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Engine Rattle at Cold Start in Cold Weather

AFFECTED VEHICLES

2008-12 Accord L4, 2012-15 Crosstour L4, and 2012-14 CR-V

Does the engine rattle at cold startup for 1 to 2 seconds when it's cold outside? Chances are the VTC actuator is the culprit.

Keep in mind simply replacing the VTC actuator using current parts stock won't fix this rattle if it's only heard under these conditions.

We expect to have countermeasured parts available by late February or early March of next year. Once there are enough parts in stock, we'll post a service bulletin.

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