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High-Pitched Whine with A/C Running

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EDITOR'S NOTE: This article replaces the one posted in **March 2017** to extend the article's shelf life. The issue(s) covered are still being addressed.

We're getting reports of a high-pitched whine with the A/C running. It goes away when the A/C is turned off. Changing the fan speed has no effect on the noise, and it seems to be worse with the engine running between **1,600 to 2,100 rpm**.

From our investigation, we've found that this noise is coming from a resonance in the A/C compressor, which is getting transmitted into the cabin through the refrigerant lines.

Until we have a solution available, avoid replacing components or doing a deep evacuation/recharge of the A/C system; it won't help.

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