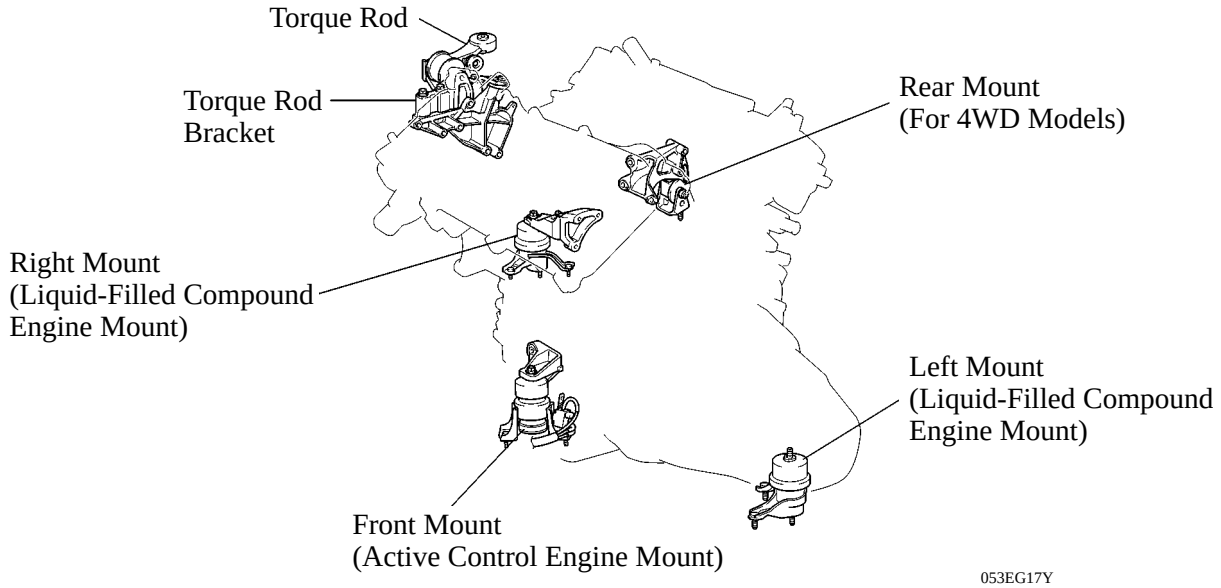
■ENGINE MOUNT

1. General

- A 3-point support on the front sub-frame is used.
- On the 4WD models, a rearv mount is added. The rear mount has a function as an engine stopper.
- An active control engine mount is used on the front engine mount and a liquid-filled compound engine mount is used on the right and left engine mounts to realize low noise and vibration and to achieve high levels of both riding comfort and drivability.



2. Active Control Engine Mount

The operating range of the active control engine mount is under the engine speed of 900 rpm during idling. Signals that are synchronized to the engine speed are sent by the ECM to the VSV and the engine vacuum is utilized to vary the pressure of the intake air chamber in the active control engine mount. As a result, the diaphragm vibrates, and using the liquid as a medium, the rubber mount vibrates. This vibration of the engine mount acts to cancel out the engine vibration during idling, thus reducing the vibration and noise at idling. The engine mount's damping force to generate vibrations is adjusted through the effects of the orifice and the side branch.

