27. Engine Noise

A: INSPECTION

| Type of sound | Condition | Possible cause | |
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| Regular clicking sound | Sound increases as engine speed increases. | Valve mechanism is defective Incorrect valve clearance Worn camshaft Broken valve spring Trouble of valve lifter | |
| Heavy and dull clank | Oil pressure is low. | Worn camshaft main bearing Worn connecting rod bearing (large end) | |
| | Oil pressure is normal. | Damaged engine mounting | |
| High-pitched clank | Sound is noticeable when accelerating with an overload condition. | Ignition timing advanced Accumulation of carbon inside combustion chamber Wrong heat range of spark plug Gasoline of improper octane number | |
| Clank when engine speed is between 1,000 and 2,000 rpm. | Noise is reduced when fuel injector connector of noisy cylinder is disconnected. * | Worn crankshaft main bearing Worn connecting rod bearing (large end) | |
| Knocking sound when engine | Noise is reduced when fuel injector connector of noisy cylinder is disconnected. * | Worn cylinder liner and piston ring Broken or stuck piston ring Worn piston pin and hole at piston end of connecting rod | |
| is operating under idling speed and engine is warm | Sound is not reduced if each fuel injector connector is disconnected in turn. * | Unusually worn valve lifterWorn cam sprocket tooth surfaceWorn camshaft journal bore in cylinder head | |
| Squeaky sound | _ | Insufficient generator lubrication | |
| Rubbing sound | _ | Poor contact of generator brush and rotor | |
| Gear scream when starting engine | _ | Defective ignition starter switch Worn gear and starter pinion | |
| Sound like polishing glass with a dry cloth | _ | V-belt Defective water pump shaft | |
| Hissing sound | _ | Insufficient compressionAir leakage in air intake system, hose, connection or manifold | |
| Timing chain noise | _ | Loose timing chain Timing chain contacting with adjacent part | |
| Valve lifter noise | _ | Incorrect valve clearance | |

^{*} When disconnecting the fuel injector connector, the malfunction indicator light illuminates and DTC is stored in ECM memory. Therefore, perform the Clear Memory Mode <Ref. to EN(H6DO)(diag)-62, OPERATION, Clear Memory Mode.> and Inspection Mode <Ref. to EN(H6DO)(diag)-47, PROCEDURE, Inspection Mode.> after connecting the fuel injector connector.

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