If Your Engine Quits or Won't Start

| SYMPTOM: Engine starts, but runs poorly (cont'd). | |
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| POSSIBLE CAUSE | WHAT TO DO |
| sooty exhaust | See your Honda dealer. |
| (rich fuel mixture) | |
| detonates or pings under | If applicable, switch to the recommended octane |
| load | gasoline (page 112) or change your brand of |
| | gasoline. If the problem persists, see your Honda |
| | dealer. |
| afterfires (backfires) | May damage catalytic converter. |
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| pre-ignition (runs on after | May damage catalytic converter. |
| ignition switched OFF) | See your Honda dealer. |