



TECH TIPS

Dixie Part Numbers: A-8245 A-8304 A-8326
 A-8394 A-8529

Applications: 1995 – 1996 Hyundai Accent
 1995 – 1996 Hyundai Elantra
 1995 – 1996 Hyundai Sonata

Condition: The operator of the vehicle may complain of one or more of the following conditions:

- the alternator belt chirps or squeals
- the alternator light flickers
- the battery is low

Cause: A potential cause for this is a misprint in the service literature showing incorrect belt tension.

Correction: The proper belt tension is:

- On all applications with an old belt 88 pounds.
- On all applications but the 3.0L Sonata 143 – 154 pounds with a new belt.
- On the 3.0L Sonata 176 – 194 pounds with a new belt.

The manufacturer recommends using a belt tension gauge rather than the deflection method when checking the belt tension.