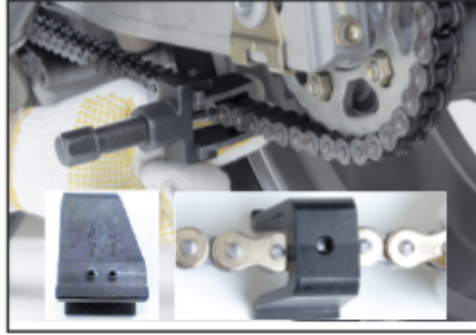


Chain Cutting



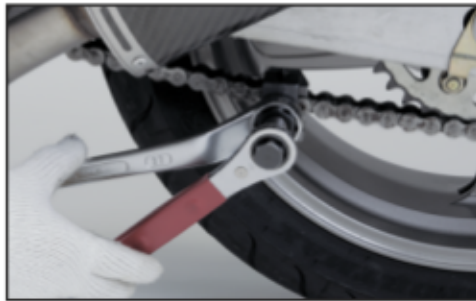
1a. Before cutting your chain, loosen it using your motorcycle's rear wheel adjusters. Position your KM500R or KM501E over your chain on the bottom side of your swingarm; cut the pin on the right side of the link you choose first. If your chain has a master link, it is easier to cut the chain at the master link.



2a. Set the Cutting pin location on your chain tool's U-shaped holder to the point A position.



3a. To align the tool's Cutting pin with the chosen pin head, turn the tool's large bolt head clockwise "by hand" until the Cutting pin comes in contact with the pin head. At this point, make sure that the cutting pin is lined up with the center of the pin you wish to push out.



4a. Use a 27mm closed end wrench to hold firm the body of your chain tool while using a closed end 19mm wrench on the tool's hexagon bolt head to tighten. It will be easier to tighten the bolt if you position your wrenches 30° apart.



5a. Turn 19mm wrench clockwise on the tool's Hexagon bolt head to push the pin completely out.



6a. After pushing the pin out, disassemble the chain tool from the chain.

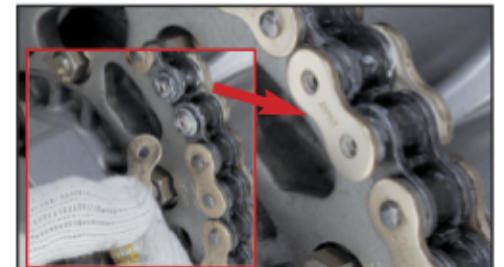
Press Fitting Connecting Link Side Plates



7a. Connect the new chain to the old chain using either a wire or connecting link. Shift transmission into neutral and slowly pull the old chain from under the swingarm toward the rear which then pulls the new chain from the top towards the countershaft sprocket. When new chain goes completely around the front sprocket and out under the swingarm, disconnect the old chain and pull both ends together under the center of the swingarm.



8a. Before installing the connecting link, be sure to put a heavy coat of the supplied grease into the holes of the bushings of the new chain's links, and on the surface of the connecting link's pins. If you are installing an O-Ring or X-Ring® chain, don't forget to put heavily greased O-Rings or X-Rings on the pins between the side plates on both sides of the chain.



9a. With the inside of the connecting link pushed into place holding the chain together with the pins sticking out the outside of the chain, slide the O-Rings/X-Rings® into place and temporarily press the other side plate on the pins by hand. Set the Cutting pin location on your chain tool's U-shaped holder to the point A position.