CYLINDER HEAD [SKYACTIV-D 2.2]

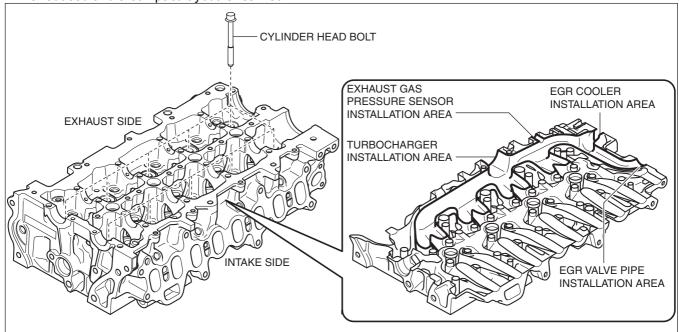
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Purpose, Function

The cylinder head forms the combustion chamber and intake and exhaust ports.

Construction

- The lightweight cylinder head is made of aluminum alloy with excellent thermal conductivity.
- There are two intake valves and two exhaust valves per cylinder for a total of four valves and the intake/exhaust type has been changed to a cross-flow type, improving intake and exhaust efficiency.
- With the adoption of plastic region tightening for the cylinder head bolts, axial force has been stabilized. By incorporating an exhaust gas passage in the cylinder, the exhaust manifold is unnecessary, the engine weight is reduced and a compact layout is realized.



^{*:} Plastic region tightening is a method of controlling the tightening using the rotation angle of a bolt. By tightening to the region (plastic tightening region) in which bolt deformation does not become irreversible, variation in axial force is suppressed.