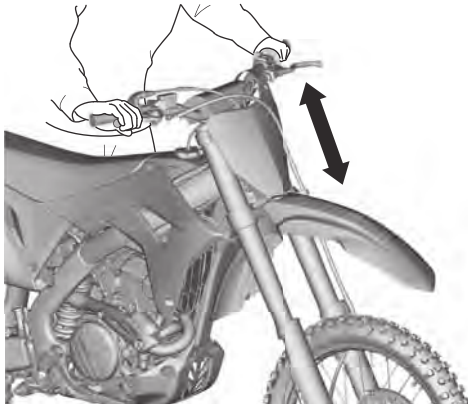
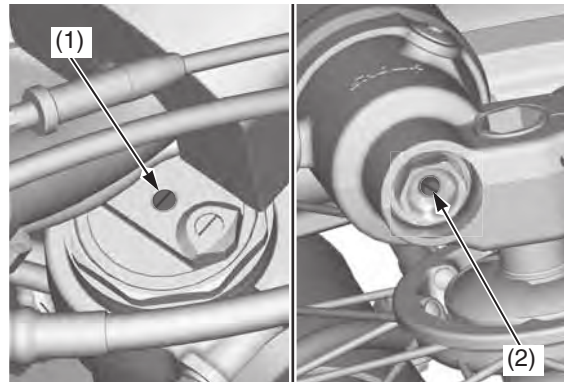


4. Make a quick check of fork operation by locking the front brake and pushing down on the handlebar several times.



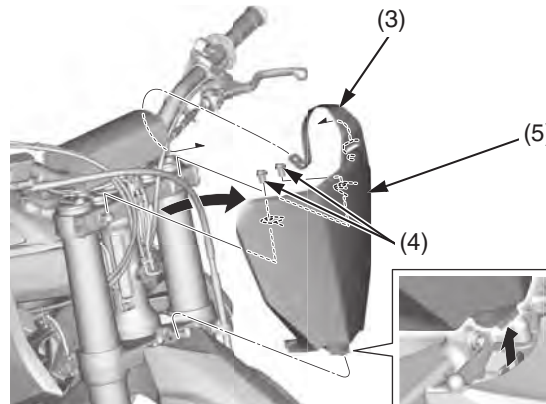
## Front Suspension Removal

- When disassembling the fork, turn the compression damping (1) and rebound damping (2) adjusters counterclockwise to the softest position to prevent damaging the adjustment needle (be sure to record the number of turns from the starting position).



- (1) compression damping adjuster  
(2) rebound damping adjuster

1. Unlock the number plate tab (3) from the handlebar. Remove the number plate bolts (4) and number plate (5).

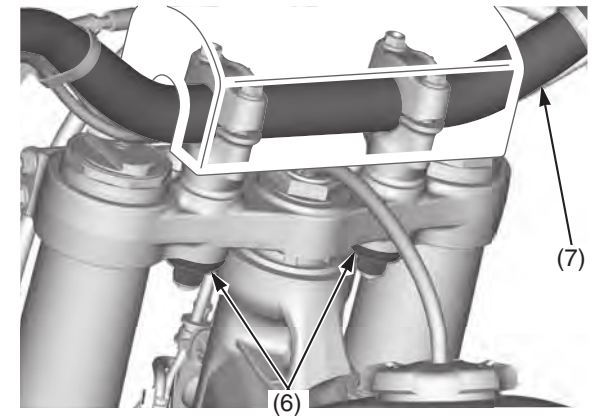


- (3) number plate tab  
(4) number plate bolts  
(5) number plate

2. Place your CRF on an optional workstand or equivalent support with the front wheel off the ground.
3. Remove the handlebar lower holder nuts, washers, mounting rubbers (6) and handlebar (7).

### NOTICE

*Keep the master cylinder upright to prevent air from entering system.*



- (6) handlebar lower holder nuts, washers and mounting rubbers  
(7) handlebar

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