

Service Information

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Applicable Model All models with AT		Applicable Countries or Specifications Europe	

REVISED

Note: "Applicable Model" has been changed.

Subject: Groan noise from Brake

DESCRIPTION

Some customers, especially if they are not used to driving a vehicle with AT, may complain about a groan noise from brake at vehicle startup or just before vehicle standstill. The groan noise is not malfunction.

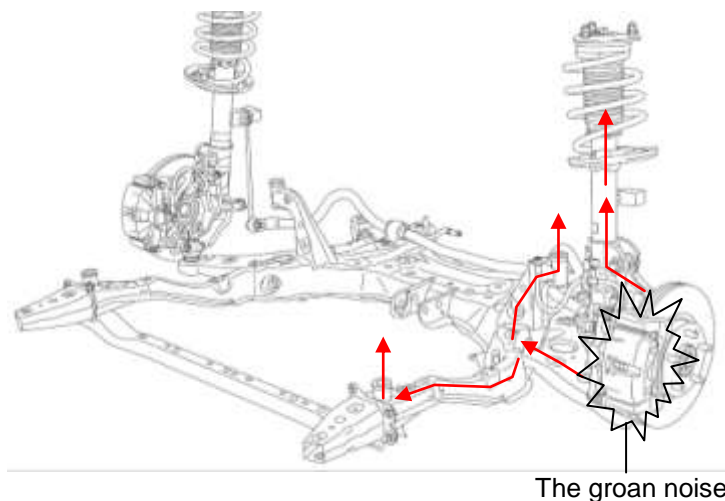
< The groan noise generating mechanism >

The groan noise may occur due to stick-slip between the disc plate and the brake pad when the braking force is reduced a little.

The noise is transported through the wheel hub, the suspension and/or the front crossmember.

If the friction coefficient is increased, this groan noise also increases.

Refer to the sound file attachment for reference.



Ryu Shimizugawa
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