

A dirty air cleaner will restrict air flow to the carburetor, reducing engine performance. Clean the air filter more often than specified in the maintenance schedule if the engine is used in dusty areas.



Loosen wing nut
at the top of the air cleaner cover.



Remove the air cleaner cover
from the engine.



Remove the air cleaner element
from the cleaner cover.



Clean the air cleaner element
in warm soapy water, rinse,
and allow to dry thoroughly.



Dip the air cleaner element
in clean engine oil.



Squeeze out all excess oil.



Reinstall the air cleaner
to the air cleaner cover.



Tighten the wing nut.

Air cleaner service

Air Cleaner [GC engine]

A dirty air cleaner will restrict air flow to the carburetor and cause engine performance problems. To prevent carburetor malfunction, service the air cleaner regularly.

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Press the latch tabs on the fuel tank side of the air cleaner cover, and remove the air cleaner cover.

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Tap the element lightly several times on a hard surface to remove excess dirt, or blow compressed air (not exceeding 30 psi (207kPa <2.1kgf/cm3) through the filter from the inside out.

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Install the element and air cleaner cover.

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Remove the air cleaner element.

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