HYDRAULIC LASH ADJUSTER (HLA) INSPECTION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5]

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HLA Troubleshooting

Item	Occurrence	Possible cause	Action
2	After replacing oil, sound occurs when starting engine Sound occurs at instant when engine	Oil shortage in oil passage	Maintain the engine speed between 2,000 to 3,000 rpm for approx. 2 s and 10 min*, and verify that the sound disappears. If the sound disappears, the HLA is normal. If the sound does not disappear, go to item 5.
3	is started on vehicle left for 1 day Starter cranked for 3 s or more and sound occurs directly after engine is started	HLA oil shortage	
4	Sound occurs directly after engine is started with newly replaced HLA		
5	Sound occurs continuously for 10 min or more	Insufficient oil pressure	Inspect the oil pressure. (See OIL PRESSURE INSPECTION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].) If less than the specification, inspect each part of the engine.
		HLA malfunction	Inspect the HLA. (See HLA Inspection.)
6	Sound occurs during idling after high- speed driving	Incorrect engine oil level	Inspect the engine oil level. (See ENGINE OIL LEVEL INSPECTION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)
		Engine oil deterioration	Replace the engine oil. (See ENGINE OIL REPLACEMENT [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)

^{*:} Period of time engine oil flows to the HLA, this value includes tolerance caused by the ambient temperature and the oil used.

HLA Inspection

- 1. Disconnect the negative battery cable. (See NEGATIVE BATTERY CABLE DISCONNECTION/CONNECTION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].) (See NEGATIVE BATTERY CABLE DISCONNECTION/CONNECTION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5 (WITHOUT i-stop)].)
- 2. Remove the plug hole plate. (See PLUG HOLE PLATE REMOVAL/INSTALLATION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)
- 3. Remove the ignition coil/ion sensors. (See IGNITION COIL/ION SENSOR REMOVAL/INSTALLATION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)
- 4. Remove the cylinder head cover. (See TIMING CHAIN REMOVAL/INSTALLATION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)
- 5. Press the rocker arm from above and verify that the HLA does not drop.
 - If the HLA drops, replace the HLA. (See HYDRAULIC LASH ADJUSTER (HLA) REMOVAL/INSTALLATION [SKYACTIV-G 2.0, SKYACTIV-G 2.5].)
- 6. Install in the reverse order of removal.

