

VALVES

Valve clearance should be:

Intake: 0.15 mm (0.006 in)

Exhaust: 0.23 mm (0.009 in)

Excessive clearance will cause noise. Insufficient clearance will cause loss of power and possibly damage the valves.

For those who are mechanically proficient and have the proper tools, instructions on adjusting valve clearances are given in the official Honda Service Manual. All others should have valves adjusted by an authorized Honda dealer.