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Engine Rattles for 1 to 3 Seconds at Startup

AFFECTED VEHICLES

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Does the engine rattle at startup for about **1 to 3 seconds**? What's happening is the lock pin inside the VTC actuator isn't holding the actuator properly. This lets the vane turn within the housing, causing a short rattle at startup.

At this time, we have countermeasured parts in stock, so go ahead and replace the VTC actuator. A service bulletin with troubleshooting and repair info will be available very soon.

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