

# Rattling Noise Diagnostic Report

## 1. Diagnosis:

Rattling sounds usually come from:

- Loose heat shields or exhaust mounts
- Detached underbody panels
- Worn engine mounts
- Items in the trunk or cabin

## 2. Personalized Message:

Thanks for reporting this sound. Rattles can often be fixed easily once identified. It's worth inspecting soon to prevent vibrations or parts falling off.

## 3. GRAVITY Level:

Low - Often superficial, but can lead to annoyance or additional wear.

## 4. DANGER Level:

Low - Usually not critical unless from essential components like exhaust or mounts.

## 5. Rough Cost Estimate:

- Heat shield welding/replacement: \$50 - \$150
- Exhaust hangers: \$40 - \$120
- Mount repairs: \$200 - \$500

## 6. Next Recommended Step:

Tap under the car gently to find loose parts. Inspect when the vehicle is cold and stationary. If you're unsure, ask a garage to do a lift inspection.