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Accessories Precautions

The GPS antenna is located in the dashboard. Metallic front or side window tinting can seriously degrade or obstruct GPS reception.

Signal noise from devices such as radar detectors, vehicle tracking devices, remote starters, and additional amplifiers can disrupt the navigation system. If you install any such item, install it away from the navigation display and antenna.

Important Safety Information

WARNING

Using the navigation system while driving can take your attention away from the road, causing a crash in which you could be seriously injured or killed.

Only operate system controls when the conditions permit you to safely do so.

Avoid focusing on the screen or manually operating the system controls while driving.

Enter information before you begin driving or when stopped. As you drive, listen to the audible instructions and use voice commands when possible. Pull to the side of the road if you need more time to look at the screen or operate the controls.

Route guidance may conflict with street closures, road construction, detours, and out-of-date map data.

The system itself may also have limitations. Verify route information by carefully observing roads, signs, and signals. Always use your own judgment and obey traffic laws.

 **System Limitations** P. 152

NOTICE

This vehicle's navigation system display, if so equipped, includes mercury-containing components. Upon removal, please reuse, recycle, or dispose of as hazardous waste. Clean the screen with a soft, damp cloth. You may use a mild cleaner intended for use on information screen and On Demand Multi-Use Display™.

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Overview—Functions at a Glance

Navigation

You can select any place/landmark as a destination by using voice control or the Interface Dial. The navigation system gives you turn-by-turn driving directions to your destination.



Store home address ➡ P. 31

Register **1** home address.

Store contacts ➡ P. 25

Store up to **200** contacts in **2** address books.

Enter destination ➡ P. 74

Select your destination using **13** methods.

Select route ➡ P. 101

Set route preferences and select one of **3** routes.

Track route ➡ P. 102

Follow your route in real-time with voice guidance.

U.S. models

Traffic Information*1

View and avoid congestion and traffic incidents.

*1: Available only in certain areas.

Canadian models

Subscription service

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ ➡ P. 119

Bypass congestion and traffic incidents.

Avoid certain areas ➡ P. 43

Set streets and areas to detour around.

Add waypoints ➡ P. 124

Add up to **4** "pit stops" along your route.





AcuraLink® ➡ P. 13

AcuraLink® provides you with important information and messages between your vehicle and Acura.



Voice Control ➡ P. 22

Use voice commands for safer system control while driving. You can operate all key functions of the navigation system.


Audio, *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® (HFL), multi-view rear camera*, surround view camera system*, and power distribution monitor* can be operated on this navigation system. See the Owner's Manual for information on those systems.


System Controls


Information Screen

 (Power) Button/Volume Knob

On Demand Multi-Use Display™

- 1 NAV Button ➔ P.20
- 2 BACK Button
- 3  (Display Mode) Button ➔ P.57
- 4 SETTINGS Button
- 5 Interface Dial/ENTER/MENU Button ➔ P.6




 Navigation

 Voice Control



6 Microphone
➔ P.22




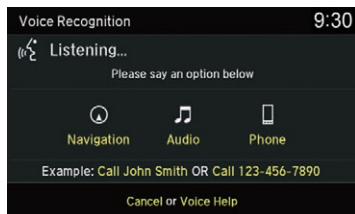
- 7  (Pick-Up) Button
- 8  (Hang-Up/Back) Button
- 9  (Talk) Button ➔ P.5


See the Owner's Manual for other buttons.

Voice Control Operation

Voice Portal Screen

- 1 Press and release the  (Talk) button mounted on the steering wheel.
The system displays voice commands that can be accepted on the displayed screen.



- The system beeps when ready for a command. Press the  (Hang-Up/Back) button to cancel.
- Available voice commands are highlighted on the screen. Say only and exactly what is on the screen.

- 2 Say a voice command.
After that, follow the voice prompt and say a voice command.


- The audio system is muted during voice control mode.


- You can use other voice commands on the Voice Portal screen.


The system recognizes only certain commands.


Available navigation voice commands

 **P. 164**

- Say  "Voice Help" to enter supported commands for the current screen. A voice help tutorial is also available.

Voice Help  **P. 14**

- During the voice control mode, press and hold the  (Hang-Up/Back) button to return to the last screen before the voice control mode is entered.
- Set **Voice Prompt** to **Off** to bypass the voice prompt. See your Owner's Manual.
- Carefully read the usage note for the voice control.

Voice Control System  **P. 22**

Interface Dial/ENTER/MENU Button Operation

Rotate dial



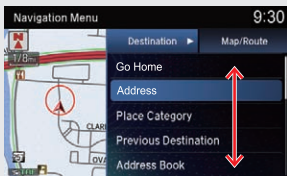
Changes scale

Map screens

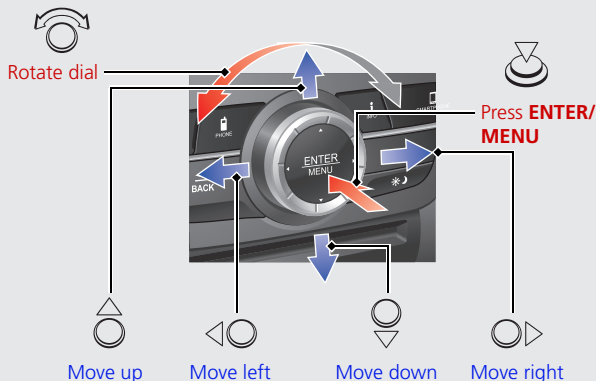


Highlights menu options

Menu screens



You will see these icons in each chapter.
They represent how you can operate the Interface Dial.

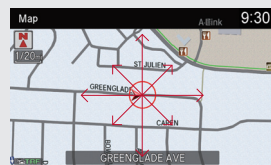


Move

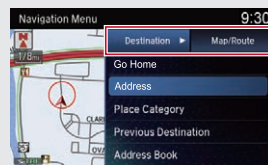


Scrolls map (8 directions)

Map screens



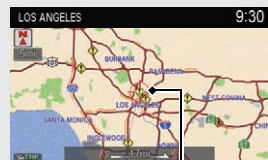
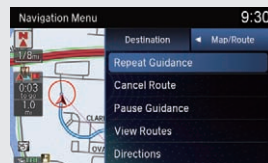
Selects labeled function
Moves between pages of
a list
Menu screens



Press ENTER/MENU

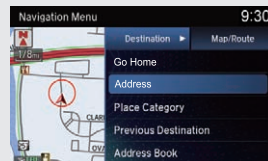


Shows Menu screen
Selects function
Selects map icon
Map screens



Selecting Icon

Selects highlighted option
Menu screens






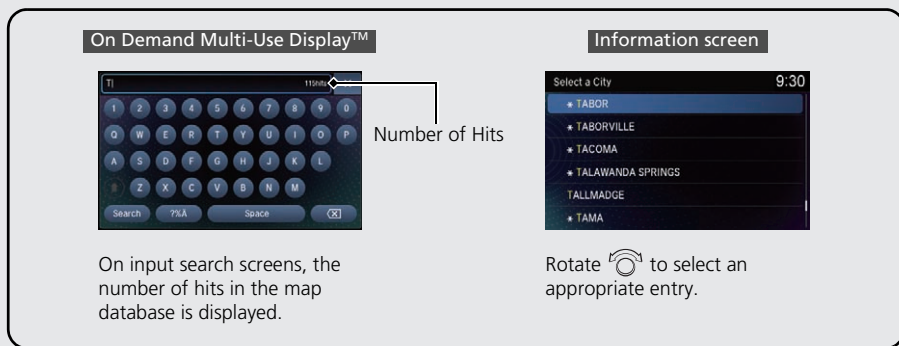
How to Enter Information

You can enter information (e.g. city names, street names, personal names, business names comprising letters, numbers, and symbols) when prompted on the input screen.

Using the keyboard displayed on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™

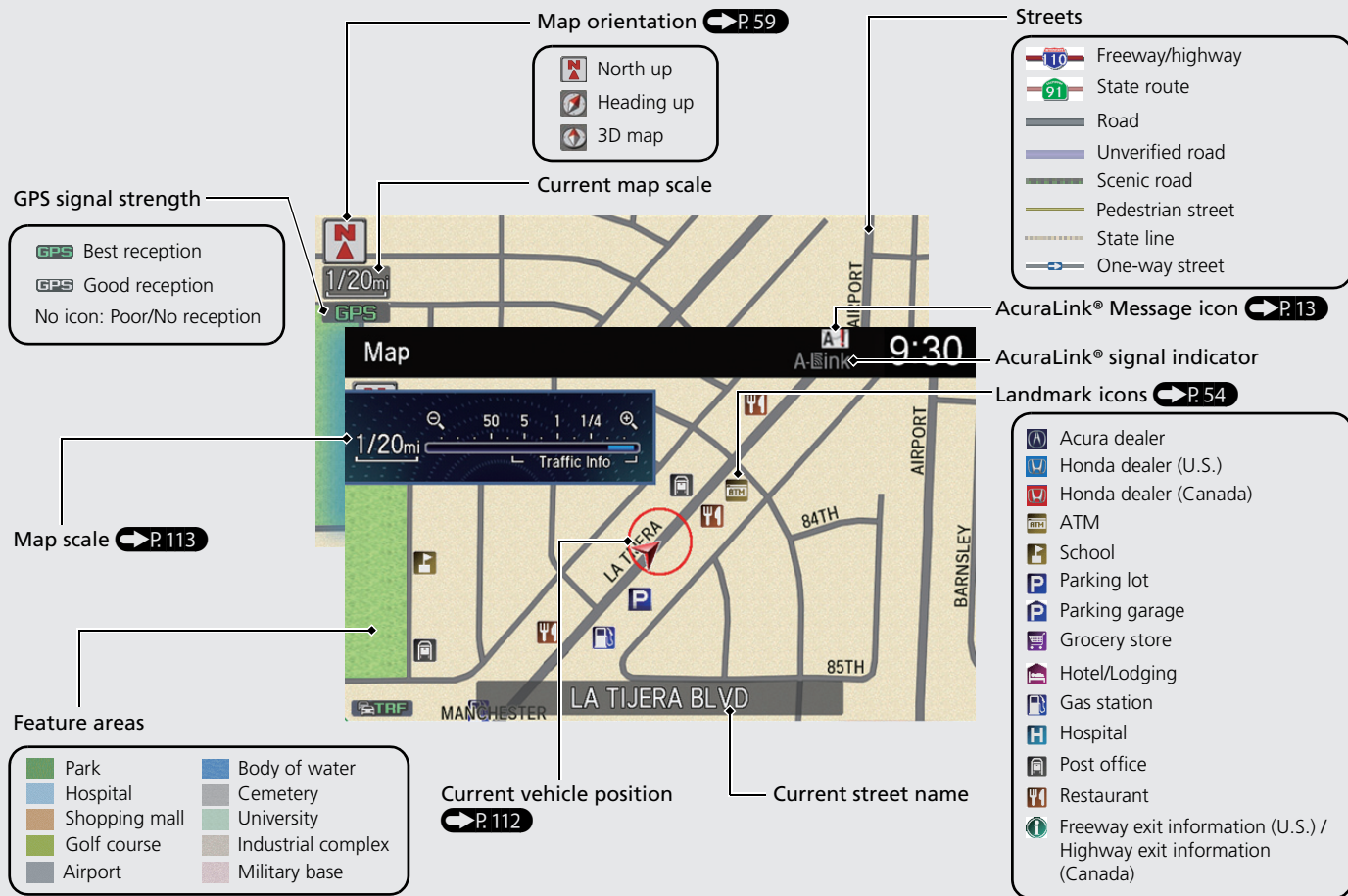
Select the desired character.

- Select  to display upper/lower case characters.
- Select  to display symbols and accented characters.
- Select **Space** to enter a space character.
- Select  to remove the last entered character.
- Select **Search** to start searching (when available).
- Select **OK** to finish entering.



Certain screen functions are limited or inoperable while the vehicle is moving. For these functions, use available voice commands or pull over to proceed.

Map Screen Legend

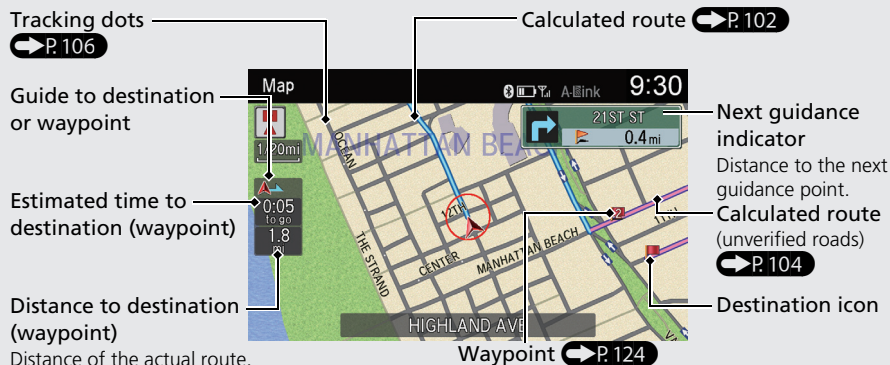


During Route Guidance

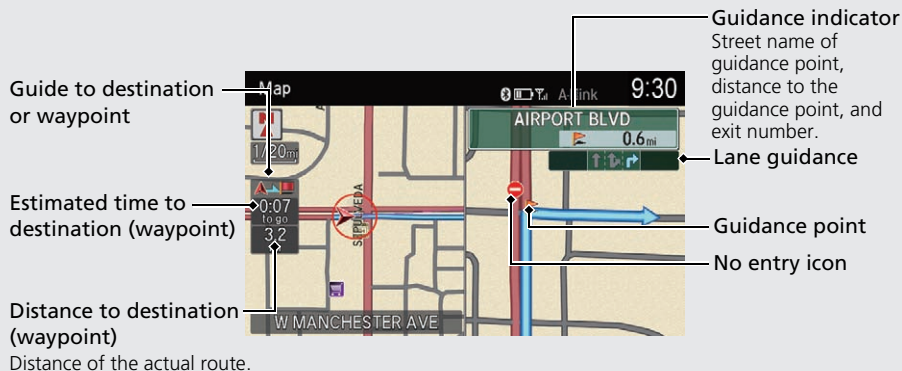
During route guidance, route information is displayed on the map screen and guidance screen.

Press the **NAV** button to toggle the map, guidance screen, direction list, and Navigation Menu while on a route. When not on a route, the **NAV** button will toggle between the map and the Navigation Menu.

Map Screen

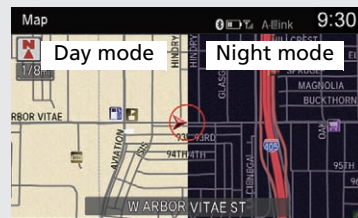


Guidance Screen



Day or Night Mode

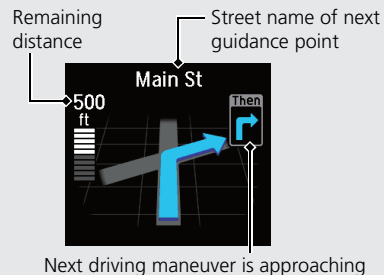
Press the (Display mode) button to manually switch between day and night mode.



Multi-information Display

Turn-by-Turn Directions

The next guidance point appears on the multi-information display.





Navigation—Home Address and Going Home

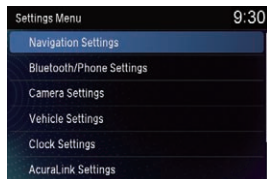
The “Home” feature automatically routes you to your home address from any location simply by selecting Go Home.



Storing Your Home Address



- 1 Press the **SETTINGS** button.

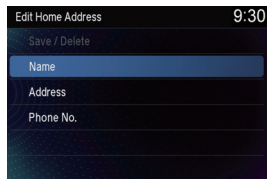


- 2 Rotate  to select **Navigation Settings**. Press .





- 3 Rotate  to select **Edit Go Home**. Press .

- 4 Rotate  to select **Name**. Press .





- 5 Enter a name. Select **OK**.





- 6 Rotate  to select **Address**. Press .



- 7 Enter an address. Select **OK**.

- 8 Rotate  to select **Phone No.** Press .

- 9 Enter a phone number. Select **OK**.





- 10 Rotate  to select **Save / Delete**. Press .

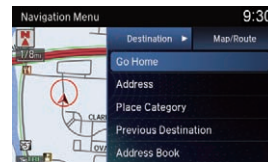
- 11 Rotate  to select **Save**. Press .

Going Home

- 1 From the map screen, press .



- 2 Rotate  to select **Go Home**. Press .



- 3 Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

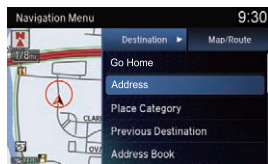
Navigation—Entering a Destination



Enter your destination using one of several methods, follow the route guidance on the map or the guidance screen to your destination.

- 1 From the map screen, press .



- 2 Rotate  to select **Address**. Press .





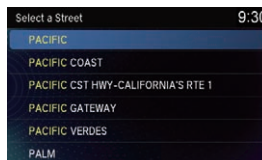
- 3 Rotate  to select **Street**. Press .





- 4 Enter the name of your destination street. Select **Search**.





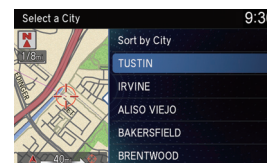
- 5 Rotate  to select your destination street from the list. Press .





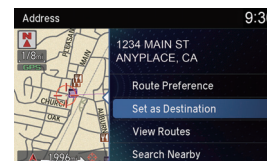
- 6 Enter the street number. Select **Search**.

- 7 Rotate  to select your destination street number from the list. Press .

- 8 If there is more than one city with the specified street, a list of cities will be displayed. Rotate  to select the desired city from the list. Press .



- 9 Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .
- Route guidance to the destination begins.



- **Route Preference:** Choose **Max** or **Min** for the five settings.
- **View Routes:** Choose one of three routes.

Navigation—Changing Route or Destination









You can alter your route by adding waypoints to visit, adding streets to avoid, or changing your destination during route guidance.



Adding a Waypoint ("Pit Stop")

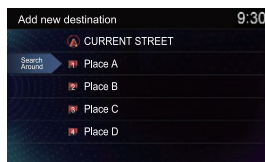
You can add up to four waypoints along your route. ➔ P.124

- 1 From the map screen, press .







- 2 Move  or  to select **Map/Route**.
- 3 Rotate  to select **Destination List**. Press .
- 4 Rotate  to select **Add New Destination**. Press .
- 5 Rotate  to select **Find Along Route**. Press .

- 6 Rotate  to select location and search method. Press .






- **Search Around:** Search around a location.
- **Search Along:** Search between two locations.

- 7 Select the icon category and location to add to the Destination List when prompted. Edit the order of destinations if necessary.


- 8 Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .
- 9 Rotate  to select **Start Route**. Press .



Changing Your Destination

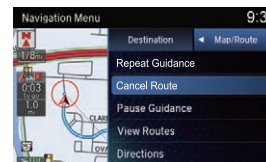
There are several methods you can use to specify a new destination during route guidance.

- Selecting an icon on the map ➔ P.137
Scroll the map to position the cursor over a place/landmark icon or a new area on the map. Press  twice.
- Entering a new destination ➔ P.138
Press . Move  to select **Destination** and enter a new destination.

Canceling Your Route

- 1 Press .
- 2 Move  or  to select **Map/Route**.

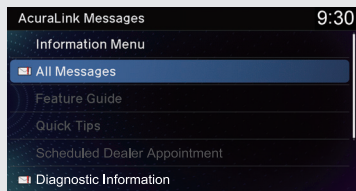
- 3 Rotate  to select **Cancel Route**. Press .



AcuraLink®

AcuraLink® Messages

AcuraLink® provides a direct communication link between you and Acura. It sends and receives several kinds of messages through the Acura server.



The following features are available:

- Vehicle feature guide
- Operating quick tips
- Safety and maintenance information
- Diagnostic information
- Dealer appointment and maintenance reminders

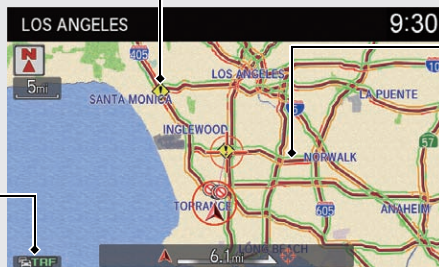
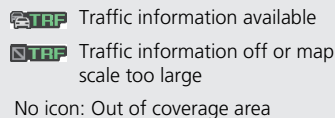
Traffic Information */AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™*

Displays continuously updated traffic information and recalculates your route in response to traffic flow, incidents, or road closures. ➡ P 119

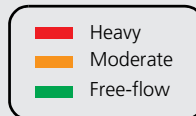
Traffic incident icons



Traffic status indicator ➡ P 119



Traffic flow indicator




Canadian models


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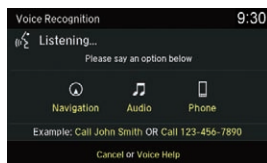
Voice Help

This navigation system comes with voice help, which shows you what command to say when using the voice command functions.


Command Help


- 1 Press and release the  (Talk) button.

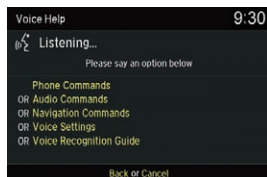
- 2 Say  "Voice Help".




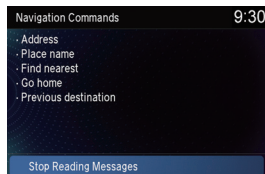
The voice help screen is displayed.

The  "Voice Help" command is available on most screens.

- 3 Say one of the options from the list of available commands by category (e.g.,  "Navigation Commands").

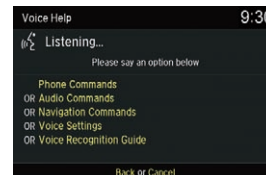


- 4 The system displays a list of all available commands for the category. Press  to hear the list read aloud.



Voice Recognition Guide




- 1 Say "Voice Recognition Guide" on the voice help screen.



For "Voice Settings" see your Owner's Manual.

- 2 The system reads the tips for the voice control.



- Rotate  to read the tips.
- Move  or  to display the previous/next page.

Q

Why does the vehicle position icon on the map “lag” a short distance behind my actual position, especially at intersections?

A

This is normal. The navigation system is unaware of the width of intersections. Large differences in vehicle position can indicate a temporary loss of the GPS signal.

Q

Why does the “time to destination” display sometimes increase even though I am getting closer to my destination?

A

The “time to destination” is based on your actual road speed and traffic conditions to give you a better estimate of arrival time.

Q

How do I specify a destination when an entered city or street could not be found?




A

Try entering the street first. Some cities are lumped in with a major metro area. In rural “unverified” areas or new subdivisions, streets may be missing or only partially numbered.

Q

How do I turn on the navigation system voice guidance?


A

Press the **SETTINGS** button. Select **Navigation Settings** and press . Move  to select **Guidance**. Select **Guidance Volume** and press . Adjust it to the preferred volume level.

Q

My battery was disconnected or went dead and the navigation system is asking for a code. Where do I find it?

A

In most cases you do not need to enter a code. Simply press and hold the  (Power) button for two seconds, the system should reactivate.

➞ **System Initialization** P. 150

How to Use This Manual

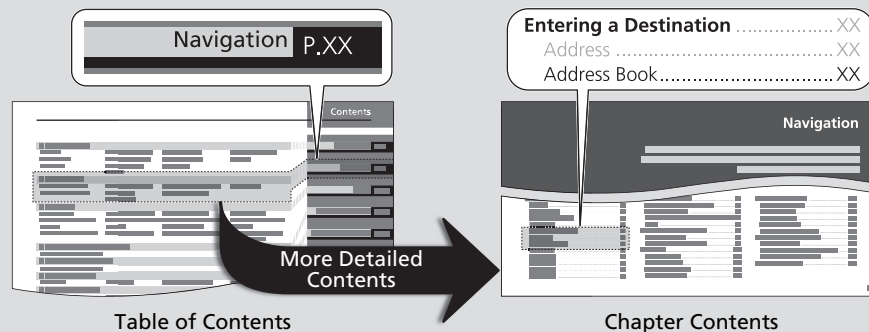
This section explains different methods on how you can easily find information in this manual.



Searching the Table of Contents

➔ P.1

There is a Table of Contents and a more detailed Chapter Contents to help find the desired information.



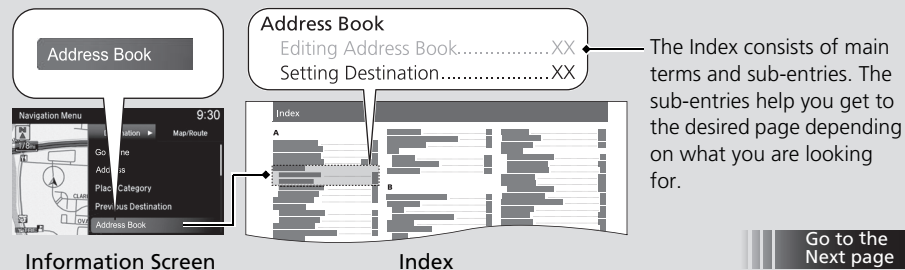
Find the general chapter related to what you are looking for (e.g., entering a destination from the Address Book). Go to that chapter to view a more specific table of contents.

This more detailed table of contents shows you exactly what information is listed by section and title.

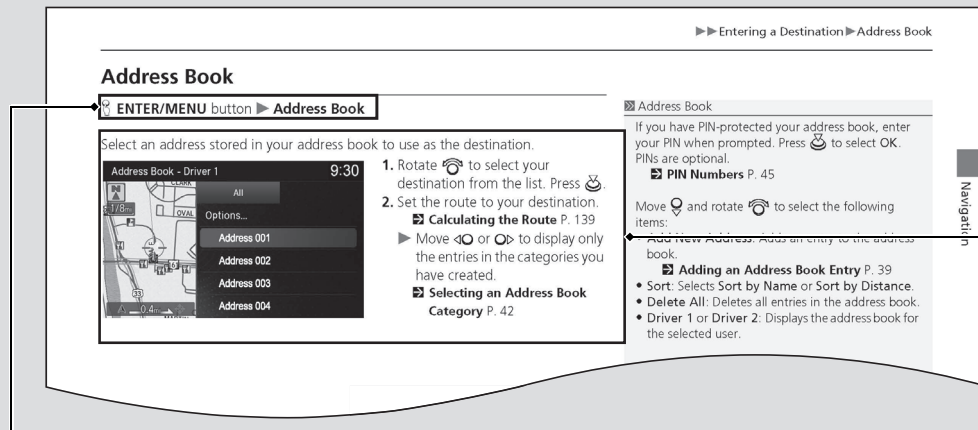


Searching the Index ➔ P.166

Menu items displayed on the information screen (e.g., Address Book) can be found individually in the Index.



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Next page



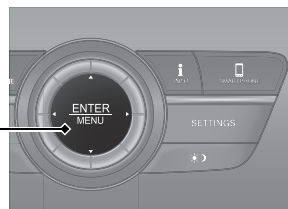
After following the menu tree, step-by-step instructions explain how to achieve the desired result.




Menu Tree

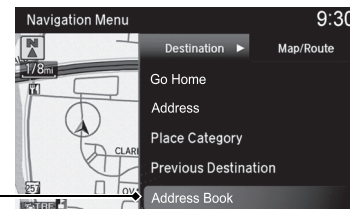
The menu tree helps guide you through the system's menu options. To get to your desired function, follow the menu tree in order of the steps displayed.

ENTER/MENU button ► Address Book





Press the hard button on the system control panel.

Press .



Select the menu option with the Interface Dial.

Rotate  to select **Address Book**. Press .

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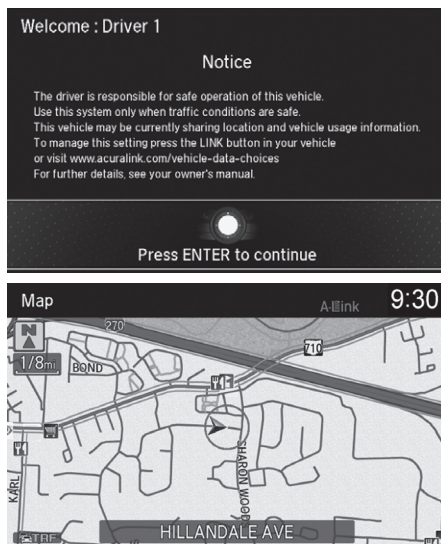
System Setup



This section describes the start-up procedure and the navigation and setup functions.




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The navigation system starts automatically when you set the power mode to ACCESSORY or ON. At start-up, the following Confirmation screen is displayed.



1. Press  to continue.
 - ▶ If you do not press , the map screen is displayed after a certain period of time.
 - ▶ The system will automatically start up the feature that was used the last time.
2. Press the NAV button if a different mode is selected.
 - ▶ Your current position is displayed on the map screen.

Start-up

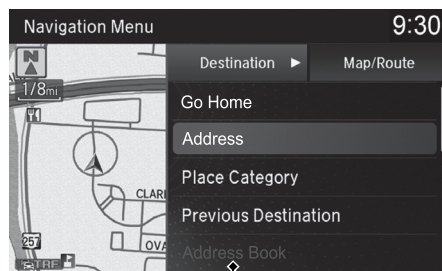
If the navigation system loses power at any time, you may need to press and hold the  (Power) button for more than two seconds, or you may be prompted for the five-digit security code.

System Initialization P. 150

At start-up, the driver's keyless access remote is automatically detected and the address book settings, setup preferences, wallpapers, and audio settings for that driver (e.g., Driver 1) are loaded.

"OK" on the Confirmation screen cannot be selected by using a voice command.

■ Limitations for Manual Operation





Disabled option

Certain manual functions are disabled or inoperable while the vehicle is in motion. You cannot select a grayed-out option using the Interface Dial until the vehicle is stopped.

Voice commands are still operable while the vehicle is in motion.

Your vehicle has a voice control system that allows hands-free operation for most of the navigation system functions.

The voice control system uses the  (Talk) and  (Hang-Up/Back) buttons on the steering wheel and a microphone near the map lights on the ceiling.

A "Getting Started" feature provides a tutorial that explains how to use the voice control system.

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Command Input

If the system does not understand a command or you wait too long to give a command, the system asks you to repeat the command.

When you give a command, the system generally either repeats the command as a confirmation or asks you for further information. If you do not wish to hear this feedback, you can turn it off. However, listening to the feedback will help familiarize you with the way the system expects commands to be phrased.

If the system cannot perform a command or the command is not appropriate for the screen you are on, the system beeps.

On character input screens, a list of possible characters is displayed if the system does not recognize your command.

You can find out which voice commands are available for a particular screen using the  "Voice Help" command. The system will display and read the list of available commands to you.

 **Voice Help** P. 14

Voice Control System

The system displays voice commands that can be accepted on the displayed screen. Say only and exactly what is on the screen.

Command Input

The audio system is muted while using the voice control system.

Voice Recognition

To achieve optimum voice recognition when using the navigation voice control system:

- Make sure the correct screen is displayed for the voice command that you are using.

The system recognizes only certain commands.

Available navigation voice command

📖 **Voice Commands** P. 164

- Close the windows and moonroof.
- Adjust the dashboard and side vents so air does not blow onto the microphone on the ceiling.
- Speak in a clear, natural speaking voice without pausing between words.
- Reduce any background noise and the climate controls fan speed if possible. The system may misinterpret your command if more than one person is speaking at the same time.
- Refer to the Voice Help feature.

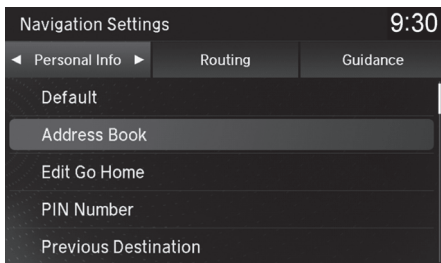
📖 **Voice Help** P. 14



📖 Voice Recognition

The voice control system can only be used from the driver's seat because the microphone unit removes noises from the front passenger's side.

SETTINGS button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info**

Use the personal information menu to select and set your address books, home address, and PINs. You can also delete unwanted destinations from the list of previously routed destinations.





Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Default:** Restores the factory default settings.
- **Address Book:** Stores new addresses or edits your address book.
 - **Address Book** P. 25
- **Edit Go Home:** Sets or edits your home address.
 - **Home Address** P. 31
- **PIN Number:** Sets or changes your PIN.
 - **PIN Numbers** P. 32
- **Previous Destination:** Deletes the destination history.
 - **Previous Destination** P. 33
- **Category History:** Deletes the place categories you recently used.
 - **Category History** P. 34
- **Download POI:** Edits and deletes the Imported POI categories.
 - **Download POI** P. 35

» Personal Information

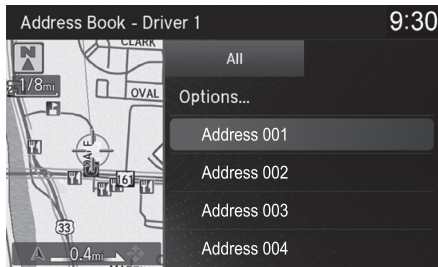
Personal information cannot be backed up or moved to another navigation system.





The navigation settings can also be selected from the navigation menu. Press  from the map screen. Move ◀○ or ○▶ to select **Destination** or **Map/Route**. Rotate  to select **Navigation Settings**.

Address Book

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Address Book**


Store up to 200 address entries in two address books (Driver 1 and Driver 2). You can add, edit, and delete information in the address books.



Move ◀ or ▶ to display only the addresses in the selected category. To change the user address book (**Driver 1** or **Driver 2**), rotate  to select **Options**. Press . Rotate  to select **Driver 1** or **Driver 2**. Press .

Address Book

Up to 200 addresses can be stored to each address book of Driver 1 and Driver 2 separately.

If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Press  to select **OK**. PINs are optional.

► **PIN Numbers** P. 32

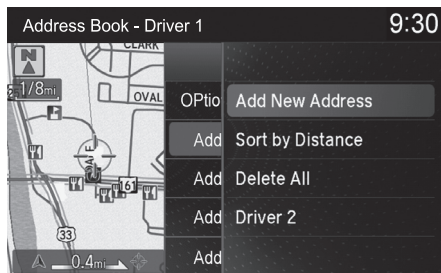
Any address book categories you create are also displayed.



► **Selecting an Address Book Category** P. 29

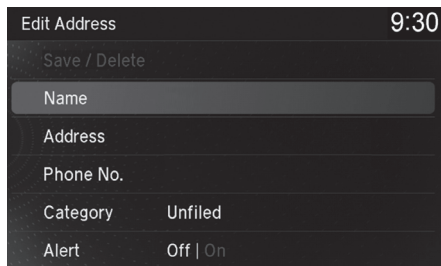
■ Adding an Address Book Entry



📍 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Address Book** ► **Options**

This section explains how to enter the name and address.



1. Rotate  to select **Add New Address**. Press .



2. Rotate  to select an item. Press .

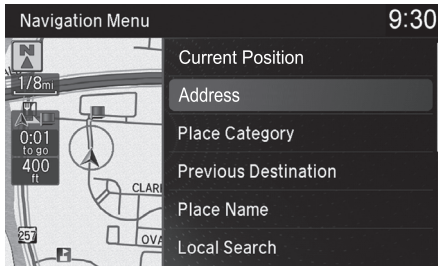
The following items are available:

- **Name:** Edits the name of the entry.
- **Address:** Edits the address of the entry.
- **Phone No.:** Edits the phone number of the entry.
- **Category:** Specifies the category of the entry.

► Adding an Address Book Entry

If you do not give the address a name, one is automatically assigned (e.g., Address 001). You can re-enter, edit, or make changes to any entry. "Address" is the only required field.

- **Alert:** Alerts you when you approach the address entry.
On: Beeps and displays a message when your vehicle gets near the entry.
Off (factory default): Disables the feature.



3. Rotate to select **Name**. Press .
4. Enter a name or title. Select **OK**.
5. Rotate to select **Address**. Press .
6. Rotate to select an item for specifying the address. Press .
7. Rotate to select **Save / Delete**. Press .
8. Rotate to select **Save**. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Current Position:** Select your current location.
- **Address:** Enter an address on the character input screen when prompted.
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- **Place Category:** Select a category to search for a place/landmark (e.g., Banking, Lodging).
Place Category P. 85
- **Previous Destination:** Select a previous destination.
Previous Destination P. 84
- **Place Name:** Enter the name of a place/landmark.
Place Name P. 89
- **Local Search:** Sets a destination by using Local Search.
Local Search P. 87
- **Place Phone Number:** Enter the phone number of a place/landmark.
Entering a Destination P. 74

► Adding an Address Book Entry

When you use **Place Name** or **Place Category**, the phone number is automatically entered.

You can also add a phone number and category.







Continued

- **Intersection:** Specify the intersection by entering two streets.
 📌 **Entering a Destination** P. 74
- **Download POI:** Select a place/landmark from a list of the imported POI (category and places) data you created.
 📌 **Entering a Destination** P. 74
- **Select Using Map:** Enter a place/landmark by scrolling through the map.
 📌 **Entering a Destination** P. 74
- **Scenic Route:** Enter a place/landmark by using a list of scenic roads for each state or province (U.S. and Canada only).
 📌 **Entering a Destination** P. 74
- **Coordinate:** Enter latitude and longitude of a place/landmark.
 📌 **Entering a Destination** P. 74

■ Editing an Address Book Entry




 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Personal Info** ▶ **Address Book**







Edit Address 9:30	
Save / Delete	
Name	Address 001
Address	MAIN ST ANYPLACE, CA
Phone No.	(310) 555-1234
Category	Unfiled
Alert	Off On

1. Rotate  to select the address to edit. Press .
2. Enter the name, address, phone number, and category fields.
▶ Adding an Address Book Entry P. 26
3. Rotate  to select **Save / Delete**. Press .
4. Rotate  to select **Save**. Press .

■ Selecting an Address Book Category

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Personal Info** ▶ **Address Book**

Select a Category 9:30	
Options...	
↑ PERSONAL	
 BUSINESS	
 FAMILY	
 OFFICE	

1. Rotate  to select an address. Press .
 2. Rotate  to select **Category**. Press .
 3. Rotate  to select a category. Press .
- ▶ Create a category in advance.
▶ Creating a New Category P. 30

▣ Editing an Address Book Entry





The entered contents are displayed on the Edit address screen.

▣ Selecting an Address Book Category







Up to 100 categories can be stored to each address book of Driver 1 and Driver 2 separately.

If you delete a category that is used by other addresses, the category type for those addresses changes to "Unfiled".

■ Creating a New Category

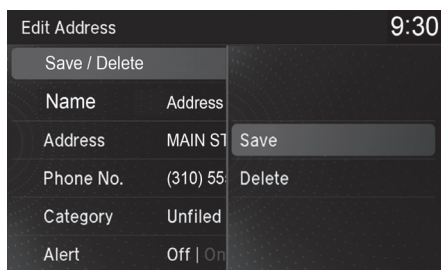
1. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .
2. Rotate  to select **New Category**. Press .
3. Enter a name and select an icon when prompted.
 - The created category is displayed in the list of categories.









■ Deleting or Editing a Category

1. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .
2. Rotate  to select **Delete** or **Edit**. Press .
3. Delete an existing category, or change the name and icon.
 - The selected category to delete is indicated with a trash icon. Select **Options**, press , and rotate  to select **Delete Selected**.

■ Deleting an Address Book Entry

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Address Book**



1. Rotate  to select the address to delete. Press .
2. Rotate  to select **Save / Delete**. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Delete**. Press .
4. Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press  to delete the address.

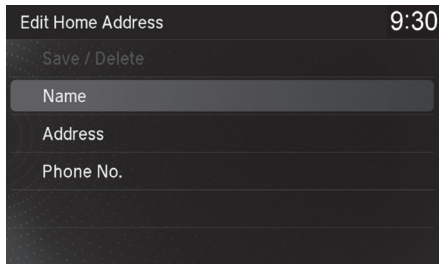
✕ Deleting an Address Book Entry

When you transfer the vehicle to a third party, delete all address book entries.


Home Address





 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Edit Go Home**

Set a home address that you frequently use.




1. Edit the name, address, and phone number the same way as an address in the address book.



 **Adding an Address Book Entry** P. 26







2. Rotate  to select **Save / Delete**. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Save**. Press .

Home Address

If you have PIN-protected your home addresses, enter your PIN when prompted. Select **OK**. PINs are optional.

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If your home street is not in the system database, park on the nearest verified street to your home. When entering the "Address" field, rotate  to select **Current Position** to use your current location as the home address and press .

You can delete a home address if necessary. Rotate  to select **Save / Delete**. Press . Rotate  to select **Delete**. Press . Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .

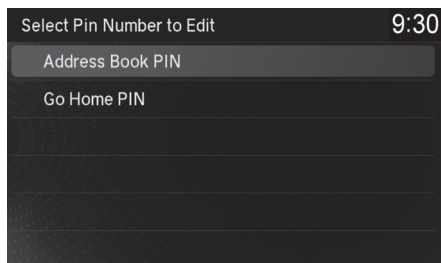
When you transfer the vehicle to a third party, delete all home addresses.



The home icon is shown on the map screen on the 1/20 and 1/8 mile (80 and 200 m) scales.

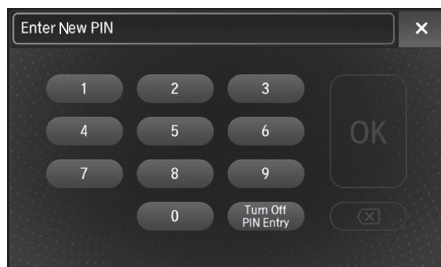
PIN Numbers

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **PIN Number**

Set a four-digit PIN for protecting personal addresses and your home address. Once you set a PIN, you are prompted to enter it whenever you access a personal address or a home address.



1. Rotate  to select the PIN to create. Press .



2. Enter a four-digit PIN. Select **OK**.
3. Re-enter the new PIN, when prompted, to confirm the number you just entered. Select **OK**.
 - If you have not entered the same number both times, an "INCORRECT PIN" message is displayed. Enter your PIN again.

PIN Numbers

PIN

Personal Identification Number (PIN) is a password used to access personal data.

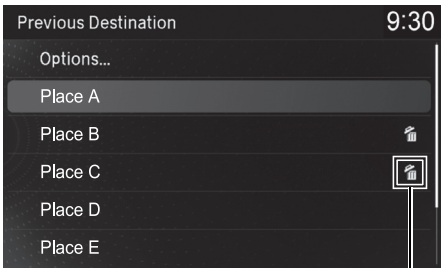
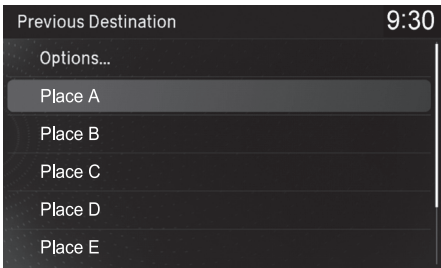
PINs are optional. If you choose to use a PIN, keep a note of the number in a secure location. If you forget your PIN, a dealer will have to reset the navigation system and all of your stored information will be erased. The factory default is no PIN.

If you want to stop using a PIN, select **Turn Off PIN Entry**.









Previous Destination

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Personal Info** ▶ **Previous Destination**

The navigation system maintains a list of your previously routed destinations as a shortcut for entering the same destination in the future. You can delete some or all of your previous destinations from the list.





Trash icon

1. Rotate  to select the destination to delete. Press .
▶ Repeat the procedure as necessary.
▶ Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.
2. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Delete Selected**. Press .
▶ The confirmation message will appear.
4. Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .

Previous Destination

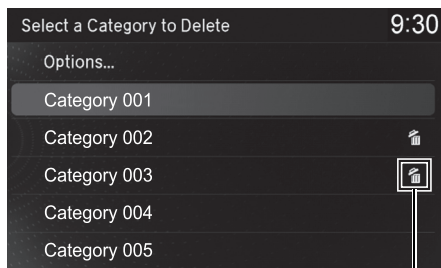
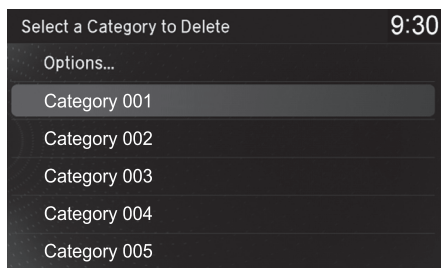
Up to 50 destinations can be stored.

To cancel the selection of a previous destination, rotate  to highlight the destination again. Press  to de-select it.



Category History



 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Category History**

The navigation system maintains a list of your recently used place categories as a shortcut for selecting the same categories in the future. You can delete some or all of your recently used categories from the list.



Trash icon

1. Rotate  to select the category to delete. Press .
► Repeat the procedure as necessary.
► Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.

2. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .



3. Rotate  to select **Delete Selected**. Press .

► The confirmation message will appear.

4. Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .

Category History

Up to 50 categories can be stored.

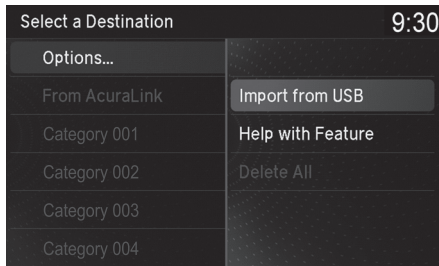
To cancel the selection of a category, rotate  to highlight the category again. Press  to de-select it.







Download POI

Import custom Points of Interest (POI) into the navigation system and set the POI as a destination. You can also add, edit, and delete POIs.

■ Importing POI Categories





 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ► **Destination** ► **Download POI**



1. Connect a USB flash drive with stored POI data to the USB connector.
2. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Import from USB**. Press .
4. Rotate  to select a category to import. Press .

■ Editing POI Categories

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Personal Info** ► **Download POI**

1. Rotate  to select the downloaded POI category to edit. Press .
2. Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Alert Setting:** Alerts you when you approach the places/landmarks in the category.
On: Beeps and displays a message when your vehicle gets near the places/landmarks in the category.
Off (factory default): Disables the feature.
- **Delete Category:** Deletes all places/landmarks and icon in the selected category.
- **Edit Icon:** Changes the category icon.

▣ Importing POI Categories

For more information about connecting a USB flash drive, see your Owner's Manual.

POI data in csv and kml formats can be imported.

You can download POI data from various POI websites.

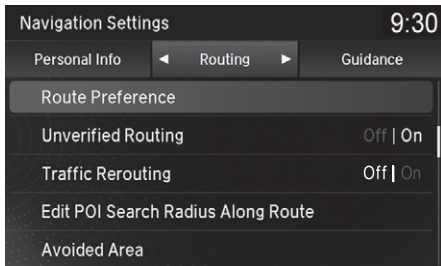
If you select **From AcuraLink**, you can download POI data from the AcuraLink® server.



▣ Editing POI Categories

If you select **From AcuraLink**, you can edit Alert only.

SETTINGS button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Routing**

Choose various settings that determine the navigation system functionality during route calculation.





Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Default:** Restores the factory default settings.
- **Route Preference:** Changes the route preferences (calculating method).
 - **Route Preference** P. 37
- **Unverified Routing:** Sets whether you use the route guidance in unverified areas.
 - **Unverified Routing** P. 39
- **Traffic Rerouting:** Sets whether you use automatic recalculation based on traffic information.
 - **Traffic Rerouting** P. 41
- **Edit POI Search Radius Along Route:** Sets the distance from the route to find waypoints.
 - **Edit POI Search Radius Along Route** P. 42
- **Avoided Area:** Specifies areas to avoid when calculating a route.
 - **Avoided Area** P. 43

» Routing





The navigation settings can also be selected from the navigation menu. Press  from the map screen. Move ◀○ or ○▶ to select **Destination** or **Map/Route**. Rotate  to select **Navigation Settings**.

Route Preference

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Routing** ▶ **Route Preference**

Change the route preference by selecting minimum or maximum driving methods.

Change Route Preference 9:30	
Freeways	Max Min
Toll Roads	Max Min
ETC Roads	Max Min
Ferries	Max Min
U-Turn	Max Min
Server Route	Off On

1. Rotate  to select an item. Press .
 2. Rotate  to select **Max** or **Min**. Press .
- ▶ Repeat step 1 and 2 as necessary.

Route Preference

The calculated route may be the shortest route or the route you would choose. For safety reasons, the system generally applies the following rules to your route:

- Shortcuts through residential areas are avoided.
- Right turns are favored over left turns or U-turns.
- Time-restricted turns (turns prohibited at certain times of the day) are not used.

Check the ferry schedule when the calculated route includes ferry route.

ETC is short for the Electronic Toll Collection system.

Server Route*

- You can view three routes distributed from AcuraLink®.
 - ▶ **Viewing the Routes** P. 101
- Set to **On** and select **Optimal Routes** to select your desired route.
 - ▶ **Optimal Routes*** P. 38

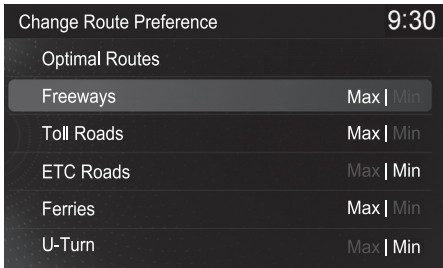
* Not available on all models







■ Optimal Routes*

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Routing** ▶ **Route Preference**

You can select desired routes by sorting the route list. The three top routes can be displayed on the **Select a Route** screen.

 **Viewing the Routes** P. 101



1. Rotate  to select **Optimal Routes**. Press .
2. Rotate  to select a route type. Press .
3. Rotate  to change the order of the selected route type. Press .

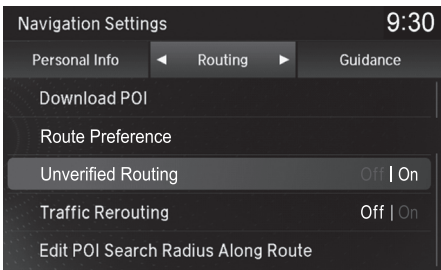
» Optimal Routes*

Optimal Routes is a subscription service. For more information, contact an Acura dealer or visit www.acura.ca/owners/acuralink.

Unverified Routing

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Routing** ► **Unverified Routing**

Receive turn-by-turn map and voice guidance in unverified areas.




Rotate  to select **On** or **Off**. Press .

Differences	Off	On (factory default)
On or Off?	The driver wishes to manually navigate using the navigation map and choose the streets that lead to the destination.	The driver chooses to let the navigation system suggest possible routing, knowing that the guidance may not be accurate.
Route calculation	Route is usually longer, using verified roads whenever possible.	Route is shorter, but uses unverified (purple) streets that may not be accurate.

Unverified Routing

Unverified roads are found in rural areas, and typically include residential streets away from the center of a town. They may not be accurate and can contain errors in location, naming, and address range.

Unverified roads are shown only when viewing the map in the 1/20, 1/8, 1/4, 1/2, 1 and 2 (mile) / 80, 200, 400, 800 (m), 1.6 and 3.2 (km) map scales.

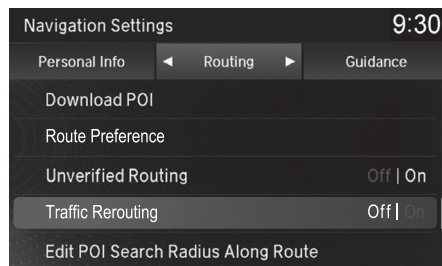
Differences	Off	On (factory default)
Route line	The route line uses verified streets only (when possible). If Straight Line Guide is set to On , a pink vector line is displayed on the map that continually points to your destination.  Straight Line Guide P. 61	A blue-pink route line highlights suggested unverified streets on the map while traveling to your destination.
Cautionary messages	Cautionary pop-up screens and voice announcements remind you to obey all traffic restrictions when starting route guidance, approaching an unverified area, and entering an unverified street.	Cautionary pop-up screens and voice announcements remind you to obey all traffic restrictions when entering an unverified street.
Guidance (map/voice)	There is no turn-by-turn map or voice guidance.	Voice guidance commands end with the phrase “if possible” to remind you to verify all traffic restrictions.
Directions list	A direction list is typically not available. However, depending on your route, directions are provided to help you reach the first available verified road.	A direction list is provided showing street names and turn symbols in pink.



Traffic Rerouting

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Routing** ► **Traffic Rerouting**

A faster route can be calculated based on continuously updated traffic information.

 **Traffic Rerouting™** P. 119



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

The following options are available:

- **On:** The system reroutes automatically based on traffic information.
- **Off** (factory default): Disables the feature.

» Traffic Rerouting

You must be in or near a traffic-enabled city to receive coverage for that area. Traffic information is available in certain areas in the lower 48 states, Hawaii, and some cities in Canada.

 **Traffic Information** P. 156

Canadian models

Traffic Rerouting requires an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription.

See your Owner's Manual for subscription information.

Automatic traffic rerouting may not provide a detour route depending on circumstances.

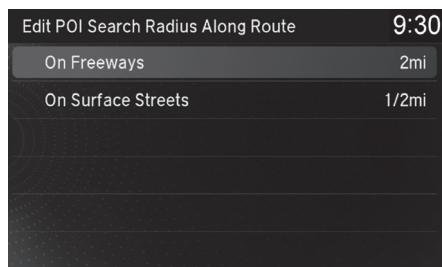
Edit POI Search Radius Along Route





 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Routing** ► **Edit POI Search Radius Along Route**

Select the distance from your highlighted route line (on either side of your route) that the system will search for a waypoint.

 **Adding Waypoints** P. 124

You can specify a different search distance for freeways/highways and surface streets.



1. Rotate  to select an item. Press .
2. Rotate  to select a search distance. Press .

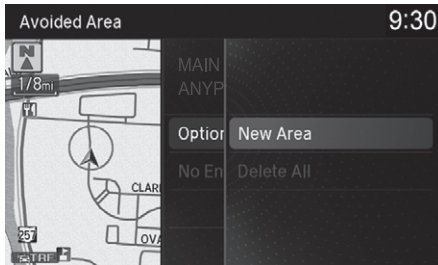
The following items are available:

- **On Freeways (U.S.)/On Highways (Canada):** 1, 2, 5, or 10 miles (1.6, 3, 8, or 16 km) can be set. Factory default is 2 miles (3 km).
- **On Surface Streets:** 1/2, 1, 2, or 5 miles (0.8, 1.6, 3, or 8 km) can be set. Factory default is 1/2 mile (0.8 km).

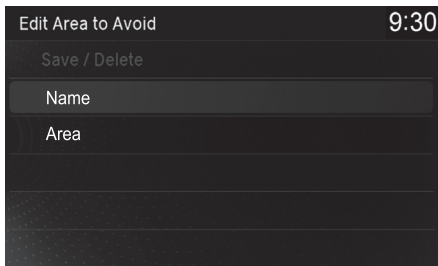
Avoided Area

📍 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Routing** ► **Avoided Area**

Specify up to five areas to avoid (e.g., road construction, closures), if possible, when the system calculates routes to your destination.



1. Rotate 🔄 to select **Options**. Press 🗑️.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select **New Area**.



3. Rotate 🔄 to select **Name** to label the area to avoid. Press 🗑️.
4. Enter a name or title. Select **OK**.
5. Rotate 🔄 to select **Area** to define the area to avoid. Press 🗑️.

The following options are available (after an area is set):

- **Save:** Saves the selected avoid area.
- **View Area:** Displays the selected avoid area on the map.
- **Delete:** Deletes the selected avoid area.

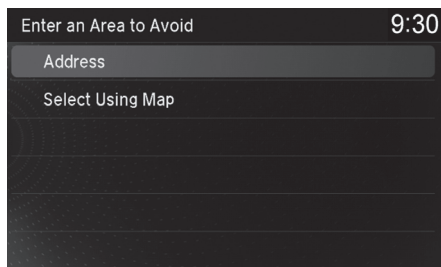
✉️ Avoided Area

The maximum size of one side of an “avoid area” is approximately 1/2 mile (800 m).

If your selected area contains a freeway/highway, you are asked “Do you want to avoid freeways (highways)?” Answering “No” allows you to use a route through an avoid area on a freeway/highway without any pop-up messages.

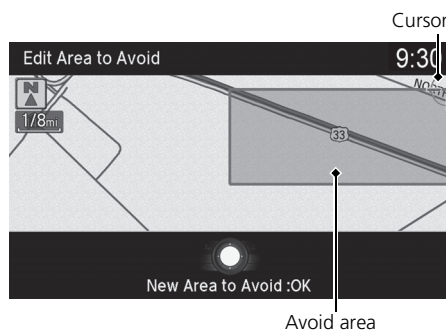
You can select areas to avoid; however, you cannot select roads or areas that you want the system to use for routing.



You can enter up to 25 characters for the name.



The following options are available:




- **Address:** Specify the general area by entering an address.
 ► **Address** P. 76
- **Select Using Map:** Specify the general area by using map.
 ► **Select using Map** P. 96



6. Rotate  to select a method for specifying the area. Press .

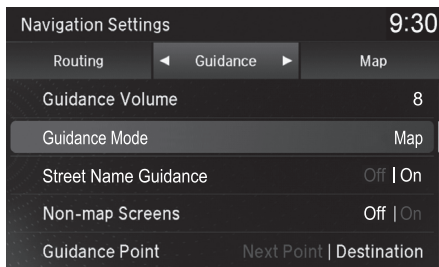
►► Avoided Area



Avoid area can be set in the 1/20, 1/8, or 1/4 mile (80, 200, or 400 m) map scales.

7. If you select **Select Using Map**, scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired start point, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press  to mark the start point.
 ► To redo the area selection, press the **BACK** button.
8. Scroll the map to "draw" the area. Press  to mark the end point.
9. Press  to select **OK**.
 ► The area you specify is displayed in the list of areas to avoid.






SETTINGS button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance**

Choose various settings that determine the navigation system functionality during route guidance.





Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Default:** Restores the factory default settings.
- **Guidance Volume:** Adjusts the navigation system volume level.
- **Guidance Mode:** Sets whether to display only the map screen or a split map-guidance screen.
 **Guidance Mode** P. 46
- **Street Name Guidance** (US models): Sets whether to read out the street names during voice guidance.
 **Street Name Guidance** P. 48
- **Non-map Screens:** Sets whether the guidance screen interrupts the screen display.
 **Non-map Screens** P. 49
- **Guidance Point:** Sets whether to display the guidance information to the destination or the next waypoint.
 **Guidance Point** P. 50
- **Estimated Time:** Sets whether to display the remaining time or arrival time to the guidance point.
 **Estimated Time** P. 51

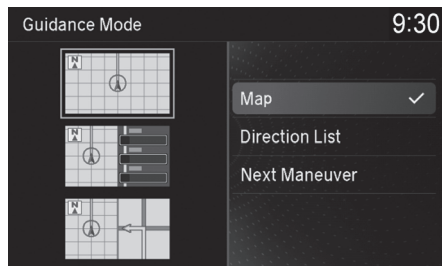
Guidance

The navigation settings can also be selected from the navigation menu. Press  from the map screen. Move ◀ or ▶ to select **Destination** or **Map/Route**. Rotate  to select **Navigation Settings**.

Guidance Mode

📍 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance** ► **Guidance Mode**

Select the display mode for the map and guidance screens.



Rotate 🔄 to select an option. Press 📍.

The following options are available:

- **Map** (factory default): Displays only the map screen. When you approach a guidance point, the next guidance point appears.

Map screen



Near the next guidance point

Next Maneuver screen



Next guidance point

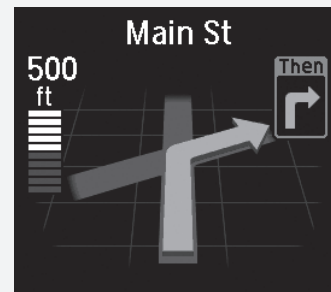
Guidance Mode

Press the **NAV** button to switch between the map, next guidance direction, and a list of guidance directions.

Turn-by-Turn Directions

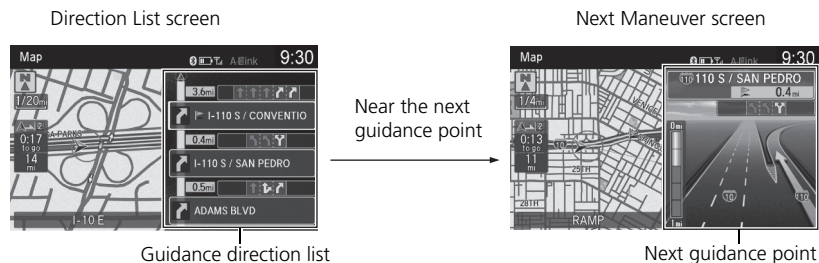
The next guidance point appears on the multi-information display.

➡ **Turn-by-Turn Directions** P. 9

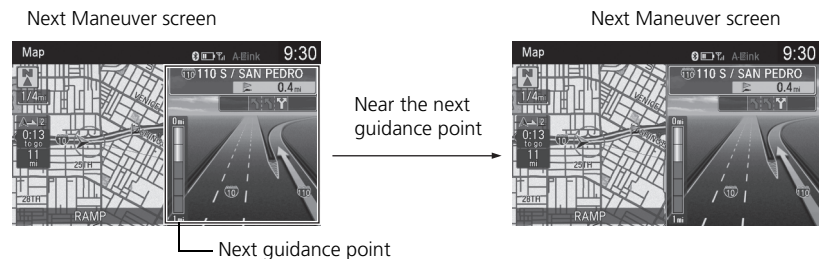


You can turn this feature on or off using the multi-information display. See the Owner's Manual for instructions.

- **Direction List:** Displays the map and direction list simultaneously on the map screen. When you approach a guidance point, the next guidance point appears.



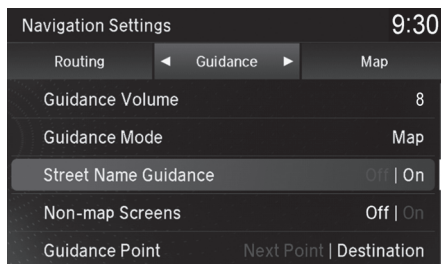
- **Next Maneuver:** Displays the map and next guidance point simultaneously on the map screen.





Street Name Guidance

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance** ► **Street Name Guidance**

The navigation system includes the street names during voice guidance (e.g., “Turn right on Main Street”).



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

The following options are available:

- **On** (factory default): Voice guidance includes the street names.
- **Off**: Disables the feature.

Street Name Guidance

This feature is only available when the system language is set to **English**.

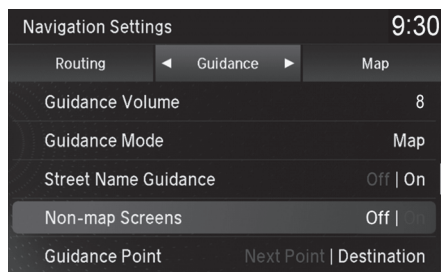
This feature may not be available in non-English speaking areas.



This function is available on U.S. models only.

Non-map Screens

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance** ► **Non-map Screens**

The navigation system temporarily interrupts the screen display to view the guidance screen as you approach a guidance point.



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

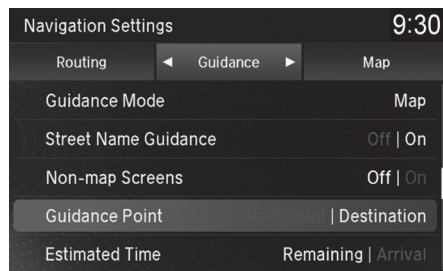
The following options are available:



- **On:** The guidance screen interrupts other mode screens (e.g., audio, phone, etc., except the rear view camera mode).
- **Off** (factory default): Disables the feature.

Guidance Point

🔧 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance** ► **Guidance Point**

Set the guidance point to display on the map screen.



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

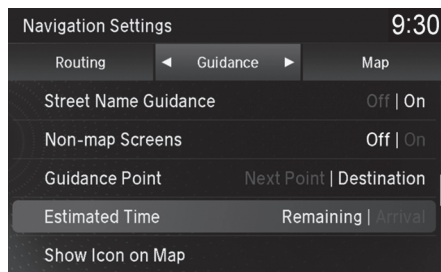
The following options are available:



- **Destination** (factory default): Displays the remaining/arrival time and distance to the destination.
- **Next Point**: Displays the remaining/arrival time and distance to the next waypoint.

Estimated Time

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Guidance** ► **Estimated Time**

Select the estimated time to display on the screen.



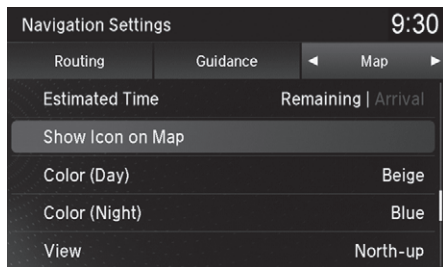
Rotate  to select an option. Press .



The following options are available:

- **Arrival**: Displays the arrival time to the destination or the next waypoint.
- **Remaining** (factory default): Displays the remaining time to the destination or the next waypoint.







SETTINGS button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map**

Select the landmark icons to display on the map, select the color of the map, change the orientation of the map, or adjust the current position of the vehicle as displayed on the map.





Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Default:** Restores the factory default settings.
- **Show Icon on Map:** Selects the icons to display on the map.
 **Showing Icons on Map** P. 54
- **Color (Day):** Selects the color of the map for the Day mode.
 **Color** P. 56
- **Color (Night):** Selects the color of the map for the Night mode.
 **Color** P. 56
- **View:** Selects the map orientation (**North-up**, **Heading-up**, or **3D map**).
 **View (Map Orientation)** P. 59
- **3D Angle Adjustment:** Adjusts the viewing angle for the 3D map.
 **3D Angle Adjustment** P. 60
- **Straight Line Guide:** Sets whether to display a straight guideline to the destination or waypoint.
 **Straight Line Guide** P. 61

Map

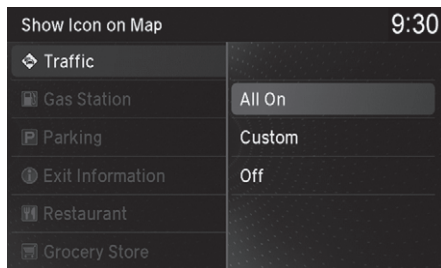
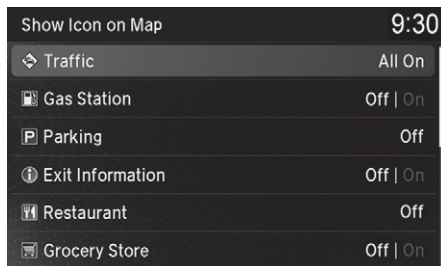
The navigation settings can also be selected from the navigation menu. Press  from the map screen. Move ◀○ or ○▶ to select **Destination** or **Map/Route**. Rotate  to select **Navigation Settings**.



- **Display Tracking:** Sets whether to display the tracking dots on the map.
 ► **Display Tracking** P. 62
- **Delete Tracking:** Deletes the tracking dots on the map.
 ► **Deleting Tracking Dots** P. 63
- **Correct Vehicle Position:** Adjusts the position of the vehicle on the map.
 ► **Correct Vehicle Position** P. 64
- **System Device Information:** Displays database, software, device, and vehicle identification information.
 ► **System Device Information** P. 65
- **Map Data Update:** Provides the status of map database updates.
 ► **Map Data Update** P. 65


Showing Icons on Map

⚙ **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Show Icon on Map**



Select the icons that are displayed on the map.



1. Rotate  to select an item. Press .



► If the selected item has no sub categories, pressing  toggles the setting between **On** and **Off**.

► If the selected item has sub categories, proceed to the next step.


2. Rotate  to select an option. Press .

► Repeat step 1 and 2 as necessary.

The following options are available:

- **All On:** Displays the landmark icons for all the sub categories.
 **Map Screen Legend** P. 8
- **Custom:** Fine-tunes the icon display.
 **Fine-tuning the Icons** P. 55
- **Off:** Hides the landmark icons for all the sub categories.

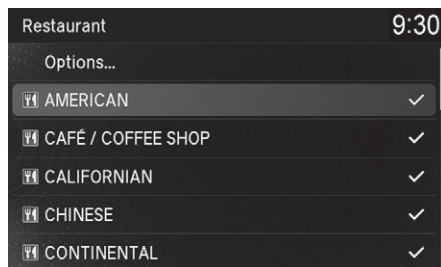
Showing Icons on Map



If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Move  to select **OK**. PINs are optional.


 **PIN Numbers** P. 32

Fine-tuning the Icons

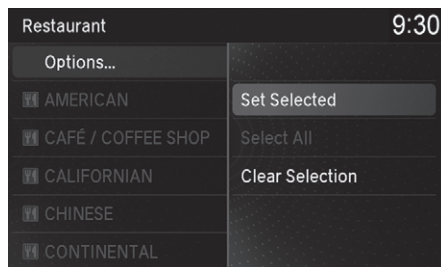
Icons in some categories can be fine-tuned to display or hide.







1. Rotate  to select the icons to display on the map. Press .

► Pressing  toggles the check mark display on or off.

► Repeat the procedure as necessary.



2. Rotate  to select **Options**. Press .

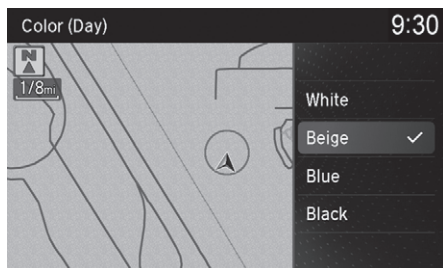
3. Rotate  to select **Set Selected**. Press .

Color

Set separate map colors for Day and Night modes.

Color (Day)

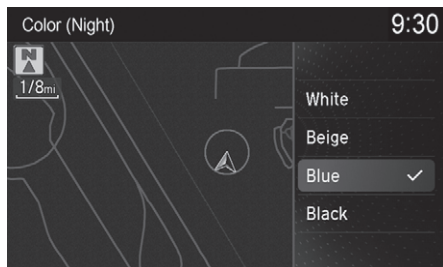
🔧 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Color (Day)**



Rotate 🔄 to select a color for the Day mode. Press ⏸.

Color (Night)

🔧 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Color (Night)**



Rotate 🔄 to select a color for the Night mode. Press ⏸.


Color (Day)

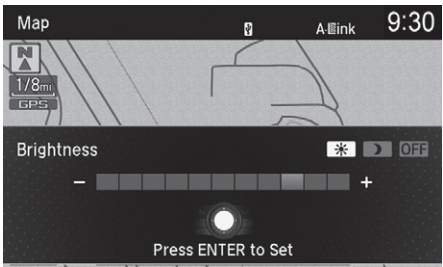
The factory default is set to **Beige**.





Color (Night)



The factory default is set to **Blue**.

■ Switching Display Mode Manually

Set the screen brightness separately for Day and Night modes. Press the  (Display mode) button to cycle through the display modes (Day to Night to Off).




- 1. Press the  (Display mode) button.
 - ▶ The Brightness bar is displayed for a few seconds.
 - ▶ Rotate  to adjust the brightness. Press .
- 2. Press the  (Display mode) button again.
 - ▶ Repeat the procedure to switch the display modes.

■ Illumination	■ Priority	■ Operation
 (Display Mode) button	1	Selects Day, Night, or Off display mode. This button has the highest priority and overrides all other display control adjustments listed below. Remember: Once you press this button, you assume full manual control of the display mode until the power mode is set to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
Sunlight sensor (see your Owner's Manual for location)	2	If the sunlight sensor detects daylight and the headlights are turned on, the system automatically overrides the Night display and displays the Day display mode. Remember: If desired, use the  (Display Mode) button to override this automatic choice.

■ Switching Display Mode Manually

A visual guide helps you see the difference between Day and Night modes.

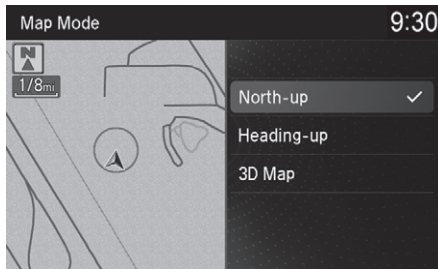
▶ Day or Night Mode P. 9



Illumination	Priority	Operation
Dash illumination adjustment buttons (see your Owner’s Manual for location)	3	When headlights are turned on, and you wish to have the Day display mode, adjust the illumination to the full brightness setting (beeps). Remember: Adjust the dash brightness back to mid-range to allow auto switching by sensing if the headlights are on or off.
Headlights (Auto/ On/Off)	4	When turned on, the display changes to Night display mode. The previous three controls listed above can “cancel” this function. Remember: Use the  (Display Mode) button to adjust the brightness of the display.
Screen color choice	N/A	The user can select the color of the screen that will be displayed for the Day and Night display modes described above.

View (Map Orientation)

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **View**

Select the map orientation.



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

The following options are available:

- **North-up (factory default):** Displays the map with North always pointing up.
- **Heading-up:** Displays the map so that the direction you are traveling is always pointing up.
- **3D Map:** Displays the bird's eye view map.

View (Map Orientation)

The red arrow in the symbol always points North.

Heading-up and 3D map view switch to the North-up view on the maximum map scale.

The bird's eye view map switches to the Heading-up map while scrolling the map.

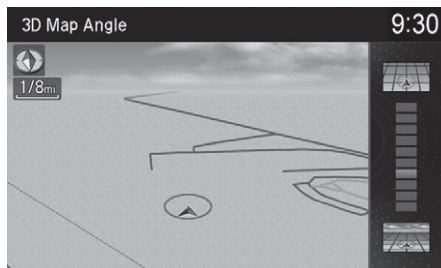
The viewing angle for the bird's eye view can be adjusted.



► **3D Angle Adjustment** P. 60

3D Angle Adjustment

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **3D Angle Adjustment**

Adjust the viewing angle.

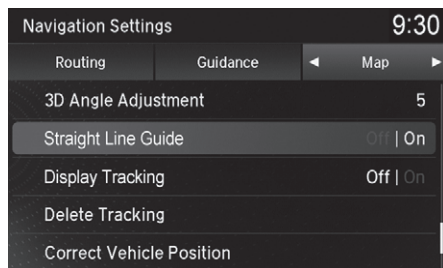




Rotate  to adjust the angle. Press .

Straight Line Guide

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Map** ▶ **Straight Line Guide**

Set whether to display a straight guideline to the destination or waypoint.



Rotate  to select an option. Press .

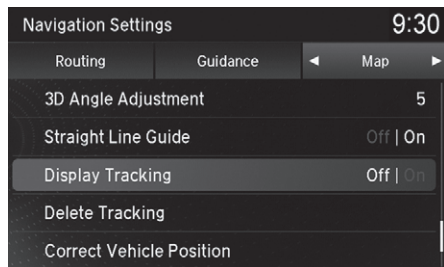
The following options are available:



- **On** (factory default): Displays a straight guideline on the map.
- **Off**: Disables the feature.

Display Tracking


🔑 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Display Tracking**

The navigation system can be set to display white tracking dots (“breadcrumbs”) on the map screen.



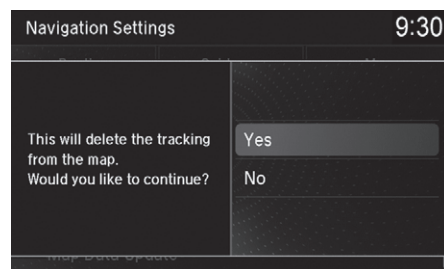
Rotate  to select an option. Press .

The following options are available:

- **On:** Displays white tracking dots.
 **Tracking Dots** P. 106
- **Off** (factory default): Disables the feature.

Deleting Tracking Dots

 **SETTINGS** button ▶ **Navigation Settings** ▶ **Map** ▶ **Delete Tracking**



Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .

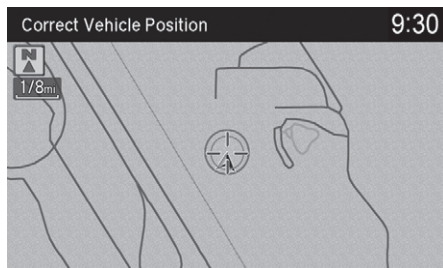
Deleting Tracking Dots

When you transfer the vehicle to a third party, delete the tracking dots.

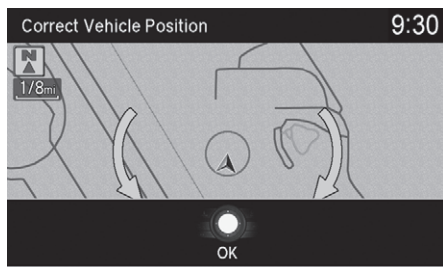
Correct Vehicle Position

📍 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Correct Vehicle Position**

Manually adjust the current position of the vehicle as displayed on the map screen if the position appears to be incorrect.



1. Put the vehicle in Park.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select **Correct Vehicle Position**. Press 📍.
3. Scroll the map to position the cursor over at your correct position. Press 📍.



4. Rotate 🔄 to position the arrowhead in the correct direction the vehicle is facing.
5. Press 📍 to select **OK**.

🔧 Correct Vehicle Position

An apparent position error can occur where buildings, tunnels, and other objects block or reflect the GPS signals, forcing the system to use “dead reckoning” to determine your location and direction.

Using this function to adjust the vehicle position is not recommended. When the system reacquires a GPS signal, it will automatically place the vehicle in the correct location.

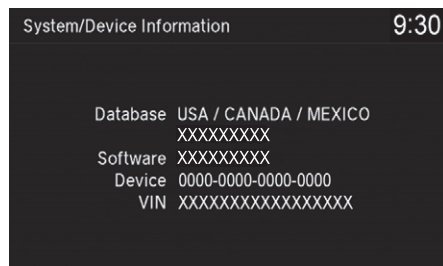
If you continually have to adjust the vehicle position, you may have problems with GPS reception or there may be database errors.

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System Device Information

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **System Device Information**

View database, software, device, and vehicle identification information.




Map Data Update

 **SETTINGS** button ► **Navigation Settings** ► **Map** ► **Map Data Update**

Check the map data update status when updating the map database.


System Device Information

You will need this information when ordering a map update.

 **Obtaining a Navigation Update** P. 155

Map Data Update



This operation is only available during a database update.

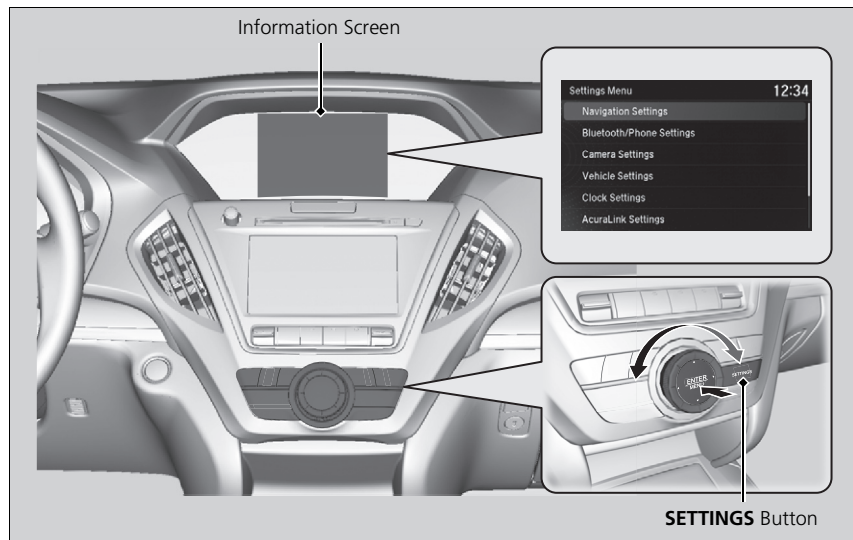
 **Obtaining a Navigation Update** P. 155

Use the information screen to customize certain features.

Information Screen






■ How to customize

Select your desired setting item by pressing the **SETTINGS** button, then rotating  while the power mode is ON and the vehicle is at a complete stop. Press .



Customized Features

When you customize settings, make sure that the vehicle is at a complete stop and select the gear position to **P**.

To customize other features, rotate , move ,  or , and press .

➤ **List of customizable options** P. 69

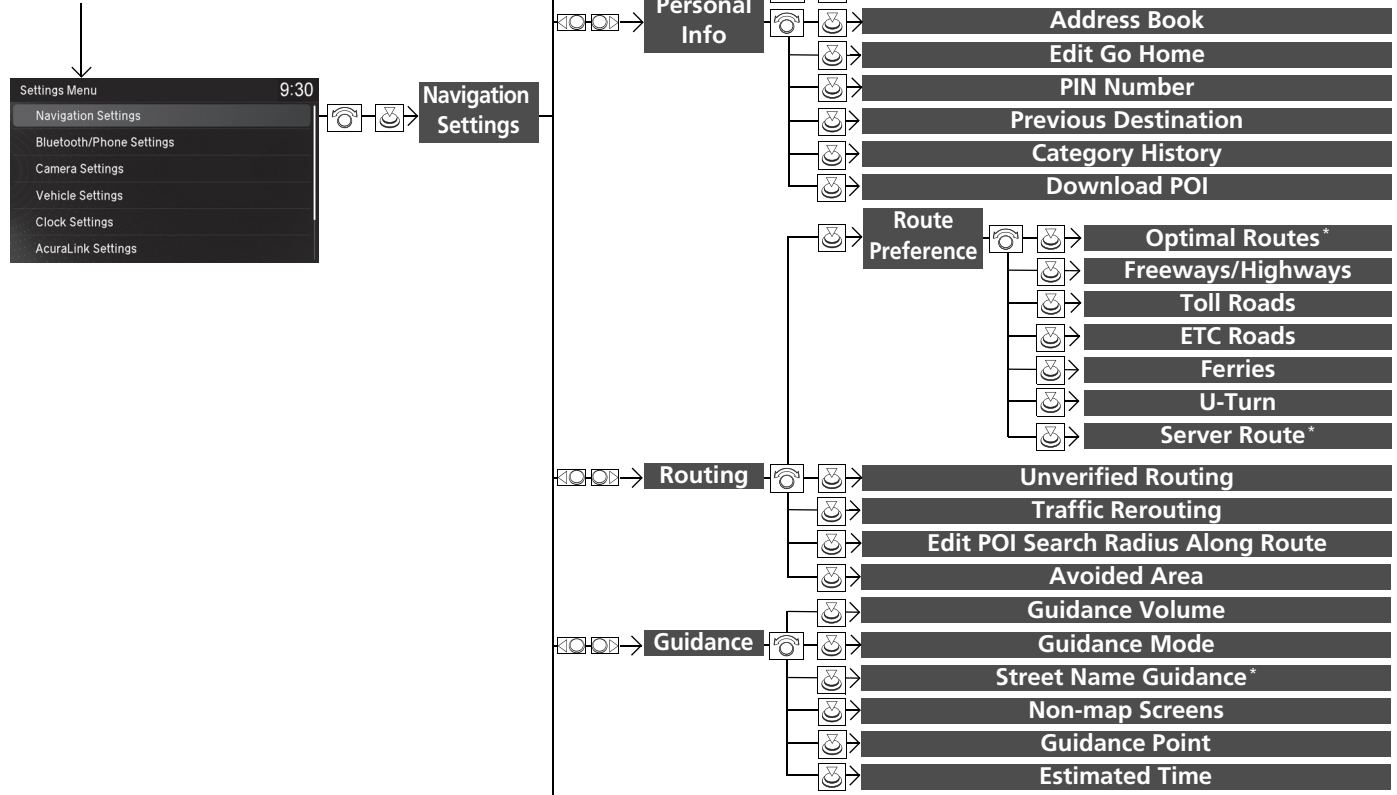
The following settings can be customized, see your Owner's Manual.

- Bluetooth/Phone Settings
- Camera Settings
- Vehicle Settings
- Clock Settings
- AcuraLink Settings
- System Settings
- Smartphone Settings

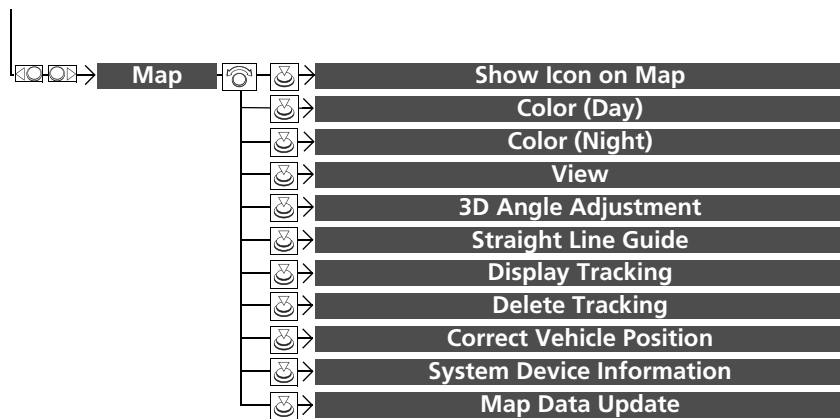
Information Screen

■ Customization flow

Press the **SETTINGS** button.



* Not available on all models



Information Screen

■ List of customizable options

Setup Group	Customizable Features		Description	Selectable Settings
Navigation Settings	Default		Cancels/Resets all customized items in the Navigation Settings group as default.	Yes/No
	Personal Info	Address Book	Stores new addresses or edits your address book.	—
		Edit Go Home	Sets or edits your home address.	—
		PIN Number	Sets or changes your PIN.	—
		Previous Destination	Deletes the destination history.	—
		Category History	Deletes the place categories you recently used.	—
		Download POI	Edits and deletes the Imported POI categories.	—

Setup Group	Customizable Features		Description	Selectable Settings
Navigation Settings	Routing	Optimal Routes*	You can select desired routes by sorting the route list. ➡ Optimal Routes* P. 38	—
		Freeways/Highways	Change the route preference by selecting minimum or maximum driving methods.	Max ^{*1} /Min
		Toll Roads		Max ^{*1} /Min
		ETC Roads		Max/Min ^{*1}
		Ferries		Max ^{*1} /Min
		U-Turn		Max/Min ^{*1}
		Server Route*	View three routes distributed from AcuraLink®.	On/Off ^{*1}
		Unverified Routing	Sets whether you use the route guidance in unverified areas.	On ^{*1} /Off
		Traffic Rerouting	Sets whether you use automatic recalculation based on traffic information.	On/Off ^{*1}
		Edit POI Search Radius Along Route	Sets the distance from the route to find waypoints.	mile: 1, 2 ^{*1} , 5, 10mi km: 1.6, 3 ^{*1} , 8, 16km
		On Surface Streets		mile: 1/2 ^{*1} , 1, 2, 5mi km: 0.8 ^{*1} , 1.6, 3, 8km
		Avoided Area	Specifies areas to avoid when calculating a route.	—

*1: Default Setting

Setup Group	Customizable Features	Description	Selectable Settings	
Navigation Settings	Guidance	Guidance Volume	Adjusts the navigation system volume level.	—
		Guidance Mode	Sets whether to display only the map screen or a split map guidance screen.	Map ^{*1} /Direction List/Next Maneuver
		Street Name Guidance*	Sets whether to read out the street names during voice guidance (U.S. models).	On ^{*1} /Off
		Non-map Screens	Sets whether the guidance screen interrupts the screen display.	On/Off ^{*1}
		Guidance Point	Sets whether to display the guidance information to the destination or the next waypoint.	Destination ^{*1} /Next Point
		Estimated Time	Sets whether to display the remaining time or arrival time to the guidance point.	Arrival/Remaining ^{*1}

*1: Default Setting

* Not available on all models

Setup Group	Customizable Features	Description	Selectable Settings
Navigation Settings	Map	Show Icon on Map	—
		Color (Day)	White/Beige ^{*1} /Blue/Black
		Color (Night)	White/Beige/Blue ^{*1} /Black
		View	North-up ^{*1} /Heading-up/3D Map
		3D Angle Adjustment	—
		Straight Line Guide	On ^{*1} /Off
		Display Tracking	On/Off ^{*1}
		Delete Tracking	—
		Correct Vehicle Position	—
		System Device Information	—
		Map Data Update	—

* 1: Default Setting

Navigation



This section describes how to enter a destination, select a route to take, and follow the route to your destination. It also describes how to change your route or destination along the way.

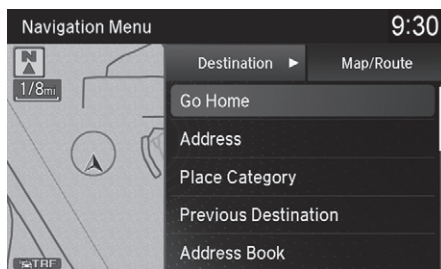
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 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map)

This section describes how to enter a destination for route guidance.





Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:


- **Go Home:** Sets your home address as a destination.
 **Going Home** P. 10
- **Address:** Sets a destination by entering an address.
 **Address** P. 76
- **Place Category:** Sets a destination by selecting a place/landmark.
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- **Previous Destination:** Sets a destination by selecting a previous destination.
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- **Address Book:** Sets a destination by selecting an address stored in your Address Book.
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- **Place Name:** Sets a destination by entering a place name.
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- **Local Search:** Sets a destination by using Local Search.
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» Entering a Destination

If you press  when en route, the **Map/Route** screen is displayed.


 **Map/Route Menu** P. 109

Prior to departure, you can set areas along your route to avoid.

 **Avoided Area** P. 43



- **Place Phone Number:** Sets a destination by entering the phone number of a place/landmark.
 - **Place Phone Number** P. 92
- **Intersection:** Sets a destination (intersection) by entering two streets.
 - **Intersection** P. 95
- **Download POI:** Sets a destination by using a list of the imported POI (category and places) data you created.
 - **Download POI** P. 93
- **Select using Map:** Sets a destination by scrolling through the map.
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- **Scenic Route:** Sets a destination by using a list of scenic roads for each state or province (U.S. and Canada only).
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- **Coordinate:** Sets a destination by entering latitude and longitude.
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- **Navigation Settings:** Sets the personal information and basic navigational preferences.
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Address






 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address**

Enter an address to use as the destination. The state (U.S.) or province (Canada) in which you are currently located is displayed (e.g., California).



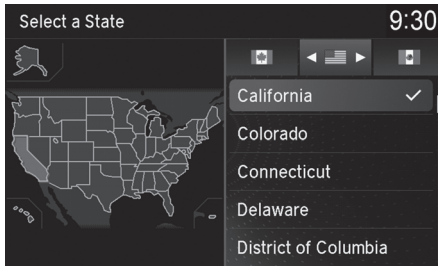
Rotate  to select an item. Press .



The following items are available:

- **City:** Selects your destination city.
 **Selecting a City** P. 79
- **Street:** Selects your destination street.
 **Selecting a Street** P. 80
- **House Number:** Enters the house number to select the street.
 **Selecting a Street by House Number** P. 82
- **ZIP Code (U.S.)/Postal Code (Canada):** Enters the zip code or postal code to select the city.
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- **Change State (U.S.)/Change Province (Canada):** Selects the state or province.
 **Selecting the State or Province** P. 77

■ Selecting the State or Province




 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address** ► **Change State/Change Province**



Rotate  to select a state (U.S.) or province (Canada) from the list. Press .

▣ Selecting the State or Province

Move ◀○ or ○▶ to select the following areas:

-  (U.S.) for the U.S. mainland, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico
-  (Canada)
-  (Mexico)

■ Selecting a City by Zip Code or Postal Code

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address** ► **ZIP Code/Postal Code**

Select a City	9:30
HUAMANTLA, TLAX	90501
SIGLO XXI, HUAMANTLA, TLAX	90501
TORRANCE, CA	90501
TORRANCE, CA	90502
FRACC LA GIRALDA, HUAMANTLA, TLAX	90503
FRACC SAN CARLOS, HUAMANTLA, TLAX	90503

1. Enter the zip code (U.S.) or postal code (Canada) of your destination.
2. Select **Search**.

3. Rotate 🔄 to select the destination city from the list. Press 🔄.

► Next, you are prompted to enter a street name.

📍 **Selecting a Street** P. 80

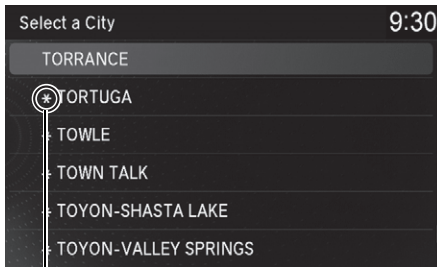
► Selecting a City by Zip Code or Postal Code

If your city is not listed, it may be part of a larger metropolitan area. Try entering the street first.

■ Selecting a City

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address** ► **City**

The name of the city where you are currently located is displayed.



Non-detailed area mark: Try entering the street first and then select the city.

1. Enter the name of a different city, or select **Search** without entering a letter for the current city.

2. Rotate 🔄 to select your destination city from the list. Press 📍.

► A list of matching hits is automatically displayed after you enter several letters, with the closest match at the top of the list. Matching letters are highlighted.

► Next, you are prompted to enter a street name.

🗉 **Selecting a Street** P. 80

🗉 Selecting a City

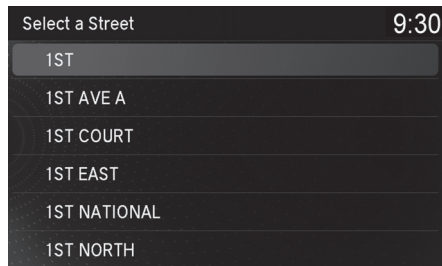
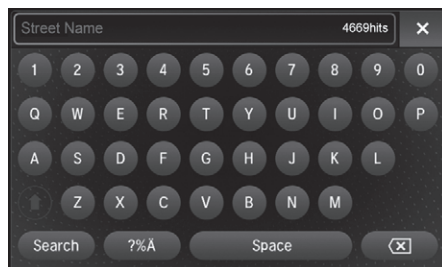
Vehicle position may not be displayed when:

- The vehicle is traveling off-road.
 - The vehicle position data cannot be updated.
- You do not need to enter spaces or symbols (e.g., &, -, %). Partial matches are supported (e.g., "ANGELES" to find "LOS ANGELES").

If your city is not listed, it may be part of a larger metropolitan area. Try entering the street first.

Selecting a Street

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address** ► **Street**



1. Enter the name of your destination street.

- Do not enter the street type (e.g., street, road, avenue) or direction (e.g., north, south, east, west).
- Select **Search** without entering a letter to display a list of streets.

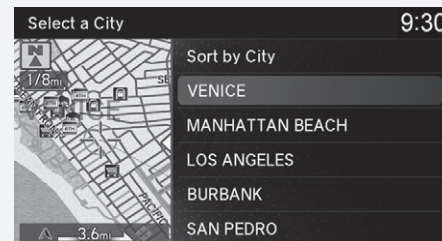
2. Rotate 🔄 to select your destination street from the list. Press 📍.

- A list of matching hits is automatically displayed after you enter several letters, with the closest match at the top of the list. Matching letters are highlighted.

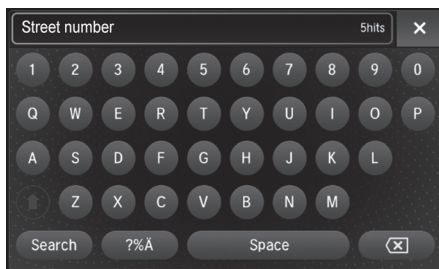
📍 Selecting a Street


When entering the names of major freeways/highways, you can use the following abbreviations. For interstates, use an "I" (e.g., I-10). For U.S. freeways, use "US" (e.g., US-18). For state freeways, use the two-character state designation (e.g., CA-101). For county roads, use the appropriate designation (e.g., G-2). For Trans-Canada and Provincial highways, use "Hwy" (HWY-7). For County roads, use "CR" (CR-32). For Regional Roads, use "RR" (RR-5).

If you did not select a city first and there is more than one city with the specified street, a list of cities is displayed.



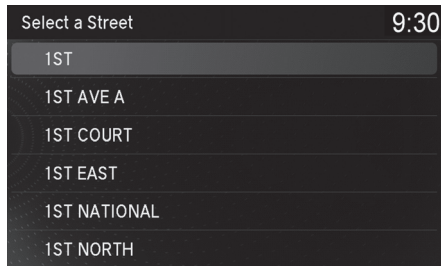
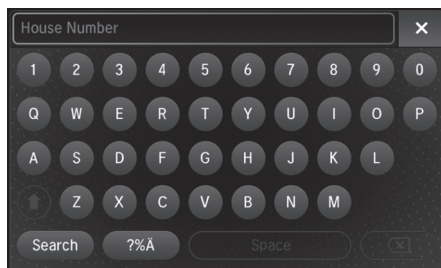
Rotate 🔄 to select the desired city from the list. Press 📍.






3. Enter the street number.
► Only valid street numbers can be entered.
4. Select **Search**.
5. Set the route to your destination.
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

Selecting a Street by House Number

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address** ► **House Number**

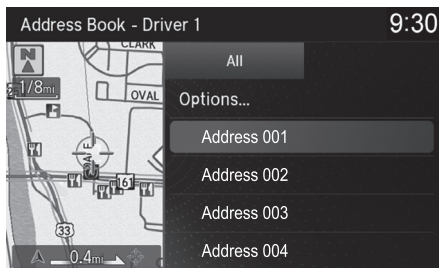








1. Enter the house number.
► Only a valid house number can be entered.
2. Select **Search**.
► If you did not yet select a street name, enter a street name when you are prompted.
3. Rotate  to select your destination street from the list. Press .
4. Set the route to your destination.
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

Address Book


 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Address Book**

Select an address stored in your address book to use as the destination.




1. Rotate  to select your destination from the list. Press .
2. Set the route to your destination.
 -  **Calculating the Route** P. 99
 - Move  or  to display only the entries in the categories you have created.
 -  **Selecting an Address Book Category** P. 29

Address Book

If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Press  to select **OK**. PINs are optional.

►  **PIN Numbers** P. 32

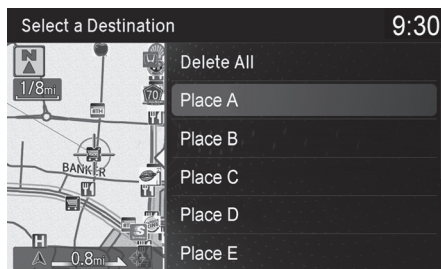
Move  and rotate  to select the following items:




- **Add New Address:** Adds an entry to the address book.
 -  **Adding an Address Book Entry** P. 26
- **Sort:** Selects **Sort by Name** or **Sort by Distance**.
- **Delete All:** Deletes all entries in the address book.
- **Driver 1 or Driver 2:** Displays the address book for the selected user.

Previous Destination

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Previous Destination**

Select an address from a list of your 50 most recent destinations to use as the destination. The list is displayed with the most recent destination at the top.




1. Rotate  to select a destination from the list. Press .
2. Set the route to your destination.
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

►► Previous Destination

If **Previous Destination** is grayed out, there are no previous destinations entered.


Your home address and addresses stored in your address book are not added to the list of previous destinations.

Rotate  to select **Delete All** to delete all previous destinations.

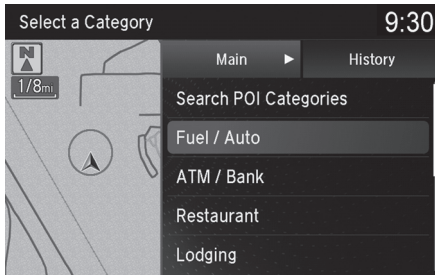
You can delete unwanted previous destinations from the list.





 **Previous Destination** P. 33

Place Category

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Place Category**


Select the category of a place (e.g., Banking, Lodging, Restaurant) stored in the map database to search for the destination.




1. Rotate  to select a category. Press .
2. Rotate  to select a subcategory. Press .

Place Category

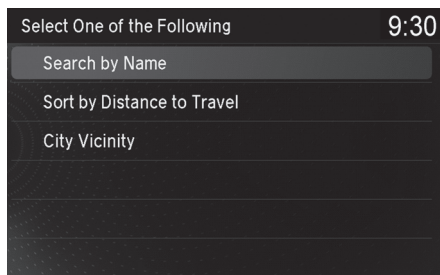
This option is convenient if you do not know the exact name of a place or if you want to narrow down the number of matches returned for places with a common name.

Move  to select **History** to access your recently used place categories. Up to 30 categories can be stored.

You can also delete your recently used place categories.

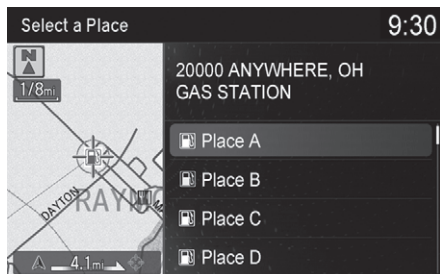
 **Category History** P. 34



Search POI Categories helps you to search the subcategory. When you enter a keyword and select **OK**, the list of appropriate subcategories is displayed.





The following items are available:

- **Search by Name:** Searches for a place in the subcategory by name. Enter a place name when prompted.
- **Sort by Distance to Travel:** Displays all the places in the subcategory sorted by distance from your current location. The closest place is displayed at the top.
- **City Vicinity:** Searches for a place in the subcategory within a 20 mile (32 km) radius of a specific city. Enter a city name when prompted and then select a city.



3. Rotate  to select an item. Press .


4. Rotate  to select a destination from the list. Press .
5. Set the route to your destination.

► **Calculating the Route** P. 99

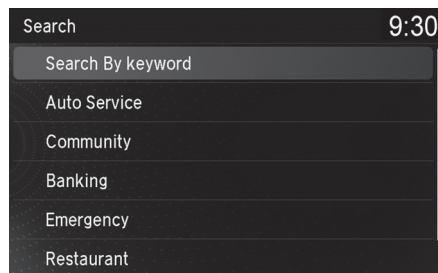
►► Place Category



The straight line distance (as the crow flies, not driving distance) and direction to the destination are displayed for the highlighted place.

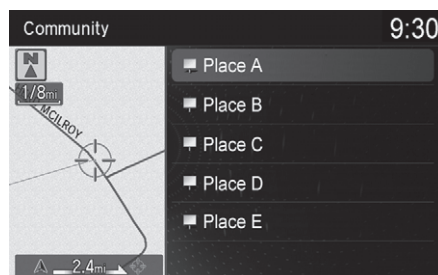
Local Search

 **ENTER/MENU** button ▶ **Local Search**

Select a place via Local Search database as the destination.



1. Rotate  to select a category (e.g., **Community**). Press .



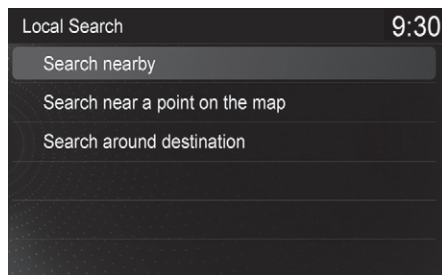
2. Rotate  to select a subcategory. Press .



Local Search

When you select **Search by keyword**, the list of appropriate categories is displayed.

The screen in this section may differ from the actual ones.

Local Search is a subscription service. For more information, contact an Acura dealer or visit owners.acura.com (U.S.) or www.acura.ca/owners/acuralink (Canada).



3. Rotate  to select an item. Press .


4. Set the route to your destination.

➤ **Calculating the Route** P. 99

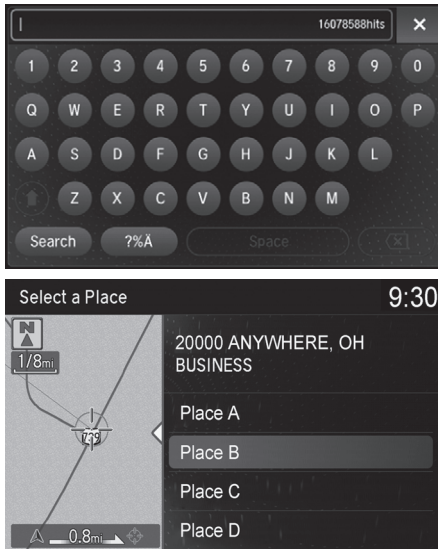
The following items are available:



- **Search nearby:** Finds the nearest POI around your vehicle.
- **Search near a point on the map:** Selects a POI by scrolling the Interface Dial on the map screen.
- **Search around destination:** Selects a POI around the destination. Search the category by scrolling the Interface Dial.

Place Name

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Place Name**

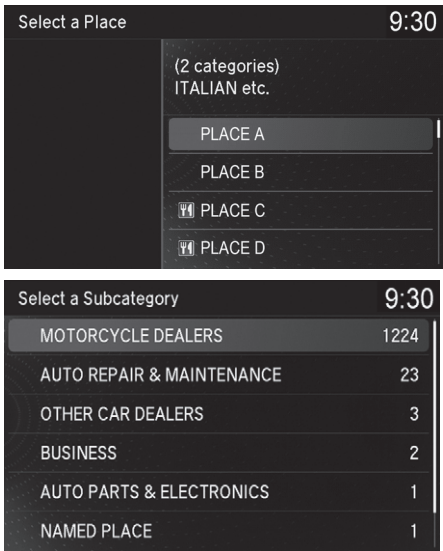
Enter the name of a place (e.g., business, hotel, restaurant) stored in the map database to use as the destination.






1. Enter a place name.
2. Select **Search** to display a list of matching hits.
3. Rotate  to select a place name from the list. Press .
 - If the place name is in multiple categories, the categories are displayed when you select it.
 - **Place Name in Multiple Categories** P. 90
4. Set the route to your destination.
 - **Calculating the Route** P. 99

■ Place Name in Multiple Categories

If the place name is in multiple categories of the map database, the following screen is displayed.

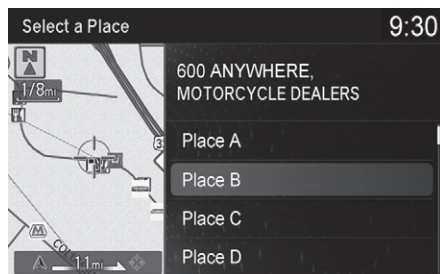






1. Rotate  to select a place name.
Move .

2. Rotate  to select a subcategory. Press .


▶▶ Place Name in Multiple Categories

Matching letters are highlighted.



3. Rotate  to select a place. Select  and press .
4. Set the route to your destination.
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

►► Place Name in Multiple Categories


Rotate  to select **Sort by City** or **Sort by Distance**. Press .

Place Phone Number

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Place Phone Number**

Select a destination by phone number. Only phone numbers in the database are recognized.





1. Enter the area code and phone number.
2. Select OK.
3. Set the route to your destination.
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

►► Place Phone Number

All 10 digits must be entered.

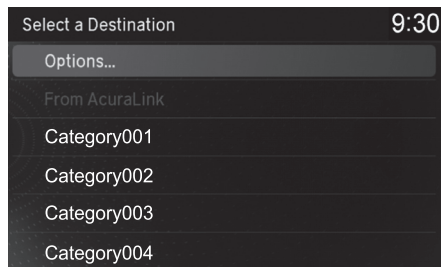
Phone numbers of private residences entered in your address book are not stored in the database and thus cannot be used when search for a destination.



A list is displayed if there are multiple locations in the database with the same phone number. Rotate  to select a place from the list. Press .

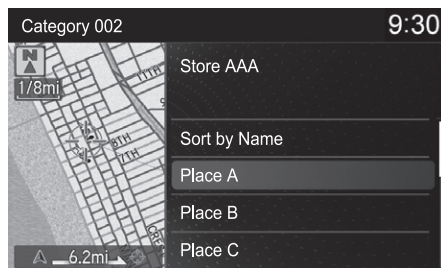
Download POI



 **ENTER/MENU** button ▶ **Download POI**

Select a place imported into the navigation system as the destination.



1. Rotate  to select a category from the list. Press .




2. Rotate  to select a place. Press .

3. Set the route to your destination.

➡ **Calculating the Route** P. 99

Download POI

Rotate  to select **Options**. The following items are available:

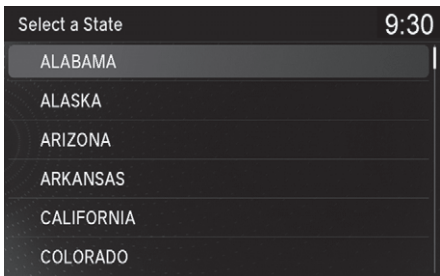
- **Import from USB**: Imports POI data into the navigation system.
➡ **Importing POI Categories** P. 35
- **Delete All**: Deletes all POI entries.
- **Help with Feature**: Views tips for the Download POI feature.



If you select **From AcuraLink**, you can download POI data stored on the AcuraLink® server.

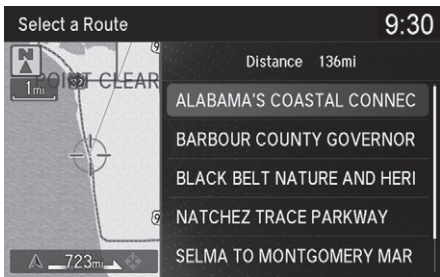
Scenic Route



 **ENTER/MENU button ▶ Scenic Route**

Select a scenic road as a destination (U.S. and Canada only).




1. Rotate  to select a state/ province. Press .



2. Rotate  to select a scenic road. Press .

3. Set the route to your destination.

 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

Scenic Route



If you select a scenic road that runs through multiple states (U.S.) or provinces (Canada), only the portion of the road in the selected state or province is displayed.

Intersection

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Intersection**

Select the intersection of two streets as the destination. The state (U.S.) or province (Canada) for your current location is displayed at the top of the screen (e.g., California).



1. Rotate  to select the intersection search method. Press .

2. Set the route to your destination.


► **Calculating the Route** P. 99

The following options are available:

- **City:** Selects the city where the intersection is located. You are prompted to enter the name of the two intersecting streets.
► **Selecting a City** P. 79
- **Street:** Selects the two intersecting streets. The city or cities that the streets are located in are displayed.
► **Selecting a Street** P. 80
- **Change State (U.S.)/Change Province (Canada):** Selects the state or province.
► **Selecting the State or Province** P. 77

Intersection

It is usually easier to select **Street** to find the streets first. The city or cities that the streets are in will be displayed. If you select **City** and your city is not listed, it may be part of a larger metropolitan area. Try entering the street first.

If the intersection is outside the state (U.S.) or province (Canada) you are currently in, rotate  to select **Change State/Change Province**.

► **Selecting the State or Province** P. 77

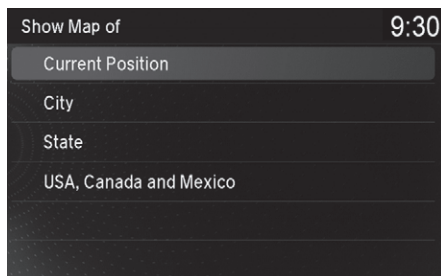
If there is more than one intersection, you are prompted to select the intersection. If the two streets that you have selected do not intersect, no intersection is entered.



Select using Map

 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Select using Map**

Use the Interface Dial to manually select an icon or a location on the map screen as the destination.

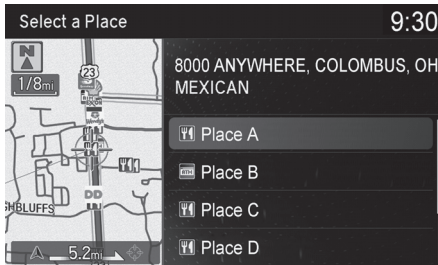
You are prompted to define the map area to display.






1. Rotate  to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Current Position:** Your current location is centered on the map.
- **City:** You are prompted to select the city.
 - ▣ **Selecting a City** P. 79
- **State (U.S.)/Province (Canada):** You are prompted to select the state or province.
 - ▣ **Selecting the State or Province** P. 77
- **USA, Canada and Mexico:** Your current location is displayed on a map of the country.




2. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired destination, adjusting the map scale as necessary.
 - If the address is not the desired location, scroll the map to another location and try again.

3. Press  to display the route calculation menu.
 - **Calculating the Route** P. 99
4. Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

► Select using Map

Auto Zoom

Press  repeatedly on the map to zoom in (to the scale 1/4 mile (400 m)) while scrolling the map.

Information icons are displayed at scales from 1 mile to 1/4 mile (1.6 km to 400 m). Place/landmark icons are displayed at 1/8 mile (200 m) or less. Roads are displayed at 1/4 mile (400 m) or less.

If you select multiple icons within the cursor radius, you are prompted to select one of the items from a list.

► **Selecting a Destination on the Map** P. 137

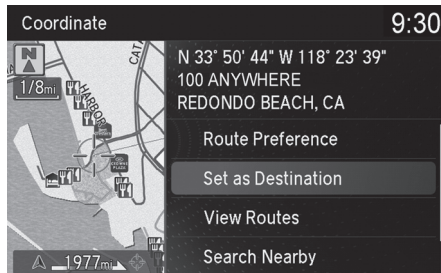
Coordinate


 **ENTER/MENU** button ► **Coordinate**

Specify a location using latitude and longitude map coordinates.





1. Enter the latitude and select **OK**.
2. Enter the longitude and select **OK**.



3. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired destination, adjusting the map scale as necessary.
 - If the address is not the desired location, scroll to another location and try again.
4. Press  to display the route calculation menu.

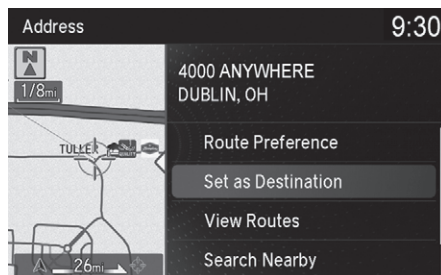
 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

5. Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

Coordinate

At least two digits must be entered into each field (degrees, minutes, seconds) when inputting the coordinates.

This section describes how to calculate your route.



1. Rotate to select **Set as Destination**. Press .
 - The system calculates and displays the route line on the map screen.
 - **Route Line** P. 104
 - Move to scroll the map around the destination.

The following options are available:

- **Route Preference:** Changes the route preferences (calculating method).
 - **Route Preference** P. 37
- **View Routes:** Displays three different routes.
 - **Viewing the Routes** P. 101

Calculating the Route

The straight line distance (as the crow flies, not driving distance) and direction to the destination are displayed.

You cannot use voice commands while the system is calculating the route.

Search Nearby

You can find the nearest place/landmark (e.g., nearest gas station) by specifying a category.

➤ **Find Nearest Place** P. 136

Call

You can place a telephone call to the destination phone number. See your Owner's Manual.

Save to Address Book

You can add the destination address to the address book.

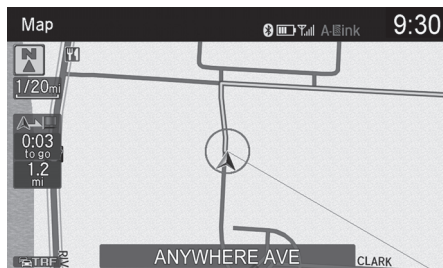
➤ **Adding an Address Book Entry** P. 26

Edit/Delete Entry

You can edit or delete the address book entry.

➤ **Editing an Address Book Entry** P. 29

➤ **Deleting an Address Book Entry** P. 30



2. Follow the route guidance to your destination.

► Driving to Your Destination

P. 102

- The system provides you with pop-up messages if your route passes through unverified areas, avoid areas, or areas with traffic restrictions.

►► Calculating the Route

Edit Home Entry

You can edit your home address entry.

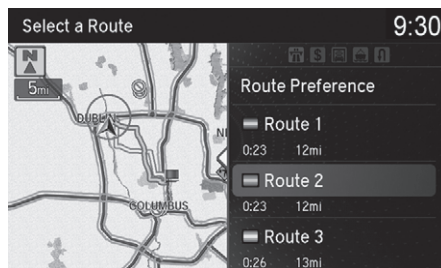
► Home Address P. 31



More Information

You can view detailed information about the destination.

Viewing the Routes

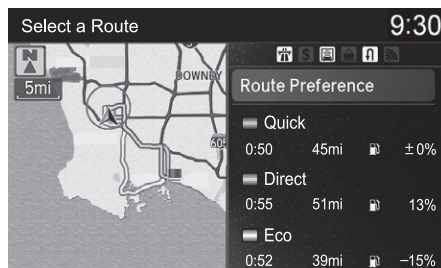
View three different routes to your destination.



Rotate  to select a route. Press .

- ▶ The travel distance and estimated travel time is displayed for each route.
 - ▶ The system calculates and displays the route line on the map screen.
- **Route Line** P. 104

■ Using the Server Route*



The following items are available:

- **Quick:** Displays the route with the shortest travel time.
- **Direct:** Displays the route with the shortest travel distance.
- **Eco:** Displays the route with the best fuel efficiency.

* Not available on all models

▶▶ Viewing the Routes

It is not unusual for some calculated route options to be identical.

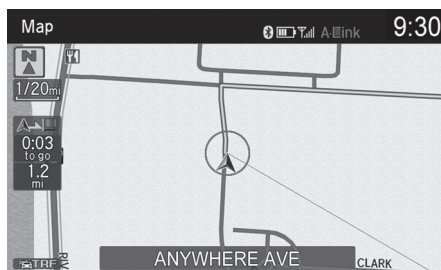
Canadian models

Server Routes is a subscription service. For more information, contact an Acura dealer or visit www.acura.ca/owners/acuralink.

This section describes how to follow the route guidance to your destination, receive traffic information and choose the icons displayed on the map screen.

Viewing the Route

Map Screen



After calculating the route to your destination, the route is displayed on the map screen.

➔ **Map Screen Legend** P. 8

As you drive, the system tracks your position on the map in real time and provides guidance as you approach each guidance point on the route.

➔ **During Route Guidance** P. 9

Viewing the Route

You can change the map scale by rotating .

If you scroll the map while en route, the time and distance to destination indicators are replaced with an indicator displaying the distance from the current vehicle position.

You can display only the map screen or a split map-guidance screen.

➔ **Guidance Mode** P. 46

■ Guidance Screen

The guidance screen offers an alternative way to view your route.



- ▶ The next guidance point is displayed as you approach each guidance point on the route.
- ▶ You can also view a list of guidance directions.

▶▶ Guidance Screen

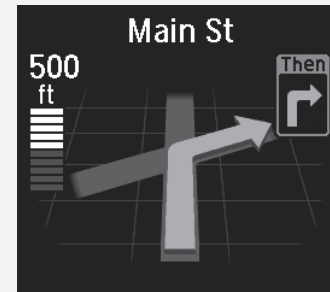
A visual guide helps you check the guidance screen.

▶ **Guidance Screen** P. 9

Turn-by-Turn Directions

The next guidance point appears on the multi-information display.

▶ **Turn-by-Turn Directions** P. 9



You can turn this feature on or off using the multi-information display. See the Owner's Manual for instructions.

Route Line

When driving on verified streets, the route line is light blue. The route line display changes when driving on unverified streets:

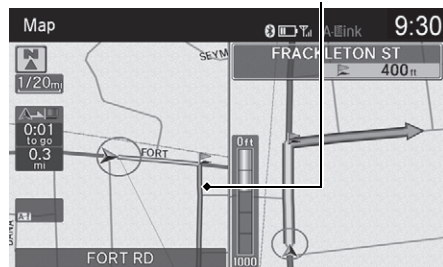
Straight line guide



- If **Unverified Routing** is **Off**, the route line uses verified streets only (when possible). If **Straight Line Guide** is set to **On**, a pink “vector line” pointing directly towards your destination is displayed.

➤ **Straight Line Guide** P. 61

Blue-pink route line



- If **Unverified Routing** is **On**, the route line changes to a blue-pink line to indicate that the route line uses unverified streets.

Route Line

You can set **Unverified Routing** to **Off** to follow your own route to the destination. If **Unverified Routing** is **On**, be aware that unverified streets may not be displayed accurately.

➤ **Unverified Routing** P. 39

The route line may also consist of red, orange, or green segments when traffic information is displayed.

➤ **Traffic Information*/AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™*** P. 13

➤ **Traffic Rerouting™** P. 119

■ Deviating From the Planned Route

If you leave the calculated route, the system automatically recalculates a route to the desired destination based on your current location and direction.

📍 **Route Preference** P. 37

Tracking Dots

You can display a series of dots (breadcrumbs) to track the path you are taking. If needed, you can follow the dots back to the mapped road you originally left.

► **Display Tracking** P. 62



Tracking Dots

A message **“Not on a Digitized Road”** may appear when you drive 1/2 mile (800 m) away from a mapped road.

Breadcrumbs may occasionally be displayed in urban areas, such as large parking lots in shopping malls, in new subdivisions where the roads are not yet in the database, or in areas where a GPS signal is unavailable, such as in a parking garage.

Breadcrumbs are limited to approximately 150 miles (240 km). Breadcrumbs at the beginning of the trail are deleted if you exceed that distance.



Breadcrumbs are displayed only at 1/20, 1/8, 1/4, and 1/2 mile (80, 200, 400, and 800 m) map scales.

Listening to Voice Guidance

As you approach each guidance point, a pop-up window is displayed on the map screen with instructions for you to follow. Voice guidance for each guidance point is also provided.

Typically, you hear three prompts:

- 1/2 mile (800 m) from the guidance point (2 miles (3 km) on freeway/highway)
- 1/4 mile (400 m) from the guidance point (1 mile (1.5 km) on freeway/highway)
- Just before the guidance point

To replay voice guidance, press  and rotate  to select **Repeat Guidance** in the **Map/Route** menu.

If you select **Repeat Guidance** between guidance points, voice guidance for the next guidance point is provided.

Listening to Voice Guidance

You can turn voice guidance OFF if you prefer. Press the **SETTINGS** button. Select **System Settings** and set **Guidance Volume** to **0**.

You can also adjust **Guidance Volume** by rotating the volume knob while the route guidance or voice command confirmations are announced.

When driving in unverified areas, the phrase “if possible” is inserted before each voice guidance prompt.



Repeat Guidance in the **Map/Route** menu may be grayed out if:

- The system is in process of gathering the route guidance information.
- The vehicle is out of the road (e.g., pulling in a parking lot).

The timing of voice guidance varies depending on the type of road you are on and the distance to the next guidance point.

Reaching a Waypoint

When you reach a waypoint, a pop-up message is displayed. You can continue or pause the route guidance.

Rotate  to select **No** to pause the route guidance. Press .

► Select **Yes** to continue the guidance.

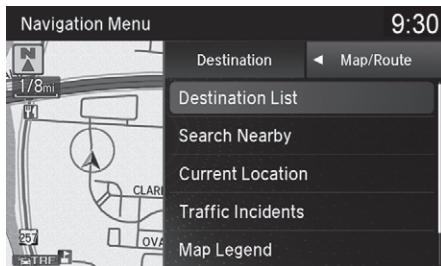
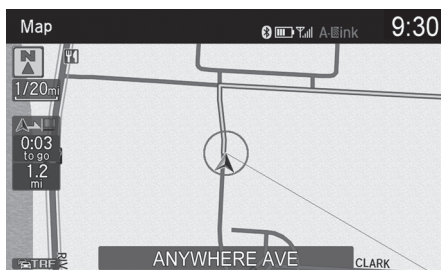
■ Resuming the Route Guidance



You can resume the route guidance in the following ways:



- Restart the engine after you stop your vehicle (e.g., to rest, stop for gas, etc.).
 - **Resuming Your Trip** P. 139
- Select **Resume Guidance** from the navigation menu or the **Map/Route** menu.
 - **Map/Route Menu** P. 109
 - **Changing Your Route** P. 122

Displaying the Map/Route Menu


Use the **Map/Route** menu to control the icons displayed on the screen and to display traffic information and messages. You can also use the **Map/Route** menu to find locations or to cancel the route.



1. On the map screen, press .
 - ▶ When en route, the **Map/Route** menu is displayed on the map screen.
 - ▶ When not en route, move  to select **Map/Route**.

2. Rotate  to select an item. Press .

Map/Route Menu

If you scroll the map while en route, press the **NAV** (or **BACK**) button to return to the current position map screen, then press .

The following items are available:

- **Repeat Guidance:** Select to replay the voice guidance when en route.
 ► **Listening to Voice Guidance** P. 107
- **Cancel Route:** Cancels the route guidance.
 ► **Canceling the Route** P. 123
- **Pause Guidance:** Pauses your current route.
 ► **Pausing the Route** P. 123
- **Resume Guidance:** Resumes your current route. This item is displayed while the route guidance is paused.
- **View Routes:** Displays three different routes to your destination.
 ► **Viewing the Routes** P. 101
- **Directions:** Displays a list of the guidance points.
 ► **Directions** P. 117
- **Detour:** Calculates a detour route.
 ► **Taking a Detour** P. 135
- **Avoid Streets:** Avoids streets along your route.
 ► **Avoiding Streets** P. 135
- **Exit Information:**
 ► **Freeway/Highway Exit Information** P. 118
- **Destination List:** Shows a list of waypoints. You can delete waypoints or edit the order of them.
 ► **Editing the Destination List** P. 130
- **Search Nearby:** Allows you to find the nearest place/landmark (e.g., nearest gas station) by specifying a category. You can then add the location to the list of destinations, set as a waypoint, or set as your destination.
 ► **Find Nearest Place** P. 136
- **Current Location:** Displays information about your current location.
 ► **Current Location** P. 112

► Map/Route Menu

Directions

The system provides freeway/highway exit information only in the U.S.

Traffic Incidents

You must be in or near a traffic-enabled city to receive coverage for that area. Traffic information is available in certain areas in the lower 48 states.

► **Traffic Information** P. 156

Canadian models

You must have an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription to receive traffic information. See your Owner's Manual for subscription information.

The incident icons are displayed on the 5 mile (8 km) or less map scale.

► **Map Scale and Functions** P. 114

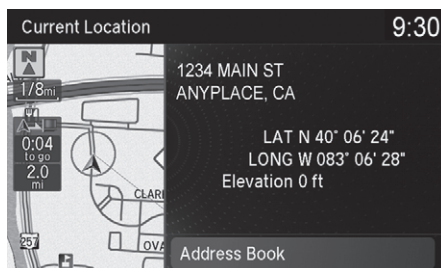
- **Traffic Incidents:** Displays a list of the traffic incidents around your current location or on your current route.
 - **Traffic Rerouting™** P. 119
- **Map Legend:** Displays an overview of the map lines, areas, routes, traffic information, and navigation icons.
 - **Map Legend** P. 113
- **Navigation Settings:** Allows you to select the map and guidance settings (display mode, icons to display on the map, map orientation, map color, and 3D view angle).
 - **Guidance Mode** P. 46
 - **Showing Icons on Map** P. 54
 - **Color** P. 56
 - **View (Map Orientation)** P. 59
 - **3D Angle Adjustment** P. 60

Current Location

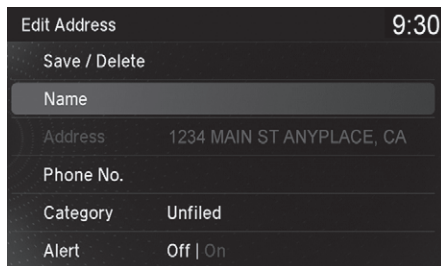
📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ► **Map/Route** ► **Current Location**

Display and save your current location for future use as a destination. The address, latitude, longitude, and elevation of your current location are displayed.

■ To save your current location in the address book:



1. Press 📍 to select **Address Book**.
► Move ◀○ to scroll the map as necessary.



2. Edit the name, phone number, and category.
► **Address Book** P. 25
3. Rotate 🔄 to select **Save / Delete**. Press 📍.
4. Rotate 🔄 to select **Save**. Press 📍.

📍 Current Location


If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Select **OK**. PINs are optional.

► **PIN Numbers** P. 32

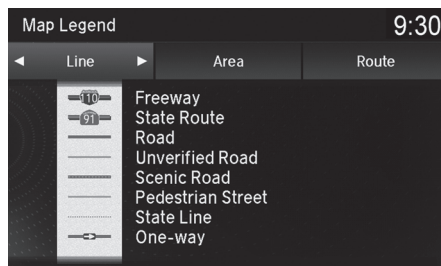
The elevation is not displayed if the system is receiving insufficient GPS information. When elevation is displayed, it may differ with roadside elevation signs by ± 100 ft (± 30 m) or more.

Saving your current location does not change or cancel your current route.

Map Legend

 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ▶ **Map/Route** ▶ **Map Legend**

Display an overview of the map lines, areas, routes, traffic information, and navigation icons.



Move ◀○ or ○▶ to select an item.
▶ The system displays the map legend.

Map Legend

A visual guide helps you see the map legend.

▶ **Map Screen Legend** P. 8

▶ **Traffic Information*/AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™** P. 13

■ Map Scale and Functions

The functions that are available from the map screen depend on the map scale.

Function	page	Map Scale (top: mile, bottom: metric)											
		1/20	1/8	1/4	1/2	1	2	5	15	50	150	350	1000
		80	200	400	800	1.6	3.2	8	24	80	240	560	1600
Icon display													
Landmark icon	8	✓	✓										
Exit info.	8			✓	✓	✓							
One-way traffic	8	✓											
Waypoint "flag"	9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Traffic incident	13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Map orientation													
Heading-up	59	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓							
North-up	59	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
3D map	59	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓							
Others													
Tracking dots	106	✓	✓	✓	✓								
Unverified road	8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
Map features	8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Avoid areas	43	✓	✓	✓									
Traffic speed	13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					

▣ Map Scale and Functions

You can change between **mile** or **km**.
See your Owner's Manual.

■ Map Icons and Functions

Display or hide all icons on the map screen, with the exception of Honda/Acura Dealer icons which are always displayed.

■ Landmark icon

Type	Icon display control	Icon selectable	Icon searchable
Honda/Acura dealer	Always on	Yes	Yes
Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes
School	Yes	Yes	Yes
ATM	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gas station	Yes	Yes	Yes
Restaurants	Yes	Yes	Yes
Post office	Yes	Yes	Yes
Grocery store	Yes	Yes	Yes
Hotel/Lodging	Yes	Yes	Yes
Police station	No icon	No	Yes
Shopping, Tourist attraction, Bank	No icon	No	Yes
Parking garage	Yes	Yes	Yes
Parking lot	Yes	Yes	Yes
Freeway/Highway exit info.	Yes	Yes	N/A

▣ Map Icons and Functions


Icon display control

Icons that can be displayed or hidden using the Interface Dial or voice command.

Icon selectable

Icons that can be selected as a destination using the Interface Dial.

Icon searchable


Icons that can be searched using the  Find Nearest voice command.

■ Traffic icon

Type	Icon display control	Icon selectable	Icon searchable
Traffic incident	Yes	No	N/A

» Traffic icon

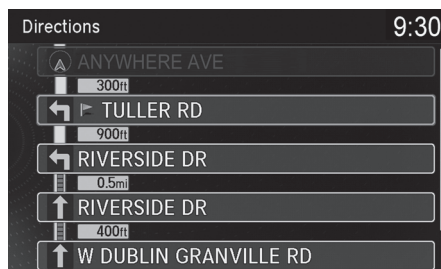
When you use the Interface Dial to position the cursor (round red circle) over the traffic incident icon, you can view the summary of the incident.

Press  on the traffic incident icon to view a pop-up message describing the incident in detail.

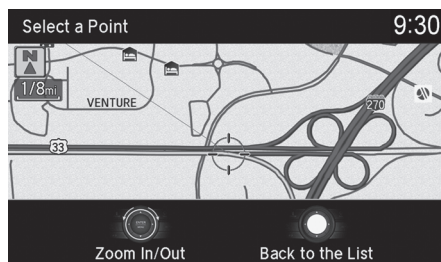
Directions

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ► **Map/Route** ► **Directions**

Display a list of the guidance points on your route for your confirmation.



1. Rotate 🔄 to select a guidance point from the list. Press 📍.
► The system displays a map of the guidance point.



2. Press 📍 to select **Back to the List** or press the **BACK** button to return to the previous screen.

Directions

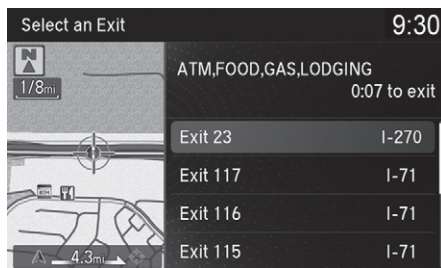
The system provides freeway/highway exit information only in the U.S.

The route guidance information is automatically deleted when you reach your destination.

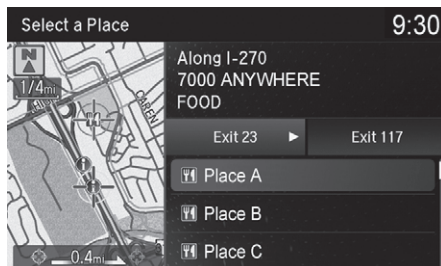
Freeway/Highway Exit Information

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ► **Map/Route** ► **Exit Information**

Display a list of the Freeway/highway exits for the route. You can view freeway/highway exit information (whether the exit is near gas stations, restaurants, ATMs, etc.) and add new destinations or waypoints to the calculated route.



1. Rotate 🔄 to select an exit from the list. Press 📍.



2. Rotate 🔄 to select a list item. Press 📍.

- Move ◀ or ▶ to display information for different exits.
- You can set the route to your destination.

📍 **Calculating the Route** P. 99

Freeway/Highway Exit Information

You can scroll the map and select a 📍 (Freeway/Highway exit information) icon on the map screen to display the Freeway/Highway exit information. The 📍 icon is only displayed if there is exit information available.

Icons are displayed only at 1/4, 1/2, or 1 mile (400 m, 800 m, or 1.6 km) scale.

📍 **Map Scale and Functions** P. 114

The system provides freeway/highway exit information only in the U.S.

The route guidance information is automatically deleted when you reach your destination.

Traffic Rerouting™

When driving to your destination, the system automatically searches for a faster route based on traffic flow information and traffic incidents.

➤ **Traffic Information*/AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™*** P. 13

➤ **Traffic Rerouting** P. 41

➤ Traffic Rerouting™

Traffic information is only available in certain areas.

Automatic traffic rerouting may not provide a detour route depending on circumstances.

The route is recalculated only when **Traffic Rerouting** is set to **On**.

➤ **Traffic Rerouting** P. 41

Canadian models

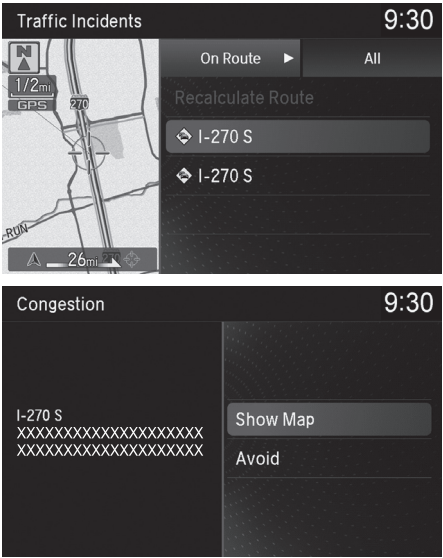
This feature requires an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription.

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■ Traffic Rerouting™ Manually

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ▶ **Map/Route** ▶ **Traffic Incidents**

Manually avoid specific incidents and/or congestion on your route:



1. Rotate 🔄 to select an incident from the list. Press 📍.
▶ The system displays the map screen and the incident location.

2. Rotate 🔄 to select **Avoid**. Press 📍.
▶ Repeat step 1 to 2 as necessary.

▶ Traffic Rerouting™ Manually

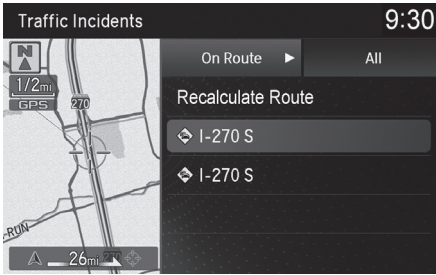
You can choose to avoid up to 10 traffic incidents. It is not always possible for the system to calculate a route that avoids all traffic incidents or specific traffic incidents you select.



The “On Route” tab on the Traffic List screen is only available during route guidance.

You cannot select an incident to avoid from the “All” tab.

You can also detour around a traffic incident manually if you encounter an unexpected obstacle.


➡ **Taking a Detour** P. 135



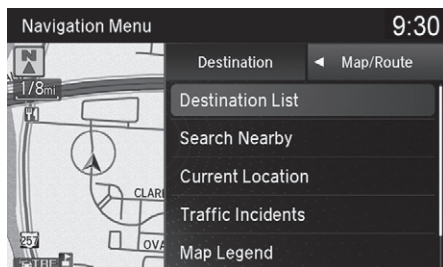
3. Rotate  to select **Recalculate Route**. Press .



► The system recalculates a detour route that avoids the traffic incidents.

Changing Your Route

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route)


This section describes how to alter your route, add an interim “waypoint” (pit stop), choose a different destination, cancel your current destination, and continue your trip after stopping.




Rotate  to select an item. Press .

 **Map/Route Menu** P. 109


Changing Your Route

If you press  when not en route, the **Destination** menu screen is displayed.


 **Entering a Destination** P. 74

Pausing the Route

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Pause Guidance**

Pause the route guidance and return to the map screen. The destination icons and all waypoint flags remain displayed on the map. Press  when en route and select **Resume Guidance** to resume the route guidance.

Canceling the Route

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Cancel Route**

Cancel the route guidance and remove the destination and all waypoints from the destination list. The system then returns to the map screen.

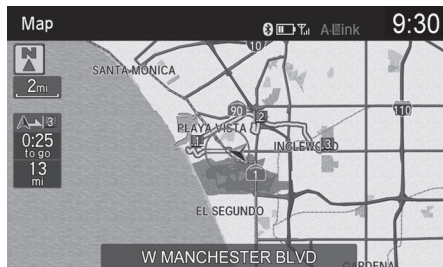
▣ Pausing the Route

You can also pause your route from the **Map/Route** menu.

 **Map/Route Menu** P. 109

Adding Waypoints

Add up to four waypoints (pit stops) along the route to your destination.



Waypoints are displayed on the map screen as small, numbered red flags. The route follows the waypoints in the order they are listed in the Destination List.

► Adding Waypoints

Waypoints are places where you can stop for food, gas, etc. on your way to your destination.

Press the **NAV** button to return to the map screen without adding a waypoint at any time.

The search radius used for adding waypoints can be adjusted.

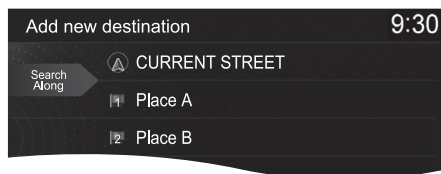
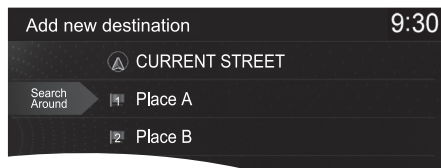
► **Edit POI Search Radius Along Route** P. 42

You can delete waypoints or edit the order of waypoints in the destination list.

► **Editing the Destination List** P. 130

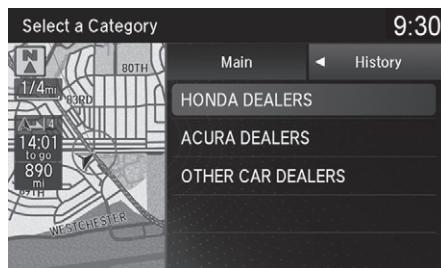
■ Adding Waypoints from the Map/Route Menu

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination List** ► **Add New Destination** ► **Find Along Route**



1. Rotate 🔄 to select a search method to add a waypoint. Press 📍.

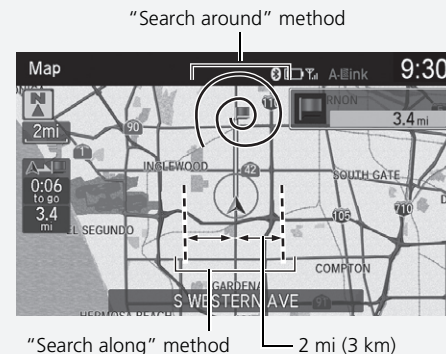
- **Search Around:** Searches in a spiral pattern around the location you select.
- **Search Along:** Searches within a "corridor" on either side of the location you select.

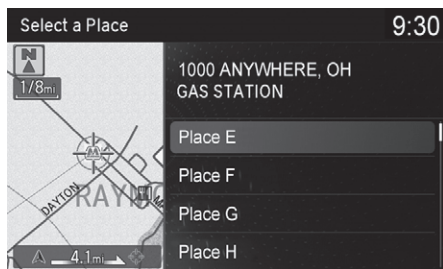




2. Rotate 🔄 to select a waypoint category (e.g., GAS STATION). Press 📍.

► Adding Waypoints from the Map/Route Menu

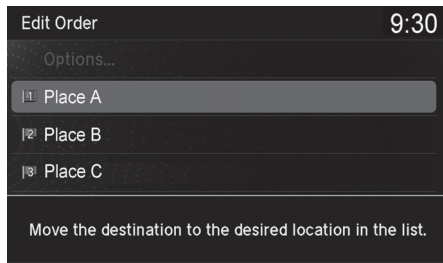
Search method





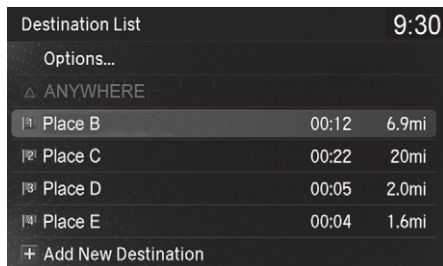




3. Rotate  to select a place. Press .

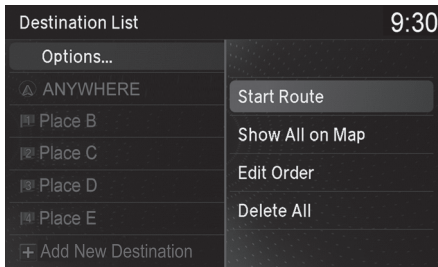
► The waypoint is added to the Destination List.





4. Rotate  to select a location and move the order of destinations. Press .



5. Rotate  to select Options. Press .

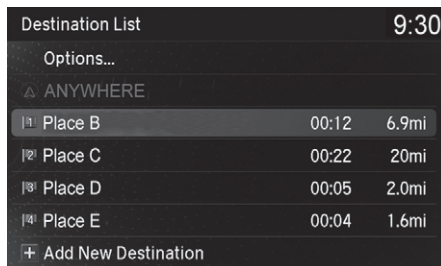
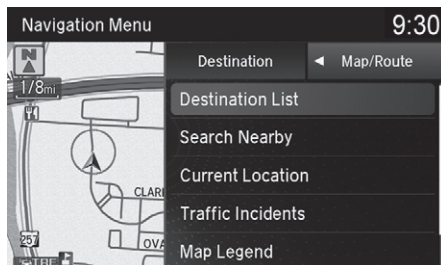


6. Rotate  to select **Start Route**.
Press .

► The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.

■ Adding Waypoints from the Navigation Menu

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination List** ► **Add New Destination** ► **Use Navigation Menu**



1. Rotate 🔄 to select a method to enter a waypoint.

➡ **Entering a Destination** P. 74

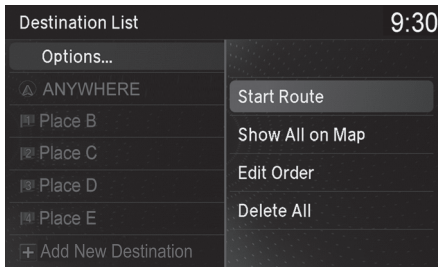
► A new destination is added to the end of the Destination list.



2. Rotate 🔄 to select **Options**.
Press 📄.

►► Adding Waypoints from the Navigation Menu

You can edit the order of waypoints and destination.

➡ **Editing the Destination List** P. 130



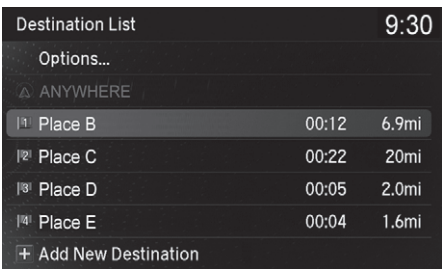
3. Rotate  to select **Start Route**.
Press .



- The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.

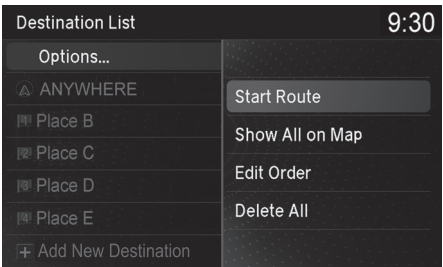
Editing the Destination List



Editing the Order of Waypoints

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination List**



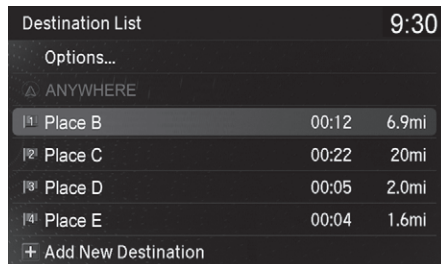
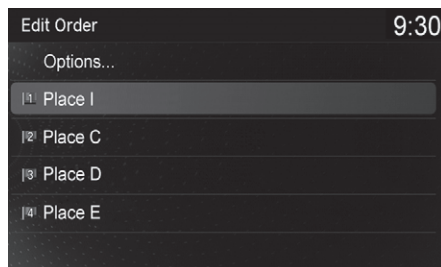
1. Rotate  to select **Options**.
Press .



2. Rotate  to select **Edit Order**.
Press .

Editing the Order of Waypoints

Select **Show All on Map** to display the destination and waypoints on the map screen.



3. Rotate to select a list item to move. Press .

4. Rotate to select a new location. Press .

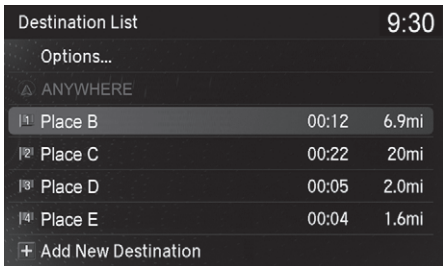
5. Rotate to select **Options**. Press .



6. Rotate to select **Start Route**. Press .

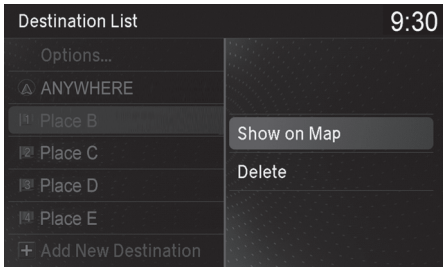
► The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.





■ Deleting Waypoints

📍 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination List**



1. Rotate  to select a list item to delete. Press .



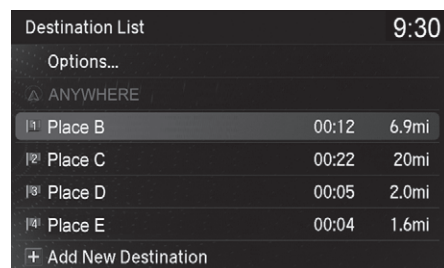
2. Rotate  to select **Delete**. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .



►► Deleting Waypoints

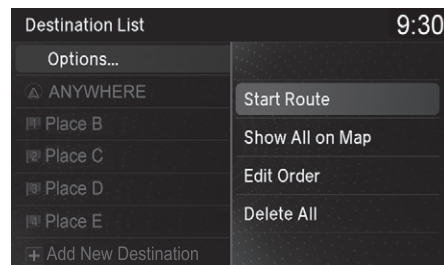
Select **Show on Map** to display the waypoint on the map screen.



Deleting All Waypoints

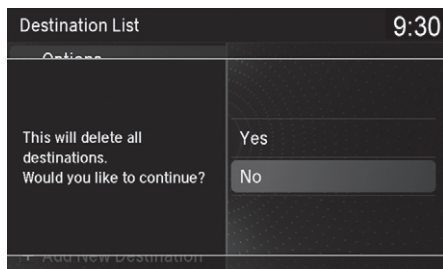
 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination List**





1. Rotate  to select **Options**.
Press .




2. Rotate  to select **Delete All**.
Press .




3. Rotate  to select **Yes**. Press .

Taking a Detour

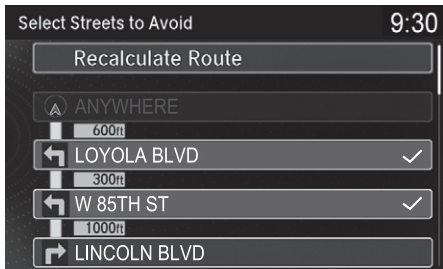
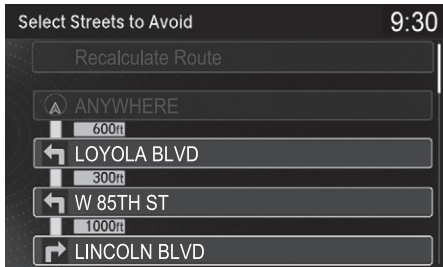
 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Detour**



Calculate a detour route manually. The system attempts to calculate a new route by avoiding the next 5 miles (8 km) (while on a freeway/highway) or 1 mile (1.6 km) (while on a surface street).



Avoiding Streets

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Avoid Streets**

Select a street or streets along your route to avoid.



1. Rotate  to select the street you want to avoid. Press .
► Repeat the procedure to avoid other streets.

2. Rotate  to select **Recalculate Route**. Press .
► The system calculates a new route.

Taking a Detour

The detour option is convenient if you encounter an unexpected obstacle such as a road closure or extremely heavy traffic congestion.

Avoiding Streets

Avoiding certain streets is convenient if you know of road construction, road closures, or excessive traffic along the route.

You cannot choose specific streets you want to use, only those to avoid. However, you can select intersections or waypoints (places/landmarks) that the system will use in your route.

► **Adding Waypoints** P. 124

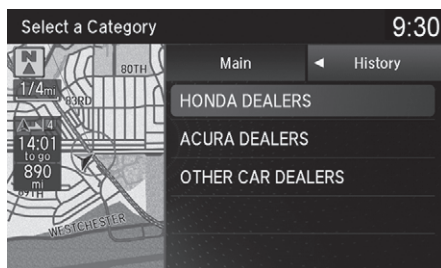
You can store up to 10 streets to avoid. You cannot avoid your current street or the streets of your waypoint(s) or destination (system beeps if selected).







There are several methods you can use to change the route destination.

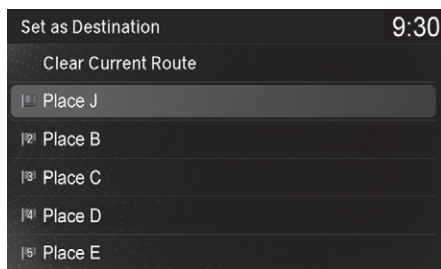
Find Nearest Place





 **ENTER/MENU** button (on map) ► **Map/Route** ► **Search Nearby**

Search for the nearest place/landmark on the map screen and set it as your destination.



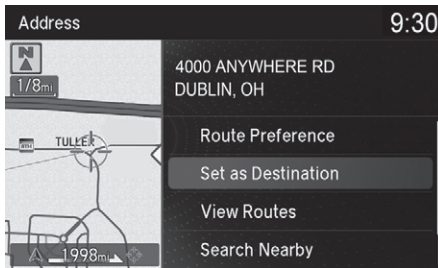
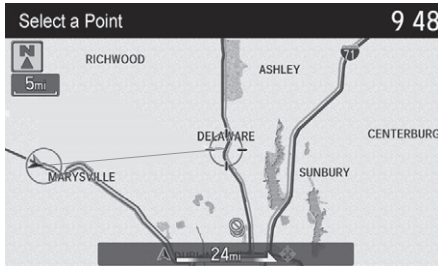
1. Rotate  to select a category type. Press .
2. Rotate  to select a place. Press .
3. Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .



4. Rotate  to select **Clear Current Route**. Press .
- The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.
- Rotate  to edit the order to set the location as a new waypoint. Press .

Selecting a Destination on the Map

Select a new destination when en route by selecting a location on the map.



1. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired destination, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press .
 - If the address displayed is not the desired location, press the **BACK** button and repeat the procedure.

2. Rotate to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

► **Calculating the Route** P. 99

3. Rotate to select **Clear Current Route**. Press .
 - The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.
 - Rotate to edit the order to set the location as a new waypoint. Press .

Selecting a Destination on the Map

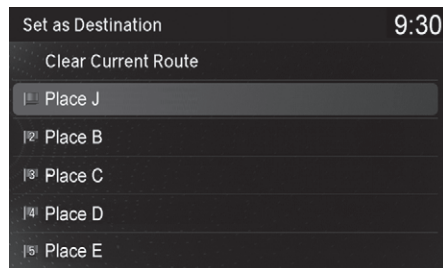
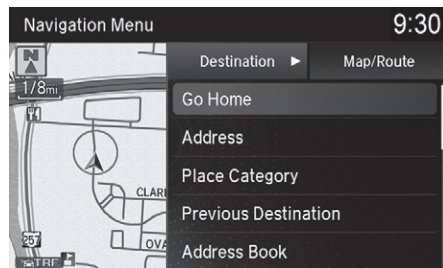
If there is more than one icon or street under the map cursor, you are prompted to select the item from a list.


Rotate to select an item. Press .

Entering a New Destination

 **ENTER/MENU** button (when en route) ► **Destination**



Enter a new destination using the **Destination** menu screen even when you are en route.



1. Rotate  to select a method to enter a new destination.



► **Entering a Destination** P. 74

► After entering a new destination, the address is displayed on the searched location screen.

2. Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

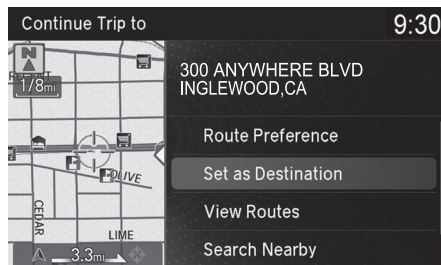
3. Rotate  to select **Clear Current Route**. Press .



► The route is automatically recalculated and displayed on the map screen.


► Rotate  to edit the order to set the location as a new waypoint. Press .

Stop your vehicle en route (e.g., to rest, stop for gas, etc.), and then continue on your route.


If you did not complete your route, the Continue Trip screen is displayed when you restart your vehicle.



Rotate  to select **Set as Destination**. Press .

- ▶ You can continue on the same route.
- ▶ Move  to scroll the map around the destination.
- ▶ Press the **BACK** button to cancel your destination.


The following items are available:

- **Route Preference:** Rotate  to select **Route Preference** to change the route preferences (calculating method).
 - **Route Preference** P. 37
- **View Routes:** Displays three different routes.
 - **Viewing the Routes** P. 101

Resuming Your Trip

The Continue Trip screen has the same options as when you calculate a route.

➤ **Calculating the Route** P. 99

You can also cancel your destination by pressing any hard button except the  button.

Search Nearby

You can find the nearest place/landmark (e.g., nearest gas station) by specifying a category.

➤ **Find Nearest Place** P. 136

Call

You can place a telephone call to the destination phone number. See your Owner's Manual.

Save to Address Book

You can add the destination address to the address book.

➤ **Adding an Address Book Entry** P. 26

Edit/Delete Entry

You can edit or delete the address book entry.

➤ **Editing an Address Book Entry** P. 29

➤ **Deleting an Address Book Entry** P. 30

Edit Home Entry

You can edit your home address entry.

➤ **Home Address** P. 31

More Info





You can view detailed information about the destination.







Troubleshooting



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Map, Voice, Entering Destinations

Problem	Solution
The Startup Confirmation screen is displayed every time I start the vehicle.	This is normal. The Startup Confirmation screen reminds you and your guest drivers to always operate the navigation system in a safe manner. The Startup Confirmation screen goes off after a certain period of time and the top screen of the last mode is displayed.
The navigation system reboots by itself (returns to the opening screen).	A reboot can be caused by extreme temperatures or shock from bumpy roads, and does not necessarily indicate a problem. If this happens frequently, please see a dealer.
How do I specify a destination when an entered city or street could not be found?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Try entering the street first. Some cities are lumped in with a major metro area. In rural “unverified” areas or new subdivisions, streets may be missing or only partially numbered. Try selecting the destination directly from the map. <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Select using Map P. 96
How do I delete Personal Addresses, Previous Destinations, or the Home Address?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Personal Info to display the types of information. Select the type of address to delete. <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Address Book P. 25  Home Address P. 31  Previous Destination P. 33
I cannot hear the navigation system voice.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Press the SETTINGS button. Select System Settings > Feedback and check that Guidance Volume is not set to 0. Select System Settings > Voice Reco. and set Voice Prompt to On.
Why is Call grayed out on the Calculate Route screen?	Your phone is not paired to Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® or, if paired, your phone is in use. See your Owner's Manual.






Problem	Solution
The voice control system is having difficulty recognizing my voice commands.	Check that the vents are not blowing air onto the microphone on the ceiling, the vehicle is as quiet as possible, and you are using the correct command when speaking.  Voice Recognition P. 23
I cannot give voice commands.	Make sure you pressed  at the Startup Confirmation screen.  Start-up P. 20
I cannot select an option using the Interface Dial.	To reduce potential driver distraction, certain onscreen functions and features are limited or inoperable while the vehicle is moving. Use voice commands or pull over to proceed.
The navigation system pronunciation of street names in the guidance command or destination address sounds strange.	The basic guidance phrases use a studio-recorded voice, but street names are pronounced using a machine-generated voice. Consequently, the name may be mispronounced or sound strange at times.
The screen is bright when I drive at night.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check that the nighttime dashboard brightness control is not set to maximum. 2. Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Map > Color (Night).  Color P. 56
The screen is dark when I drive during the day.	Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Map > Color (Day) .  Color P. 56
How do I change or remove my PIN?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Personal Info > PIN Number > Address Book PIN or Go Home PIN. 2. Enter your existing PIN. You then have the choice to change or remove the PIN.  PIN Numbers P. 32
I have forgotten my PIN. How do I reset the PIN for Home or the PIN for personal addresses?	A dealer must reset the PIN for you.






Traffic

Problem	Solution
Traffic information is missing or is not displaying properly. What is wrong?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Check that the traffic status indicator is available on the map screen. ▶ Traffic Information */AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™* P. 13• Traffic information relies on a clear signal. If signal strength is low, traffic data may not be available.• Check that the traffic icons are turned on. ▶ Showing Icons on Map P. 54• Check the AcuraLink® subscription status*1. See your Owner's Manual.• There may be a temporary technical problem in your metropolitan area. Call Acura Client Relations to see if there is an outage. ▶ Acura Client Relations Contact Information P. 154• If the situation persists, see your Acura dealer for assistance.• Traffic information is available only in certain areas.
The navigation system sometimes provides a detour route when I am driving a route on the freeway/ highway.	If Traffic Rerouting is set to On , the navigation system provides a detour route to your destination only if it can find a significantly faster route than the original one. ▶ Traffic Rerouting P. 41
The navigation system routes me to an exit and an alternate freeway/highway with unknown flow speeds or surface streets.	The navigation system predicts which route should be faster based on freeway/ highway congestion along your route. Use your own experience to determine whether the alternate route would be faster.
How can I ignore the detour route and return to the original route?	Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Routing , and set Traffic Rerouting to Off . ▶ Traffic Rerouting P. 41

* 1: Canadian models

Guidance, Routing

Problem	Solution
The navigation system does not route me the same way I would go or the same way as other mapping systems.	The navigation system attempts to generate the optimal route. You can change the route preferences used when calculating a route.  Route Preference P. 37
The navigation system wants to route me around potential traffic problems. How do I stop these pop-up messages?	Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Routing , and set Traffic Rerouting to Off.  Traffic Rerouting P. 41
The street I'm on is not shown on the map screen.	The mapping database is constantly undergoing revision. You can access the most recent information on the internet.  Map Coverage P. 155
The vehicle position icon is not following the road and the "GPS icon" text in the upper left hand corner of the screen is white or missing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check that the GPS antenna (located in the dashboard) is not blocked. For best reception, remove items from the dashboard, such as radar detectors, mobile phones, or loose articles. • Metallic tinting or other aftermarket devices can interfere with the GPS reception. Please consult a dealer.  GPS P. 152
The blue highlighted route and voice guidance stopped or turned into a blue/pink line before I got to my destination.	Your route has entered an unverified area.  Unverified Routing P. 39
How do I stop the map from rotating as I drive along?	Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Map > View > North-up .
The "time to destination" display sometimes increases even though I am getting closer to my destination.	If your speed reduces due to slower traffic, the navigation system updates the "time to destination" based on your actual road speed to give you a better estimate of arrival time.

Problem	Solution
The vehicle position icon on the map “lags” a short distance behind, especially when I arrive at an intersection.	This is normal. The navigation system is unaware of the width of intersections. Large differences in vehicle position can indicate a temporary loss of the GPS signal.  GPS P. 152
The screen is showing white dots as I drive along.	These dots are called “breadcrumbs.” These are displayed if Display Tracking is set to On .  Display Tracking P. 62
How do I remove the white dots (“breadcrumbs”) from my screen?	Press the SETTINGS button. Select Navigation Settings > Map , set Display Tracking to Off or select Delete Tracking to remove the white dots from the map.  Display Tracking P. 62
A road that I selected to avoid is being used when routing.	When you “draw” your area to avoid, make sure to select sections of roads that include at least one intersection.  Avoided Area P. 43
My elevation (shown when I display the current position) seems to fluctuate even though my elevation has not changed.	This is normal. The elevation can vary ± 100 ft (± 30 m) due to GPS calculation errors.  GPS P. 152
My elevation is missing on the “current position” screen.	The elevation is only displayed if the GPS antenna can receive signals from at least four satellites. Try moving the vehicle into an open area. The elevation is also not displayed if the calculated elevation is zero or below sea level.


Update, Coverage, Map Errors

Problem	Solution
My city is not part of a fully verified detailed coverage area.	The mapping database is constantly undergoing revision. You can access the most recent information on the internet. ► Map Coverage P. 155
Does the navigation system work outside North America?	The navigation system contains maps for the 50 U.S. states, Canada, Puerto Rico, and Mexico. The navigation system will not work in other countries. ► Map Coverage P. 155
How do I report errors I find in the database?	Minor errors are bound to occur in a large database. If you encounter major errors, see a dealer. ► Visiting Your Dealer P. 154

Display, Accessories

Problem	Solution
The display appears dim when starting the vehicle in really cold weather.	This is normal. The display will become brighter after a few minutes.

Miscellaneous Questions

Problem	Solution
My battery was disconnected or went dead and the navigation system is asking for a code.	Set the power mode to ON, and press and hold the  (Power) button for two seconds. The system should reactivate. If you have installed an aftermarket system, contact a dealer.

Navigation System

Error Message	Solution
The display temperature is too high. For protection, the system will shut off until the display cools down.	This message appears briefly when the display temperature is too high. The navigation system turns off until the display cools down. The system turns back on automatically when the display cools down.
The navigation system temperature is too low. For protection, the system will shut off until the it warms up.	The navigation system has difficulty reading the HDD when the temperature is below approximately -22°F (-30°C). The navigation system starts up automatically when the display warms up.
The navigation system atmospheric pressure is too low. For protection, the system will shut off until the pressure returns to safe levels.	The HDD is inoperable due to low atmospheric pressure. Move your vehicle to the place where the atmospheric pressure is high.
The navigation system temperature is too high. For protection, the system will shut off until it cools down.	The navigation system has difficulty reading the HDD when the temperature is high. The navigation system starts up automatically when the system cools down.
HDD access error. Please consult your dealer.	Writing of the data to the HDD failed with a cause other than low temperature, high temperature, and low atmospheric pressure. After a short wait, try to operate the system again. If this does not solve the problem, consult with the dealer.
HDD access error. The system will reset and attempt to correct the problem.	

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The navigation system must be initialized if power to the navigation system is interrupted for any reason (e.g., the battery was disconnected).

Entering the Security Code

In most cases, you do not need to enter a security code. Follow the steps below to reactivate the system.

To enter the security code automatically, push and hold the audio power button for 2 seconds. If this does not work, manually enter the security code using the touch panel below.

1. Set the power mode to ON, and turn on the audio system.
2. Press and hold the  (Power) button for more than two seconds.
 - The system is reactivated when the system's control unit recognizes that the system is in your vehicle.

If the control unit fails to recognize, you must go to a dealer and have the system checked.

Acquiring GPS Information

Depending on the length of time the power was interrupted, your system may require GPS initialization.

The navigation system lost power and is acquiring its location from the GPS satellites. This usually takes less than 10 minutes.

- * Start the engine.
- * Park the vehicle in an open area away from trees, power lines, and tall buildings.
- * Remove loose articles, mobile phones, or electrical accessories located near the GPS antenna.
- * If this screen is displayed repeatedly when starting the vehicle, see your dealer.

If initialization is not necessary, the system proceeds directly to the Startup Confirmation screen.

If the system fails to locate a sufficient number of satellites to locate your position within 10 minutes, the following screen is displayed.


Something is interfering with the system's ability to acquire its location. Check the following:

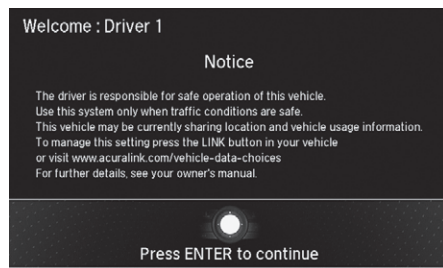
- * The vehicle must be in an open area with a clear view of the sky.
- * Remove sources of GPS interference like metallic window tint above antenna, or electrical items near antenna (see owner's manual for details).
- * Check GPS antenna cable connection.
- * Restart the engine and repeat the GPS acquire procedure. If the problem persists, see your dealer.

If you are experiencing GPS reception problems:

 **GPS** P. 152

Startup Confirmation Screen

The Startup Confirmation screen is displayed when initialization has successfully completed. It is displayed every time you start your vehicle. Press  to continue.



Map Matching

Map matching is the process of using the acquired GPS information to locate your position on the map screen. If you are on a mapped road, the name of the road is displayed along the bottom of the map screen when map matching is completed. Do not enter a destination until the road name is displayed.

The system may initially show your location on a different street (e.g., in urban areas where streets are close together), show an incorrect elevation, or delay the display of the vehicle position icon at intersections. This is normal; the system will correct itself while you drive.

GPS

The signals received from GPS satellites are extremely weak (less than a millionth of the strength of a local FM station) and require an unobstructed view of the sky. The GPS antenna is located in the dashboard. The signal reception can easily be interrupted or interfered with by the following:

- Metallic window tint on the front or side windows
- Mobile phones, PDAs, or other electronic devices docked in a cradle or lying loose on the dashboard
- Remote starters or “hidden” vehicle tracking systems mounted near the navigation unit
- Audio electronic devices mounted near the navigation unit
- Trees, tall buildings, freeway/highway overpasses, tunnels, or overhead electrical power wires

GPS is operated by the U.S. Department of Defense. For security reasons, there are certain inaccuracies built into GPS for which the navigation system must constantly compensate. This can cause occasional positioning errors of up to several hundred feet or tens of meters.

Address Calculation

The destination icon shows only the approximate location of a destination address. This occurs if the number of possible addresses is different from the number of actual addresses on a block. For example, the address 1425 on a 1400 block with 100 possible addresses (because it is followed by the 1500 block) will be shown a quarter of the way down the block by the system. If there are only 25 actual addresses on the block, the actual location of address 1425 would be at the end of the block.

Database

The digitized map database reflects conditions as they existed at various points in time before production. Accordingly, your database may contain inaccurate or incomplete data or information due to the passage of time, road construction, changing conditions, or other causes.

For example, some places/landmarks may be missing when you search the database because the name was misspelled, the place was improperly categorized, or a place/landmark is not yet in the database. This is also true for police stations, hospitals, and other public institutions. Do not rely on the navigation system if you need law enforcement or hospital services. Always check with local information sources.

In addition, the map database contains verified and unverified areas. Unverified streets may be missing from the map, in the wrong location, or have an incorrect name or address range. A message will warn you if your route includes unverified streets. Exercise additional caution when driving in unverified areas.

The database does not include, analyze, process, consider, or reflect any of the following categories of information:

- Neighborhood quality or safety
- Population density
- Availability or proximity of law enforcement
- Emergency, rescue, medical, or other assistance
- Construction work, zones, or hazards
- Road and lane closures
- Legal restrictions (such as vehicular type, weight, load, height, and speed restrictions)
- Road slope or grade
- Bridge height, width, weight, or other limits
- Traffic facilities safety
- Special events
- Pavement characteristics or conditions

Every effort has been made to verify that the database is accurate. The number of inaccuracies you experience increases the longer you go without obtaining an updated map database.

📄 Obtaining a Navigation Update P. 155

We assume no liability for any incident that may result from an error in the program, or from changed conditions not noted above.

Resolving Problems

If you run into a specific issue that you cannot resolve, consult the following help resources:

- For navigation system issues:
 📌 **Troubleshooting** P. 142
- There are also FAQs available online at acuranavi.navigation.com/acura-na (U.S.) or www.acuranavi.ca (Canada).
- For traffic-related issues:
 📌 **Traffic** P. 144
- For reporting issues with the database or places/landmarks:
 📌 **Visiting Your Dealer** P. 154
- Call Acura Client Relations.
 📌 **Acura Client Relations Contact Information** P. 154

Acura Client Relations Contact Information

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Honda Canada Inc.
Acura Client Services
180 Honda Boulevard
Markham, L6C 0H9, ON
E-Mail: acura_cr@ch.honda.com
Telephone: (888) 9-ACURA-9
Hours: 8:00 am to 7:30 pm
Monday to Friday (Eastern time)

Visiting Your Dealer

If you have a question that you cannot resolve using the available help resources, you can consult a dealer. Please identify the specific issue (e.g., error occurs when you enter a specific address, when driving on a certain road, or just when it's cold) so that the service technician can refer the issue to the factory so that a solution can be found. Be patient, the service technician may be unfamiliar with your specific issue.

Map Coverage

The navigation system provides map coverage for the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico, and Mexico. The map coverage consists of accurately mapped (verified) metropolitan areas and a less accurate (unverified) rural database. Note that unverified areas are constantly being reviewed and converted to verified areas each year.



Map coverage update information is available from Acura Client Relations or online at acuranavi.navigation.com/acura-na (U.S.) or www.acuranavi.ca (Canada).

To find navigation system update information:

1. Visit the website.
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1. Obtain your vehicle's VIN number and the System/Device Information.

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Traffic Information

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U.S. models

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Operation in Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, Puerto Rico, and Mexico

Map Coverage

All roads displayed on the map screens are verified roads. Information in this manual relating to “unverified” roads or areas is not applicable.

Address and Place Entry Screens

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Voice Portal Screen

Navigation

The screen changes the navigation screen.

*Address (English only)*¹*

*Place Name (English only)*¹*

Find Nearest

Go Home

Previous Destination

Back

Cancel

Navigation Commands for Find Nearest

The system only accepts these commands on the Find Nearest screen in Navigation.

Find Place Commands

Find Nearest (specify place):

Fuel Auto

All Types Fuel Auto

ACURA Dealers

HONDA Dealers

Gas Station

Hydrogen Station

Auto Parts & Electronics

Auto Repair & Maintenance

Car Wash & Detailing

Motorcycle Dealers

Other Car Dealers

Roadside Assistance

ATM Bank

All Types ATM Bank

ATM

Bank

Check Cashing

Currency Exchange

Lodging

All Types Lodging

Bed & Breakfast

Hotel

Resort

Recreation

All Types Recreation

Amusement Park

Golf Course

Historical Monument

Marina

Movie Theater

Museum

Park

Performing Arts

Sports Complex

Tourist Attraction

Community

All Types Community

Business

City Hall

Civic Center

Convention Center

Court House

Higher Education

Library

Post Office

School

Restaurant

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All Types Restaurant
American Restaurant
Californian Restaurant
Chinese Restaurant
Coffee Shop
Continental Restaurant
Fast Food
French Restaurant
German Restaurant
Greek Restaurant
Indian Restaurant
Italian Restaurant
Japanese Restaurant
Korean Restaurant
Mexican Restaurant
Pizza
Seafood Restaurant
Thai Restaurant
Vegetarian Restaurant
Vietnamese Restaurant
Other Restaurant
Travel
All Types Travel
Airport
Automobile Club
Bus Station
Camping
Commuter Rail Station

Ferry Terminal
Named Place
Park & Ride
Parking Garage
Parking Lot
Rental Car Agency
Rest Area
Ski Area
Tourist Information
Train Station
Travel Agency
Truck Stop
Shopping
All Types Shopping
Accessory Store
Book Store
Clothing Store
Grocery Store
Home Improvement Store
Mall
Office Supply Store
Pharmacy
Pet Food Store
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Shoe Store
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