



Technical Tip

Topic	24-18-03TT - Whistling Noise from the Crankcase Breather
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Condition

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Model(s)	Year	Eng. Code	Trans. Code	VIN Range From	VIN Range To
Atlas	2018	3.6L (CDVC)	All	All	All

Technical Background

Breather makes a whistling noise while the engine is running. With or without rough Idle and it may be hard to remove the oil cap.

Service

Check if the noise is from the port on the breather valve. Additionally, the oil cap may be difficult to remove.

If either is noted:

- Replace the Breather Valve, clear any DTCs which may have set and road test to verify the noise is no longer present.

Additional Information

Revision History		
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