

FITMENT AND WASHING INSTRUCTION

(For 100109-1, 100110-3, 100278-3, 100188-3)



Congratulations on your purchase of a GEARS motorcycle cover. Properly cared for, your cover will last for many years of service. Our cover are manufactured from water resistant or waterproof fabric (model specific) and may be used either inside or outdoors. Your cover has elastic sewn into the full perimeter of the hem which keeps the cover tight around the wheels. An integral venting system allows moisture to escape. Grommet patches are provided to enable you to securely lock the cover under the motorcycle.

Note : All GEARS covers are sized to fit specific motorcycle. It is very important that you have the correct one for your application. If you are uncertain that your GEARS cover is correct, please contact your dealer or GEARS CANADA to verify your fit before attempting first-time use.

This cover is not designed for covering your motorcycle while it is trailered or in the back of a pick-up truck.

△ WARNING

This cover must be completely removed prior to starting or operating the vehicle. Failure to do so could result in serious injury and/or property damage. In severe windy conditions "ballooning" of the cover may occur which could cause the motorcycle to tip over. Shelter the motorcycle whenever high winds are expected or face into or rearward of strong gusts may reduce the potential for damage. Attaching a bungee cord or cable through grommet areas may also help prevent "ballooning" in high winds.

INSTALLATION : Wait for motorcycle to cool down before installing cover!

Unfold cover and locate "FRONT" tag indicating the front of the cover.

Starting from the front wheel area, pull down over the windshield and tuck the elastic hem below the centerline of the wheel.

Working toward the rear of the motorcycle, slide the cover down the sides, avoiding "snag" points. The cover should be long enough to allow the hem to fully lay below the centerline of the rear wheel. Care should also be taken to avoid placing the material against hot engine components, as burning or melting may occur.

Important : For few GEARS covers (100110-3, 100278-3, 100188-3) the aluminized heat-resistant coating at bottom level is designed to protect the cover from melting or burning when in contact with hot engine parts, pipes and mufflers. Waiting approximately five-ten minutes for cool-down before placing the cover on the motorcycle will greatly increase the life of your cover. Make sure that all stitching area with waterproof taping (model specific) on inner side should not touch any hot surface to avoid melting as the waterproof taping is not heat proof.

Note : The aluminized coated fabric is similar to high quality ironing board cover materials. The coating may experience some minor "flaking" during normal use and this will not affect the performance of the cover.

Caution : Mirrors, muffler ends, shifters, brakes and foot pegs are common wear points. Do not allow fabric to "snag" around them. Antennas are capable of puncturing the cover - use extreme care. For few GEARS covers (model & size specific) open the back top velcro (antenna opening) to ease installation and pass radio antennas (if installed) through the cover opening.

Plastic grommets and a integral strap are provided to enable you to secure the cover under the motorcycle.

CARE AND CLEANING : Your cover requires very little maintenance. Normal dirt and grime should be brushed off with a soft terry cloth or removed with warm water and a mild detergent using a sponge or terry cloth. The cover should be thoroughly dried before storing.

Note : A water repellant spray material, such as 3M Scotchguard[®] is recommended for increased water resistance.

Caution : Do not machine wash, machine dry or dry clean. Do not wring or twist the cover to remove moisture or dry it over the vehicle. Failure to comply with the above directions may reduce the life of your cover. If you have any questions or comments, please contact either your dealer or GEARS CANADA.