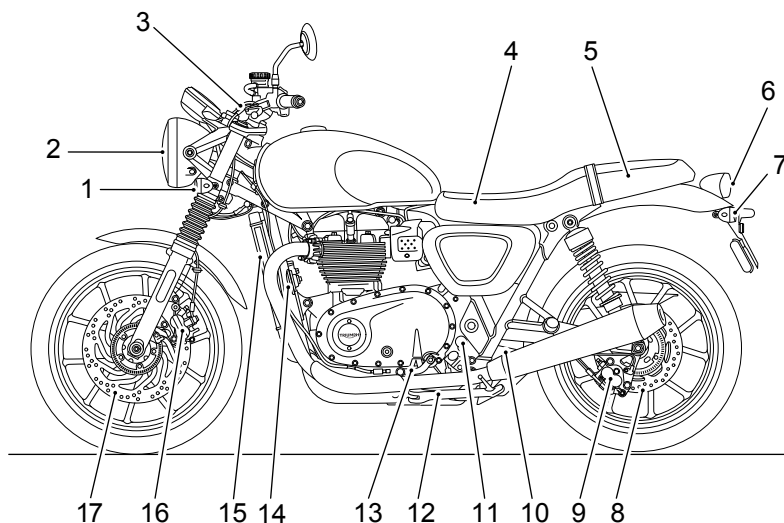


1. Engine Oil (**page 80**)
2. Helmet (**page 7**)
3. Mirrors (**page 96**)
4. Drive Chain (**page 88**)
5. Tire Pressure Monitoring (if equipped) (**page 40**)

Parts Identification

PARTS IDENTIFICATION

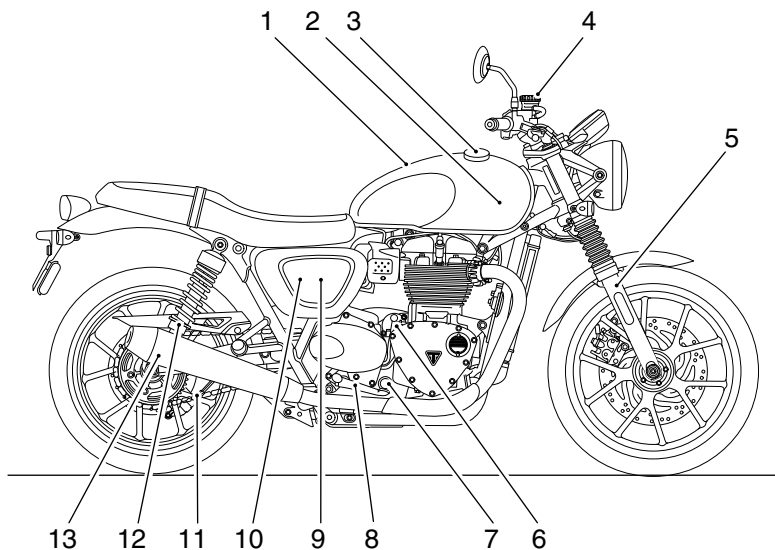
Street Twin



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|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Front turn signal | 10. Coolant expansion tank |
| 2. Headlight | 11. Coolant expansion tank cap |
| 3. Clutch cable | 12. Side stand |
| 4. Battery (beneath seat) | 13. Gear change pedal |
| 5. Owner's Handbook (beneath seat) | 14. Horn |
| 6. Brake/tail light | 15. Radiator |
| 7. Rear turn signal | 16. Front brake caliper |
| 8. Rear brake disc | 17. Front brake disc |
| 9. Rear brake caliper | |

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Street Twin

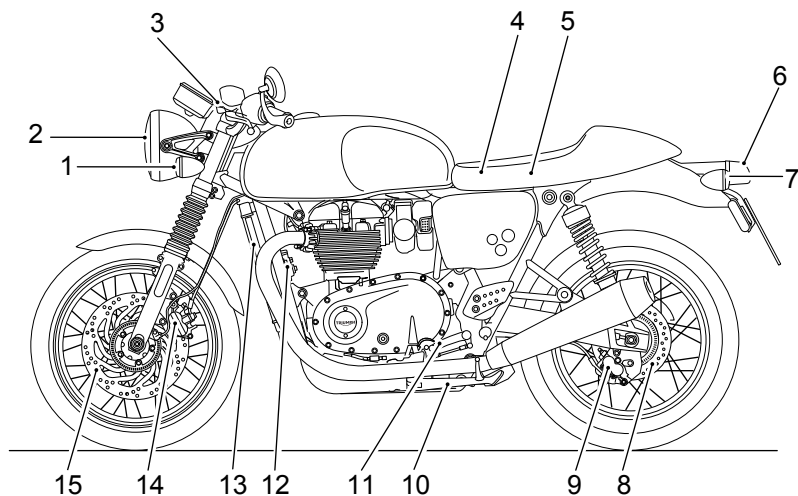


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| 1. Fuel tank | 8. Rear brake pedal |
| 2. Coolant pressure cap (beneath fuel tank) | 9. Rear brake fluid reservoir (behind side panel) |
| 3. Fuel filler cap | 10. Adjustment tool (behind side panel) |
| 4. Front brake fluid reservoir | 11. Drive chain |
| 5. Front fork | 12. Rear suspension unit |
| 6. Oil filler plug | 13. Muffler |
| 7. Oil level sight glass | |

Parts Identification

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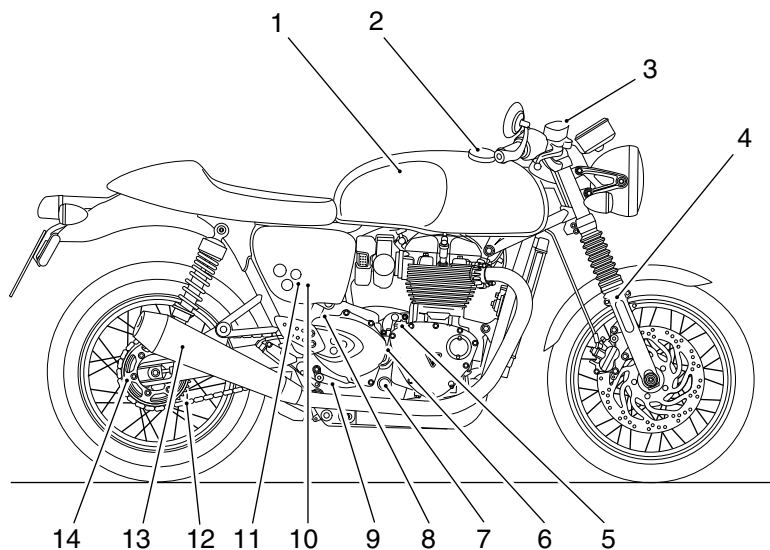
Thruxton and Thruxton R



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| 1. | Front turn signal | 9. | Rear brake caliper |
| 2. | Headlight | 10. | Side stand |
| 3. | Clutch cable | 11. | Gear change pedal |
| 4. | Battery (beneath seat) | 12. | Horn |
| 5. | Owner's Handbook (beneath seat) | 13. | Radiator |
| 6. | Brake/tail light | 14. | Front brake caliper |
| 7. | Rear turn signal | 15. | Front brake disc |
| 8. | Rear brake disc | | |

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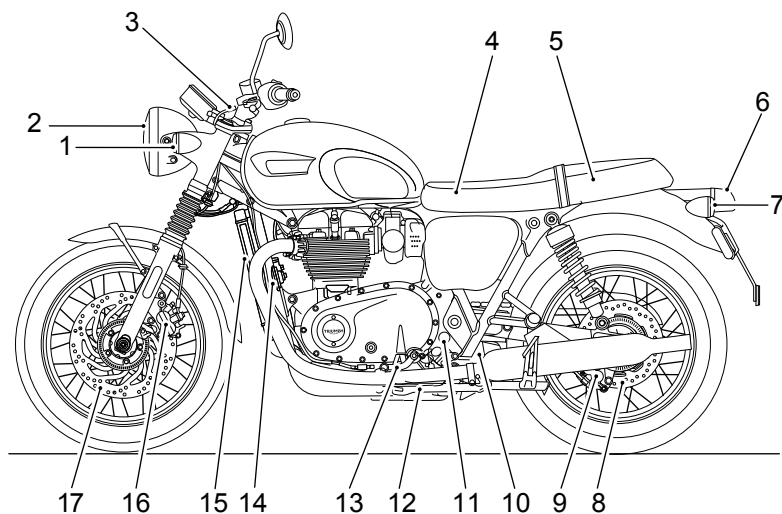


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| 1. Fuel tank | 9. Rear brake pedal |
| 2. Fuel filler cap | 10. Rear brake fluid reservoir (behind side panel) |
| 3. Front brake fluid reservoir | 11. Adjustment tools (behind side panel) |
| 4. Front fork | 12. Drive chain |
| 5. Oil filler plug | 13. Muffler |
| 6. Coolant expansion tank | 14. Rear suspension unit |
| 7. Oil level sight glass | |
| 8. Coolant expansion tank cap | |

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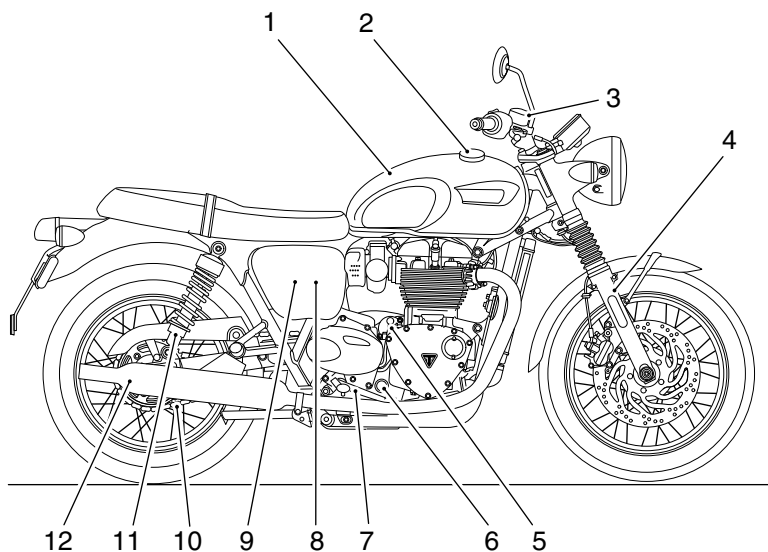
Bonneville T120



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|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Front turn signal | 10. Coolant expansion tank |
| 2. Headlight | 11. Coolant expansion tank cap |
| 3. Clutch cable | 12. Side stand |
| 4. Battery (beneath seat) | 13. Gear change pedal |
| 5. Owner's Handbook (beneath seat) | 14. Horn |
| 6. Brake/tail light | 15. Radiator |
| 7. Rear turn signal | 16. Front brake caliper |
| 8. Rear brake disc | 17. Front brake disc |
| 9. Rear brake caliper | |

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Bonneville T120



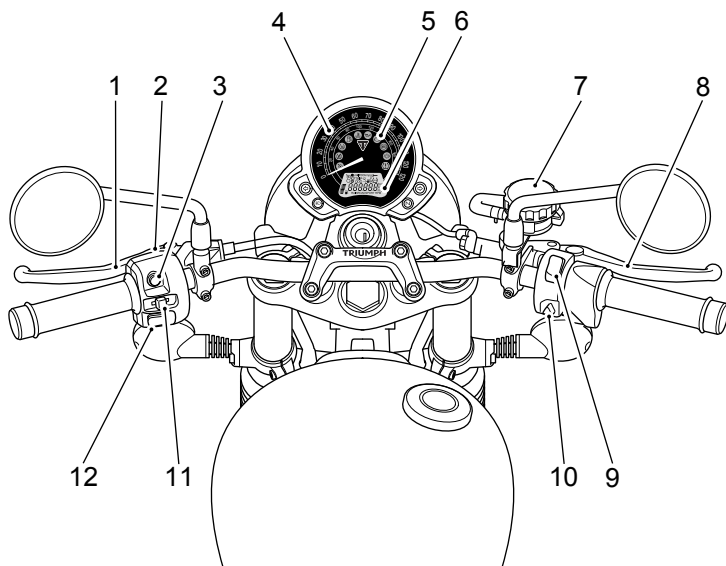
- 1. Fuel tank
- 2. Fuel filler cap
- 3. Front brake fluid reservoir
- 4. Front fork
- 5. Oil filler plug
- 6. Oil level sight glass
- 7. Rear brake pedal

- 8. Rear brake fluid reservoir (behind side panel)
- 9. Adjustment tool (behind side panel)
- 10. Drive chain
- 11. Rear suspension unit
- 12. Muffler

Parts Identification

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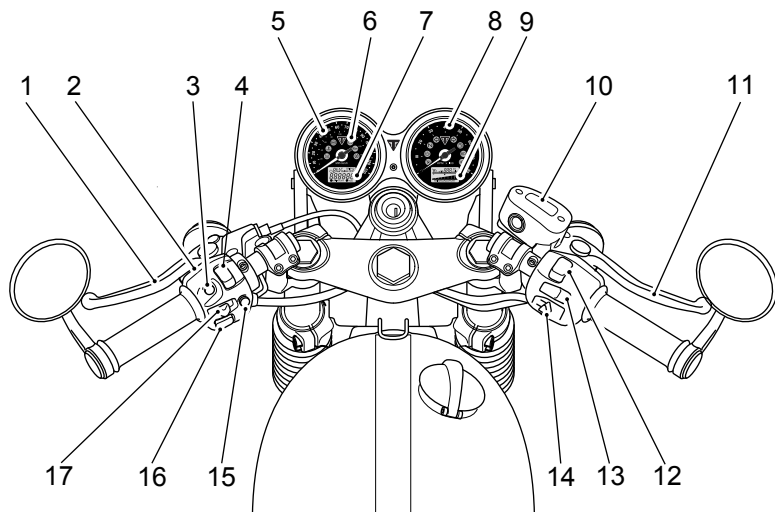
Street Twin



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| 1. | Clutch lever | 8. | Front brake lever |
| 2. | Headlight dimmer switch | 9. | Engine stop switch |
| 3. | SCROLL button | 10. | Hazard button |
| 4. | Speedometer | 11. | Turn signal switch |
| 5. | Warning lights | 12. | Horn button |
| 6. | Odometer/Information display screen | | |
| 7. | Front brake fluid reservoir | | |

Parts Identification

Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120



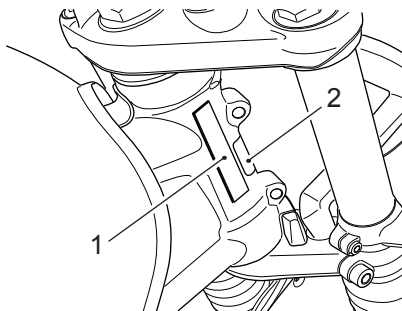
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| 1. Clutch lever | 9. Information display screen |
| 2. Headlight dimmer switch | 10. Front brake fluid reservoir |
| 3. SCROLL button | 11. Front brake lever |
| 4. Daytime Running Lights (DRL) switch (if equipped) | 12. Engine stop switch |
| 5. Speedometer | 13. MODE button (Thruxton only) |
| 6. Warning lights | 14. Hazard button |
| 7. Trip computer/Odometer/Information display screen | 15. MODE button (if equipped) |
| 8. Tachometer | 16. Horn button |
| | 17. Indicator switch |

Serial Numbers

SERIAL NUMBERS

Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

The vehicle identification number is stamped into the steering head area of the frame. In addition, it is displayed on a label which is mounted on the steering head.

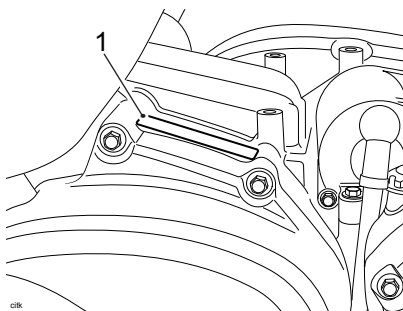


1. VIN number
2. VIN label

Record the vehicle identification number in the space provided below.

Engine Serial Number

The engine serial number is stamped on the upper engine crankcase, towards the rear, and is visible from the left hand side, behind the starter motor.



1. Engine serial number

Record the engine serial number in the space provided below.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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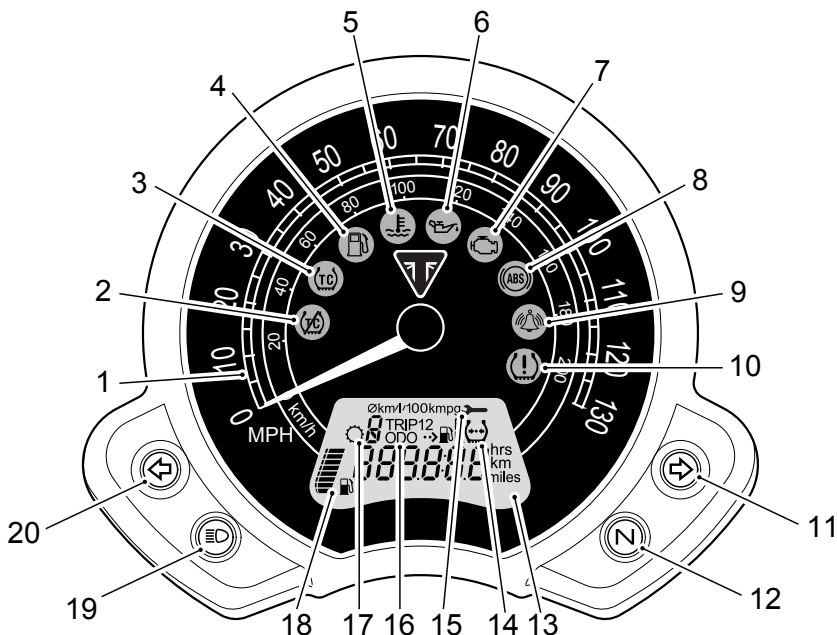
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Instrument Panel Layout

Street Twin

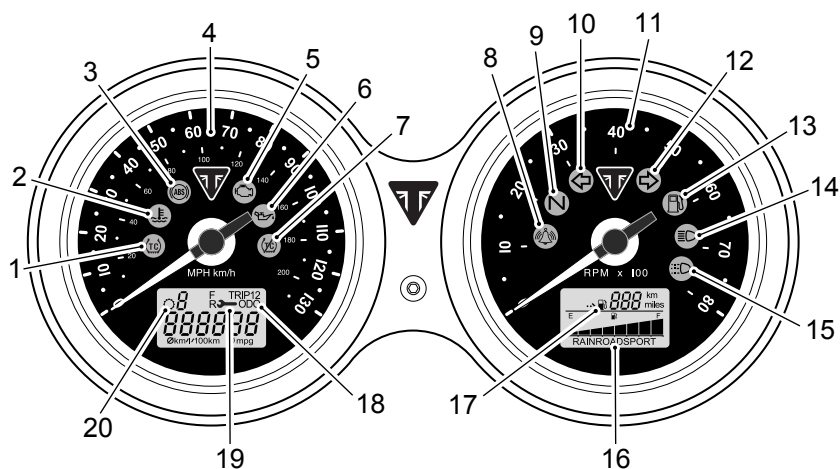


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| 1. Speedometer | 10. Tire pressure warning light (if Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) is equipped) |
| 2. Traction Control (TC) disabled warning light | 11. Right hand turn signal light |
| 3. Traction Control (TC) indicator light | 12. Neutral indicator light |
| 4. Low fuel level indicator light | 13. Information display screen |
| 5. High coolant temperature warning light | 14. Tire pressure display (if TPMS is equipped) |
| 6. Low oil pressure warning light | 15. Service interval indicator |
| 7. Engine management Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) | 16. Odometer/Trip meter/Clock |
| 8. ABS (Anti-Lock Brake System) warning light | 17. Gear position indicator |
| 9. Alarm/Immobilizer status indicator light (alarm is an accessory kit) | 18. Fuel gauge |
| | 19. High beam indicator light |
| | 20. Left hand turn signal light |

General information

Instrument Panel Layout

Thruxtion, Thruxtion R and Bonneville T120



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| 1. Traction Control (TC) indicator light | 10. Left hand turn signal light |
| 2. High coolant temperature warning light | 11. Tachometer |
| 3. ABS (Anti-Lock Brake System) warning light | 12. Right hand turn signal light |
| 4. Speedometer | 13. Low fuel level indicator light |
| 5. Engine management Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) | 14. High beam indicator light |
| 6. Low oil pressure warning light | 15. Daytime Running Lights (DRL) indicator light (if equipped) |
| 7. Traction Control (TC) disabled warning light | 16. Rider mode display |
| 8. Alarm/Immobilizer indicator light (alarm is an accessory kit) | 17. Range to empty display |
| 9. Neutral indicator light | 18. Odometer/Trip computer |
| | 19. Service interval indicator |
| | 20. Gear position indicator |

Warning Lights

Engine Management System Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL)



The Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) for the engine management system illuminates when the ignition is switched ON (to indicate that it is working) but should not become illuminated when the engine is running.

If the MIL becomes illuminated when the engine is running, this indicates that a fault has occurred in one or more of the systems controlled by the engine management system. In such circumstances, the engine management system will switch to 'limp-home' mode so that the journey may be completed, if the fault is not so severe that the engine will not run.

Warning

Reduce speed and do not continue to ride for longer than is necessary with the MIL illuminated. The fault may adversely affect engine performance, exhaust emissions and fuel consumption. Reduced engine performance could cause a dangerous riding condition, leading to loss of control and an accident. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked and rectified.

Note:

- If the MIL flashes when the ignition is switched ON contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the situation rectified. In these circumstances the engine will not start.

Low Oil Pressure Warning Light



With the engine running, if the engine oil pressure becomes dangerously low, the low oil pressure warning light will illuminate.

Caution

Stop the engine immediately if the low oil pressure warning light illuminates. Do not restart the engine until the fault has been rectified.

Severe engine damage will result from running the engine when the low oil pressure warning light is illuminated.

Note:

- The low oil pressure warning light will illuminate if the ignition is switched ON without running the engine.

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High Coolant Temperature Warning Light



With the engine running, if the engine coolant temperature becomes dangerously high, the high coolant temperature warning light will illuminate.

Caution

Stop the engine immediately if the high coolant temperature warning light illuminates. Do not restart the engine until the fault has been rectified.

Severe engine damage will result from running the engine when the high coolant temperature warning light is illuminated.

Alarm/Immobiliser Indicator Light



This Triumph motorcycle is installed with an engine immobilizer which is activated when the ignition switch is turned to the OFF position.

If the motorcycle is installed with a genuine Triumph accessory alarm, the immobilizer will operate as normal but the alarm/immobilizer light will operate as described below.

With Alarm Equipped

The alarm/immobilizer light will only illuminate when the conditions described in the genuine Triumph accessory alarm instructions are met.

Without Alarm Equipped

When the ignition switch is turned to the OFF position, the alarm/immobilizer light will flash on and off for 24 hours to show that the engine immobilizer is on. When the ignition switch is turned to the ON position the immobilizer and the indicator light will be off.

If the indicator light remains on it indicates that the immobilizer has a malfunction that requires investigation. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked and rectified.

ABS (Anti-Lock Brake System) Warning Light



The ABS warning light illuminates to show that the ABS function is not available. Illumination is normal after engine start up, and until the motorcycle first reaches a speed exceeding 6 mph (10 km/h). Unless there is a fault, it should not illuminate again until the engine is restarted.

If the warning light becomes illuminated at any other time while riding it indicates that the ABS has a malfunction that requires investigation.

Warning

If the ABS is not functioning, the brake system will continue to function as a non-ABS braking system. Do not continue to ride for longer than is necessary with the indicator light illuminated. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to

WarningContinued

have the fault checked and rectified. In this situation braking too hard will cause the wheels to lock resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

If the traction control is not functioning, care must be taken when accelerating and cornering on wet/slippy road surfaces to avoid rear wheel spin. Do not continue to ride for longer than is necessary with the Engine Management System Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) and traction control warning lights illuminated. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked.

Hard acceleration and cornering in this situation may cause the rear wheel to spin resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Traction Control (TC) Indicator Light



The TC indicator light is used to indicate that the traction control system is active and is working to limit rear wheel slip during periods of hard acceleration or under wet or slippery road conditions.

TC Indicator Light Operation:

TC Switched On:

- Under normal riding conditions the indicator light will remain off.
- The indicator light will flash rapidly when the traction control system is working to limit rear wheel slip during periods of hard acceleration or under wet or slippery road conditions.

TC Switched Off:

The indicator light will not illuminate. Instead the TC disabled warning light will be illuminated (see **page 29**).

Note:

- **Traction control will not function if there is a malfunction with the ABS system. The warning lights for the ABS, traction control and the MIL will be illuminated.**

Traction Control (TC) Disabled Warning Light



The TC disabled warning light should not illuminate unless traction control is switched off or there is a malfunction.

If the warning light becomes illuminated at any other time while riding, it indicates that the traction control has a malfunction that requires investigation.

Turn Signals



When the turn signal switch is turned to left or right, the turn signal warning light will flash on and off at the same speed as the turn signals.

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High Beam



When the ignition is switched ON and the headlight dimmer switch is set to 'high beam', the high beam warning light will illuminate.

Daytime Running Lights (DRLs)



When the ignition is switched ON and the daytime running lights switch is set to daytime running lights, the daytime running lights warning light will illuminate.

Neutral



The neutral warning light indicates when the transmission is in neutral (no gear selected). The warning light will illuminate when the transmission is in neutral with the ignition switch in the ON position.

Low Fuel



The low fuel indicator will illuminate when there are approximately 0.8 US gallons (3.0 liters) of fuel remaining in the tank.

Tire Pressure Warning Light

Note:

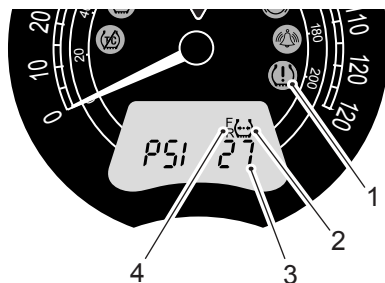
- **Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) is an accessory option only available on models equipped with cast alloy wheels.**



The tire pressure warning light works in conjunction with the Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) (see page 40).

The warning light will only illuminate when the front or rear tire pressure is below the recommended pressure. It will not illuminate if the tire is over inflated.

When the warning light is illuminated, the TPMS symbol which is the deflated tire and its pressure will automatically be visible in the display screen.



1. Tire pressure warning light
2. TPMS symbol
3. Tire pressure
4. Front and rear tire indicators

The tire pressure at which the warning light illuminates is temperature compensated to 20°C but the numeric pressure display associated with it is not. Even if the numeric display seems at or close to the standard tire pressure when the warning light is on, a low tire pressure is indicated and a puncture is the most likely cause.

Warning

Stop the motorcycle if the tire pressure warning light illuminates.

Do not ride the motorcycle until the tires have been checked and the tire pressures are at their recommended pressure when cold.

Instruments

Speedometer and Odometer

The speedometer indicates the road speed of the motorcycle.

The odometer shows the total distance that the motorcycle has travelled.

Tachometer (If Equipped)

The tachometer shows the engine speed in revolutions per minute - rpm (r/min). At the end of the tachometer range there is the red zone.

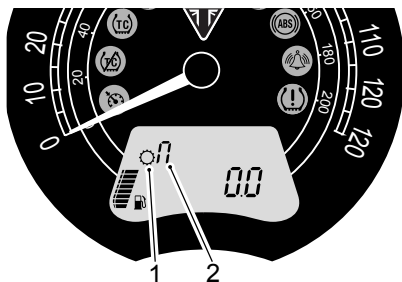
Engine rpm (r/min) in the red zone is above maximum recommended engine speed and is also above the range for best performance.

Caution

Never allow engine rpm to enter the red zone as severe engine damage may result.

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Gear Position Display

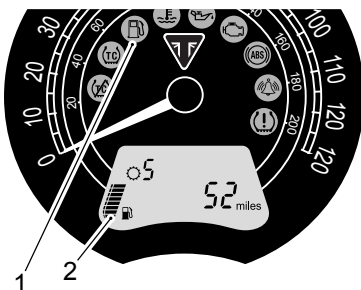


1. Gear position symbol (Street Twin shown)
2. Gear position display (neutral position shown)

The gear position display indicates which gear (1-5 or 1-6) has been engaged. When the transmission is in neutral (no gear selected), the display screen will show **n**.

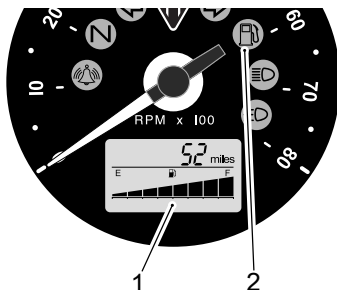
Fuel Gauge

Street Twin Only



1. Low fuel indicator light
2. Fuel gauge

All Models Except Street Twin



1. Fuel gauge
2. Low fuel indicator light

The fuel gauge indicates the amount of fuel in the tank. With the ignition switched on, the number of bars shown in the display indicates the level of fuel.

When the fuel tank is full all eight bars are displayed and when empty, no bars are displayed. Other gauge markings indicate intermediate fuel levels between full and empty.

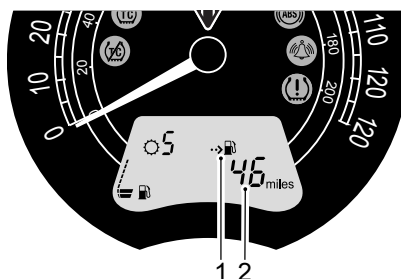
When there are approximately 0.8 US gallons (3.0 liters) of fuel remaining in the tank, the low fuel warning light will illuminate.

Note:

- After refueling, the fuel gauge and range to empty information will be updated only while riding the motorcycle. Depending on the riding style, updating could take up to five minutes.

Range to Empty

Street Twin Only



1. Range to empty indicator
2. Estimated distance remaining

All Models Except Street Twin



1. Range to empty indicator
2. Estimated distance remaining

This is an indication of the predicted distance that can be travelled on the remaining fuel in the tank.

After refueling, the fuel gauge and range to empty information will be updated only while riding the motorcycle. Depending on the riding style, updating could take up to five minutes.

Trip Meter



1. Trip meter display (Street Twin shown with trip 1 selected)

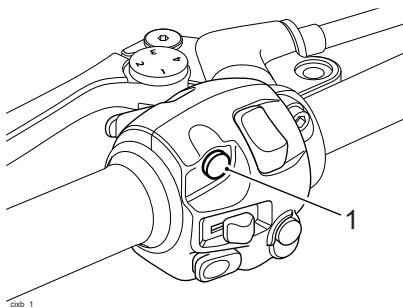
There are two trip meters. Either trip meter shows the distance that the motorcycle has travelled since the meter on display was last reset to zero.

Warning

Do not attempt to switch between the odometer and trip meter display modes or reset the trip meter with the motorcycle in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

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To switch between trip meters, press and release the **SCROLL** button, located on the left hand handlebar switch housing, until the desired trip meter is visible.



1. **SCROLL button**

Trip Meter Reset

To reset either of the trip meters, select and display the trip meter to be zeroed. Then press and hold the **SCROLL** button for one second. After more than one second, the trip meter on display will reset to zero.

Clock

To access the clock, press and release the **SCROLL** button, located on the left hand handlebar switch housing, until the clock is visible.



1. **Clock (Street Twin shown)**

Clock Adjustment



Warning

Do not attempt to adjust the clock with the motorcycle in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

To reset the clock, select the clock display. Then press and hold the **SCROLL** button for one second, the clock's hour display will start to flash; release the **SCROLL** button.

To reset the hour display, make sure the hour display is still flashing then press and release the **SCROLL** button to change the setting. Each individual button press will change the setting by one digit.

When the correct hour display is shown, press and hold the SCROLL button for one second. The hours display is set and the minutes display will begin to flash. The minutes display is adjusted in the same way as for the hour display.

Once both hours and minutes are correctly set, press the SCROLL button for one second and the display will cease to flash.

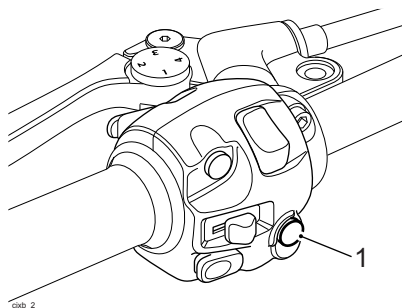
Riding Modes

Note:

- **Riding modes are available on the Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120 models.**

The riding mode system allows adjustment of the throttle response.

Riding modes are selected using the MODE button on the left hand handlebar switch housing.



1. MODE button

Press and release the MODE button to select one of the following riding modes.

Thruxton and Thruxton R

ROAD	Standard throttle response.
RAIN	Reduced throttle response when compared to the ROAD setting, for wet or slippery conditions.
SPORT	Increased throttle response when compared to the ROAD setting.

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Bonneville T120

ROAD	Standard throttle response.
RAIN	Reduced throttle response when compared to the ROAD setting, for wet or slippery conditions.

Riding modes can be selected when the motorcycle is stationary or moving.

Selecting a Riding Mode – with the Motorcycle Stationary

Press and release the MODE button on the instrument housing until the desired riding mode is flashing in the display.

Note:

- **The selected riding mode is automatically activated one second after the MODE button is pressed, if the following conditions are met:**

With the Engine Off

- The ignition is switched ON
- The engine stop switch is in the RUN position.

With the Engine Running

- Neutral gear is selected or the clutch is pulled in.

Selecting a Riding Mode – when Riding the Motorcycle

Warning

The selection of riding modes while the motorcycle is in motion requires the rider to allow the motorcycle to coast (motorcycle moving, engine running, throttle closed, clutch lever pulled in and no brakes applied) for a brief period of time.

Riding mode selection while the motorcycle is in motion should only be attempted:

At low speed

In traffic free areas

On straight and level roads or surfaces

In good road and weather conditions

Where it is safe to allow the motorcycle to briefly coast.

Riding mode selection while the motorcycle is in motion **MUST NOT** be attempted:

At high speeds

Whilst riding in traffic

During cornering or on winding roads or surfaces

On steeply inclined roads or surfaces

In poor road/weather conditions

Where it is unsafe to allow the motorcycle to coast.

Failure to observe this important warning will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Press and release the MODE button on the left hand handlebar switch housing until the desired riding mode is flashing in the display.

Within 30 seconds of pressing the MODE button the rider must carry out the following simultaneously:

- Close the throttle
- Pull the clutch in
- Ensure that the brakes are not engaged (allow the motorcycle to coast).

Warning

After selecting a riding mode, operate the motorcycle in an area free from traffic to gain familiarity with the new settings.

Do not loan your motorcycle to anyone as they may change the riding mode setting from the one you are familiar with, causing loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Note:

- **The riding mode will default to ROAD when the ignition is switched ON.**

In the event of an incomplete riding mode change:

- Safely bring the motorcycle to a stop
- Select neutral gear
- Turn the ignition OFF and then back ON again
- Select the desired riding mode
- Restart the engine and continue riding.

Traction Control (TC)

Warning

Traction control is not a substitute for riding appropriately for the prevailing road and weather conditions. The traction control cannot prevent loss of traction due to:

excessive speed when entering turns
accelerating at a sharp lean angle
braking.

Traction control can not prevent the front wheel from slipping.

Failure to observe any of the above may result in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Traction control helps to maintain traction when accelerating on wet/slippery road surfaces. If sensors detect that the rear wheel is losing traction (slipping), the traction control system will engage and alter the engine power until traction to the rear wheel has been restored. The traction control warning light will flash while it is engaged and the rider may notice a change to the sound of the engine.

Note:

- **Traction control will not function if there is a malfunction with the ABS system. The warning lights for the ABS, traction control and the MIL will be illuminated.**

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Traction Control Settings

Warning

Do not attempt to adjust the traction control settings while the motorcycle is in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

The traction control can be set to one of the following conditions:

On	Optimal traction control setting for road use, allows minimal rear wheel slip.
Off	Traction control is turned off. The TC disabled warning light will be illuminated (see page 29).

Traction control defaults to on after the ignition has been switched OFF and then switched ON again.

Warning

If the traction control is disabled, the motorcycle will handle as normal but without traction control. In this situation accelerating too hard on wet/slippery road surfaces may cause the rear wheel to slip, and may result in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

To Disable the Traction Control

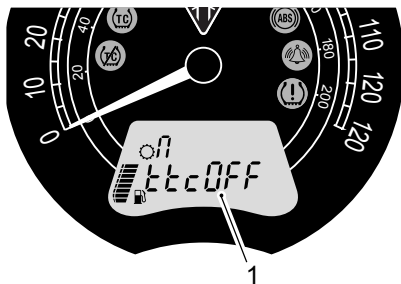
To access the traction control setting;

Make sure the motorcycle is stationary and in neutral.

Turn the ignition to the ON position and put the engine start/stop switch in the RUN position.

Press and release the SCROLL button on the left hand handlebar switch housing until 'ttcOn' is shown in the display.

Press and hold the SCROLL button for more than one second to change between traction control on and traction control off.



1. Traction control off display (Street Twin shown)

ABS Disable - Thruxton and Thruxton R Models Only

It is possible to temporarily disable the ABS system. The ABS system cannot be permanently disabled, it will be enabled when the ignition is turned off and then on again.

Warning

Do not attempt to adjust the ABS settings while the motorcycle is in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

If the ABS is disabled, the brake system will function as a non-ABS braking system. In this situation braking too hard will cause the wheels to lock, and may result in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

To Disable the ABS

To access the ABS disable function:

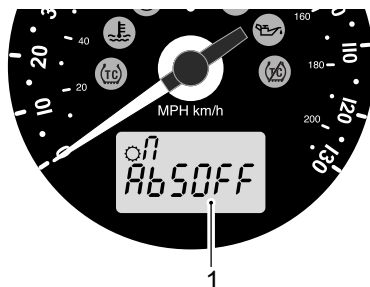
Make sure the motorcycle is stationary and in neutral. Turn the ignition to the ON position and put the engine start/stop switch in the RUN position.

Press and release the SCROLL button until 'AbSOOn' is shown in the left hand display.

Press and hold the SCROLL button for one second to change between ABS on and ABS off.

Note:

- With the ABS disabled, the traction control will still function (unless traction control has been manually disabled).



1. **ABS control off display**

To Enable the ABS

To enable the ABS system again, repeat the ABS disable procedure and select ABS on.

An alternative way to enable the ABS is to turn the ignition OFF and ON.

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Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) (if equipped)



Note:

- **Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) is an accessory option only available on models equipped with cast alloy wheels.**

Warning

The daily check of tire pressures must not be excluded because of the fitment of the TPMS. Check the tire pressure when the tires are cold and using an accurate tire pressure gauge (see [page 107](#)).

Use of the TPMS system to set inflation pressures may lead to incorrect tire pressures leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Function

Tire pressure sensors are installed to the front and rear wheels. These sensors measure the air pressure inside the tire and transmit pressure data to the instruments. These sensors will not transmit the data until the motorcycle is traveling at a speed greater than 12 mph (20 km). Two dashes will be visible in the display screen until the tire pressure signal is received.

The tire pressure monitoring system (TPMS) is an accessory equipped item and must be installed by your authorized Triumph dealer.

The TPMS display screen on the instruments will only be activated when the system has been installed.

An adhesive label will be installed to the wheel rim to indicate the position of the tire pressure sensor which is near the valve.

Tire Pressure Sensor Serial Number

The serial number for the tire pressure sensor is printed on a label attached to the sensor. This number may be required by the dealer for service or diagnostics.

When the tire pressure monitoring system is being installed to the motorcycle, make sure that the dealer records the serial numbers of the front and rear tire pressure sensors in the spaces provided below.

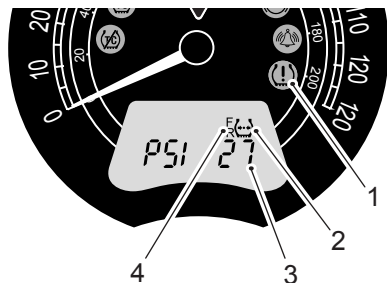
Front Tire Pressure Sensor

Rear Tire Pressure Sensor

System Display

Warning

Do not attempt to switch between front and rear tire display modes with the motorcycle in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.



1. TPMS warning light
2. TPMS symbol
3. Tire pressure
4. Front and rear tire indicators

To view the tire pressure display:

Make sure the motorcycle is stationary and in neutral. Turn the ignition to the ON position.

Press and release the SCROLL button until PSI or bAr is visible in the display screen.

Press and hold the SCROLL button for one second to change between PSI and bar.

Once PSI or bar has been selected, press and release the SCROLL button to select the front or rear tire pressure.

When the tire pressure monitoring system has been selected, -- PSI or bAr will be visible in the display screen until the motorcycle is traveling at a speed greater than 12 mph (20 km) and the tire pressure signal is received.

To exit the tire pressure display, press and release the SCROLL button to the desired display screen.

Sensor Batteries

When the battery voltage in a pressure sensor is low, LO bAt will be displayed and the TPMS symbol will indicate which wheel sensor has the low battery voltage. If the batteries are completely flat, only dashes will be visible in the display screen, the red TPMS warning light will be on and the TPMS symbol will flash continuously. Contact your authorized Triumph dealer to have the sensor replaced and the new serial number recorded in the spaces provided on [page 40](#).

With the ignition switch turned to the ON position, if the TPMS symbol flashes for 10 seconds and then remains on there is a fault with the TPMS system. Contact your authorized Triumph dealer to have the fault rectified.

Tire Pressures

The tire pressures shown on your instrument panel indicate the actual tire pressure at the time of selecting the display. This may differ from the inflation pressure set when the tires are cold because tires become warmer

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during riding, causing the air in the tire to expand and the inflation pressure to increase. The cold inflation pressures specified by Triumph take account of this.

Owners must only adjust tire pressures when the tires are cold using an accurate tire pressure gauge (see [page 107](#)), and must not use the tire pressure display on the instruments.

Warning

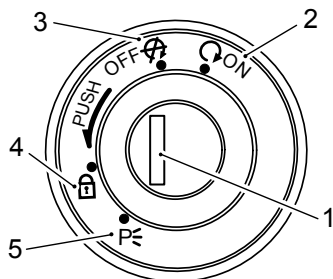
The tire pressure monitoring system is not to be used as a tire pressure gauge when adjusting the tire pressures. For correct tire pressures, always check the tire pressures when the tires are cold and using an accurate tire pressure gauge (see [page 128](#)).

Use of the TPMS system to set inflation pressures may lead to incorrect tire pressures leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Replacement Tires

When replacing tires, always have an authorized Triumph dealer mount your tires and make sure they are aware that tire pressure sensors are installed to the wheels.

Ignition Switch/Steering Lock



1. Ignition switch/Steering lock
2. ON position
3. OFF position
4. LOCK position
5. PARK position

Switch Location

The ignition switch is located in the center of the headlight support bracket.

Switch Operation

This is a four position, key operated switch. The key can be removed from the switch only when it is in the OFF, LOCK or P (PARK) position.

TO LOCK: Turn the steering fully to the left, turn the key to the OFF position, push and fully release the key, then rotate it to the LOCK position.

PARKING: Turn the key from the LOCK position to the P position. The steering will remain locked.

Note:

- Do not leave the steering lock in the P position for long periods of time as this will cause the battery to discharge.

Warning

For reasons of security and safety, always turn the ignition to the OFF or PARK position and remove the key when leaving the motorcycle unattended.

Any unauthorized use of the motorcycle may cause injury to the user, other road users and pedestrians and may also cause damage to the motorcycle.

Warning

With the key in the LOCK or P position the steering will become locked.

Never turn the key to the LOCK or P positions while the motorcycle is moving as this will cause the steering to lock. Locked steering will cause loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Caution

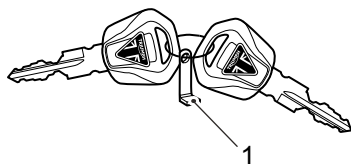
Additional keys or key rings attached to the ignition key may cause damage to the motorcycle's painted or polished components. Remove any such item from the ignition key to prevent damage to painted or polished components when the motorcycle is ridden.

Engine Immobiliser

The ignition switch housing acts as the antenna for the engine immobilizer.

When the ignition switch is turned to the OFF position and the ignition key is removed, the engine immobilizer is on (see **page 28**). The engine immobilizer is turned off when the ignition key is in the ignition switch and it is turned to the ON position.

Ignition Key



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1. Key number tag

In addition to operating the ignition switch/steering lock, the ignition key is required to operate the seat lock and fuel tank cap.

When the motorcycle is delivered from the factory, two ignition keys are supplied together with a small tag bearing the key number. Make a note of the key number and store the spare key and key number tag in a safe place away from the motorcycle.

A transponder is equipped within the ignition keys to turn off the engine immobilizer. To make sure the immobilizer functions correctly, always have only one of the ignition keys near the ignition switch. Having two ignition

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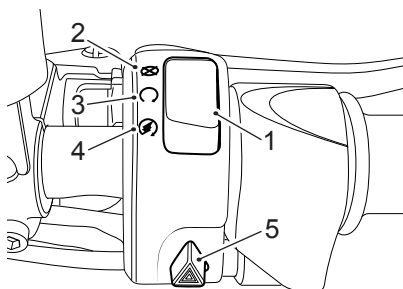
keys near the switch may interrupt the signal between the transponder and the engine immobilizer. In this situation the engine immobilizer will remain active until one of the ignition keys is removed. Always get replacement keys from your authorized Triumph dealer. Replacement keys must be 'paired' with the motorcycle's immobilizer by your authorized Triumph dealer.

Caution

Do not store the spare key with the motorcycle as this will reduce all aspects of security.

Right Handlebar Switches

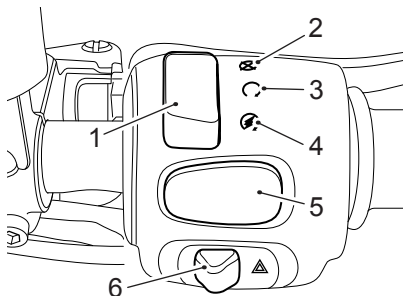
Street Twin and Thruxton R



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1. Engine start/stop switch
2. STOP position
3. RUN position
4. START position
5. Hazard warning light switch

Thruxton and Bonneville T120



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1. Engine start/stop switch
2. STOP position
3. RUN position
4. START position
5. MODE button
6. Hazard warning light switch

STOP Position

The STOP position is for emergency use. If an emergency arises which requires the engine to be stopped, move the engine start/stop switch to the STOP position.

Note:

- **Although the engine stop switch stops the engine, it does not turn off all the electrical circuits and may cause difficulty in restarting the engine due to a discharged battery. Ordinarily, only the ignition switch should be used to stop the engine.**

 Caution
Do not leave the ignition switch in the ON position unless the engine is running as this may cause damage to electrical components and will discharge the battery.

RUN Position

In addition to the ignition switch being turned to the ON position, the engine start/stop switch must be in the RUN position for the motorcycle to operate.

START Position

The START position operates the electric starter. For the starter to operate, the clutch lever must be pulled to the handlebar and the start/stop switch in the START position.

Note:

- **Even if the clutch lever is pulled to the handlebar, the starter will not operate if the side stand is down and a gear is engaged.**

MODE Button (if equipped)

The MODE button allows throttle response adjustment. Press and release the MODE button to select one of the different rider modes available (see page 35 for more information).

Hazard Warning Lights

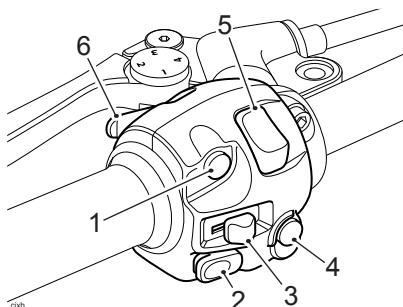
To turn the hazard warning lights on or off, press and release the hazard warning light switch.

The ignition must be switched ON for the hazard warning lights to function.

The hazard warning lights will remain on if the ignition is switched OFF, until the hazard warning light switch is pressed again.

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Left Handlebar Switches



1. SCROLL button
2. Horn button
3. Turn signal switch
4. MODE button (if equipped)
5. Daytime Running Lights (DRL) switch (if equipped)
6. High beam button

SCROLL Button

The SCROLL button is used to operate the following functions of the instruments:

- Odometer functions (see [page 33](#))
- Trip reset (see [page 33](#))
- Clock reset (see [page 34](#))
- Traction control functions (see [page 37](#)).

Horn Button

When the horn button is pushed, with the ignition switch turned to the ON position, the horn will sound.

Turn Signal Switch

When the turn signal switch is pushed to the left or right, the corresponding turn signals will flash on and off.

The indicators can be canceled manually. To manually turn off the indicators, press and release the indicator switch in the central position.

MODE Button (if equipped)

The MODE button allows throttle response adjustment. Press and release the MODE button to select one of the different rider modes available (see [page 35](#) for more information).

Daytime Running Light (DRL) Switch (if fitted)

Note:

- **The daytime running light is manually operated. It is not automatic.**

The daytime running light or dip beam can be selected with the Daytime Running Light (DRL) switch.

To select the daytime running light, push the DRL switch forward.

To select dip beam, push the DRL switch rearwards.

When the daytime running light is turned on, the daytime running light indicator light will illuminate in the instrument panel.

High Beam Button

When the high beam button is pressed the high beam will be switched on. Each press of the button will swap between dip and high beam.

Note:

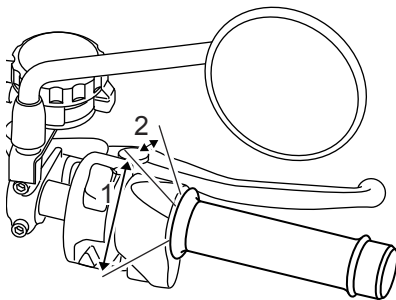
- If daytime running lights are equipped on the motorcycle, the high beam button has additional functionality.

If the DRL switch is in the daytime running lights position, then press and hold the high beam button to turn the high beam on. It will remain on as long as the button is held in and will turn off as soon as the button is released.

Note:

- A lighting on/off switch is not equipped on this model. The position light, brake/tail light and license plate light all function automatically when the ignition is turned to the ON position.
- The headlight will function when the ignition switch is turned to the ON position. The headlight will go off while pressing the starter button until the engine starts.

Throttle Control



1. Throttle open position
2. Throttle closed position

All models have an electronic throttle twist grip to open and close the throttles via the engine control unit. There are no direct-acting cables in the system.

The throttle grip has a resistive feel to it as it is rolled rearwards to open the throttles. When the grip is released it will return to the throttle closed position by its internal return spring and the throttles will close.

There are no user adjustments for the throttle control.

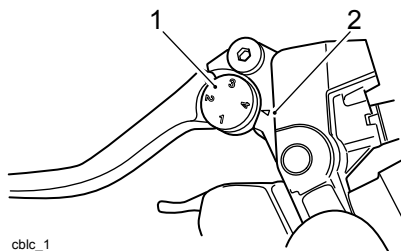
If there is a malfunction with the throttle control the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) becomes illuminated and one of the following engine conditions may occur:

- MIL illuminated, restricted engine RPM and throttle movement
- MIL illuminated, limp-home mode with the engine at a fast idle condition only
- MIL illuminated, engine will not start.

General information

For all of the conditions mentioned contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked and rectified.

Brake and Clutch Lever Adjusters



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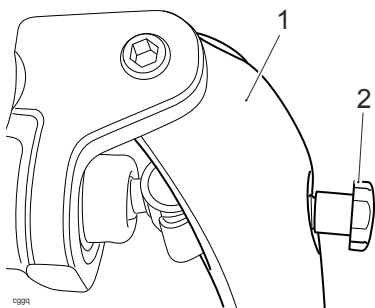
1. **Adjuster wheel, clutch lever shown**
2. **Arrow mark**

An adjuster is installed to both the front brake and clutch levers. The adjusters allow the distance from the handlebar to the lever to be changed to one of five positions for the front brake lever or four positions for the clutch lever, to suit the span of the operator's hands.

To adjust the lever, push the lever forward and turn the adjuster wheel to align one of the numbered positions with the arrow mark on the lever holder.

The distance from the handlebar grip to the released lever is shortest when set to number five, and longest when set to number one.

Brake Lever Adjusters - Thruxton R Only



1. Brake lever
2. Adjusting screw

To adjust the brake lever, push the lever forward and turn the adjusting screw in to increase the distance or out to shorten the distance from the handlebar.

Warning

Do not attempt to adjust the levers with the motorcycle in motion as this may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

After adjusting the levers, operate the motorcycle in an area free from traffic to gain familiarity with the new lever setting.

Do not loan your motorcycle to anyone as they may change the lever setting from the one you are familiar with causing loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Fuel Requirement/Refuelling



Fuel Grade

This Triumph motorcycle is designed to run on unleaded gasoline with a CLC or AKI octane rating (R+M)/2 of 87 or higher. Federal regulations require that pumps delivering unleaded gasoline are marked 'UNLEADED' and that the Cost of Living Council (CLC) or Anti-Knock Index (AKI) octane rating is also displayed. These ratings are an average of the Research Octane Number (RON) and the Motor Octane Number (MON).

In certain circumstances engine calibration may be required. Always refer to your authorized Triumph dealer.

Notice

The use of leaded fuel is illegal in some countries, states or territories.

Caution

The motorcycle can be permanently damaged if it is allowed to operate with the incorrect grade of fuel or incorrect engine calibration. Always make sure the fuel used is of the correct grade and quality. Damage caused by using the incorrect fuel or engine calibration is not considered a manufacturing defect and will not be covered under warranty.

General information

Caution

The exhaust system for this motorcycle is equipped with a catalytic converter to help reduce exhaust emission levels. Use of leaded fuel will damage the catalytic converter. In addition, the catalytic converter can be permanently damaged if the motorcycle is allowed to run out of fuel or if the fuel level is allowed to get very low. Always make sure you have adequate fuel for your journey.

Note:

- If 'knocking' or 'pinging' occurs at a steady engine speed under normal load, use a different brand of gasoline or gasoline which has a higher octane rating.

Oxygenated Gasoline

To help in meeting clean air standards, some areas of the U.S. use oxygenated gasoline to help reduce harmful emissions. These gasolines are a blend of conventional gasoline and another compound such as alcohol. This Triumph motorcycle will give its best performance when using unleaded gasoline. However, the following should be used as a guide if you use any oxygenated fuels.

Caution

Because of the generally higher volatility of oxygenated fuels, starting, engine response and fuel consumption may be adversely affected by their use. Should any of these difficulties be experienced, run the motorcycle on normal unleaded gasoline.

Ethanol

Ethanol fuel is a mixture of 10% Ethanol and 90% gasoline and is often described under the names 'gasohol', 'Ethanol enhanced', or 'contains Ethanol'. This fuel may be used in your Triumph motorcycle.

MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether)

The use of gasolines containing up to 15% MTBE (Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether) is permitted in this Triumph motorcycle.

Methanol

Caution

Fuels containing methanol should not be used as damage to components in the fuel system can be caused by contact with methanol.

Refueling

Warning

To help reduce hazards associated with refueling, always observe the following fuel safety instructions:

Gasoline (fuel) is highly flammable and can be explosive under certain conditions. When refueling, turn the ignition switch to the OFF position.

Do not smoke.

Do not use a mobile telephone.

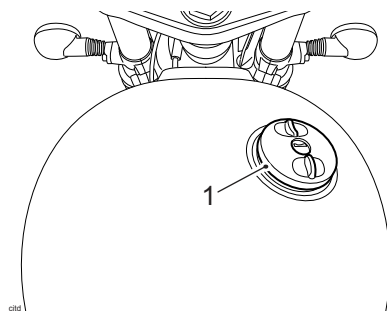
Make sure the refueling area is well ventilated and free from any source of flame or sparks. This includes any appliance with a pilot light.

Never fill the tank until the fuel level rises into the filler neck. Heat from sunlight or other sources may cause the fuel to expand and overflow creating a fire hazard.

After refueling always check that the fuel filler cap is correctly closed and locked.

Because gasoline (fuel) is highly flammable, any fuel leak or spillage, or any failure to observe the safety advice given above will lead to a fire hazard, which could cause damage to property, injury to persons or death.

Fuel Tank Cap



1. Fuel tank cap

To open the fuel tank cap, remove the cover or lift up the flap.

Insert the key into the lock and turn the key clockwise. Rotate the cap counterclockwise and lift clear of the tank filler neck.

To close and lock the cap, align the cap to the tank filler neck and rotate the cap clockwise until the cap seals against the filler neck. In the fully closed position, a ratchet mechanism prevents overtightening of the cap by allowing the outer part of the cap to turn independently of the internal part. Turn the key anticlockwise to lock and withdraw the key. Replace the cover.

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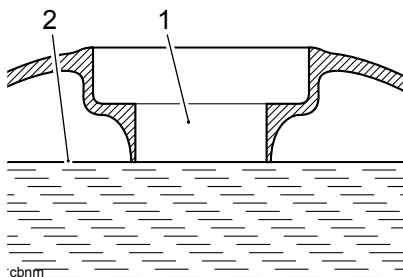
Filling the Fuel Tank

Avoid filling the tank in rainy or dusty conditions where airborne material can contaminate the fuel.

! Caution

Contaminated fuel may cause damage to fuel system components.

Fill the fuel tank slowly to help prevent spillage. Do not fill the tank to a level above the bottom of the filler neck. This will make sure there is enough air space to allow for fuel expansion if the fuel inside the tank expands through absorption of heat from the engine or from direct sunlight.



1. Fuel filler neck
2. Maximum fuel level

After refueling always check that the fuel filler cap is correctly closed.

! Warning

Overfilling the tank can lead to fuel spillage.

If fuel is spilled, thoroughly clean up the spillage immediately and dispose of the materials used safely.

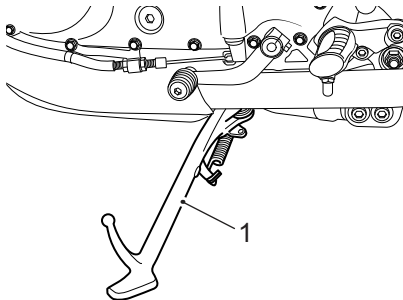
Take care not to spill any fuel on the engine, exhaust pipes, tires or any other part of the motorcycle.

Because fuel is highly flammable, any fuel leak or spillage, or any failure to observe the safety advice given above may lead to a fire hazard, which could cause damage to property and injury or death to persons.

Fuel spilled near to, or onto the tires will reduce the tire's ability to grip the road. This will result in a dangerous riding condition potentially causing loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Stands

Side Stand



1. Side stand

The motorcycle is equipped with a side stand on which it can be parked.

Warning

The motorcycle is equipped with an interlock system to prevent it from being ridden with the side stand in the down position. Never attempt to ride with the side stand down or interfere with the interlock mechanism as this will cause a dangerous riding condition leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

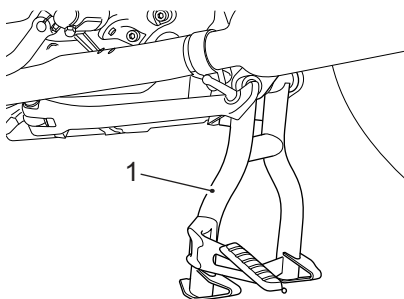
Note:

- **When using the side stand, always turn the handlebars fully to the left and leave the motorcycle in first gear.**

Whenever the side stand is used, before riding, always make sure that the stand is fully up after first sitting on the motorcycle.

For instructions on safe parking, refer to the 'How to Ride the Motorcycle' section.

Center Stand (if equipped)



1. Center stand

To set the motorcycle on the center stand, hold the motorcycle upright, step down firmly on the foot finder part of the stand, then lift the motorcycle up and to the rear using the rear frame as a handhold.

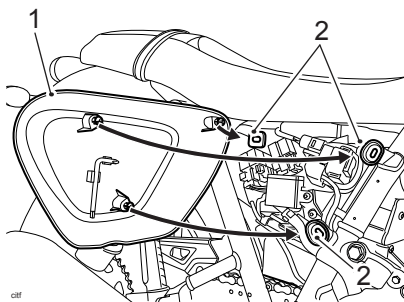
For instructions on safe parking, refer to the How to Ride the Motorcycle section.

Caution

Do not use body panels or the seat as a handhold when placing the motorcycle on the center stand as this will cause damage.

General information

Side Panels



1. Side panel (right hand shown)
2. Grommets

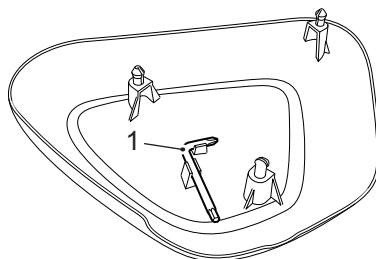
The right side panel can be removed to gain access to the adjustment tool and the rear brake fluid reservoir.

To remove either side panel, grasp the panel firmly in both hands and pull the panel away from the motorcycle until it clears the three retaining grommets (leaving the grommets in place).

To re-install, position the three locating dowels to the grommets, then press firmly to secure the panel.

Finally, grasp the panel and make sure that it is fully retained.

Tool Kit and Owner's Handbook



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1. Adjustment tool

The tool kit consists of an adjustment tool. The adjustment tool is attached to the inside of the right hand side panel.

There are two C-spanners located under the seat on the Thruxton R.

To gain access to the Owner's Handbook, remove the seat (see page 56).

Street Twin

The Owner's Handbook is located on the underside of the seat.

Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120

The Owner's Handbook is located under the seat on the rear fender.

Helmet Hook

Note:

- **Not equipped on Thruxton and Thruxton R.**

A helmet can be secured to the motorcycle using the helmet hook located on the left hand side of the motorcycle, beneath the seat.

To attach a helmet to the motorcycle, remove the seat (see **page 56**) and loop the helmet chin strap over the hook.

Make sure the flat area above the hook is not obstructed by the helmet strap, as this will prevent the seat engaging correctly.

To secure the helmet, re-install the seat and lock into position.

Caution

Do not allow helmet(s) to rest against a hot muffler. The helmet may be damaged.

Warning

Never ride the motorcycle with helmet(s) secured to the helmet hook as this may cause the motorcycle to become unstable leading to loss of control and an accident.

Seats

Seat Care

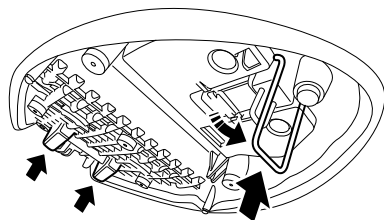
Caution

To prevent damage to the seats or seat covers, care must be taken not to drop the seats.

Do not lean the seats against the motorcycle or any surface which may damage the seats or seat covers. Instead, place the seats, with the seat cover facing upwards, on a clean, flat surface which is covered with a soft cloth.

Do not place any item on the seats which may cause damage or staining to the seat covers.

Thruxton and Thruxton R



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Seat Stand

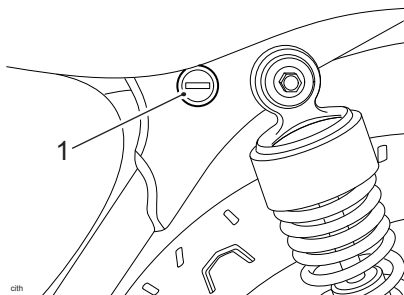
To prevent damage to the seat after removing, release the metal stand from the underside of the seat.

General information

Place the seat cover facing upwards, on a clean, flat surface using the metal stand and two plastic stands at the rear of the seat to rest on.

See **page 122** for seat cleaning information.

Seat Lock



1. Seat lock

The seat can be removed to gain access to the battery, fuse box and Owner's Handbook. The seat lock is located on the left hand side of the motorcycle, on the frame below the seat.

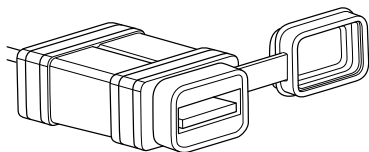
To remove the seat, insert the ignition key into the seat lock and turn it anticlockwise. This will release the seat from its lock and allow it to be slid rearwards for complete removal from the motorcycle.

To re-install the seat, engage the seat's tongue underneath the bracket near the fuel tank. Line up the hinges and press down at the rear to engage the seat lock. An audible click can be heard when the seat is fully engaged into its lock.

Warning

To prevent detachment of the seat during riding, after fitting always grasp the seat and pull firmly upwards. If the seat is not correctly secured in the lock, it will detach from the lock. A loose or detached seat could cause loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Universal Serial Bus (USB) Socket



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USB Port Socket

The Universal Serial Bus (USB) socket allows a 5 Volt USB connection for charging electronic devices such as mobile phones, cameras and GPS devices.

Loads up to two Amps can be connected to the USB socket.

To access the USB socket, remove the seat (see **page 56**).

The USB socket is located on top of the battery.

Remove the cap.

Plug the relevant USB adaptor cable into the socket. Adaptor cables are not supplied with the motorcycle.

Warning

The USB socket is not waterproof unless the waterproof cap is installed. Do not connect electronic devices while it is raining.

Warning *Continued*

Water in the USB socket could lead to an electrical problem, resulting in motorcycle damage, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Caution

Do not leave the ignition switch in the ON position unless the engine is running as this will discharge the battery.

Caution

Make sure that all electronic devices and cables are safely secured under the seat when riding.

Make sure there is sufficient space surrounding any electronic devices for the seat to close without causing any damage to the electronic device or the motorcycle.

General information

Running-In



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Running-in is the name given to the process that occurs during the first hours of a new vehicle's operation.

In particular, internal friction in the engine will be higher when components are new. Later on, when continued operation of the engine has ensured that the components have 'bedded in', this internal friction will be greatly reduced.

A period of careful running-in will ensure lower exhaust emissions, and will optimize performance, fuel economy and longevity of the engine and other motorcycle components.

During the first 500 miles (800 km):

- Do not use full throttle;
- Avoid high engine speeds at all times;
- Avoid riding at one constant engine speed, whether fast or slow, for a long period of time;
- Avoid aggressive starts, stops, and rapid accelerations, except in an emergency;
- Do not ride at speeds greater than 3/4 of maximum speed.

From 500 to 1,000 miles (800 to 1,500 km):

- Engine speed can gradually be increased to the rev limit for short periods.

Both during and after running-in has been completed:

- Do not overrev the engine when cold;
- Do not let the lug the engine. Always downshift before the engine begins to 'struggle';
- Do not ride with engine speeds unnecessarily high. Changing up a gear helps reduce fuel consumption, reduces noise and helps to protect the environment.

Safe Operation

Daily Safety Checks



Check the following items each day before you ride. The time required is minimal, and these checks will help ensure a safe, reliable ride.

If any irregularities are found during these checks, refer to the Maintenance and Adjustment section or see your authorized Triumph dealer for the action required to return the motorcycle to a safe operating condition.

Warning

Failure to perform these checks every day before you ride may result in serious motorcycle damage or an accident causing serious injury or death.

Check:

Fuel: Adequate supply in tank, no fuel leaks (see [page 52](#)).

Engine Oil: Correct level on dipstick. Add correct specification oil as required. No leaks from the engine or oil cooler (see [page 80](#)).

Drive Chain: Correct adjustment (see [page 88](#)).

Tires/Wheels: Correct inflation pressures (when cold). Tread depth/wear, tire/wheel damage, loose/broken spokes, punctures etc. (see [page 105](#)).

Nuts, Bolts, Fasteners: Visually check that steering and suspension components, axles, and all controls are properly tightened or fastened. Inspect all areas for loose/damaged fasteners.

Steering Action: Smooth but not loose from lock to lock. No binding of any of the control cables (see [page 97](#)).

Brakes: Pull the brake lever and push the brake pedal to check for correct resistance. Investigate any lever/pedal where the travel is excessive before meeting resistance, or if either control feels spongy in operation (see [page 91](#)).

Brake Pads: There should be more than 0.06 in (1.5 mm) of friction material remaining on all the pads (see [page 91](#)).

Brake Fluid Levels: No brake fluid leakage. Brake fluid levels must be between the MAX and MIN marks on both reservoirs (see [page 92](#)).

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Front Forks: Smooth action. No fork oil leakage (see **page 99**).

Throttle: Make sure that the throttle grip returns to the idle position without sticking (see **page 86**).

Clutch: Smooth operation and correct cable free play (see **page 87**).

Coolant: No coolant leakage. Check the coolant level in the expansion tank (when the engine is cold) (see **page 84**).

Electrical Equipment: All lights and horn function correctly (see **page 46**).

Engine Stop: Stop switch turns the engine off (see **page 44**).

Stands: Returns to the fully up position by spring tension. Return springs not weak or damaged (see **page 53**).

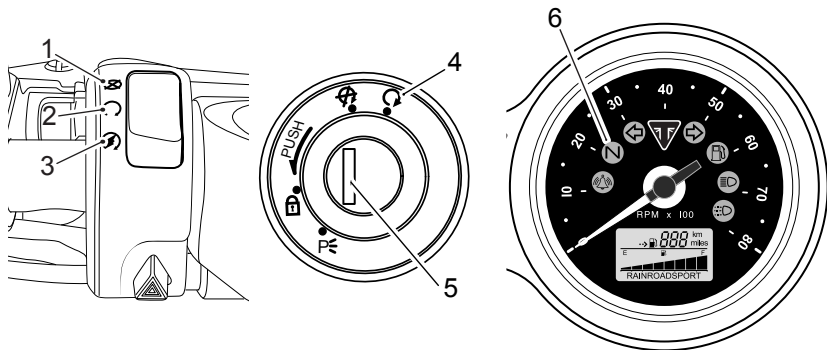
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1. STOP position
2. RUN position
3. START position
4. ON position
5. Ignition switch
6. Neutral indicator light

To Stop the Engine

Close the throttle completely.

Select neutral.

Turn the ignition switch off.

Select first gear.

Support the motorcycle on a firm, level surface with the side stand (see **page 69**).

Lock the steering (see **page 42**).

Caution

The engine should normally be stopped by turning the ignition switch to the OFF position. The engine stop switch is for emergency use only. Do not leave the ignition switched on with the engine stopped. Electrical damage may result.

To Start the Engine

Check that the engine stop switch is in the RUN position.

Ensure the transmission is in neutral.

Turn the ignition switch on.

Note:

- **When the ignition is switched on, the instrument warning lights will illuminate and will then go off (except those which normally remain on until the engine starts - see 'Warning Lights' on page 12).**

Pull the clutch lever fully into the handlebar.

Leaving the throttle fully closed, push the starter button until the engine starts.

Warning

Never start the engine or run the engine in a confined area. Exhaust fumes are poisonous and can cause loss of consciousness and death within a short period of time. Always operate your motorcycle in the open-air or in an area with adequate ventilation.

Caution

Do not operate the starter continuously for more than 5 seconds as the starter motor will overheat and the battery will become discharged. Wait 15 seconds between each operation of the starter to allow for cooling and recovery of battery power.

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Do not let the engine idle for long periods as this may lead to overheating which will cause damage to the engine.

Caution

The low oil pressure warning light should go out shortly after the engine starts.

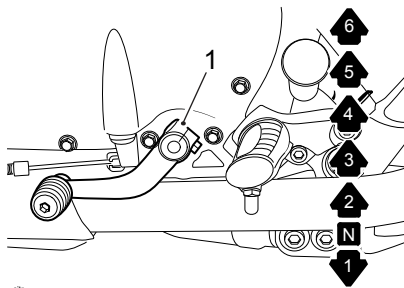
If the low oil pressure warning light stays on after starting the engine, stop the engine immediately and investigate the cause. Running the engine with low oil pressure will cause severe engine damage.

- The motorcycle is equipped with starter lockout switches. The switches prevent the electric starter from operating when the transmission is not in neutral with the side stand down.
- If the side stand is extended while the engine is running, and the transmission is not in neutral then the engine will stop regardless of clutch position.

Moving Off

Pull in the clutch lever and select first gear. Open the throttle a little and let out the clutch lever slowly. As the clutch starts to engage, open the throttle a little more, allowing enough engine speed to avoid stalling.

Changing Gears



1. Gear shift pedal (6 speed shown)

Close the throttle while pulling in the clutch lever. Change into the next higher or lower gear. Open the throttle part way, while releasing the clutch lever. Always use the clutch when shifting gear.

Warning

Take care to avoid opening the throttle too far or too fast in any of the lower gears as this can lead to the front wheel lifting from the ground (pulling a 'wheelie') and to the rear tire breaking traction (wheel spin).

Always open the throttle cautiously, particularly if you are unfamiliar with the motorcycle, as a 'wheelie' or loss of traction will cause loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Note:

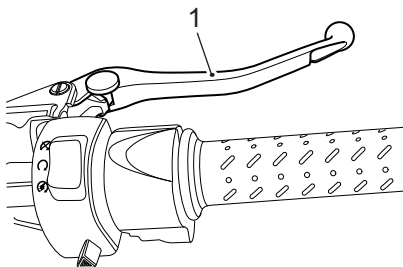
- The gear shift mechanism is the 'positive stop' type. This means that, for each movement of the gear shift pedal/lever, you can only select each gear, one after the other, in ascending or descending order.

Warning

Do not shift to a lower gear at speeds that will cause excessive engine rpm (r/min). This can lock the rear wheel causing loss of control and an accident. Engine damage may also be caused. Changing down should be done such that low engine speeds will be ensured.

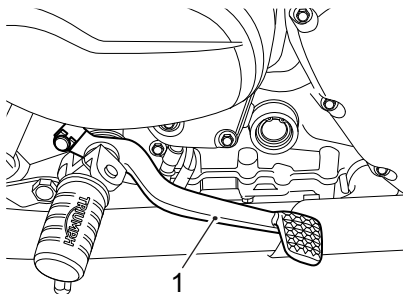
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Braking



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1. Front brake lever



clip

1. Rear brake pedal

Warning

WHEN BRAKING, OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING:

Close the throttle completely, leaving the clutch engaged to allow the engine to help slow down the motorcycle.

Change down one gear at a time such that the transmission is in first gear when the motorcycle comes to a complete stop.

Warning *Continued*

When stopping, always apply both brakes at the same time. Normally the front brake should be applied a little more than the rear.

Change down or fully disengage the clutch as necessary to keep the engine from stalling.

Never lock the brakes, as this may cause loss of control of the motorcycle and an accident.

Warning

For emergency braking, disregard down shifting, and concentrate on applying the front and rear brakes as hard as possible without skidding. Riders should practice emergency braking in a traffic-free area (see ABS warnings below/over).

Triumph strongly recommends that all riders take a course of instruction, which includes advice on safe brake operation. Incorrect brake technique could result in loss of control and an accident.

Warning

For your safety, always exercise extreme caution when braking (whether or not ABS is equipped), accelerating or turning as any improper action can cause loss of control and an accident. Independent use of the front or rear brakes reduces

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overall braking performance. Extreme braking may cause either wheel to lock, reducing control of the motorcycle and causing an accident (see ABS warnings below).

When possible, reduce speed or brake before entering a turn as closing the throttle or braking in mid-turn may cause wheel slip leading to loss of control and an accident.

When riding in wet or rainy conditions, or on loose surfaces, the ability to maneuver and stop will be reduced. All of your actions should be smooth under these conditions. Sudden acceleration, braking or turning may cause loss of control and an accident.

Warning

When descending a long, steep gradient or mountain pass, make use of the engine's braking effect by down changing and use both front and rear brakes intermittently. Continuous brake application or use of the rear brake only can overheat the brakes and reduce their effectiveness leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Riding with your foot on the brake pedal or your hands on the brake lever may actuate the brake light, giving a false indication to other road users. It may also overheat the brake, reducing braking effectiveness leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Do not coast with the engine switched off, and do not tow the motorcycle. The transmission is pressure lubricated only when the engine is running. Inadequate lubrication may cause damage or seizure of the transmission, which can lead to sudden loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

ABS (Anti-Lock Brake System)

Warning

Where equipped, ABS prevents the wheels from locking, therefore maximizing the effectiveness of the braking system in emergencies and when riding on slippery surfaces. The potentially shorter braking distances ABS allows under certain conditions are not a substitute for good riding practice.

Always ride within the legal speed limit.

Never ride without due care and attention and always reduce speed in consideration of weather, road and traffic conditions.

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Warning_{Continued}

Take care when cornering. If the brakes are applied in a corner, ABS will not be able to counteract the weight and momentum of the motorcycle. This can result in loss of control and an accident.

Under some circumstances it is possible that a motorcycle equipped with ABS may require a longer stopping distance than an equivalent motorcycle without ABS.

ABS Warning Light



The ABS indicator light illuminates to show that the ABS function is not available. Illumination is normal after engine start-up, and until the motorcycle first reaches a speed exceeding 6 mph (10 km/h). Unless there is a fault, it should not illuminate again until the engine is restarted.

If the indicator light becomes illuminated at any other time while riding, it indicates that the ABS has a malfunction that requires investigation.

- Normally, the rider will perceive ABS operation as a harder feel or a pulsation of the brake lever and pedal. As the ABS is not an integrated braking system and it does not control both the front and rear brake at the same time, this pulsation may be felt in the lever, the pedal or both.
- The ABS may be activated by sudden upward or downward changes in the road surface.

Warning

If the ABS is not functioning, the brake system will continue to function as a non-ABS braking system. Do not continue to ride for longer than is necessary with the indicator light illuminated. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked and rectified. In this situation, braking too hard will cause the wheels to lock resulting in loss of control and an accident.

Warning

The ABS warning light will illuminate when the rear wheel is driven at high speed for more than 30 seconds when the motorcycle is on a stand. This reaction is normal.

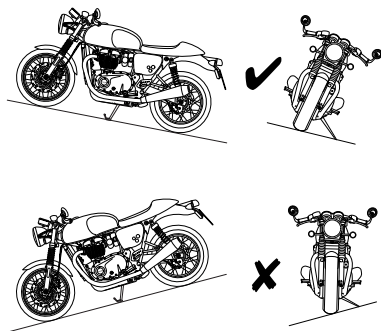
When the ignition is switched off and the motorcycle is re-started, the warning light will illuminate until the motorcycle reaches a speed exceeding 19 mph (30 km/h).

Warning

The ABS computer operates by comparing the relative speed of the front and rear wheels. Use of non-recommended tires can affect wheel speed and cause the ABS function not to operate, potentially leading to loss of control and an accident in conditions where the ABS would normally function.

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Parking



Select neutral and turn the ignition switch to the OFF position.

Lock the steering to help prevent theft.

Always park on a firm, level surface to prevent the motorcycle from falling.

When parking on a hill, always park facing uphill to prevent the motorcycle from rolling off the stand. Engage first gear to prevent the motorcycle from moving.

On a lateral (sideways) incline, always park such that the incline naturally pushes the motorcycle towards the sidestand.

Do not park on a lateral (sideways) incline of greater than 6° and never park facing downhill.

Note:

- **When parking near traffic at night, or when parking in a location where parking lights are required by law, leave the tail, license plate and position lights on by turning the ignition switch to P (PARK).**

Do not leave the switch in the P position for long periods of time as this will discharge the battery.

Ensure that the side stand is fully retracted before riding off.

Warning

Do not park on a soft or on a steeply inclined surface. Parking under these conditions may cause the motorcycle to fall over causing damage to property and personal injury.

Warning

Gasoline is extremely flammable and can be explosive under certain conditions. If parking inside a garage or other structure, be sure it is well ventilated and the motorcycle is not close to any source of flame or sparks. This includes any appliance with a pilot light.

Failure to follow the above advice may cause a fire resulting in damage to property or personal injury.

Warning

The engine and exhaust system will be hot after riding. DO NOT park where pedestrians and children are likely to touch the motorcycle.

Touching any part of the engine or exhaust system when hot may cause unprotected skin to become burnt.

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Considerations for High-Speed Operation

Warning

This Triumph motorcycle should be operated within the legal speed limits for the particular road travelled. Operating a motorcycle at high speeds can be potentially dangerous since the time available to react to given traffic situations is greatly reduced as road speed increases. Always reduce speed in consideration of weather and traffic conditions.

Warning

Only operate this Triumph motorcycle at high speed in closed-course on-road competition or on closed-course racetracks. High-speed operation should only then be attempted by riders who have been instructed in the techniques necessary for high-speed riding and are familiar with the motorcycle's characteristics in all conditions.

High-speed operation in any other circumstances is dangerous and will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

The handling characteristics of a motorcycle at high speed may vary from those you are familiar with at legal road speeds. Do not attempt high-speed operation unless you have received sufficient training and have the required skills as a serious accident may result from incorrect operation.

Warning

The items listed below are extremely important and must never be neglected. A problem, which may not be noticed at normal operating speeds, may be greatly exaggerated at high speeds.

General

Ensure the motorcycle has been maintained according to the scheduled maintenance chart.

Steering

Check that the handlebar turns smoothly without excessive free play or tight spots. Ensure that the control cables do not restrict the steering in any way.

Luggage

Make certain that any luggage containers are closed, locked and securely installed to the motorcycle.

Brakes

Check that the front and rear brakes are functioning properly.

Tires

High-speed operation is hard on tires, and tires that are in good condition are crucial to riding safely. Examine their overall condition, inflate to the correct pressure (when the tires are cold), and check the wheel balance. Securely fit the valve caps after checking tire pressures. Observe the information given in the maintenance and specification sections on tire checking and tire safety.

Fuel

Have sufficient fuel for the increased fuel consumption that will result from high-speed operation.

Caution

In many countries, the exhaust system for this model is installed with a catalytic converter to help reduce exhaust emission levels. The catalytic converter can be permanently damaged if the motorcycle is allowed to run out of fuel or if the fuel level is allowed to get very low. Always ensure you have adequate fuel for your journey.

Engine Oil

Make certain that the engine oil level is correct. Ensure that the correct grade and type of oil is used when topping off.

Drive Belt

Make certain that the drive belt is correctly adjusted. Inspect the belt for wear, damage/cuts, frayed edges, or broken teeth.

Coolant

Check that the coolant level is at the upper level line in the expansion tank. (Always check the level with the engine cold.)

Electrical Equipment

Make certain that the headlight, rear/brake light, turn signals, horn etc., all work properly.

Miscellaneous

Visually check that all fasteners are tight.

ACCESSORIES, PASSENGERS AND LOADING

Accessories and Loading

The addition of accessories and carrying of additional weight can affect the motorcycle's handling characteristics causing changes in stability and necessitating a reduction in speed. The following information has been prepared as a guide to the potential hazards of adding accessories to a motorcycle and carrying passengers and additional loads.

Warning

Incorrect loading may result in an unsafe riding condition leading to an accident.

Always ensure any loads carried are evenly distributed on both sides of the motorcycle. Ensure that the load is correctly secured such that it will not move around while the motorcycle is in motion.

Evenly distribute the load within each pannier (if fitted). Pack heavy items at the bottom and on the inboard side of the pannier.

Always check the load security regularly (though not while the motorcycle is in motion) and ensure that the load does not extend beyond the rear of the motorcycle.

Never exceed the maximum vehicle loading weight of 463 lb (210 kg).

Warning *Continued*

This maximum loading weight is made up from the combined weight of the rider, passenger, any accessories fitted and any load carried.

For models that have adjustable suspension settings, ensure that front and rear spring preload and damping settings are suitable for the loading condition of the motorcycle (see [page 102](#)). Note the maximum permissible payload for the panniers is stated on a label inside the pannier.

Warning

Do not install accessories or carry luggage that impairs the control of the motorcycle. Make sure that you have not adversely affected any lighting component, road clearance, banking capability (i.e. lean angle), control operation, wheel travel, front fork movement, visibility in any direction, or any other aspect of the motorcycle's operation.

Warning

Never ride an accessory equipped motorcycle, or a motorcycle carrying a payload of any kind, at speeds above 80 mph (130 km/h). In either/both of these conditions, speeds in excess of 80 mph (130 km/h) should not be attempted even where the legal speed limit permits this.

Accessories, Passengers and Loading

Warning_{Continued}

The presence of accessories and/or payload will cause changes in the stability and handling of the motorcycle.

Failure to allow for changes in motorcycle stability may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident. When riding at high speed, always be aware that various motorcycle configuration and environmental factors can adversely affect the stability of your motorcycle. For example:

Incorrectly balanced loads on both sides of the motorcycle

Incorrectly adjusted front and rear suspension settings

Incorrectly adjusted tire pressures

Excessively or unevenly worn tires

Side winds and turbulence from other vehicles

Loose clothing.

Remember that the 80 mph (130 km/h) absolute limit will be reduced by the fitting of non-approved accessories, incorrect loading, worn tires, overall motorcycle condition and poor road or weather conditions.

Warning

This motorcycle must not be operated above the legal road speed limit except in authorized closed-course conditions.

Warning

Only operate this Triumph motorcycle at high speed in closed-course on-road competition or on closed-course racetracks. High-speed operation should only then be attempted by riders who have been instructed in the techniques necessary for high-speed riding and are familiar with the motorcycle's characteristics in all conditions.

High-speed operation in any other circumstances is dangerous and will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Your passenger should be instructed that he or she can cause loss of motorcycle control by making sudden movements or by adopting an incorrect seated position.

The rider should instruct the passenger as follows:

It is important that the passenger sits still while the motorcycle is in motion and does not interfere with the operation of the motorcycle.

To keep his or her feet on the passenger footrests and to firmly hold onto the seat strap or the rider's waist or hips.

Advise the passenger to lean with the rider when traveling around corners and not to lean unless the rider does so.

Accessories, Passengers and Loading

Warning

Do not carry a passenger unless he or she is tall enough to reach the footrests provided.

A passenger who is not tall enough to reach the footrests will be unable to sit securely on the motorcycle and may cause instability leading to loss of control and an accident.

Warning

The handling and braking capabilities of a motorcycle will be affected by the presence of a passenger. The rider must make allowances for these changes when operating the motorcycle with a passenger and should not attempt such operation unless trained to do so and without becoming familiar and comfortable with the changes in motorcycle operating characteristics that this brings about.

Motorcycle operation without making allowances for the presence of a passenger could lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Never attempt to store any items between the frame and the fuel tank. This can restrict the steering and will cause loss of control leading to an accident.

Weight attached to the handlebar or front fork will increase the mass of the steering assembly and can result in loss of steering control leading to an accident.

Warning

Do not carry animals on your motorcycle.

An animal could make sudden and unpredictable movements that could lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

If the passenger seat or luggage rack (if fitted) is used to carry small objects, they must not exceed a total maximum weight of:

Street Twin and Bonneville T120 - 6.6 lb (3 kg)

Thruxton and Thruxton R - 4.4 lb (2 kg).

This total weight (combined on the seat and luggage rack), must not impair control of the motorcycle, must be securely attached and must not extend beyond the rear or sides of the motorcycle.

Carrying of objects in excess of the above weights, that are insecure, impair control or extend beyond the rear or sides of the motorcycle may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Even if small objects are correctly loaded onto the rear seat or luggage rack, the maximum speed of the motorcycle must be reduced to 80 mph (130 km/h).

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Scheduled Maintenance

To maintain the motorcycle in a safe and reliable condition, the maintenance and adjustments outlined in this section must be carried out as specified in the schedule of daily checks, and also in line with the scheduled maintenance chart. The information that follows describes the procedures to follow when carrying out the daily checks and some simple maintenance and adjustment items.

Warning

All maintenance is vitally important and must not be neglected. Incorrect maintenance or adjustment may cause one or more parts of the motorcycle to malfunction. A malfunctioning motorcycle may lead to loss of control and an accident.

Weather, terrain and geographical location affect maintenance. The maintenance schedule should be adjusted to match the particular environment in which the vehicle is used and the demands of the individual owner.

Special tools, knowledge and training are required in order to correctly carry out the maintenance items listed in the scheduled maintenance chart. Only an authorized Triumph dealer will have this knowledge and equipment.

Since incorrect or neglected maintenance can lead to a dangerous riding condition, always have an authorized Triumph dealer carry out the scheduled maintenance of this motorcycle.

Scheduled maintenance may be carried out by your dealer in three ways; annual maintenance, mileage based maintenance or a combination of both, depending on the mileage the motorcycle travels each year.

1. Motorcycles traveling less than 10,000 miles (16,000 km) per year must be maintained annually. In addition to this, mileage based items require maintenance at their specified intervals, as the motorcycle reaches this mileage.
2. Motorcycles traveling approximately 10,000 miles (16,000 km) per year must have the annual maintenance and the specified mileage based items carried out together.
3. Motorcycles traveling more than 10,000 miles (16,000 km) per year must have the mileage based items maintained as the motorcycle reaches the specified mileage. In addition to this, annual based items will require maintenance at their specified annual intervals.

In all cases maintenance must be carried out at or before the specified maintenance intervals shown. Consult an authorized Triumph dealer for advice on which maintenance schedule is most suitable for your motorcycle.

Triumph Motorcycles cannot accept any responsibility for damage or injury resulting from incorrect maintenance or improper adjustment.

Maintenance

Scheduled Maintenance Table

Operation Description	Odometer Reading in Miles (Km) or Time Period, whichever comes first					
		First Service	Annual Service	Mileage Based Service		
	Every	500 (800) 1 month	Year	10,000 and 30,000 (16,000 and 48,000)	20,000 (32,000)	40,000 (64,000)
Lubrication						
Engine - check for leaks	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Engine oil - replace	-	*	*	*	*	*
Engine oil filter - replace	-	*	*	*	*	*
Fuel System and Engine Management						
Fuel system - check for leaks, chafing etc.	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Throttle body plate (butterfly) - check/clean	-			*	*	*
Autoscan - Carry out a full Autoscan using the Triumph Diagnostic Tool (print a customer copy)	-	*	*	*	*	*
Exhaust clamp bolts - check/adjust	-	*	*	*	*	*
Air cleaner - replace	-				*	*
Fuel filter† - replace	-				*	*
Throttle bodies - balance	-			*	*	*
Fuel hoses - replace	Every 4 years regardless of mileage					
Evaporative loss hoses* - replace	Every 4 years regardless of mileage					
Ignition System						
Spark plugs - check	-			*		
Spark plugs - replace	-				*	*
Cooling System						
Cooling system - check for leaks	-	*	*	*	*	*
Coolant level - check/adjust	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Coolant - replace	Every 3 years regardless of mileage					
Engine						
Clutch cable - check/adjust	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Valve clearances - check	-				*	*
Wheels and Tires						
Tire wear/tire damage - check	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Tire pressures - check/adjust	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Wheels - inspect for damage	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Wheels - check wheels for broken or damaged spokes and check spoke tightness (models with spoked wheels only)	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Wheel bearings - check for wear/smooth operation	-	*	*	*	*	*
Electrical						
All lights, instruments and electrical systems - check	Day	*	*	*	*	*

Operation Description	Odometer Reading in Miles (Km) or Time Period, whichever comes first					
		First Service	Annual Service	Mileage Based Service		
	Every	500 (800) 1 month	Year	10,000 and 30,000 (16,000 and 48,000)	20,000 (32,000)	40,000 (64,000)
Steering and Suspension						
Steering - check for free operation	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Forks - check for leaks/smooth operation	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Fork oil - replace	-					*
Steering head bearings - check/adjust	-	*	*	*	*	*
Steering head bearings - lubricate	-				*	*
Brakes						
ABS and immobilizer ECMs - check for stored DTCs	-	*	*	*	*	*
Brake pads - check wear levels	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Brake master cylinders - check for fluid leaks	-	*	*	*	*	*
Brake calipers - check for fluid leaks and seized pistons	-	*	*	*	*	*
Brake fluid levels - check	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Brake fluid - replace	Every 2 years regardless of mileage					
Drive Chain						
Drive chain slack - check/adjust	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Drive chain - wear check	Every 500 miles (800 km)					
Drive chain - lubricate	Every 200 miles (300 km)					
Drive chain rubbing strip - check	-	*	*	*	*	*
Drive chain rubbing strip - replace	-				*	*
General						
Fasteners - inspect visually for security	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Bank angle indicators - inspect visually for wear	Day	*	*	*	*	*
Side stand/Center stand - check operation	Day	*	*	*	*	*
* Evaporative system equipped on models for certain markets only.						
† Models with twin throttle bodies only.						

Maintenance

Engine Oil



In order for the engine, transmission, and clutch to function correctly, maintain the engine oil at the correct level, and change the oil and oil filter in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

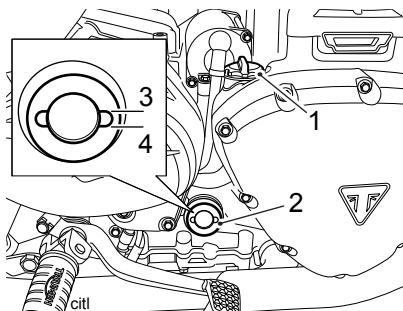
Warning

Motorcycle operation with insufficient, deteriorated, or contaminated engine oil will cause accelerated engine wear and may result in engine or transmission seizure. Seizure of the engine or transmission may lead to sudden loss of control and an accident.

Caution

Running the engine with insufficient oil will cause engine damage. If the low oil pressure indicator remains on, stop the engine immediately and investigate the situation.

Oil Level Inspection



1. Filler plug
2. Sight glass
3. Maximum limit
4. Minimum limit

Start the engine and run at idle for approximately five minutes. Stop the engine and wait for at least three minutes to allow the oil to settle.

Note the oil level visible in the sight glass.

When correct, oil should be visible in the sight glass at a point midway between the upper (maximum) and lower (minimum) markings on the sight glass.

Note:

- An accurate indication of the level of oil in the engine is only shown when the engine is at normal operating temperature and the motorcycle is upright (not on the side stand).

If it is necessary to top off the oil level, remove the filler plug and add oil, a little at a time, until the level registered in the sight glass is correct.

! Caution

Make sure no foreign matter or contamination enters the engine during an oil change or top off. Contamination entering the engine may lead to engine damage.

Once the correct level is reached, fit and tighten the filler plug.

! Warning

If the engine has recently been running, the exhaust system will be hot. Before working on or near the exhaust system, allow sufficient time for the exhaust system to cool as touching any part of a hot exhaust system could cause burn injuries.

Oil and Oil Filter Change

The engine oil and filter must be replaced in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

To change the engine oil and filter, follow the instructions.

! Warning

Prolonged or repeated contact with engine oil can lead to skin dryness, irritation and dermatitis. In addition, used engine oil contains harmful contamination that can lead to skin cancer. Always wear suitable protective clothing and avoid skin contact with used oil.

Warm up the engine thoroughly then stop the engine. Secure the motorcycle on the side stand.

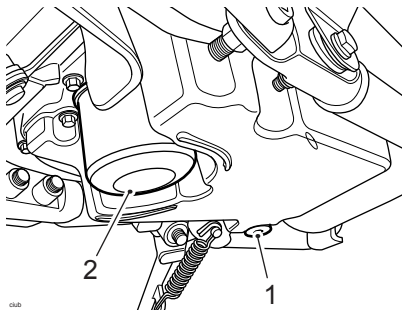
Allow the oil to settle for five minutes before draining.

! Warning

The oil may be hot to the touch. Avoid contact with the hot oil by wearing suitable protective clothing, gloves, eye protection, etc. Contact with hot oil may cause the skin to be scalded or burned.

Place an oil drain pan beneath the engine.

Remove the sump plug from the bottom of the sump and allow the oil to drain.



1. Sump plug
2. Oil filter

Secure the motorcycle in an upright position on level ground.

Position the oil drain pan beneath the oil filter.

Unscrew and remove the oil filter using the Triumph service tool T3880313. Dispose of the old filter in an environmentally friendly way.

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Prefill the replacement oil filter with new engine oil.

Apply a smear of clean engine oil to the sealing ring of the new oil filter. Fit the oil filter and tighten to **7 lb- ft (10 Nm)**.

After the oil has completely drained out, fit a new sealing washer to the sump plug. Fit and tighten the plug to **18 lb ft (25 Nm)**.

Warning

If the engine has recently been running, the exhaust system will be hot. Before working on or near the exhaust system, allow sufficient time for the exhaust system to cool as touching any part of a hot exhaust system could cause burn injuries.

Remove the oil filler plug.

Fill the engine with a 10W/40 or 10W/50 semi or fully synthetic motorcycle engine oil that meets specification API SH (or higher) and JASO MA, such as Castrol Power 1 Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) engine oil, sold as Castrol Power RS Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) in some countries.

Do not overfill or exceed the capacities given in the Specifications section.

Start the engine and allow it to idle for a minimum of 30 seconds.

Caution

Raising the engine speed above idle, before the oil reaches all parts of the engine can cause engine damage or seizure. Only raise engine speed after running the engine for 30 seconds to allow the oil to circulate fully.

Make sure that the low oil pressure warning light extinguishes shortly after starting.

Caution

If the engine oil pressure is too low, the low oil pressure warning light will illuminate. If this light stays on when the engine is running, stop the engine immediately and investigate the cause. Running the engine with low oil pressure will cause engine damage.

Turn the ignition OFF, check the oil level using the method previously described, and top off to between the minimum and maximum level lines in the sight glass.

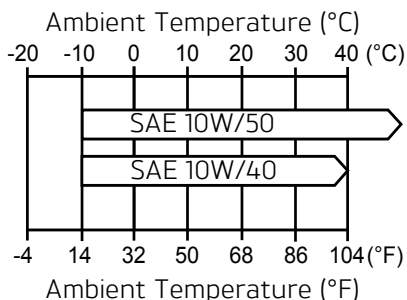
Disposal of Used Engine Oil and Oil Filters

To protect the environment, do not pour oil on the ground, down sewers or drains, or into groundwater sources. Do not place used oil filters in with general waste. If in doubt, contact your local authority.

Oil Specification and Grade

Triumph's high performance fuel injected engines are designed to use 10W/40 or 10W /50 semi or fully synthetic motorcycle engine oil that meets specification API SH (or higher) **and** JASO MA, such as Castrol Power 1 Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) engine oil, sold as Castrol Power RS Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) in some countries.

Refer to the chart below for the correct oil viscosity (10W/40 or 10W/50) to be used in your riding area.



Oil Viscosity Temperature Range

Do not add any chemical additives to the engine oil. The engine oil also lubricates the clutch and any additives could cause the clutch to slip.

Do not use mineral, vegetable, non-detergent oil, castor based oils or any oil not conforming to the required specification. The use of these oils may cause instant, severe engine damage.

Ensure no foreign matter enters the crankcase during an engine oil change or top off.

Cooling System



To ensure efficient engine cooling, check the coolant level each day before riding the motorcycle, and top off the coolant if the level is low.

Note:

- A year round, Hybrid Organic Acid Technology (known as Hybrid OAT or HOAT) coolant is installed in the cooling system when the motorcycle leaves the factory. It is colored green, contains a 50% solution of ethylene glycol based antifreeze, and has a freezing point of -35°C (-31°F).

Corrosion Inhibitors

To protect the cooling system from corrosion, the use of corrosion inhibitor chemicals in the coolant is essential.

If coolant containing a corrosion inhibitor is not used, the cooling system will accumulate rust and scale in the water jacket and radiator. This will block the coolant passages, and considerably reduce the efficiency of the cooling system.

Warning

HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant contains corrosion inhibitors and antifreeze suitable for aluminum engines and radiators. Always use the coolant in accordance with the instructions of the manufacturer.

Warning Continued

Coolant that contains anti-freeze and corrosion inhibitors contains toxic chemicals that are harmful to the human body. Never swallow antifreeze or any of the motorcycle coolant.

Note:

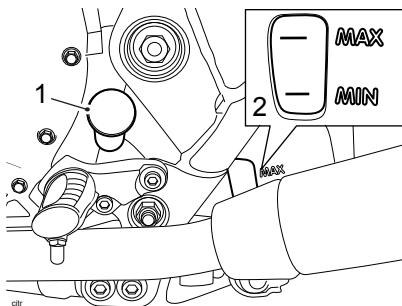
- HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant, as supplied by Triumph, is premixed and does not need to be diluted prior to filling or topping off the cooling system.

Coolant Level Inspection

Note:

- The coolant level should be checked when the engine is cold (at room or ambient temperature).

Street Twin and Bonneville T120

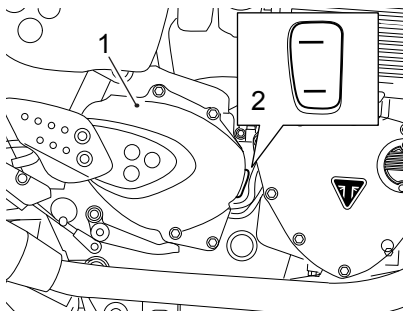


1. Expansion tank cap
2. MAX and MIN marks

Position the motorcycle on level ground and in an upright position. The expansion tank can be viewed from the left hand side of the motorcycle, towards the rear of the engine.

Check the coolant level in the expansion tank. The coolant level must be between the MAX and MIN marks. If the coolant is below the minimum level, the coolant level must be adjusted.

Thruxton and Thruxton R



1. Expansion tank cap
2. MAX and MIN marks

Position the motorcycle on level ground and in an upright position. The expansion tank can be viewed from the right hand side of the motorcycle, towards the rear of the engine.

Check the coolant level in the expansion tank. The coolant level must be between the maximum (top) and minimum (bottom) marks. If the coolant is below the minimum level, the coolant level must be adjusted.

Coolant Level Adjustment

Warning

Do not remove the expansion tank or radiator pressure cap when the engine is hot. When the engine is hot, the coolant inside the radiator will be hot and also under pressure. Contact with this hot, pressurized coolant will cause scalds and skin damage.

Note:

- **If the coolant level is being checked because the coolant has overheated, also check the level in the radiator and top off if necessary.**
- **In an emergency, distilled water can be added to the cooling system. However, the coolant must then be drained and replenished with HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant as soon as possible.**

Caution

If hard water is used in the cooling system, it will cause scale accumulation in the engine and radiator and considerably reduce the efficiency of the cooling system. Reduced cooling system efficiency may cause the engine to overheat and suffer severe damage.

Street Twin and Bonneville T120

Allow the engine to cool.

The expansion tank cap can be removed from the left hand side of the motorcycle, towards the rear of the engine.

Remove the cap from the expansion tank and add coolant mixture through the filler opening until the level reaches the MAX mark. Re-install the cap.

Thruxton and Thruxton R

Allow the engine to cool.

The expansion tank cap can be removed from the right hand side of the motorcycle, towards the rear of the engine.

Remove the sprocket cover.

Remove the cap from the expansion tank and add coolant mixture through the filler opening until the level reaches the maximum (top) mark.

Re-install the cap. Re-install the sprocket cover to **7 lb ft (9 Nm)**.

Coolant Change

Have the coolant changed by an authorized Triumph dealer in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

Radiator and Hoses

Check the radiator hoses for cracks or deterioration, and hose clips for tightness in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements. Have your authorized Triumph dealer replace any defective items.

Check the radiator grille and fins for obstructions by insects, leaves or mud. Clean off any obstructions with a stream of low pressure water.

Maintenance

Warning

The fan operates automatically when the engine is running. Always keep hands and clothing away from the fan as contact with the rotating fan can cause injury.

Caution

Using high pressure water sprays, such as from a car wash facility or household pressure washer, can damage the radiator fins, cause leaks and impair the radiator's efficiency.

Do not obstruct or deflect airflow through the radiator by installing unauthorized accessories, either in front of the radiator or behind the cooling fan. Interference with the radiator airflow can cause overheating, potentially resulting in engine damage.

Throttle Control

Warning

Always be alert for changes in the 'feel' of the throttle control and have the throttle system checked by an authorized Triumph dealer if any changes are detected. Changes can be due to wear in the mechanism, which could lead to a sticking throttle control.

A sticking or stuck throttle control will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Throttle Inspection

Warning

Use of the motorcycle with a sticking or damaged throttle control will interfere with the throttle function resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

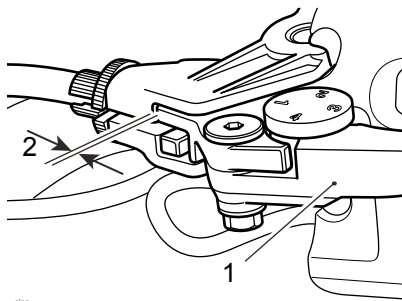
To avoid continued use of a sticking or damaged throttle control, always have it checked by your authorized Triumph dealer.

Check that the throttle opens smoothly, without undue force and that it closes without sticking. Have your authorized Triumph dealer check the throttle system if a problem is detected or any doubt exists.

Check that there is 0.04 - 0.08 in (1 - 2 mm) of throttle grip free play when lightly turning the throttle grip back and forth.

If there is an incorrect amount of free play, Triumph recommends that you have your authorized Triumph dealer investigate.

Clutch



1. Clutch lever
2. 2 - 3 mm

The motorcycle is equipped with a cable-operated clutch.

If the clutch lever has excessive free play, the clutch may not disengage fully. This will cause difficulty in shifting gear and selecting neutral. This may cause the engine to stall and make the motorcycle difficult to control.

Conversely, if the clutch lever has insufficient free play the clutch may not engage fully, causing the clutch to slip, which will reduce performance and cause premature clutch wear.

Clutch lever free play must be checked in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

Clutch Inspection

Check that there is 0.08 - 0.12 in (2 - 3 mm) clutch lever free play at the lever.

If there is an incorrect amount of free play, adjustments must be made.

Maintenance

Clutch Adjustment

Turn the adjuster sleeve until the correct amount of clutch lever free play is achieved.

If correct adjustment cannot be made using the lever adjuster, use the cable adjuster at the lower end of the cable.

Loosen the adjuster lock nut.

Turn the outer cable adjuster to give 0.08 - 0.12 in (2 - 3 mm) of free play at the clutch lever.

Tighten the lock nut.

Drive Chain



For safety and to prevent excessive wear the drive chain must be checked, adjusted and lubricated in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements. Checking, adjustment and lubrication must be carried out more frequently for extreme conditions such as salty or heavily gritted roads.

If the chain is badly worn or incorrectly adjusted (either too loose or too tight) the chain could jump off the sprockets or break. Therefore, always replace worn or damaged chains using genuine Triumph parts supplied by an authorized Triumph dealer.

Warning

A loose or worn chain, or a chain that breaks or jumps off the sprockets could catch on the engine sprocket or lock the rear wheel.

A chain that snags on the engine sprocket will injure the rider and lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Similarly, locking the rear wheel will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Chain Lubrication

Lubrication is necessary every 200 miles (300 km) and also after riding in wet weather, on wet roads, or any time that the chain appears dry.

Use the special chain lubricant as recommended in the Specifications section.

Apply lubricant to the sides of the rollers then allow the motorcycle to stand unused for at least eight hours (overnight is ideal). This will allow the oil to penetrate to the chain O-rings etc.

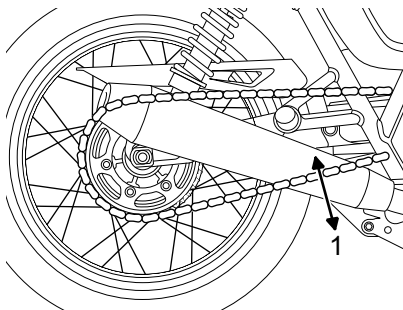
Before riding, wipe off any excess oil.

If the chain is especially dirty, clean first and then apply oil as mentioned above.

Caution

Do not use a pressure washer to clean the chain as this may cause damage to the chain components.

Chain Free Movement Inspection



1. Maximum movement position

Warning

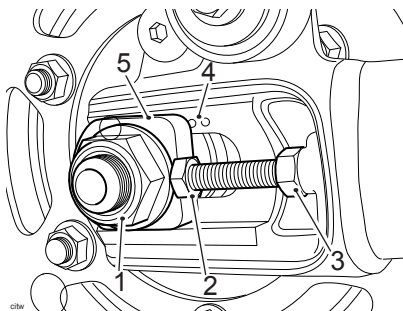
Before starting work, make sure the motorcycle is stabilized and adequately supported. This will help prevent injury to the operator or damage to the motorcycle.

Place the motorcycle on a level surface and hold it in an upright position with no weight on it.

Rotate the rear wheel by pushing the motorcycle to find the position where the chain is tightest, and measure the vertical movement of the chain midway between the sprockets.

Chain Free Movement Adjustment

The vertical movement of the drive chain must be in the range 0.79 in-1.18 in (20-30 mm).



1. Adjuster bolt
2. Adjuster bolt lock nut
3. Rear wheel spindle nut
4. Adjuster markings
5. Spindle adjuster

If the chain free movement measurement is incorrect, adjustments must be made as follows:

Loosen the wheel spindle nut.

Loosen the lock nuts on both the left hand and right hand chain adjuster bolts.

Move both adjusters by an equal amount using the adjuster markings as a guideline.

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Turn the adjuster bolts clockwise to increase chain free movement and anticlockwise to reduce chain free movement.

When the correct amount of chain free movement has been set, push the wheel into firm contact with the adjusters.

Ensure the same adjuster marking is aligned with the spindle adjuster on both sides of the swinging arm.

Tighten both adjuster lock nuts to **15 lb ft (20 Nm)** and the rear wheel spindle nut to **81 lb ft (110 Nm)**.

Repeat the chain adjustment check. Readjust if necessary.

Warning

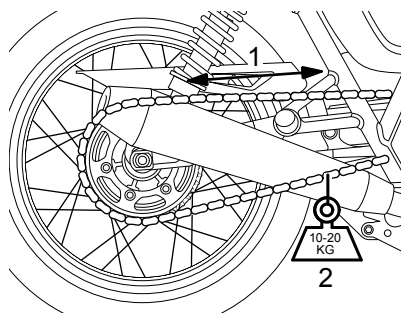
Operation of the motorcycle with insecure adjuster lock nuts or a loose wheel spindle may result in impaired stability and handling of the motorcycle. This impaired stability and handling may lead to loss of control or an accident.

Check the rear brake effectiveness. Rectify if necessary.

Warning

It is dangerous to operate the motorcycle with defective brakes; you must have your authorized Triumph dealer take remedial action before you attempt to ride the motorcycle again. Failure to take remedial action may reduce braking efficiency leading to loss of motorcycle control or an accident.

Chain and Sprocket Wear Inspection



1. **Measure across 20 links**
2. **Weight**

Remove the chain guard.

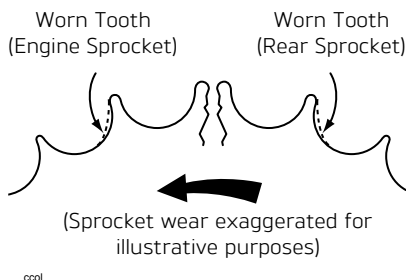
Stretch the chain taut by hanging a (20 - 40 lb) 10 - 20 kg weight on the chain.

Measure the length of 20 links on the straight part of the chain from pin center of the 1st pin to the pin center of the 21st pin. Since the chain may wear unevenly, take measurements in several places.

If the length exceeds the maximum service limit of 12.6 in (320 mm), the chain must be replaced.

Rotate the rear wheel and inspect the drive chain for damaged rollers, and loose pins and links.

Also inspect the sprockets for unevenly or excessively worn or damaged teeth.



If there is any irregularity, have the drive chain and/or the sprockets replaced by an authorized Triumph dealer.

Re-install the chain guard, tightening the fasteners to **9 Nm**.

Warning

Never neglect chain maintenance and always have chains installed by an authorized Triumph dealer. Use a genuine Triumph supplied chain as specified in the Triumph Parts Catalog.

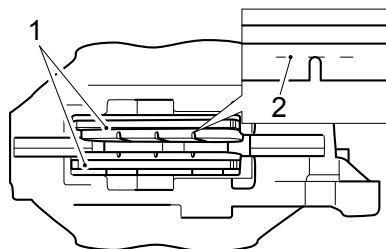
The use of non-approved chains may result in a broken chain or may cause the chain to jump off the sprockets leading to loss of motorcycle control or an accident.

Caution

If the sprockets are found to be worn, always replace the sprockets and drive chain together.

Replacing worn sprockets without also replacing the chain will lead to premature wear of the new sprockets.

Brakes - Brake Wear Inspection



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1. **Brake pads**
2. **Minimum thickness line**

Brake pads must be inspected in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements and replaced if worn to, or beyond the minimum service thickness.

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If the lining thickness of any pad (front or rear brakes) is less than 1.5 mm (0.06 in), that is, if the pad has worn down to the bottom of the grooves, replace all the pads on the wheel.

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If the lining thickness of any pad is less than 0.04 in (1.0 mm) (front) or 0.06 in (1.5 mm) (rear), replace all the pads on the wheel.

Maintenance

Breaking-in New Brake Pads and Discs

New brake discs and pads require a period of careful breaking-in that will optimize the performance and longevity of the discs and pads. The recommended distance for breaking-in new pads and discs is 200 miles (300 km).

During this period, avoid extreme braking, ride with caution and allow for greater braking distances.

Warning

Brake pads must always be replaced as a wheel set. At the front, where two calipers are installed on the same wheel, replace all the brake pads in both calipers.

Replacing individual pads will reduce braking efficiency and may cause an accident.

After replacement brake pads have been installed, ride with extreme caution until the new pads have 'broken in'.

Brake Pad Wear Compensation

Disc and brake pad wear is automatically compensated for and has no effect on the brake lever or pedal action. There are no parts that require adjustment on the front and rear brakes.

Warning

If the brake lever or pedal feels soft when it is applied, or if the lever/pedal travel becomes excessive, there may be air in the brake lines and hoses or the brakes may be defective.

It is dangerous to operate the motorcycle under such conditions and your authorized Triumph dealer must rectify the fault before riding.

Riding with defective brakes may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Disc Brake Fluid

Inspect the level of brake fluid in both reservoirs and change the brake fluid in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements. Use only DOT 4 fluid as recommended in the Specification section. The brake fluid must also be changed if it becomes, or is suspected of having become contaminated with moisture or any other contaminants.

Warning

Brake fluid is hygroscopic which means it will absorb moisture from the air.

Any absorbed moisture will greatly reduce the boiling point of the brake fluid causing a reduction in braking efficiency.

Because of this, always replace brake fluid in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

Warning Continued

Always use new brake fluid from a sealed container and never use fluid from an unsealed container or from one which has been previously opened.

Do not mix different brands or grades of brake fluid.

Check for fluid leakage around brake fittings, seals and joints and also check the brake hoses for splits, deterioration and damage.

Always rectify any faults before riding.

Failure to observe and act upon any of these items may cause a dangerous riding condition leading to loss of control and an accident.

Warning

If the ABS is not functioning, the brake system will continue to function as a standard non-ABS braking system. In this situation, braking too hard will cause the wheels to lock resulting in loss of control and an accident.

Reduce speed and do not continue to ride for longer than is necessary with the indicator light illuminated. Contact an authorized Triumph dealer as soon as possible to have the fault checked and rectified.

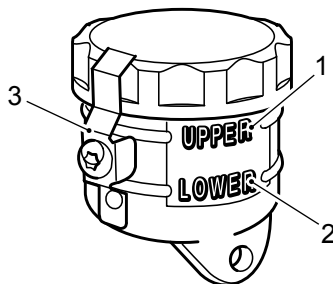
Note:

- **A special tool is required to bleed the ABS braking system. Contact your authorized Triumph dealer when the brake fluid needs replacing or the hydraulic system requires maintenance.**

Front Brake Fluid Level Inspection and Adjustment

Inspect and adjust the brake fluid level as described below:

Street Twin



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1. Upper level line, front brake
2. Lower level line, front brake
3. Safety clip

The brake fluid level must be kept between the upper and lower level lines (reservoir held horizontal).

To adjust the brake fluid level, remove the safety clip.

Remove the reservoir cap and diaphragm seal.

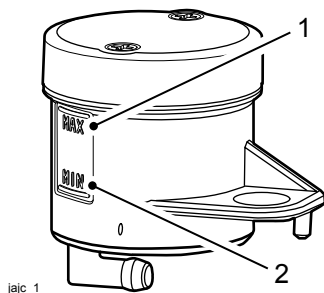
Fill the reservoir to the upper level line using new DOT 4 fluid from a sealed container.

Refit the reservoir cap ensuring that the diaphragm seal is correctly positioned between the cap and the reservoir body.

Refit the safety clip.

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1. MAX level line, front brake
2. MIN level line, front brake

The brake fluid level in the reservoirs must be kept between the MAX and MIN level lines (reservoir held horizontal).

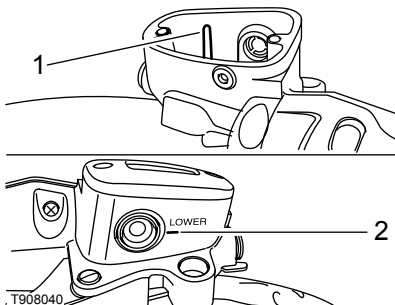
To adjust the brake fluid level, release the cap screws and remove the reservoir cap and the diaphragm seal.

Fill the reservoir to the upper level line using new DOT 4 fluid from a sealed container.

Refit the reservoir cap ensuring that the diaphragm seal is correctly positioned between the cap and reservoir body.

Tighten the cap retaining screws to **9 lb in (1 Nm)**.

Thruxton and Bonneville T120



1. Upper level line, front brake
2. Lower level line, front brake

To inspect the front fluid level, check the level of fluid visible in the window at the front of the reservoir body.

The brake fluid level must be kept between the upper and lower level lines (reservoir held horizontal).

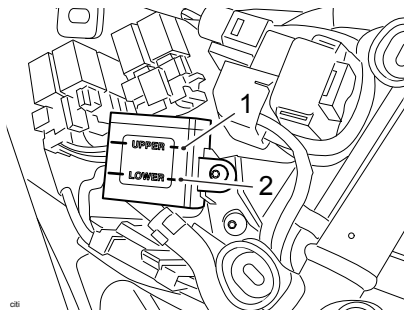
To adjust the brake fluid level, release the cap screws and remove the reservoir cap and the diaphragm seal.

Fill the reservoir to the upper level line using new DOT 4 fluid from a sealed container.

Refit the reservoir cap ensuring that the diaphragm seal is correctly positioned between the cap and reservoir body.

Tighten the cap retaining screws to **9 lb in (1 Nm)**.

Rear Brake Fluid Level Inspection and Adjustment



1. Upper level line, rear brake
2. Lower level line, rear brake

To inspect the rear brake fluid level, remove the right hand side panel as described in the General Information section.

The brake fluid level in the rear reservoir must be kept between the upper and lower level lines.

To adjust the rear brake fluid level, release the reservoir from the airbox without detaching the connecting hose.

Release the cap screws and detach the cover noting the position of the sealing diaphragm.

Fill the reservoir to the upper level line using new DOT 4 from a sealed container.

Re-install the reservoir cap ensuring that the diaphragm seal is correctly positioned between the cap and the reservoir body. Tighten the cap retaining screws to **13 lb in (1.5 Nm)**.

Retain the reservoir to the airbox by tightening the original fixing to **44 lb in (5 Nm)**.

Re-install the right hand side panel.

Warning

If there has been an appreciable drop in the level of the fluid in either fluid reservoir, consult your authorized Triumph dealer for advice before riding. Riding with depleted brake fluid levels, or with a brake fluid leak is dangerous and will cause reduced brake performance potentially leading to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Brake Light Switches

The brake light is activated independently by either the front or rear brake. If, with the ignition in the ON position, the brake light does not work when the front brake lever is pulled or the rear brake pedal is pressed, have your authorized Triumph dealer investigate and rectify the fault.

Warning

Riding the motorcycle with defective brake lights is illegal and dangerous.

An accident causing injury to the rider and other road users may result from use of a motorcycle with defective brake lights.

Maintenance

Mirrors

Warning

Operation of the motorcycle with incorrectly adjusted mirrors is dangerous.

Operation of the motorcycle with incorrectly adjusted mirrors will result in loss of vision to the rear of the motorcycle. It is dangerous to ride a motorcycle without sufficient rearward vision.

Always adjust the mirrors to provide sufficient rearward vision before riding the motorcycle.

Warning

Never attempt to clean or adjust mirrors while riding the motorcycle. Removal of the rider's hands from the handlebars while riding the motorcycle will diminish the ability of the rider to maintain control of the motorcycle.

Attempting to clean or adjust mirrors while riding the motorcycle may result in loss of control of the motorcycle and an accident.

Only attempt to clean or adjust the mirrors while stationary.

Models with Bar End Mirrors

Warning

Incorrect adjustment of the bar end mirrors may cause the mirror arm to contact the fuel tank, brake or clutch levers or other parts of the motorcycle.

This will restrict brake or clutch lever operation or restrict steering movement, resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Adjust the mirrors as required to ensure they do not contact any part of the motorcycle. After adjustment, move the handlebar to the left and right full lock while checking that the mirrors do not contact the fuel tank, brake or clutch levers or other parts of the motorcycle.

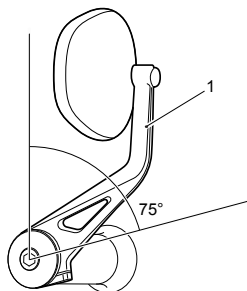
Caution

Incorrect adjustment of the bar end mirrors may cause the mirror arm to contact the fuel tank, brake or clutch levers or other parts of the motorcycle.

This will result in damage to the fuel tank, brake or clutch levers or other parts of the motorcycle.

Adjust the mirrors as required to ensure they do not contact any part of the motorcycle. After adjustment, move the handlebar to the left and right full lock while checking that the mirrors do not contact the fuel tank, brake or clutch levers or other parts of the motorcycle.

The bar end mirrors will be set by your dealer and will not normally require any adjustment. Should adjustment be necessary, do not rotate the mirror beyond 75°, measured from the vertical section of the mirror arm.



1. Mirror arm vertical section

Steering/Wheel Bearings

Warning

To prevent risk of injury from the motorcycle falling during the inspection, make sure that the motorcycle is stabilized and secured on a suitable support.

Do not exert extreme force against each wheel or rock each wheel vigorously as this may cause the motorcycle to become unstable and cause injury by falling from its support.

Make sure that the position of the support block will not cause damage to the motorcycle.

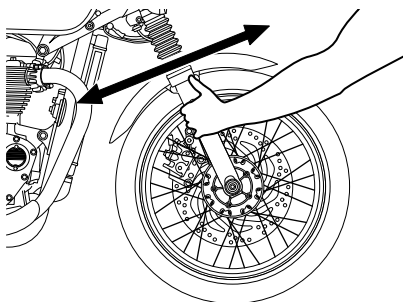
Steering Inspection

Lubricate and inspect the condition of the steering (headstock) bearings in accordance with scheduled maintenance requirements.

Maintenance

Note:

- Always inspect the wheel bearings at the same time as the steering bearings.



Inspecting the Steering for Free Play

Position the motorcycle on level ground, in an upright position.

Raise the front wheel above the ground and support the motorcycle.

Standing at the front of the motorcycle, hold the lower end of the front forks and try to move them forward and backward.

If any free play can be detected in the steering (headstock) bearings, ask your authorized Triumph dealer to inspect and rectify any faults before riding.

Warning

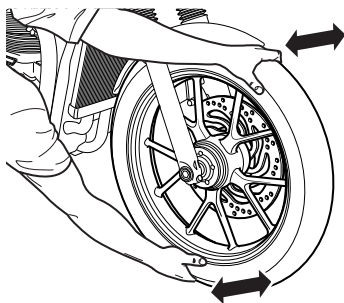
Riding the motorcycle with incorrectly adjusted or defective steering (headstock) bearings is dangerous and may cause loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Remove the support and place the motorcycle on the side stand.

Wheel Bearings Inspection

If the wheel bearings in the front or rear wheel allow play in the wheel hub, are noisy, or if the wheel does not turn smoothly, have your authorized Triumph dealer inspect the wheel bearings.

The wheel bearings must be inspected at the intervals specified in the scheduled maintenance chart.



Inspecting the Wheel Bearings

Position the motorcycle on level ground, in an upright position.

Raise the front wheel off the ground and support the motorcycle.

Standing at the side of the motorcycle, gently rock the top of the front wheel from side to side.

If any free play can be detected, ask your authorized Triumph dealer to inspect and rectify any faults before riding.

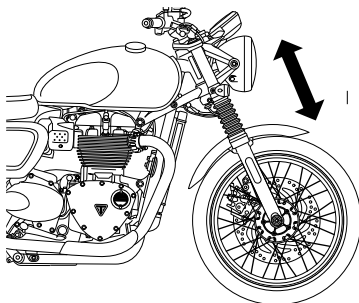
Reposition the lifting device and repeat the procedure for the rear wheel.

Remove the support and place the motorcycle on the side stand.

Warning

Operation with worn or damaged front or rear wheel bearings is dangerous and may cause impaired handling and instability leading to an accident. If in doubt, have the motorcycle inspected by an authorized Triumph dealer before riding.

Front Suspension - Front Fork Inspection



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Examine each fork for any sign of damage, scratching of the slider surface, or for oil leaks.

If any damage or leakage is found, consult an authorized Triumph dealer.

To check that the forks operate smoothly:

Position the motorcycle on level ground.

While holding the handlebars and applying the front brake, pump the forks up and down several times.

If roughness or excessive stiffness is detected, consult your authorized Triumph dealer.

Warning

Riding the motorcycle with defective or damaged suspension is dangerous and may lead to loss of control and an accident.

Maintenance

Warning

Never attempt to dismantle any part of the suspension units, as all units contain pressurized oil. Skin and eye damage can result from contact with the pressurized oil.

Front Suspension Adjustment

The Thruxton R is equipped with adjustable front suspension.

All other models have non-adjustable front suspension.

Front Suspension Settings - Thruxton R

Preload		
LOADING		Spring Pre-Load ¹
Solo Riding	Standard	7.0
	Comfort (Softer)	7.0
	Sport (Firmer)	7.0
Rider and Passenger		7.0
¹ Number of adjuster turns clockwise from the fully anticlockwise position.		

Damping			
LOADING		Rebound Damping ²	Compression Damping ²
Solo Riding	Standard	4.0	5.25
	Comfort (Softer)	6.5	8.5
	Sport (Firmer)	2.0	2.0
Rider and Passenger		4.0	5.25
² Number of adjuster turns anticlockwise from the fully clockwise position.			

Note:

- This chart is only a guide. Setting requirements may vary for rider weight and personal preferences. See the following pages for information regarding suspension adjustment.

The standard suspension setting provides a comfortable ride and good handling characteristics for general, solo riding. The chart shows suggested settings for the front suspension.

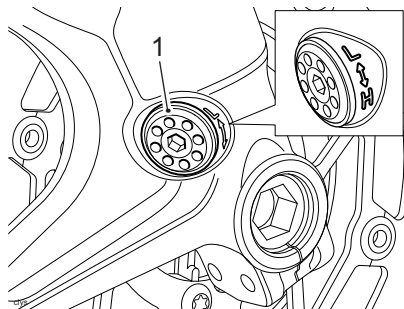
Warning

Make sure that the adjusters are set to the same setting on both front suspension units. Settings that vary from left to right may affect handling and stability resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Make sure that the correct balance between front and rear suspension is maintained. Suspension imbalance could significantly change handling characteristics leading to loss of control and an accident. Refer to the table for further information or consult your Triumph dealer.

Front Suspension Preload Adjustment - Thruxton R Only



1. Front suspension preload adjuster

The preload adjuster is located at the bottom of the front suspension unit.

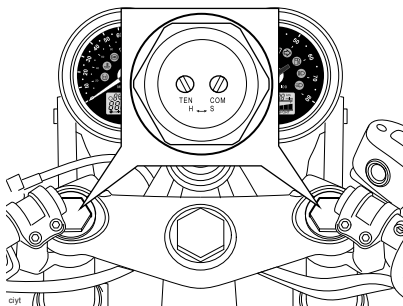
To change the preload, rotate the adjuster clockwise to increase, or anticlockwise to decrease using the Allen key located in the right hand side panel.

Always count the number of turns from the fully clockwise position noting that the first turn is counted as zero.

Note:

- The motorcycle is delivered from the factory with the preload adjuster set at the Solo Riding settings, as shown in the relevant suspension chart (see **page 100**).

Front Suspension Rebound and Compression Damping Adjustment - Thruxton R Only



Front suspension rebound and compression damping adjusters

The rebound and compression damping adjusters are located at the top of each fork.

To change the rebound damping setting, rotate the TEN slotted adjuster clockwise to increase, or anticlockwise to decrease.

To change the compression damping setting, rotate the COM slotted adjuster clockwise to increase, or anticlockwise to decrease.

Always count the number of anticlockwise turns from the fully clockwise position.

Note:

- The motorcycle is delivered from the factory with the rebound and compression damping adjusters set at the Solo Riding settings, as shown in the relevant suspension chart (see **page 100**).

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Rear Suspension

Note:

- Street Twin, Thruxton and Bonneville T120 suspension settings are spring preload adjustable only.
- Thruxton R suspension has three different rear adjustment settings; spring preload, rebound damping and compression damping.

The standard rear suspension preload settings provide a comfortable ride and good handling characteristics for general, solo riding. The following table shows suggested settings for rear suspension under different load conditions for all models.

Rear Suspension Settings

Street Twin, Thruxton and Bonneville T120

Loading Condition	Rear Spring Preload Adjuster Position
Solo Riding - Standard	1
Rider, passenger and luggage	5

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Preload		
Loading Condition		Rear Spring Preload ¹
Solo Riding	Standard	1
	Comfort (Softer)	1
	Sport (Firmer)	1
Rider and Passenger		3
¹ Position 1 is minimum (fully clockwise) and position 3 is maximum (fully anticlockwise).		

Damping			
Loading Condition		Rear Rebound Damping ²	Rear Compression Damping ²
Solo Riding	Standard	24	16
	Comfort (Softer)	44	20
	Sport (Firmer)	12	8
Rider and Passenger		15	10
² Number of clicks anticlockwise from the fully clockwise position noting that the first stop (click) is counted as 1.			

Note:

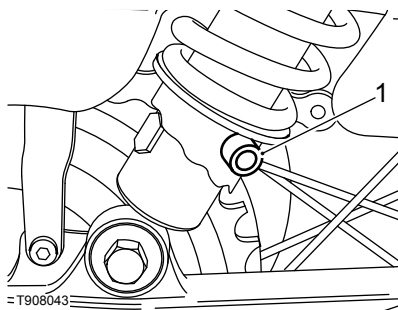
- The details given in the tables are only a guide. Setting requirements may vary for rider and passenger weight and personal preferences.

Rear Suspension Preload Adjustment

Street Twin, Thruxton and Bonneville T120

Rear adjuster settings are counted from one with position one being with the adjuster turned fully anticlockwise.

There are five adjuster positions in total. Position five gives the maximum amount of spring preload.



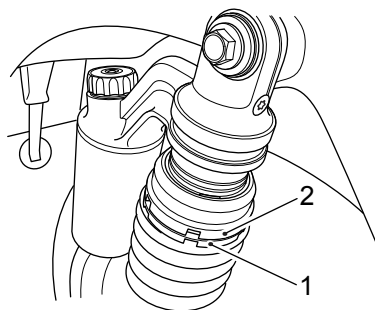
1. Rear suspension preload adjusters

The spring preload adjuster is located at the bottom of the rear suspension unit.

To change the rear suspension spring preload setting, insert the tool (located in the right hand side panel) into the hole in the adjuster ring.

Turn the adjuster ring clockwise to increase spring preload, and counterclockwise to decrease spring preload. When delivered from the factory, the preload adjuster will be set at position one.

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1. Rear suspension preload adjusters
2. Locking ring

The spring preload adjuster is located at the top of the rear suspension unit.

To change the rear suspension spring preload setting, insert a suitable C-spanner into the lower part of the adjuster ring.

Loosen the locking ring and set the adjuster accordingly.

Turn the lower adjuster ring clockwise to increase spring preload and anticlockwise to decrease spring preload.

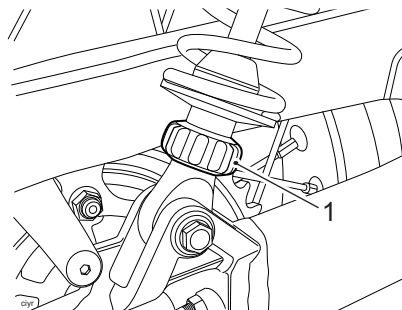
Tighten the locking ring.

Warning

Make sure that the adjusters are set to the same setting on both rear suspension units. Settings that vary from left to right may affect handling and stability resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

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Rear Suspension Rebound Damping Adjustment - Thruxton R only



1. Rear suspension rebound damping adjuster

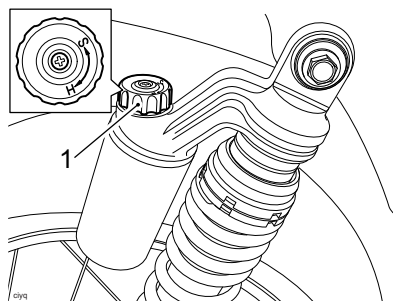
The rebound damping adjuster is located at the bottom of the rear suspension unit.

To change the rebound damping setting, rotate the adjuster clockwise to increase and anticlockwise to decrease.

Note:

- The setting is measured as the number of adjuster clicks anticlockwise from the fully clockwise position.
- The motorcycle is delivered from the factory with the rebound damping adjuster set at the Solo Riding settings, as shown in the relevant suspension chart (see **page 102**).

Rear Suspension Compression Damping Adjustment - Thruxton R only



1. Rear suspension compression damping adjuster

The compression damping adjuster is located at the top of the rear suspension unit.

To change the compression damping setting, rotate the adjuster clockwise to increase, or anticlockwise to decrease.

Note:

- The setting is measured as the number of adjuster clicks anticlockwise from the fully clockwise position.
- The motorcycle is delivered from the factory with the compression damping set at the Solo Riding settings, as shown in the relevant suspension chart (see **page 102**).

Bank Angle Indicators



Warning

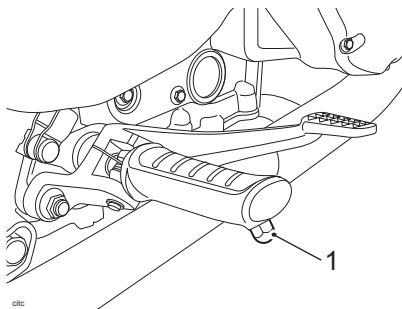
Use of a motorcycle with bank angle indicators worn beyond the maximum limit will allow the motorcycle to be banked to an unsafe angle.

Banking to an unsafe angle may cause instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Bank angle indicators are located on the rider's footrests.

Regularly check the bank angle indicators for wear.

The bank angle indicators must be replaced when they have reached the maximum wear limit of 0.19 in (5 mm) in length.



1. Bank angle indicator

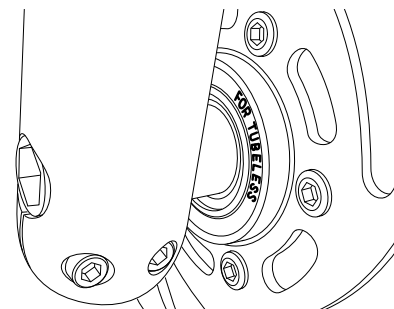
Tires



Street Twin is fitted with tubeless tires, valves and wheel rims. Use only tires marked 'TUBELESS' and tubeless valves on rims marked 'SUITABLE FOR TUBELESS TIRES'.



Typical Tire Marking - Tubeless Tire



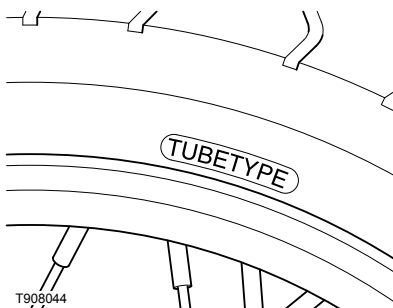
Typical Wheel Marking - Tubeless Tire

Thruxton, Thruxton R and Bonneville T120 are equipped with spoked wheels which require a tire suitable for use with an inner tube.

Maintenance

! Warning

Failure to use an inner tube in a spoked wheel will cause deflation of the tire resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.



Typical Tire Marking

! Warning

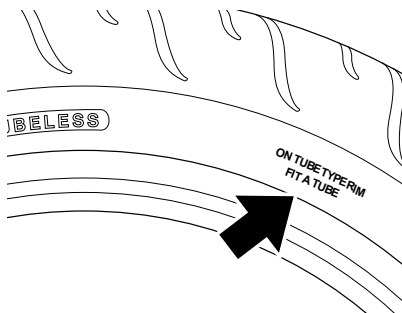
Do not install tube-type tyres on tubeless rims. The bead will not seat and the tyres could slip on the rims, causing rapid tyre deflation that may result in a loss of vehicle control and an accident. Never install an inner tube inside a tubeless tyre. This will cause friction inside the tyre and the resulting heat build-up may cause the tube to burst resulting in rapid tyre deflation, loss of vehicle control and an accident.

! Warning

Inner tubes must only be used on motorcycles equipped with spoked wheels and with tires marked 'TUBE TYPE'.

Some brands of approved tires marked 'TUBELESS' may be suitable for use with an inner tube. Where this is the case, the tire wall will be marked with text permitting the fitment of an inner tube (see illustration below).

Use of an inner tube with a tire marked 'TUBELESS', and NOT marked as suitable for use with an inner tube, or use of an inner tube on an alloy wheel marked 'SUITABLE FOR TUBELESS TYRES' will cause deflation of the tire resulting in loss of motorcycle control and an accident.



Typical Tire Marking - Tubeless Tire Suitable For Use With An Inner Tube

Tire Inflation Pressures

Correct inflation pressure will provide maximum stability, rider comfort and tire life. Always check tire pressures before riding when the tires are cold. Check tire pressures daily and adjust if necessary. See the Specification section for details of the correct inflation pressures.

Warning

Incorrect tire inflation will cause abnormal tread wear and instability problems that may lead to loss of control and an accident.

Underinflation may result in the tire slipping on, or coming off the rim. Overinflation will cause instability and accelerated tread wear.

Both conditions are dangerous as they may cause loss of control leading to an accident.

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (if equipped)

The tire pressures shown on your instruments indicate the actual tire pressure at the time of selecting the display. This may differ from the inflation pressure set when the tires are cold because tires become warmer during riding, causing the air in the tire to expand and increase the inflation pressure. The cold inflation pressures specified by Triumph take account of this.

Owners must only adjust tire pressures when the tires are cold using an accurate pressure gauge, and must not use the tire pressure display on the instruments.

Tire Wear

As the tire tread wears down, the tire becomes more susceptible to punctures and failure. It is estimated that 90% of all tire problems occur during the last 10% of tread life (90% worn). It is therefore not recommended to use tires until they are worn to their minimum.

Minimum Recommended Tread Depth

In accordance with the periodic maintenance chart, measure the depth of the tread with a depth gauge, and replace any tire that has worn to, or beyond the minimum allowable tread depth specified in the table below:

Under 80 mph (130 km/h)	0.08 in (2 mm)
Over 80 mph (130 km/h)	Rear 0.12 in (3 mm) Front 0.08 in (2 mm)

Warning

This Triumph motorcycle must not be operated above the legal road speed limit except in authorized closed course conditions.

Warning

Only operate this Triumph motorcycle at high speed in closed course, on-road competition or on closed course racetracks. High-speed operation should only then be attempted by riders who have been instructed in the techniques necessary for high-speed riding and are familiar with the motorcycle's characteristics in all conditions. High speed operation in any other circumstances is dangerous and will lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Operation with excessively worn tires is hazardous and will adversely affect traction, stability and handling which may lead to loss of control and an accident.

When tubeless tires become punctured, leakage is often very slow. Always inspect tires very closely for punctures. Check the tires for cuts, embedded nails or other sharp objects. Operation with punctured or damaged tires will adversely affect motorcycle stability and handling which may lead to loss of control or an accident.

Check the rims for dents or deformation. Operation with damaged or defective wheels or tires is dangerous and loss of motorcycle control or an accident could result.

Always consult your authorized Triumph dealer for tire replacement, or for a safety inspection of the tires.

Tire Replacement

All Triumph motorcycles are carefully and extensively tested in a range of riding conditions to ensure that the most effective tire combinations are approved for use on each model. It is essential that approved tires and inner tubes (if equipped) mounted in approved combinations, are used when purchasing replacement items. The use of non-approved tires and inner tubes, or approved tires and inner tubes in non-approved combinations, may lead to motorcycle instability, loss of control and an accident.

Different wheel speeds, caused by non-approved tires, can affect the function of the ABS computer.

See the Specification section for details of approved tire and inner tube combinations. Always have tires and inner tubes mounted and balanced by your authorized Triumph dealer who has the necessary training and skills to ensure safe, effective fitment.

Warning

The ABS computer operates by comparing the relative speed of the front and rear wheels. Use of non-recommended tires can affect wheel speed and cause the ABS function not to operate, potentially leading to loss of control and an accident in conditions where the ABS would normally function.

Warning

If a tire or inner tube sustains a puncture, the tire and inner tube must be replaced. Failure to replace a punctured tire and inner tube, or operation with a repaired tire or inner tube can lead to instability, loss of motorcycle control or an accident.

Warning

Inner tubes must only be used on motorcycles equipped with spoked wheels and with tires marked 'TUBE TYPE'.

Use of an inner tube with a tire marked 'TUBELESS' and/or on an alloy wheel can lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Do not install tube-type tires on tubeless rims. The bead will not seat and the tires could slip on the rims, causing rapid tire deflation that may result in a loss of vehicle control and an accident. Never install an inner tube inside a tubeless tire. This will cause friction inside the tire and the resulting heat build-up may cause the tube to burst resulting in rapid tire deflation, loss of vehicle control and an accident.

Warning

If tire damage is suspected, such as after striking the curb, ask your authorized Triumph dealer to inspect the tire both internally and externally. Remember, tire damage may not always be visible from the outside. Operation of the motorcycle with damaged tires could lead to loss of control and an accident.

Warning

Tires and inner tubes that have been used on a rolling road dynamometer may become damaged. In some cases, the damage may not be visible on the external surface of the tire.

Tires and inner tubes must be replaced after such use as continued use of a damaged tire or inner tube may lead to instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

Accurate wheel balance is necessary for safe, stable handling of the motorcycle. Do not remove or change any wheel balance weights. Incorrect wheel balance may cause instability leading to loss of control and an accident.

When wheel balancing is required, such as after tire or inner tube replacement, see your authorized Triumph dealer.

Maintenance

WarningContinued

Only use self-adhesive weights. Clip on weights may damage the wheel, tire or inner tube resulting in tire deflation, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Warning

When replacement tires or inner tubes are required, consult your authorized Triumph dealer who will arrange for the tires and inner tubes to be selected, in a correct combination, from the approved list and mounted according to the tire and inner tube manufacturer's instructions.

When tires and inner tubes are replaced, allow time for the tires and inner tubes to seat to the rim (approximately 24 hours). During this seating period, ride cautiously as an incorrectly seated tire or inner tube could cause instability, loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Initially, the new tires and inner tubes will not produce the same handling characteristics as the worn tires and inner tubes and the rider must allow adequate riding distance (approximately 100 miles (160 km)) to become accustomed to the new handling characteristics.

WarningContinued

24 hours after fitting, the tire pressures must be checked and adjusted, and the tires and inner tubes examined for correct seating. Rectification must be carried out as necessary. The same checks and adjustments must also be carried out when 100 miles (160 km) have been travelled after fitting.

Use of a motorcycle with incorrectly seated tires or inner tubes, incorrectly adjusted tire pressures, or when not accustomed to its handling characteristics may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (Only on models equipped with TPMS)

Caution

An adhesive label is mounted to the wheel rim to indicate the position of the tire pressure sensor. Care must be taken when replacing the tires to prevent any damage to the tire pressure sensors. Always have your tires mounted by your authorized Triumph dealer and inform them that tire pressure sensors are installed to the wheels.

Caution

Do not use anti puncture fluid or any other item likely to obstruct air flow to the TPMS sensor's orifices. Any blockage to the air pressure orifice of the TPMS sensor during operation will cause the sensor to become blocked, causing irreparable damage to the TPMS sensor assembly. Damage caused by the use of anti puncture fluid or incorrect maintenance is not considered a manufacturing defect and will not be covered under warranty. Always have your tires mounted by your authorized Triumph dealer and inform them that tire pressure sensors are installed to the wheels.

Windscreen Cleaning

(If equipped)



Clean the windshield with a solution of mild soap or detergent and lukewarm water. After cleaning, rinse well and then dry with a soft, lint free cloth.

Caution

Corrosive chemicals such as battery acid will damage the windshield. Never allow corrosive chemicals to contact the windshield.

Caution

Products such as window cleaning fluids, insect remover, rain repellent, scouring compounds, gasoline or strong solvents such as alcohol, acetone, carbon tetrachloride, etc. will damage the windshield. Never allow these products to contact the windshield.

If the transparency of the windshield is reduced by scratches or oxidation which cannot be removed, the windshield must be replaced.

Maintenance

Warning

Never attempt to clean the windshield while the motorcycle is in motion as releasing the handlebars may cause loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Operation of the motorcycle with a damaged or scratched windshield will reduce the rider's forward vision. Any such reduction in forward vision is dangerous and may lead to loss of motorcycle control and an accident.

Battery

Warning

Under some circumstances, the battery can give off explosive gases; keep sparks, flames and cigarettes away. Provide adequate ventilation when charging or using the battery in an enclosed space.

The battery contains sulfuric acid (battery acid). Contact with skin or eyes may cause severe burns. Wear protective clothing and a face shield.

If battery acid gets on your skin, flush with water immediately.

If battery acid gets in your eyes, flush with water for at least 15 minutes and **SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.**

If battery acid is swallowed, drink large quantities of water and **SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.**

KEEP BATTERY ACID OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.

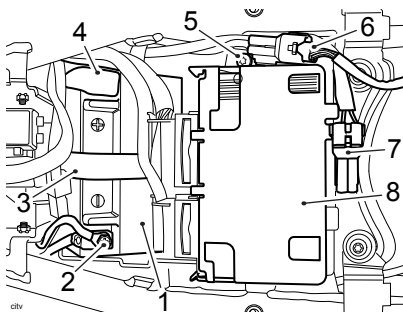
Warning

The battery contains harmful materials. Always keep children away from the battery whether or not it is installed in the motorcycle.

Do not attach jump leads to the battery, touch the battery cables together or reverse the polarity of the cables as any of these actions may cause a spark which would ignite battery gases causing a risk of personal injury.

Battery Removal

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1. Battery
2. Negative (-) terminal
3. Battery strap
4. Positive (+) terminal
5. Fixing
6. Rear light cable
7. Accessory cable
8. Engine Control Module (ECM) unit

Remove the seat (see [page 56](#)).

Disconnect the battery leads, negative (black) lead first.

Release the brake/tail light and accessory cables.

Release the fixing on the Engine Control Module (ECM) unit.

Lift the ECM unit and place to the side allowing access to the battery.

Note:

- **Make sure that the ECM unit is handled with care during the battery removal or installation process.**

Remove the battery strap.

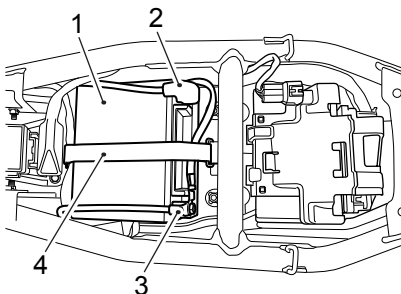
Detach the USB port socket and position aside.

Take the battery out of the case.

Warning

Make sure that the battery terminals do not touch the motorcycle frame as this may cause a short circuit or spark, which would ignite battery gases causing a risk of personal injury.

ThruXton and ThruXton R



1. Battery
2. Positive (+) terminal
3. Negative (-) terminal
4. Battery strap

Remove the seat (see [page 56](#)).

Disconnect the battery leads, negative (black) lead first.

Remove the battery strap and the USB port socket.

Take the battery out of the case.

Battery Disposal

Should the battery ever require replacement, the original battery must be handed to a recycling agent who will make sure that the dangerous substances from which the battery is manufactured do not pollute the environment.

Maintenance

Battery Maintenance

Clean the battery using a clean, dry cloth. Make sure that the cable connections are clean.



Battery acid is corrosive and poisonous and will cause damage to unprotected skin. Never swallow battery acid or allow it to come into contact with the skin. To prevent injury, always wear eye and skin protection when handling the battery.

The battery is a sealed type and does not require any maintenance other than checking the Voltage and routine recharging when required, such as during storage (see the following paragraphs).

It is not possible to adjust the battery acid level in the battery; the sealing strip must not be removed.

Battery Discharge



The charge level in the battery must be maintained to maximize battery life.

Failure to maintain the battery charge level could cause serious internal damage to the battery.

Under normal conditions, the motorcycle charging system will keep the battery fully charged. However, if the motorcycle is unused, the battery will gradually discharge due to a normal process called self discharge; the clock, engine control module (ECM) memory,

high ambient temperatures, or the addition of electrical security systems or other electrical accessories will all increase this rate of battery discharge. Disconnecting the battery from the motorcycle during storage will reduce the rate of discharge.

Battery Discharge During Storage and Infrequent Use of the Motorcycle

During storage or infrequent use of the motorcycle, inspect the battery Voltage weekly using a digital multimeter. Follow the manufacturer's instructions supplied with the meter.

Should the battery Voltage fall below 12.7 Volts, the battery should be charged.

Allowing a battery to discharge or leaving it discharged for even a short period of time causes sulphation of the lead plates. Sulphation is a normal part of the chemical reaction inside the battery, however over time the sulphate can crystallize on the plates making recovery difficult or impossible. This permanent damage is not covered by the motorcycle warranty, as it is not due to a manufacturing defect.

Keeping the battery fully charged reduces the likelihood of it freezing in cold conditions. Allowing a battery to freeze will cause serious internal damage to the battery.

Battery Charging

For help with selecting a battery charger, checking the battery Voltage or battery charging, contact your local authorized Triumph dealer.

Warning

The battery gives off explosive gases; keep sparks, flames and cigarettes away. Provide adequate ventilation when charging or using the battery in an enclosed space.

The battery contains sulfuric acid (battery acid). Contact with skin or eyes may cause severe burns. Wear protective clothing and a face shield.

If battery acid gets on your skin, flush with water immediately.

If battery acid gets in your eyes, flush with water for at least 15 minutes and
SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.

If battery acid is swallowed, drink large quantities of water and **SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY.**

KEEP BATTERY ACID OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.

Caution

Do not use an automotive quick charger as it may overcharge and damage the battery.

Should the battery Voltage fall below 12.7 Volts, the battery should be charged using a Triumph approved battery charger. Always remove the battery from the motorcycle and follow the instructions supplied with the battery charger.

For extended periods of storage (beyond two weeks) the battery should be removed from the motorcycle and kept charged using a Triumph approved maintenance charger.

Similarly, should the battery charge fall to a level where it will not start the motorcycle, remove the battery from the motorcycle before charging.

Battery Installation

Warning

Make sure that the battery terminals do not touch the motorcycle frame as this may cause a short circuit or spark, which would ignite battery gases causing a risk of personal injury.

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Place the battery in the battery case.

Re-install the USB port socket and secure with the battery strap.

Reconnect the battery, positive lead (identified with red tape) first.

Apply a light coat of grease to the terminals to prevent corrosion.

Cover the positive terminal with the protective cap.

Place the ECM unit in its original position.

Reconnect the brake/tail light and accessory cables.

Re-install the fixing to secure the ECM unit.

Re-install the seat (see **page 56**).

Note:

- Numbers shown in the diagram correspond to the fuse numbers in the table.

Position	Circuit Protected	Rating (Amps)
1	Dip and high headlight beams	15
2	Ignition switch, starter circuit	10
3	Auxiliary lights	10
4	Engine management system	15
5	Accessory socket	5
6	Cooling fan	10
7	ABS	25
8	Instruments and alarm	15
9	USB port socket	5

Headlights



Warning

Adjust road speed to suit the visibility and weather conditions in which the motorcycle is being operated.

Make sure that the beam is adjusted to illuminate the road surface sufficiently far ahead without blinding oncoming traffic. An incorrectly adjusted headlight may impair visibility causing an accident.

Warning

Never attempt to adjust a headlamp beam when the motorcycle is in motion.

Any attempt to adjust a headlamp beam when the motorcycle is in motion may result in loss of control and an accident.

Caution

Do not cover the headlight or lens with any item likely to obstruct air flow to, or prevent heat escaping from, the headlight lens.

CautionContinued

Covering the headlight lens during operation with items of clothing, luggage, adhesive tape, devices intended to alter or adjust the headlight beam or non genuine headlight lens covers will cause the headlight lens to overheat and distort, causing irreparable damage to the headlight assembly.

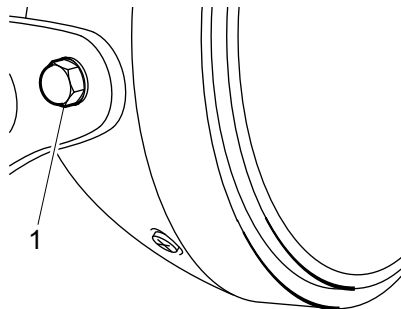
Damage caused by overheating is not considered a manufacturing defect and will not be covered under warranty.

If the headlight must be covered during use - such as taping of the headlight lens required during closed-course conditions - the headlight must be disconnected.

Headlight Adjustment

Note:

- **Always make sure the handlebars are in the straight ahead position when checking and adjusting the headlight beam setting.**



1. Headlight assembly mounting bolt

Vertical adjustment of the headlight beam is controlled by loosening the headlight assembly mounting bolts and altering the position of the headlight assembly.

Retighten the fasteners after adjustment to **7 lb ft (10 Nm)**.

Headlight/Position Light Bulb Replacement

Warning

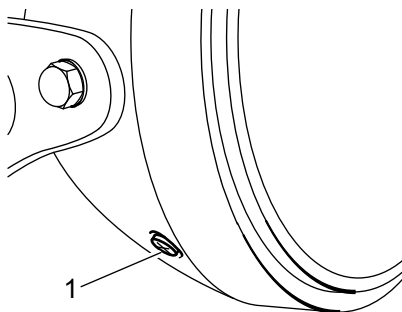
The bulbs become hot during use. Always allow sufficient time for the bulbs to cool before handling. Avoid touching the glass part of the bulb. If the glass is touched or gets dirty, clean with alcohol before reuse.

Caution

The use of non-approved headlight bulbs may result in damage to the headlight lens.

Use a genuine Triumph supplied headlight bulb as specified in the Triumph Parts Catalog.

Always have replacement headlight bulbs installed by an authorized Triumph dealer.



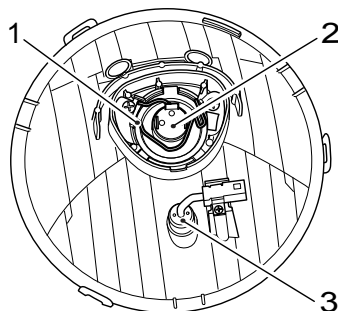
1. Headlight rim screws (one of two)

Disconnect the battery, negative (black) lead first.

Remove the headlight rim screws.

Detach the headlight and rim assembly from the headlight bowl.

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- 1. Wire retainer**
- 2. Headlight bulb**
- 3. Position bulb**

While supporting the light unit, disconnect the multipin electrical connector from the headlight bulb and the connector from the position light.

Remove the rubber dust cover.

Unhook the headlight bulb's wire retainer.

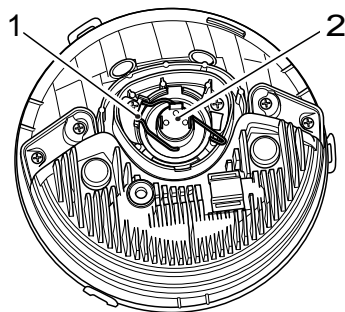
The headlight bulb can now be removed.

To remove the position light bulb, detach the bulb holder from the headlight body and release the bulb.

Installation is the reversal of removal.

Maintenance

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1. Wire retainer
2. Headlight bulb

While supporting the light unit, disconnect the multipin electrical connector from the headlight bulb.

Remove the rubber dust cover.

Unhook the headlight bulb's wire retainer.

The headlight bulb can now be removed.

Installation is the reversal of removal.

The position bulb is situated within the headlight assembly and is a sealed, maintenance free LED unit.

Daytime Running Lights (if equipped)

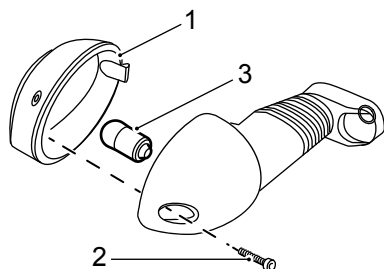
The daytime running lights (DRL) are situated within the headlight assembly and are sealed, maintenance free LED units. If DRL are equipped then there is no position bulb.

Rear Light - Bulb Replacement

The brake/tail light unit is a sealed, maintenance free LED unit.

Turn Signal Lights - Bulb Replacement

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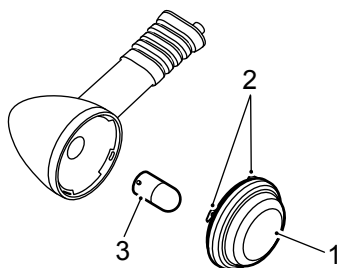
1. Lens
2. Turn signal lens screw
3. Bulb

The lens on each turn signal light is held in place by a screw located in the body of the light.

Loosen the screws and remove the lens to gain access to the bulb for replacement.

Installation is the reverse of the removal procedure.

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1. Lens
2. Locating tangs
3. Bulb

Carefully twist the lens clockwise and remove from the turn signal to gain access to the bulb for replacement.

To remove the bulb, gently press inwards and twist counterclockwise. Replace the bulb.

Installation for the bulb is the reverse of the removal procedure.

Caution

When installing the lens, make sure that the locating tangs are correctly aligned to the indicator body.

To install the turn signal lens, align the locating tangs with the turn signal body and twist anticlockwise to secure.

CLEANING

Frequent, regular cleaning is an essential part of the maintenance of your motorcycle. If regularly cleaned, the appearance will be preserved for many years. Cleaning with cold water containing an automotive cleaner is essential at all times but particularly so after exposure to sea breezes, sea water, dusty or muddy roads and in winter when roads are treated for ice and snow. Do not use household detergent, as the use of such products will lead to premature corrosion.

Although, under the terms of your motorcycle warranty, cover is provided against the corrosion of certain items, the owner is expected to observe this reasonable advice which will safeguard against corrosion and enhance the appearance of the motorcycle.

Care of Matt Paintwork

Matt paintwork requires no greater care than that already recommended for high gloss paintwork.

- Do not use any polish or wax on components.
- Do not try and polish out scratches.

Preparation for Washing

Before washing, precautions must be taken to keep water off the following places.

Rear opening of the exhausts: Cover with a plastic bag secured with rubber bands.

Clutch and brake levers, switch housings on the handlebar: Cover with plastic bags.

Ignition switch and steering lock: Cover the keyhole with tape.

Remove any items of jewellery such as rings, watches, zips or belt buckles, which may scratch or otherwise damage painted or polished surfaces.

Use separate cleaning sponges or cleaning cloths for washing painted/polished surfaces and chassis areas. Chassis areas (such as wheels and under fenders) will be exposed to more abrasive road grime and dust, which may then scratch painted or polished surfaces, if the same sponge or cleaning cloths are used.

Where to be Careful

Avoid spraying water with any great force near the following places:

- Instruments;
- Brake cylinders and brake calipers;
- Under the fuel tank;
- Air intake duct;
- Steering head bearings;
- Wheel bearings.

⚠ Caution

Do not spray any water at all under the rider's seat. The rider's seat has the engine's air intake duct installed to its base and any water sprayed in this area could enter the airbox and engine, causing damage to both items.

⚠ Caution

Use of high-pressure spray washers is not recommended. When using pressure washers, water may be forced into bearings and other components causing premature wear from corrosion and loss of lubrication.

Note:

- **Use of soaps that are highly alkaline will leave a residue on painted surfaces, and may also cause water spotting. Always use a low alkaline soap to aid the cleaning process.**

After Washing

Remove the plastic bags and tape, and clear the air intakes.

Lubricate the pivots, bolts and nuts.

Test the brakes before motorcycle operation.

Start the engine and run it for 5 minutes. Ensure adequate ventilation for the exhaust fumes.

Use a dry cloth to absorb water residue. Do not allow water to stand on the machine as this will lead to corrosion.

⚠ Warning

Never wax or lubricate the brake discs. Loss of braking power and an accident could result. Clean the disc with a proprietary brand of oil-free brake disc cleaner.

Unpainted aluminum Items

Items such as brake and clutch levers must be correctly cleaned to preserve their appearance.

Use a proprietary brand of aluminum cleaner which does not contain abrasive or caustic elements.

Clean aluminum items regularly, in particular after use in inclement weather, where the components must be hand washed and dried each time the machine is used.

Warranty claims due to inadequate maintenance will not be allowed.

Cleaning of the Exhaust System

All parts of the exhaust system of your motorcycle must be cleaned regularly to avoid a deterioration of its appearance. These instructions can be applied to chrome, brushed stainless steel and carbon fiber components alike.

Note:

- **The exhaust system must be cool before washing to prevent water spotting.**

Cleaning

Washing

Prepare a mixture of cold water and mild automotive cleaner. Do not use a highly alkaline soap as commonly found at commercial car washes because it leaves a residue.

Wash the exhaust system with a soft cloth. Do not use an abrasive scouring pad or steel wool. They will damage the finish.

Rinse the exhaust system thoroughly.

Ensure no soap or water enters the exhausts.

Drying

Dry the exhaust system as far as possible with a soft cloth. Do not run the engine to dry the system or spotting will occur.

Protecting

When the exhaust system is dry, rub 'Motorex 645 Clean and Protect' into the surface.



The use of products containing silicone will cause discoloration of the chrome and must not be used. Similarly, the use of abrasive cleaners will damage the system and must not be used.

It is recommended that regular protection be applied to the system as this will both protect and enhance the system's appearance.

CARE OF LEATHER PRODUCTS

We recommend that you periodically clean your leather products with a damp cloth and allow them to dry naturally at room temperature. This will maintain the appearance of the leather and ensure the long life of your product. Your Triumph leather product is a natural product and lack of care can result in damage and permanent wear. Follow these simple instructions and give your leather product the respect it deserves:

- Do not use household cleaning products, bleach, detergents containing bleach or any kind of solvent to clean your leather product.
 - Do not immerse your leather product in water.
 - Avoid direct heat from fires and radiators which can dry out and distort the leather.
 - Do not leave your leather product in direct sunlight for prolonged periods of time.
 - Do not dry your leather product by applying direct heat to it at any time.
 - If your leather product does get wet, absorb any excess water with a soft clean cloth then leave the product to dry naturally at room temperature.
 - Avoid exposure of your leather product to high levels of salt, for example sea/salt water or road surfaces that have been treated during the winter for ice and snow.
- If exposure to salt is unavoidable, clean your leather product immediately after each exposure using a damp cloth then leave the product to dry naturally at room temperature.
 - Gently clean any minor marks with a damp cloth then leave the product to dry naturally at room temperature.

Place your leather product in a fabric bag or cardboard box to protect it when in storage. Do not use a plastic bag.

STORAGE

Preparation for Storage

Clean and dry the entire vehicle thoroughly.

Fill the fuel tank with the correct grade of unleaded fuel and add a suitable fuel stabilizer (if available), following the fuel stabilizer manufacturer's instructions.

Warning

Gasoline is extremely flammable and can be explosive under certain conditions. Turn the ignition switch OFF. Do not smoke. Make sure the area is well ventilated and free from any source of flame or sparks; this includes any appliance with a pilot light.

Remove one of the spark plugs from each cylinder and put several drops (5 ml) of engine oil into each cylinder. Cover the spark plug holes with a piece of cloth or rag. With the engine stop switch in the RUN position, push the starter button for a few seconds to coat the cylinder walls with oil. Install the spark plugs, tightening to **15 lb ft (20 Nm)**.

Change the engine oil and filter (see **page 81**).

Check and if necessary correct the tire pressures (see **page 107**).

Set the motorcycle on a stand so that both wheels are raised off the ground. (If this cannot be done, put boards under the front and rear wheels to keep dampness away from the tires.)

Spray rust inhibiting oil (there are a host of products on the market and your dealer will be able to offer you local advice) on all unpainted metal surfaces to prevent rusting. Prevent oil from getting on rubber parts, brake discs or in the brake calipers.

Make sure the cooling system is filled with a 50% mixture of coolant (noting that HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant, as supplied by Triumph, is pre-mixed and requires no dilution) and distilled water solution (see **page 83**).

Remove the battery, and store it where it will not be exposed to direct sunlight, moisture, or freezing temperatures. During storage it should be given a slow charge (one ampere or less) about once every two weeks (see **page 114**).

Store the motorcycle in a cool, dry area, away from sunlight, and with a minimum daily temperature variation.

Put a suitable porous cover over the motorcycle to keep dust and dirt from collecting on it. Avoid using plastic or similar non-breathable, coated materials that restrict air flow and allow heat and moisture to accumulate.

Preparation after Storage

Install the battery (if removed) (see **page 115**).

If the motorcycle has been stored for more than four months, change the engine oil (see **page 81**).

Check all the points listed in the Daily Safety Checks section.

Before starting the engine, remove the spark plugs from each cylinder.

Put the side stand down.

Crank the engine on the starter motor several times until the oil pressure light goes out.

Replace the spark plugs, tightening to **15 lb ft (20 Nm)**, and start the engine.

Check and if necessary correct the tire pressures (see **page 107**).

Check and if necessary adjust the drive chain tension (see **page 89**).

Clean the entire vehicle thoroughly.

Check the brakes for correct operation.

Test ride the motorcycle at low speeds.

Specifications

SPECIFICATIONS

Street Twin

Dimensions, Weights and Performance - Street Twin

A list of model specific dimensions, weights and performance figures is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Payload	Street Twin
Maximum Payload	210 kg
Engine	Street Twin
Type	Liquid cooled parallel twin, 270° firing angle
Displacement	54.9 cu in (900 cc)
Bore x Stroke	3.33 x 3.14 in (84.6 x 80 mm)
Compression Ratio	10.5:1
Cylinder Numbering	Left to Right
Cylinder Sequence	1-2
Firing Order	1-2
Starting System	Electric Starter
Lubrication	Street Twin
Lubrication System	Wet sump
Engine Oil Capacities:	
Dry Fill	1.0 US gallon (3.8 liters)
Oil/Filter Change	0.89 US gallon (3.4 liters)
Oil Change Only	0.84 US gallon (3.2 liters)
Cooling	Street Twin
Coolant Type	Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT
Water/Coolant Ratio	50/50 (pre-mixed as supplied by Triumph)
Coolant Capacity	0.40 US gallon (1.518 liters)
Thermostat Opens	190°F +/-2°F (88°C +/-2°C)

Fuel System

Type
Fuel Pump
Fuel Pressure (nominal)

Street Twin

Electronic Fuel Injection
Submerged Electronic
50.7 lb - in (3.5 bar)

Fuel

Type
Tank Capacity

Street Twin

CLC or AKI 87 (91 RON unleaded)
3.17 US gallon (12.0 liters)

Ignition

Ignition System
Spark Plug
Spark Plug Gap

Street Twin

Digital Inductive
NGK LMAR8A-9
0.035 in 0.039 in (0.9 - 1.0 mm)

Transmission

Transmission Type
Clutch Type
Final Drive Chain
Primary Drive Ratio
Gear Ratio:

Street Twin

5 speed, constant mesh
Wet, multiplate
DID 520 VM2, 102 link
93/74 (1.26)

1st

49/74 (3.5)

2nd

45/18 (3.5)

3rd

37/20 (1.85)

4th

37/25 (1.48)

5th

35/27 (1.3)

6th

N/A

Final Drive Ratio

41/17 (2.41)

Tires

Tire Sizes:

Front

100/90-18

Rear

150/70 R17

Tire Pressures (Cold):

Front

32 lbs/in² (2.2 bar)

Rear

36 lbs/in² (2.5 bar)

Specifications



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Approved Tires

A list of approved tires specific to these models is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Electrical Equipment

Battery Type	YTX12-BS
Battery Rating	12 Volt, 10 Ah
Alternator	25 Amps at 1000 rpm 46.5 Amps at 3000 rpm
Headlight	12 Volt, 60/55 Watt, H4 Halogen
Tail/Brake Light	LED
Turn Signal Lights	12 Volt, 10 Watt

Frame

Rake	25.1°
Trail	4.03 in (102.4 mm)

Street Twin

Tightening Torques

Chain Guard	80 lb in (9 Nm)
Oil Filter	7 lb ft (10 Nm)
Sump Plug	18 lb ft (25 Nm)
Spark Plug	9 lb ft (12 Nm)
Chain Adjuster Lock Nuts	15 lb ft (20 Nm)
Rear Wheel Spindle Nuts	81 lb ft (110 Nm)

All Models

Fluids and Lubricants

Engine Oil

Brake Fluid

Coolant

Bearings and Pivots

Drive Chain

All Models

Semi or fully synthetic 10W/40 or 10W/50 motorcycle engine oil which meets specification API SH (or higher) **and** JASO MA, such as Castrol Power 1 Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) engine oil, sold as Castrol Power RS Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) in some countries.

DOT 4 brake fluid

Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant (pre-mixed)

Grease to NLGI 2 specification

Chain spray suitable for O-ring chains

Specifications

Specifications

Thruxton and Thruxton R

Dimensions, Weights and Performance - Thruxton, Thruxton R

A list of model specific dimensions, weights and performance figures is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Payload	Thruxton	Thruxton R
Maximum Payload	210 kg	210 kg
Engine	Thruxton	Thruxton R
Type	Liquid cooled parallel twin, 270° firing angle	Liquid cooled parallel twin, 270° firing angle
Displacement	73.2 cu in (1,200 cc)	73.2 cu in (1,200 cc)
Bore x Stroke	3.84 x 3.14 in (97.6 x 80 mm)	3.84 x 3.14 in (97.6 x 80 mm)
Compression Ratio	11:1	11:1
Cylinder Numbering	Left to Right	Left to Right
Cylinder Sequence	1-2	1-2
Firing Order	1-2	1-2
Starting System	Electric Starter	Electric Starter
Lubrication	Thruxton	Thruxton R
Lubrication System	Wet sump	Wet sump
Engine Oil Capacities:		
Dry Fill	1.0 US gallon (3.8 liters)	1.0 US gallon (3.8 liters)
Oil/Filter Change	0.89 US gallon (3.4 liters)	0.89 US gallon (3.4 liters)
Oil Change Only	0.84 US gallon (3.2 liters)	0.84 US gallon (3.2 liters)
Cooling	Thruxton	Thruxton R
Coolant Type	Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT	Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT
Water/Coolant Ratio	50/50 (pre-mixed as supplied by Triumph)	50/50 (pre-mixed as supplied by Triumph)
Coolant Capacity	0.41 US gallon (1.558 liters)	0.41 US gallon (1.558 liters)
Thermostat Opens	190°F +/-2°F (88°C +/-2°C)	190°F +/-2°F (88°C +/-2°C)

Fuel System

Type
Fuel Pump
Fuel Pressure (nominal)

Thruxton

Electronic Fuel Injection
Submerged Electronic
50.7 lb - in (3.5 bar)

Thruxton R

Electronic Fuel Injection
Submerged Electronic
50.7 lb - in (3.5 bar)

Fuel

Type
Tank Capacity

Thruxton

CLC or AKI 87 (91 RON unleaded)
3.70 US gallon (14.0 liters)

Thruxton R

CLC or AKI 87 (91 RON unleaded)
3.70 US gallon (14.0 liters)

Ignition

Ignition System
Spark Plug
Spark Plug Gap

Thruxton

Digital Inductive
NGK LMAR8A-9
0.035 in 0.039 in (0.9 - 1.0 mm)

Thruxton R

Digital Inductive
NGK LMAR8A-9
0.035 in 0.039 in (0.9 - 1.0 mm)

Transmission

Transmission Type
Clutch Type
Final Drive Chain
Primary Drive Ratio
Gear Ratio:

Thruxton

6 speed, constant mesh
Wet, multiplate
DID 525 VM2, 100 link
93/74 (1.26)

Thruxton R

6 speed, constant mesh
Wet, multiplate
DID 525 VM2, 100 link
93/74 (1.26)

1st

49/74 (3.5)

49/74 (3.5)

2nd

45/18 (3.5)

45/18 (3.5)

3rd

37/20 (1.85)

37/20 (1.85)

4th

37/25 (1.48)

37/25 (1.48)

5th

35/27 (1.3)

35/27 (1.3)

6th

34/29 (1.17)

34/29 (1.17)

Final Drive Ratio

37/17 (2.18)

42/16 (2.63)

Tyres

Tyre Sizes:

Front

120/70 ZR17

120/70 ZR17

Rear

160/60 ZR17

160/60 ZR17

Tyre Pressures (Cold):

Front

2.5 bar (36 lbs/in²)

2.5 bar (36 lbs/in²)

Rear

2.5 bar (36 lbs/in²)

2.5 bar (36 lbs/in²)

Specifications



Warning

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Approved Tires

A list of approved tires specific to these models is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Electrical Equipment

Battery Type

Thruxton

YTX12-BS

Thruxton R

YTX12-BS

Battery Rating

12 Volt, 10 Ah

12 Volt, 10 Ah

Alternator

25 Amps at 1,000 rpm

25 Amps at 1,000 rpm

46.5 Amps at 3,000 rpm

46.5 Amps at 3,000 rpm

Headlight

12 Volt, 60/55 Watt, H4
Halogen

12 Volt, 60/55 Watt, H4
Halogen

Tail/Brake Light

LED

LED

Turn Signal Lights

12 Volt, 10 Watt

12 Volt, 10 Watt

Frame

Thruxton

Thruxton R

Rake

22.6°

22.8°

Trail

3.57 in (90.8 mm)

3.63 in (92.1 mm)

Tightening Torques

All Models

Chain Guard

80 lb in (9 Nm)

Oil Filter

7 lb ft (10 Nm)

Sump Plug

18 lb ft (25 Nm)

Spark Plug

9 lb ft (12 Nm)

Chain Adjuster Lock Nuts

15 lb ft (20 Nm)

Rear Wheel Spindle Nuts

81 lb ft (110 Nm)

Fluids and Lubricants

Engine Oil

Brake Fluid

Coolant

Bearings and Pivots

Drive Chain

All Models

Semi or fully synthetic 10W/40 or 10W/50 motorcycle engine oil which meets specification API SH (or higher) **and** JASO MA, such as Castrol Power 1 Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) engine oil, sold as Castrol Power RS Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) in some countries.

DOT 4 brake fluid

Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant (pre-mixed)

Grease to NLGI 2 specification

Chain spray suitable for O-ring chains

Specifications

Specifications

Bonneville T120

Dimensions, Weights and Performance - Bonneville T120

A list of model specific dimensions, weights and performance figures is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Payload

Maximum Payload

Bonneville T120

210 kg

Engine

Type

Bonneville T120

Liquid cooled parallel twin, 270° firing angle

Displacement

73.2 cu in (1,200 cc)

Bore x Stroke

3.84 x 3.14 in (97.6 x 80 mm)

Compression Ratio

10:1

Cylinder Numbering

Left to Right

Cylinder Sequence

1-2

Firing Order

1-2

Starting System

Electric Starter

Lubrication

Lubrication System

Bonneville T120

Wet sump

Engine Oil Capacities:

Dry Fill

1.0 US gallon (3.8 liters)

Oil/Filter Change

0.89 US gallon (3.4 liters)

Oil Change Only

0.84 US gallon (3.2 liters)

Cooling

Coolant Type

Bonneville T120

Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT

Water/Coolant Ratio

50/50 (pre-mixed as supplied by Triumph)

Coolant Capacity

0.41 US gallon (1.558 liters)

Thermostat Opens

190°F +/-2°F (88°C +/-2°C)

Fuel System

Type	Bonneville T120
Fuel Pump	Electronic Fuel Injection
Fuel Pressure (nominal)	Submerged Electronic
	50.7 lb - in (3.5 bar)
Fuel	Bonneville T120
Type	CLC or AKI 87 (91 RON unleaded)
Tank Capacity	3.83 US gallon (14.5 liters)

Ignition

Ignition System	Bonneville T120
Spark Plug	Digital Inductive
Spark Plug Gap	NGK LMAR8A-9
	0.035 in 0.039 in (0.9 - 1.0 mm)

Transmission

Transmission Type	Bonneville T120
Clutch Type	6 speed, constant mesh
Final Drive Chain	Wet, multiplate
Primary Drive Ratio	DID 525 VM2, 100 link
Gear Ratio:	93/74 (1.26)
1st	49/74 (3.5)
2nd	45/18 (3.5)
3rd	37/20 (1.85)
4th	37/25 (1.48)
5th	35/27 (1.3)
6th	34/29 (1.17)
Final Drive Ratio	37/17 (2.18)

Tyres

Tyre Sizes:	Bonneville T120
Front	
Rear	100/90-18
	150/70 R17
Tyre Pressures (Cold):	
Front	2.2 bar (32 lbs/in ²)
Rear	2.5 bar (36 lbs/in ²)

Specifications



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Approved Tires

A list of approved tires specific to these models is available from your authorized Triumph dealer, or on the Internet at www.triumph.co.uk.

Electrical Equipment

Bonneville T120

Battery Type	YTX12-BS
Battery Rating	12 Volt, 10 Ah
Alternator	25 Amps at 1,000 rpm 46.5 Amps at 3,000 rpm
Headlight	12 Volt, 60/55 Watt, H4 Halogen
Tail/Brake Light	LED
Turn Signal Lights	12 Volt, 10 Watt

Frame

Bonneville T120

Rake	25.5°
Trail	4.14 in (105.2 mm)

Tightening Torques

All Models

Chain Guard	80 lb in (9 Nm)
Oil Filter	7 lb ft (10 Nm)
Sump Plug	18 lb ft (25 Nm)
Spark Plug	9 lb ft (12 Nm)
Chain Adjuster Lock Nuts	15 lb ft (20 Nm)
Rear Wheel Spindle Nuts	81 lb ft (110 Nm)

Fluids and Lubricants

Engine Oil

Brake Fluid

Coolant

Bearings and Pivots

Drive Chain

All Models

Semi or fully synthetic 10W/40 or 10W/50 motorcycle engine oil which meets specification API SH (or higher) **and** JASO MA, such as Castrol Power 1 Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) engine oil, sold as Castrol Power RS Racing 4T 10W-40 (fully synthetic) in some countries.

DOT 4 brake fluid

Triumph HD4X Hybrid OAT coolant (pre-mixed)

Grease to NLGI 2 specification

Chain spray suitable for O-ring chains

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