California Proposition 65 Warning

**WARNING:** This product contains or emits chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Event Data Recorders

This vehicle is equipped with an event data recorder (EDR). The main purpose of an EDR is to record, in certain crash or near crash-like situations, such as an air bag deployment or hitting a road obstacle, data that will assist in understanding how a vehicle’s systems performed.

The EDR is designed to record data related to vehicle dynamics and safety systems for a short period of time, typically 30 seconds or less. The EDR in this vehicle is designed to record such data as:

- How various systems in your vehicle were operating;
- Whether or not the driver and passenger safety belts were buckled/fastened;
- How far (if at all) the driver was depressing the accelerator and/or brake pedal; and,
- How fast the vehicle was traveling.

These data can help provide a better understanding of the circumstances in which crashes and injuries occur. NOTE: EDR data are recorded by your vehicle only if a non-trivial crash situation occurs; no data are recorded by the EDR under normal driving conditions and no personal data (e.g., name, gender, age, and crash location) are recorded. However, other parties, such as law enforcement, could combine the EDR data with the type of personally identifying data routinely acquired during a crash investigation.

To read data recorded by an EDR, special equipment is required, and access to the vehicle or the EDR is needed. In addition to the vehicle manufacturer, other parties, such as law enforcement, that have the special equipment, can read the information if they have access to the vehicle or the EDR.

The data belongs to the vehicle owner and may not be accessed by anyone else except as legally required or with the permission of the vehicle owner.

Service Diagnostic Recorders

This vehicle is equipped with service-related devices that record information about powertrain performance. The data can be used to verify emissions law requirements and/or help technicians diagnose and solve service problems. It may also be combined with data from other sources for research purposes, but it remains confidential.

California Perchlorate Contamination Prevention Act

The airbags, seat belt tensioners, and CR type batteries in this vehicle may contain perchlorate materials - special handling may apply. See www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate/

As you read this manual, you will find information that is preceded by a **NOTICE** symbol. This information is intended to help you avoid damage to your vehicle, other property, or the environment.
A Few Words About Safety

Your safety, and the safety of others, is very important. And operating this vehicle safely is an important responsibility.

To help you make informed decisions about safety, we have provided operating procedures and other information on labels and in this manual. This information alerts you to potential hazards that could hurt you or others.

Of course, it is not practical or possible to warn you about all the hazards associated with operating or maintaining your vehicle. You must use your own good judgment.

You will find this important safety information in a variety of forms, including:

- **Safety Labels** - on the vehicle.
- **Safety Messages** - preceded by a safety alert symbol ▶ and one of three signal words: DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION. These signal words mean:
  - **DANGER**
    - You WILL be KILLED or SERIOUSLY HURT if you don’t follow instructions.
  - **WARNING**
    - You CAN be KILLED or SERIOUSLY HURT if you don’t follow instructions.
  - **CAUTION**
    - You CAN be HURT if you don’t follow instructions.

- **Safety Headings** - such as Important Safety Precautions.
- **Safety Section** - such as Safe Driving.
- **Instructions** - how to use this vehicle correctly and safely.

This entire book is filled with important safety information - please read it carefully.
This owner’s manual should be considered a permanent part of the vehicle and should remain with the vehicle when it is sold.

This owner’s manual covers all models of your vehicle. You may find descriptions of equipment and features that are not on your particular model.

Images throughout this owner’s manual (including the front cover) represent features and equipment that are available on some, but not all, models. Your particular model may not have some of these features.

This owner’s manual is for vehicles sold in the United States and Canada.

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### Auto Idle Stop Function*

To improve fuel economy, the engine stops and then restarts as detailed below. When Auto Idle Stop is on, the Auto Idle Stop indicator (green) comes on.

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*Keep the brake pedal depressed.*

*With the automatic brake hold system activated, you can release the brake pedal when the (A) indicator comes on.*

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*Release the brake pedal. With the automatic brake hold system activated, depress the accelerator pedal.*
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Airbags \( \Rightarrow \) P.41
- Your vehicle is fitted with airbags to help protect you and your passengers during a moderate-to-severe collision.

Child Safety \( \Rightarrow \) P.56
- All children 12 and younger should be seated in the rear seat.
- Smaller children should be properly restrained in a forward-facing child seat.
- Infants must be properly restrained in a rear-facing child seat.

Exhaust Gas Hazard \( \Rightarrow \) P.71
- Your vehicle emits dangerous exhaust gases that contain carbon monoxide. Do not run the engine in confined spaces where carbon monoxide gas can accumulate.

Seat Belts \( \Rightarrow \) P.33
- Fasten your seat belt and sit upright well back in the seat.
- Check that your passengers are wearing their seat belts correctly.

Before Driving Checklist \( \Rightarrow \) P.
- Before driving, check that the front seats, head restraints, steering wheel, and mirrors have been properly adjusted.

Fasten your lap belt as low as possible.
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**System Indicators**
- Blind spot information (BSI) Indicator*
- Speed-sensitive Electric Power Steering (EPS) System Indicator
- Malfunction Indicator Lamp
- Low Oil Pressure Indicator
- SH-AWD Indicator*
- Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) System Indicator
- VSA® OFF Indicator
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- Gear Position Indicator
- M (sequential mode) Indicator/Sequential Mode Gear Selection Indicator
- Tachometer
- Speedometer
- Temperature Gauge
- Security System Alarm Indicator
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* Not available on all models
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3. Rotate to change minute, then press.

**Models with navigation system**
The navigation system receives signals from GPS satellites, updating the clock automatically.

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**ENGINE START/STOP Button  **P.163**

Press the button to change the vehicle’s power mode.

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**Turn Signals  **P.166**

- Turn Signal Control Lever
  - Right
  - Left

**Lights  **P.167**

- Light Control Switches
  - High Beam
  - Low Beam
  - Flashing
Wipers and Washers

*1: Models with automatic intermittent wipers
*2: Models without automatic intermittent wipers

Wiper/Washer Control Lever

- MIST
- OFF
- AUTO*: Wiper speed varies automatically
- INT*: Low speed with intermittent
- LO: Low speed wipe
- HI: High speed wipe

Pull toward you to spray washer fluid.

Adjustment Ring

- : Low Sensitivity*1
  - : Lower speed, fewer sweeps*2
- +: High Sensitivity*1
  - : Higher speed, more sweeps*2

*1: Models with automatic intermittent wipers
*2: Models without automatic intermittent wipers

Models with automatic intermittent wipers

AUTO should always be turned OFF before cleaning the windshield or driving through a car wash.

Steering Wheel **P.182**

- To adjust, push and hold the adjustment switch to move the steering wheel to the desired position.

Unlocking the Front Doors from the Inside **P.147**

- Pull either front door inner handle to unlock and open it at the same time.

Tailgate **P.151, 152**

- Press the tailgate outer handle to unlock and open the tailgate when you carry the keyless access remote.
- Press the power tailgate button on the driver’s door or the remote transmitter to open and close the power tailgate.
**Power Door Mirrors**

- With the power mode in ON, move the selector switch to L or R.
- Push the appropriate edge of the adjustment switch to adjust the mirror.
- Press the fold button* to fold the door mirrors.

**Power Windows** [P.160]

- With the power mode in ON, open and close the power windows.
- If the power window lock button is in the off position, each passenger’s window can be opened and closed with its own switch.
- If the power window lock button is in the on position (indicator is on), each passenger’s window switch is disabled.
Climate Control System \(\text{P.213}\)

- Press the AUTO button to activate the climate control system.
- Press the button to turn the system on or off.
- Press the button to defrost the windshield.

**Models with navigation system**

The climate control system is voice operable. See the Navigation System Manual for complete details.

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**Driver’s Side**

- Fan Control Icon
- A/C (Air Conditioning) and SYNC (Synchronized) Icon
- Vent Mode Control Icon
- Temperature Icon

**Passenger’s Side**

- Temperature Icon
- (On/Off) Button
- AUTO Button
- (Windshield Defroster) Button

**On Demand Multi-Use Display™**

- Recirculation/Fresh Air Mode Icon
- REAR (Rear Climate Control) Icon
- Passenger’s Side Temperature Icon
- Passenger’s Side Temperature Control Switch

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**Rear Climate Control \(\text{P.224}\)**

- Press the AUTO button to activate the rear climate control system.
- Press the button to turn the system on or off.

**Rear Temperature Control Buttons**

- (On/Off) Button
- AUTO Button
- Mode Control Button

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* Air flows from dashboard vents.
* Air flows from floor and dashboard vents.
* Air flows from floor vents.
* Air flows from floor and windshield defroster vents.
* Air flows from the rear console vents.
* Air flow from the rear console vents and floor vents.
* Air flows from the rear floor vents.

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On Demand Multi-Use Display™

(Power) Button

VOL (Volume) Knob

Source

Preset Icons*1

Tune*1

(Tune Down) Icon*1

(Tune Up) Icon*1

More

INFO Button

PHONE Button

BACK Button

(Day/Night) Button

CD Slot

(Sound) Icon

(CD Eject) Button

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Audio/Information Screen

*1: Icons that appear on the screen vary by the source selected.
Audio Remote Controls

• SOURCE Button
  Press to change the audio mode: FM/AM/SiriusXM®/CD/USB/iPod/Bluetooth® Audio/Pandora®/Aha™/AUX.

• Left Selector Wheel
  Roll to adjust the volume up/down.
  Radio: Move to a side to change the preset station.
  Move to a side and hold to select the next or previous strong station.
  CD/USB device:
  Move to a side to skip to the beginning of the next song or return to the beginning of the current song.
  Move to a side and hold to change a folder.
Driving (P.347)

Automatic Transmission (P.374)

- Always depress the brake pedal before selecting P or changing the gear position from P.
- Select P and depress the brake pedal when starting the engine.
- Gear selection

Gear Position Indicator
The gear position indicator and the shift button indicator indicate the current gear selection.

- **P** Park
  - Press the P button.
  - Used when parking or before turn off or start the engine.
  - Transmission is locked.

- **R** Reverse
  - Pull back the R button.
  - Used when reversing.

- **N** Neutral
  - Press the N button.
  - Transmission is not locked.

- **S** S Position
  - Press the D button twice.
  - Sequential shift mode can be used.

- **D** Drive
  - Press the D button.
  - Used for normal driving.
  - D-paddle shift mode can be used.

Shift Button Indicator
Paddle Shifters [P. 381]

- Paddle shifters allow you to shift gears much like a manual transmission (1st through 9th). This is useful for engine braking.

- D-paddle shift mode: The transmission will shift back to automatic mode once the system detects that the vehicle is cruising.

- Sequential mode gear selection:
  - Holds the selected gear, and the M (sequential mode) indicator comes on.
  - The sequential mode gear selection is shown in the instrument panel.

![Paddle Shifters Diagram]
VSA® OFF Button [P.419]
- The vehicle stability assist (VSA®) system helps stabilize the vehicle during cornering, and helps maintain traction while accelerating on loose or slippery road surfaces.
- VSA® comes on automatically every time you start the engine.
- To partially disable or fully restore VSA® function, press and hold the button until you hear a beep.

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™) OFF Button [P.439]
- When a possible collision is likely unavoidable, the CMBS™ can help you to reduce the vehicle speed and the severity of the collision.
- To turn the CMBS™ on or off, press and hold the button until you hear a beep.

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) [P.424, 545]
- The TPMS monitors tire pressure.
- TPMS is turned on automatically every time you start the engine.
- TPMS fill assist provides audible and visual guidance during tire pressure adjustment.

Refueling [P.456]
Fuel recommendation: Unleaded premium gasoline with a pump octane number 91 or higher recommended
Fuel tank capacity: 19.5 US gal (73.8 ℓ)

1. Press the fuel fill door release button.
2. After refueling, wait for about five seconds before removing the filler nozzle.
AcuraWatch™

AcuraWatch™ is a driver support system which employs the use of two distinctly different kinds of sensors, a radar sensor located in the front grille and a front sensor camera mounted to the interior side of the windshield, behind the rear view mirror.

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)  ➔ P.390

Helps maintain a constant vehicle speed and a set following distance behind a vehicle detected ahead of yours and, if the detected vehicle comes to a stop, can decelerate and stop your vehicle, without you having to keep your foot on the brake or the accelerator.

Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System  ➔ P.405

Alerts and helps to assist you when the system detects a possibility of your vehicle unintentionally crossing over detected lane markings.

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)  ➔ P.410

Provides steering input to help keep the vehicle in the middle of a detected lane and provides tactile and visual alerts if the vehicle is detected drifting out of its lane.

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)  ➔ P.436

Can assist you when there is a possibility of your vehicle colliding with a vehicle or a pedestrian detected in front of yours. The CMBS™ is designed to alert you when a potential collision is determined, as well as to reduce your vehicle speed to help minimize collision severity when a collision is deemed unavoidable.
Maintenance  ➡️ P.461

Under the Hood ➡️ P.469
- Check engine oil, engine coolant, and windshield washer fluid. Add when necessary.
- Check brake fluid.
- Check the battery condition monthly.

1. Pull the hood release handle under the corner of the dashboard.

2. Locate the hood latch lever, pull up the lever and lift the hood.

3. When finished, close the hood and make sure it is firmly locked in place.

Wiper Blades ➡️ P.486
- Replace blades if they leave streaks across the windshield.

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- Inspect tires and wheels regularly.
- Check tire pressures regularly.
- Install snow tires for winter driving.

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- Inspect all lights regularly.
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**Flat Tire ➤ p. 515**

- **Vehicles with tire repair kit**
  - Park in a safe location and repair the flat tire using the tire repair kit.
- **Vehicles with compact spare tire**
  - Park in a safe location and replace the flat tire with the compact spare tire located under the cargo area.

**Engine Won’t Start ➤ p. 534**

- If the battery is dead, jump start using a booster battery.

**Overheating ➤ p. 539**

- Park in a safe location. If you do not see steam under the hood, open the hood, and let the engine cool down.

**Indicators Come On ➤ p. 541**

- Identify the indicator and consult the owner’s manual.

**Blown Fuse ➤ p. 546**

- Check for a blown fuse if an electrical device does not operate.

**Emergency Towing ➤ p. 554**

- Call a professional towing service if you need to tow your vehicle.
What to Do If

**Q** The power mode does not change from VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) to ACCESSORY. Why?

**A**
- The steering wheel may be locked.
- Move the steering wheel left and right while pressing the ENGINE START/STOP button.

**Q** Why does the brake pedal pulsate slightly when applying the brakes?

**A** This can occur when the ABS activates, and does not indicate a problem. Apply firm, steady pressure on the brake pedal. Never pump the brake pedal.

**Q** The rear door cannot be opened from inside the vehicle. Why?

**A** Check if the childproof lock is in the lock position. If so, open the rear door with the outside door handle. To cancel this function, slide the lever up to the unlock position.
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  - The power mode is in ACCESSORY.  
  - The exterior lights are left on.  
  - Auto Idle Stop* is in operation. |
| Q | Why does the beeper sound when I start driving? | A | The beeper sounds when the driver and/or front passenger are not wearing their seat belts. |
| Q | Pulling the electric parking brake switch does not release the parking brake. Why? | A | Pull the electric parking brake switch with the brake pedal depressed. |
| Q | I’m seeing an amber indicator of a tire with an exclamation point. What is that? | A | The Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) needs attention. Check tire pressure.  
  [Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) P.424] |
Depressing the accelerator pedal does not release the parking brake automatically. Why?

- Fasten the driver’s seat belt.
- Check if the transmission is in P or N. If so, select any other position.

Why does the gear position automatically change to P when I open the driver’s door to check for parking space lines when reversing?

- Fasten the driver’s seat belt.
- Close the driver’s door and manually change the gear position.
  ▶ When opening the driver’s door P 377

Why do I hear a screeching sound when I apply the brake pedal?

The brake pads may need to be replaced. Have your vehicle inspected by a dealer.

Unleaded gasoline with a Pump Octane Number (PON) of 91 or higher is recommended.

Is it possible to use unleaded gasoline with a Pump Octane Number (PON) of 87 or lower on this vehicle?

Unleaded gasoline with a Pump Octane Number (PON) of 91 or higher is recommended.

Use of lower octane gasoline can cause occasional metallic knocking noise in the engine and will result in decreased engine performance.

Use of gasoline with a pump octane less than 87 can lead to engine damage.
Safe Driving

You can find many safety recommendations throughout this chapter, and throughout this manual.

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The following pages explain your vehicle’s safety features and how to use them properly. The safety precautions below are ones that we consider to be among the most important.

**Important Safety Precautions**

- **Always wear your seat belt**
  A seat belt is your best protection in all types of collisions. Airbags are designed to supplement seat belts, not replace them. So even though your vehicle is equipped with airbags, make sure you and your passengers always wear your seat belts, and wear them properly.

- **Restrain all children**
  Children ages 12 and under should ride properly restrained in a back seat, not the front seat. Infants and small children should be restrained in a child seat. Larger children should use a booster seat and a lap/shoulder seat belt until they can use the belt properly without a booster seat.

- **Be aware of airbag hazards**
  While airbags can save lives, they can cause serious or fatal injuries to occupants who sit too close to them, or are not properly restrained. Infants, young children, and short adults are at the greatest risk. Be sure to follow all instructions and warnings in this manual.

- **Don’t drink and drive**
  Alcohol and driving don’t mix. Even one drink can reduce your ability to respond to changing conditions, and your reaction time gets worse with every additional drink. So don’t drink and drive, and don’t let your friends drink and drive, either.
For Safe Driving

Important Safety Precautions

■ Pay appropriate attention to the task of driving safely
Engaging in cell phone conversation or other activities that keep you from paying close attention to the road, other vehicles, and pedestrians could lead to a crash. Remember, situations can change quickly, and only you can decide when it is safe to divert some attention away from driving.

■ Control your speed
Excessive speed is a major factor in crash injuries and deaths. Generally, the higher the speed, the greater the risk, but serious injuries can also occur at lower speeds. Never drive faster than is safe for current conditions, regardless of the maximum speed posted.

■ Keep your vehicle in safe condition
Having a tire blowout or a mechanical failure can be extremely hazardous. To reduce the possibility of such problems, check your tire pressures and condition frequently, and perform all regularly scheduled maintenance.
Important Handling Information

Your vehicle has higher ground clearance than a passenger vehicle designed for use only on pavement. Higher ground clearance has many advantages for off-highway driving. It allows you to travel over bumps, obstacles, and rough terrain. It also provides good visibility so you can anticipate problems earlier.

These advantages come at some cost. Because your vehicle is taller and rides higher off the ground, it has a higher center gravity making it more susceptible to tripping or roll over if you make abrupt turns. Utility vehicles have a significantly higher rollover rate than other types of vehicles. In a rollover crash, an unbelted person is significantly more likely to die than a person wearing a seat belt. As a reminder, make sure you and your passengers always wear seat belts.

For information on how to reduce the risk of rollover, read:
- Driving Guidelines for Your Utility Vehicle P. 372
- Off-Highway Driving Guidelines P. 365

Failure to operate your vehicle correctly might result in a crash or a rollover.
Your Vehicle’s Safety Features

Your vehicle is equipped with many features that work together to help protect you and your passengers during a crash.

Some features do not require any action on your part. These include a strong steel framework that forms a safety cage around the passenger compartment, front and rear crush zones, a collapsible steering column, and tensioners that tighten the front seat belts in a sufficient crash.

However, you and your passengers cannot take full advantage of these features unless you remain seated in the correct position and always wear your seat belts. In fact, some safety features can contribute to injuries if they are not used properly.

The following checklist will help you take an active role in protecting yourself and your passengers.

1. Safety Cage
2. Crush Zones
3. Seats and Seat-Backs
4. Head Restraints
5. Collapsible Steering Column
6. Seat Belts
7. Front Airbags
8. Knee Airbag
9. Side Airbags
10. Side Curtain Airbags
11. Door Locks
12. Seat Belt Tensioners
Safety Checklist

For the safety of you and your passengers, make a habit of checking these items each time before you drive.

- After everyone has entered the vehicle, be sure all doors and the tailgate are closed and locked. Locking the doors and the tailgate helps prevent an occupant from being ejected and an outsider from unexpectedly opening a door or the tailgate.

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- Adjust your seat to a position suitable for driving. Be sure the front seats are adjusted as far to the rear as possible while allowing the driver to control the vehicle. Sitting too close to a front airbag can result in serious or fatal injury in a crash.

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- Adjust head restraints to the proper position. Head restraints are most effective when the center of the head restraint aligns with the center of your head. Taller persons should adjust their head restraint to the highest position.

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- Always wear your seat belt, and make sure you wear it properly. Confirm that any passengers are properly belted as well.

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- Protect children by using seat belts or child seats according to a child’s age, height and weight.

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Seat Belts

About Your Seat Belts

Seat belts are the single most effective safety device because they keep you connected to the vehicle so that you can take advantage of many built-in safety features. They also help keep you from being thrown against the inside of the vehicle, against any passengers, or out of the vehicle. When worn properly, seat belts also keep your body properly positioned in a crash so that you can take full advantage of the additional protection provided by the airbags.

In addition, seat belts help protect you in almost every type of crash, including:
- frontal impacts
- side impacts
- rear impacts
- rollovers

■ Lap/shoulder seat belts

All six or seven seating positions are equipped with lap/shoulder seat belts with emergency locking retractors. In normal driving the retractor lets you move freely while keeping some tension on the belt. During a collision or sudden stop the retractor locks to restrain your body.

The front passenger’s, second row and third row seat belts also have a lockable retractor for use with child seats.

[Installing a Child Seat with a Lap/Shoulder Seat Belt](P. 64)

![WARNING](33) Not wearing a seat belt properly increases the chance of serious injury or death in a crash, even though your vehicle has airbags.

Be sure you and your passengers always wear seat belts and wear them properly.

Seat belts cannot completely protect you in every crash. But in most cases, seat belts can reduce your risk of serious injury.

Most states and all Canadian provinces and territories require you to wear seat belts.

The emergency locking retractor may lock if you lean forward too quickly. Slower movements will allow the belt to extend fully without locking.
**About Your Seat Belts**

Follow these guidelines for proper use:

- All occupants should sit upright, well back in the seat, and remain in that position for the duration of the trip. Slouching and leaning reduce the effectiveness of the belt and can increase the chance of serious injury in a crash.
- Never place the shoulder part of a lap/shoulder seat belt under your arm or behind your back. This could cause very serious injuries in a crash.
- Two people should never use the same seat belt. If they do, they could be very seriously injured in a crash.
- Do not put any accessories on the seat belts. Devices intended to improve comfort or reposition the shoulder part of a seat belt can reduce the protective capability and increase the chance of serious injury in a crash.

**Seat Belt Reminder**

Your vehicle monitors front seat belt use. If the power mode is set to ON before the driver’s seat belt is fastened, the beeper will sound and the indicator will blink. If the driver does not fasten the belt before the beeper stops, the indicator will remain on.

The beeper will periodically sound and the indicator will blink while driving until the driver’s and/or the front passenger’s seat belt is fastened.

If a rear seat passenger moves around and extends the seat belt, the lockable retractor may activate. If this happens, release the retractor by unfastening the seat belt and allow the belt to retract completely. Then refasten the belt.

The indicator will also come on if a front passenger does not fasten their seat belt within six seconds after the power mode is set to ON.

When no one is sitting in the front passenger's seat, the indicator will not come on and the beeper will not sound. The indicator also may not come on and the beeper may not sound when the occupant is not heavy enough to trigger the weight sensor. Such occupants (e.g., infants and smaller children) should be moved to the rear seat as a deploying front airbag likely will injure or kill them.

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The front seats are equipped with automatic seat belt tensioners to enhance safety.

The tensioners automatically tighten the front seat belts during a moderate-to-severe frontal collision, sometimes even if the collision is not severe enough to inflate the front airbags or the driver’s knee airbag.

The seat belt tensioners can only operate once. If a tensioner is activated, the SRS indicator will come on. Have a dealer replace the tensioner and thoroughly inspect the seat belt system as it may not offer protection in a subsequent crash.

During a moderate-to-severe side impact, the tensioner on that side of the vehicle also activates.
Fastening a Seat Belt

After adjusting a front seat to the proper position, and while sitting upright and well back in the seat:

1. Pull the seat belt out slowly.

2. Insert the latch plate into the buckle, then tug on the belt to make sure the buckle is secure.

Make sure that the belt is not twisted or caught on anything.

No one should sit in a seat with an inoperative seat belt or one that does not appear to be working correctly. Using a seat belt that is not working properly may not protect the occupant in a crash. Have a dealer check the belt as soon as possible.

Never insert any foreign objects into the buckle or retractor mechanism.
3. Position the lap part of the belt as low as possible across your hips, then pull up on the shoulder part of the belt so the lap part fits snugly. This lets your strong pelvic bones take the force of a crash and reduces the chance of internal injuries.

4. If necessary, pull up on the belt again to remove any slack, then check that the belt rests across the center of your chest and over your shoulder. This spreads the forces of a crash over the strongest bones in your upper body.

**Adjusting the Shoulder Anchor**

The front seats have adjustable shoulder anchors to accommodate taller and shorter occupants.

1. Move the anchor up and down while holding the release button.
2. Position the anchor so that the belt rests across the center of your chest and over your shoulder.

**WARNING**

Improperly positioning the seat belts can cause serious injury or death in a crash.

Make sure all seat belts are properly positioned before driving.

To release the belt, push the red PRESS button then guide the belt by hand until it has retracted completely.

When exiting the vehicle, be sure the belt is out of the way and will not get caught by closing the door.

After an adjustment, make sure that the shoulder anchor position is secure.
Fastening a Seat Belt

1. Pull out the seat belt’s small latch plate and the latch plate from each holding slot in the ceiling.

2. Line up the triangle marks on the small latch plate and anchor buckle. Make sure the seat belt is not twisted. Attach the belt to the anchor buckle.

3. Insert the latch plate into the buckle. Properly fasten the seat belt the same way you fasten the lap/shoulder seat belt.

Seat Belt with Detachable Anchor

Models with second row bench seat

WARNING
Using the seat belt with the detachable anchor unlatched increases the chance of serious injury or death in a crash.

Before using the seat belt, make sure the detachable anchor is correctly latched.

To unlatch the detachable anchor, insert the latch plate into the slot on the side of the anchor buckle.
If you are pregnant, the best way to protect yourself and your unborn child when driving or riding in a vehicle is to always wear a seat belt and keep the lap part of the belt as low as possible across the hips.

Advice for Pregnant Women

Each time you have a checkup, ask your doctor if it is okay for you to drive.

To reduce the risk of injuries to both you and your unborn child that can be caused by an inflating front airbag:
- When driving, sit upright and adjust the seat as far back as possible while allowing full control of the vehicle.
- When sitting in the front passenger’s seat, adjust the seat as far back as possible.
Seat Belt Inspection

Regularly check the condition of your seat belts as follows:

- Pull each belt out fully, and look for frays, cuts, burns, and wear.
- Check that the latch plate and buckles work smoothly and the belts retract easily.
- If a belt does not retract easily, cleaning the belt may correct the problem. Only use a mild soap and warm water. Do not use bleach or cleaning solvents. Make sure the belt is completely dry before allowing it to retract.

Any belt that is not in good condition or working properly will not provide proper protection and should be replaced as soon as possible.
A belt that has been worn during a crash may not provide the same level of protection in a subsequent crash. Have your seat belts inspected by a dealer after any collision.
Airbags

Airbag System Components

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Airbag System Components

The front, driver’s knee, front side, and side curtain airbags are deployed according to the direction and severity of impact. Both side curtain airbags are deployed in a rollover. The airbag system includes:

1. Two SRS (Supplemental Restraint System) front airbags. The driver’s airbag is stored in the center of the steering wheel; the front passenger’s airbag is stored in the dashboard. Both are marked SRS AIRBAG.

2. Driver’s knee airbag. The knee airbag is stored under the steering column. It is marked SRS AIRBAG.

3. Two side airbags, one for the driver and one for a front passenger. The airbags are stored in the outer edges of the seatbacks. Both are marked SIDE AIRBAG.

4. Two side curtain airbags, one for each side of the vehicle. The airbags are stored in the ceiling, above the side windows. The front and rear pillars are marked SIDE CURTAIN AIRBAG.

5. An electronic control unit that, when the power mode is on, continually monitors information about the various impact sensors, seat and buckle sensors, airbag activators, and seat belt tensioners.

6. Automatic front seat belt tensioners. In addition, the driver’s and front passenger’s seat belt buckles incorporate sensors that detect whether or not the belts are fastened.

7. A driver’s seat position sensor. If the seat is too far forward, the airbag will inflate with less force.

8. Weight sensors in the front passenger’s seat. The front passenger’s airbag will be turned off if the weight on the seat is approximately 65 lbs (29 kg) or less (the weight of an infant or small child).

9. Impact sensors that can detect a moderate-to-severe front or side impact.

10. An indicator on the dashboard that alerts you that the front passenger’s front airbag has been turned off.

11. An indicator on the instrument panel that alerts you to a possible problem with your airbag system or seat belt tensioners.

12. Safing Sensor

13. A rollover sensor that can detect if your vehicle is about to roll over and signal the control unit to deploy both side curtain airbags.
### Important Facts About Your Airbags

Airbags can pose serious hazards. To do their job, airbags must inflate with tremendous force. So, while airbags help save lives, they can cause burns, bruises, and other minor injuries, sometimes even fatal ones if occupants are not wearing their seat belts properly and sitting correctly.

**What you should do:** Always wear your seat belt properly, and sit upright and as far back from the steering wheel as possible while allowing full control of the vehicle. A front passenger should move their seat as far back from the dashboard as possible.

Remember, however, that no safety system can prevent all injuries or deaths that can occur in a severe crash, even when seat belts are properly worn and the airbags deploy.

**Do not place hard or sharp objects between yourself and a front airbag.** Carrying hard or sharp objects on your lap, or driving with a pipe or other sharp object in your mouth, can result in injuries if your front airbag inflates.

**Do not attach or place objects on the front and driver’s knee airbag covers.** Objects on the covers marked SRS AIRBAG could interfere with the proper operation of the airbags or be propelled inside the vehicle and hurt someone if the airbags inflate.

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**Important Facts About Your Airbags**

Do not attempt to deactivate your airbags. Together, airbags and seat belts provide the best protection.

When driving, keep hands and arms out of the deployment path of the front airbag by holding each side of the steering wheel. Do not cross an arm over the airbag cover.
Types of Airbags

Your vehicle is equipped with four types of airbags:
- **Front airbags**: Airbags in front of the driver’s and front passenger’s seats.
- **Driver’s knee airbag**: Airbag under the steering column.
- **Side airbags**: Airbags in the driver’s and front passenger’s seat-backs.
- **Side curtain airbags**: Airbags above the side windows.

Each is discussed in the following pages.

**Front Airbags (SRS)**

The front SRS airbags inflate in a moderate-to-severe frontal collision to help protect the head and chest of the driver and/or front passenger.

SRS (Supplemental Restraint System) indicates that the airbags are designed to supplement seat belts, not replace them. Seat belts are the occupant’s primary restraint system.

**Housing Locations**

The front airbags are housed in the center of the steering wheel for the driver, and in the dashboard for the front passenger. Both airbags are marked **SRS AIRBAG**.
### Operation

Front airbags are designed to inflate during moderate-to-severe frontal collisions. When the vehicle decelerates suddenly, the sensors send information to the control unit which signals one or both front airbags to inflate.

A frontal collision can be either head-on or angled between two vehicles, or when a vehicle crashes into a stationary object, such as a concrete wall.

### How the Front Airbags Work

While your seat belt restrains your torso, the front airbag provides supplemental protection for your head and chest.

The front airbags deflate immediately so that they won’t interfere with the driver’s visibility or the ability to steer or operate other controls.

The total time for inflation and deflation is so fast that most occupants are not aware that the airbags deployed until they see them lying in front of them.

Although the driver’s and front passenger’s airbags normally inflate within a split second of each other, it is possible for only one airbag to deploy. This can happen if the severity of a collision is at the margin, or threshold that determines whether or not the airbags will deploy. In such cases, the seat belt will provide sufficient protection, and the supplemental protection offered by the airbag would be minimal.
When front airbags should not deploy

Minor frontal crashes: Front airbags were designed to supplement seat belts and help save lives, not to prevent minor scrapes, or even broken bones that might occur during a less than moderate-to-severe frontal crash.

Side impacts: Front airbags can provide protection when a sudden deceleration causes a driver or front passenger to move towards the front of the vehicle. Side airbags and side curtain airbags have been specifically designed to help reduce the severity of injuries that can occur during a moderate-to-severe side impact which can cause the driver or passenger to move towards the side of the vehicle.

Rear impacts: Head restraints and seat belts are your best protection during a rear impact. Front airbags cannot provide any significant protection and are not designed to deploy in such collisions.

Rollovers: Seat belts, and in vehicles equipped with a rollover sensor, side curtain airbags offer the best protection in a rollover. Because front airbags could provide little if any protection, they are not designed to deploy during a rollover.

When front airbags deploy with little or no visible damage

Because the airbag system senses sudden deceleration, a strong impact to the vehicle framework or suspension might cause one or more of the airbags to deploy. Examples include running into a curb, the edge of a hole, or other low fixed object that causes a sudden deceleration in the vehicle chassis. Since the impact is underneath the vehicle, damage may not be readily apparent.

When front airbags may not deploy, even though exterior damage appears severe

Since crushable body parts absorb crash energy during an impact, the amount of visible damage does not always indicate proper airbag operation. In fact, some collisions can result in severe damage but no airbag deployment because the airbags would not have been needed or would not have provided protection even if they had deployed.
Advanced Airbags

Your front airbags have advanced features to help reduce the likelihood of airbag related injuries to smaller occupants.

The driver’s advanced front airbag system includes a seat position sensor.

Based on information from this sensor and the severity of the impact, the advanced airbag system determines the optimal deployment of the driver’s airbag.

The passenger’s advanced front airbag system has weight sensors.

Although we recommend against letting children under the age of 12 sit in passenger seat, if the sensors detect the weight of a child (up to about 65 lbs or 29 kg), the system will automatically turn off the passenger’s front airbag.

Advanced Airbags

If there is a problem with the driver’s seat position sensor, the SRS indicator will come on and the airbag will inflate with full (normal) force, regardless of the driver’s seating position.

For both advanced front airbags to work properly:
- Do not spill any liquid on or under the seats.
- Do not put any object under the passenger’s seat.
- Make sure any objects are positioned properly on the floor. Improperly positioned objects can interfere with the advanced airbag sensors.
- All occupants should sit upright and wear their seat belts properly.
- Do not place any cover over the passenger side dashboard.

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Make sure the floor mat behind the front passenger’s seat is hooked to the floor mat anchor. An improperly placed mat can interfere with the advanced airbag sensors.

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**Driver’s Knee Airbag**

The driver’s knee SRS airbag inflates in a moderate-to-severe frontal collision to help keep the driver in the proper position and to help maximize the benefit provided by the vehicle’s other safety features.

*SRS* (Supplemental Restraint System) indicates that the airbag is designed to supplement seat belts, not replace them. Seat belts are the occupant’s primary restraint system.

### Housing Locations

The driver’s knee airbag is housed under the steering column.

The airbag is marked **SRS AIRBAG**.

### Operation

When the driver’s front airbag inflates, the driver’s knee airbag also inflates.
■ **When driver's knee airbag deploys with little or no visible damage**

Because the airbag system senses sudden deceleration, a strong impact to the vehicle framework or suspension might cause one or more of the airbags to deploy. Examples include running into a curb, the edge of a hole, or other low fixed object that causes a sudden deceleration in the vehicle chassis. Since the impact is underneath the vehicle, damage may not be readily apparent.

■ **When driver's knee airbag may not deploy, even though exterior damage appears severe**

Since crushable body parts absorb crash energy during an impact, the amount of visible damage does not always indicate proper airbag operation. In fact, some collisions can result in severe damage but no airbag deployment because the airbags would not have been needed or would not have provided protection even if they had deployed.
Side Airbags

The side airbags help protect the torso and pelvis of the driver or a front passenger during a moderate-to-severe side impact.

### Housing Locations

The side airbags are housed in the outside edge of the driver’s and passenger’s seatbacks.

Both are marked **SIDE AIRBAG**.

### Operation

When the sensors detect a moderate-to-severe side impact, the control unit signals the side airbag on the impact side to immediately inflate.

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**Side Airbags**

Make sure you and your front seat passenger always sit upright. Leaning into the path of a side airbag can prevent the airbag from deploying properly and increases your risk of serious injury.

Do not attach accessories on or near the side airbags. They can interfere with the proper operation of the airbags, or hurt someone if an airbag inflates.

Do not cover or replace the front seat-back covers without consulting a dealer. Improperly replacing or covering front seat-back covers can prevent your side airbags from properly deploying during a side impact.
■ When a side airbag deploys with little or no visible damage
Because the airbag system senses sudden acceleration, a strong impact to the side of the vehicle’s framework can cause a side airbag to deploy. In such cases, there may be little or no damage, but the side impact sensors detected a severe enough impact to deploy the airbag.

■ When a side airbag may not deploy, even though visible damage appears severe
It is possible for a side airbag to not deploy during an impact that results in apparently severe damage. This can occur when the point of impact was toward the far front or rear of the vehicle, or when the vehicle’s crushable body parts absorbed most of the crash energy. In either case, the side airbag would not have been needed nor provided protection even if it had deployed.
Side Curtain Airbags

The side curtain airbags help protect the heads of the driver and passengers in outer seating positions during a moderate-to-severe side impact. The side curtain airbags equipped in this vehicle are also designed to help reduce the likelihood of partial and complete ejection of vehicle occupants through side windows in crashes, particularly rollover crashes.

■ Housing Locations

The side curtain airbags are located in the ceiling above the side windows on both sides of the vehicle.

■ Operation

The side curtain airbag is designed to deploy in a rollover or a moderate-to-severe side impact.

Side Curtain Airbags

If the SRS control unit senses that your vehicle is about to rollover, it immediately deploys both side curtain airbags and activates both front seat belt tensioners.

If the impact is on the passenger’s side, the passenger’s side curtain airbag deploys even if there is no passenger in the passenger seat.

To get the best protection from the side curtain airbags, occupants should wear their seat belts properly and sit upright and well back in their seats.

Do not attach any objects to the side windows or roof pillars as they can interfere with the proper operation of the side curtain airbags.
Airbag System Indicators

If a problem occurs in the airbag system, the SRS indicator will come on and a message appears on the MID.

Supplemental Restraint System (SRS) Indicator

When the power mode is set to ON
The indicator comes on for a few seconds, then goes off. This tells you the system is working properly.

If the indicator comes on at any other time, or does not come on at all, have the system checked by a dealer as soon as possible. If you don’t, your airbags and seat belt tensioners may not work properly when they are needed.
Airbags

■ Airbag System Indicators

### Passenger Front Airbag Off Indicator

#### When the passenger front airbag off indicator comes on

The indicator comes on to alert you that the passenger’s front airbag has been turned off. This occurs when the weight sensors detect 65 lbs (29 kg) or less, the weight of an infant or small child, on the seat.

Children under the age of 12 should always ride properly restrained in a back seat. [Child Safety](#) P. 56

Objects placed on the seat can also cause the indicator to come on.

If the front passenger seat is empty, the passenger’s front airbag will not deploy and the indicator will not come on.

- An object hanging on the seat or in the seat-back pocket.
- A child seat or other object pressing against the rear of the seat-back.
- A rear passenger pushing or pulling on the back of the front passenger’s seat.
- The front seat or seat-back is forced back against an object on the seat or floor behind it.
- An object placed under the front passenger’s seat.

If none of these conditions exist, have your vehicle checked by a dealer as soon as possible.

The passenger front airbag off indicator may come on and goes off repeatedly if the total weight on the seat is near the airbag cutoff threshold.
Airbag Care

You do not need to, and should not, perform any maintenance on or replace any airbag system components yourself. However, you should have your vehicle inspected by a dealer in the following situations:

■ **When the airbags have deployed**
If an airbag has inflated, the control unit and other related parts must be replaced. Similarly, once an automatic seat belt tensioner has been activated, it must be replaced.

■ **When the vehicle has been in a moderate-to-severe collision**
Even if the airbags did not inflate, have your dealer inspect the following: the driver’s seat position sensor, weight sensors in the passenger’s seat, front seat belt tensioners, and each seat belt that was worn during the crash.

■ **Do not remove or modify a front seat without consulting a dealer**
This would likely disable or affect the proper operation of the driver’s seat position sensor or the weight sensors in the passenger’s seat. If it is necessary to remove or modify a front seat to accommodate a person with disabilities, contact an Acura dealer, or for U.S. vehicles, Acura Client Service at 1-800-382-2238 and for Canadian vehicles, Acura Client Service at 1-888-9-ACURA-9.

We recommend against the use of salvaged airbag system components, including the airbag, tensioners, sensors, and control unit.
Protecting Child Passengers

Each year, many children are injured or killed in vehicle crashes because they are either unrestrained or not properly restrained. In fact, vehicle crashes are the number one cause of death of children ages 12 and under.

To reduce the number of child deaths and injuries, every state, Canadian province and territory requires that infants and children be properly restrained when they ride in a vehicle.

**Children should sit properly restrained in a rear seat.** This is because:

- An inflating front or side airbag can injure or kill a child sitting in the front seat.
- A child in the front seat is more likely to interfere with the driver’s ability to safely control the vehicle.
- Statistics show that children of all sizes and ages are safer when they are properly restrained in a rear seat.

**WARNING**

Children who are unrestrained or improperly restrained can be seriously injured or killed in a crash.

Any child too small for a seat belt should be properly restrained in a child seat. A larger child should be properly restrained with a seat belt, using a booster seat if necessary.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Transport Canada recommend that all children ages 12 and under be properly restrained in a rear seat. Some states or provinces/territories have laws restricting where children may ride.
• Any child who is too small to wear a seat belt correctly must be restrained in an approved child seat that is properly secured to the vehicle using either the seat belt or the lower anchors of the LATCH system.

• Never hold a child on your lap because it is impossible to protect them in the event of a collision.

• Never put a seat belt over yourself and a child. During a crash, the belt would likely press deep into the child and cause serious or fatal injuries.

• Never let two children use the same seat belt. Both children could be very seriously injured in a crash.

• Do not allow children to operate the doors, windows or seat adjustments.

• Do not leave children in the vehicle unattended, especially in hot weather when the inside of the vehicle can get hot enough to kill them. They could also activate vehicle controls causing it to move unexpectedly.

**WARNING**

Allowing a child to play with a seat belt or wrap one around their neck can result in serious injury or death.

Instruct children not to play with any seat belt and make sure any unused seat belt a child can reach is buckled, fully retracted, and locked.

To deactivate a lockable retractor, release the buckle and allow the seat belt to wind up all the way.

To remind you of the passenger’s front airbag hazards and child safety, your vehicle has warning labels on the dashboard (U.S. models) and on the front visors. Please read and follow the instructions on these labels.

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Safety of Infants and Small Children

Protecting Infants

An infant must be properly restrained in a rear-facing, reclining child seat until the infant reaches the seat manufacturer’s weight or height limit for the seat, and the infant is at least one year old.

Positioning a rear-facing child seat
Child seats must be placed and secured in a rear seating position.

When properly installed, a rear-facing child seat may prevent the driver or a front passenger from moving their seat all the way back, or from locking their seat-back in the desired position.

It can also interfere with proper operation of the passenger’s advanced front airbag system.

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If this occurs, we recommend that you install the child seat directly behind the front passenger’s seat, move the seat as far forward as needed, and leave it unoccupied. Or, you may wish to get a smaller rear-facing child seat.

WARNING

Placing a rear-facing child seat in the front seat can result in serious injury or death during a crash.

Always place a rear-facing child seat in the rear seat, not the front.

Many experts recommend use of a rear-facing seat for a child up to two years old if the child’s height and weight are appropriate for a rear-facing seat.

Rear-facing child seats should never be installed in a forward facing position.

Always refer to the child seat manufacturer’s instructions before installation.
If a child is at least one year old and has exceeded the weight and height limitations of a rearward facing child seat, the child should be properly restrained in a firmly secured forward facing child seat until they exceed the weight and height limitations for the forward facing child seat.

**Forward-facing child seat placement**
We strongly recommend placing a forward-facing child seat in a rear seating position.

Placing a forward-facing child seat in the front seat can be hazardous, even with advanced front airbags that automatically turn the passenger’s front airbag off. A rear seat is the safest place for a child.

**WARNING**

Placing a forward-facing child seat in the front seat can result in serious injury or death if the front airbag inflates.

If you must place a forward-facing child seat in front, move the vehicle seat as far back as possible, and properly restrain the child.

Educate yourself about the laws and regulations regarding child seat use where you are driving, and follow the child seat manufacturer’s instructions.
Most child seats are LATCH-compatible (Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children). Some have a rigid-type connector while others have a flexible-type connector. Both are equally easy to use. Some existing and previously owned child seats can only be installed using the seat belt. Whichever type you choose, follow the child seat manufacturer’s use and care instructions including recommended expiration dates as well as the instructions in this manual. Proper installation is key to maximizing your child’s safety.

In seating positions and vehicles not equipped with LATCH, a LATCH-compatible child seat can be installed using the seat belt and a top tether for added security. This is because all child seats are required to be designed so that they can be secured with the seat belt. In addition, the child seat manufacturer may advise that a seat belt be used to attach a LATCH-compatible seat once a child reaches a specified weight. Please read the child seat owner’s manual for proper installation instructions.

**Important consideration when selecting a child seat**

Make sure the child seat meets the following three requirements:

- The child seat is the correct type and size for the child.
- The child seat is the correct type for the seating position.

Installation of a LATCH-compatible child seat is simple.

LATCH-compatible child seats have been developed to simplify the installation process and reduce the likelihood of injuries caused by incorrect installation.
## Installing a LATCH-Compatible Child Seat

A LATCH-compatible child seat can be installed in the second row seats. A child seat is attached to the lower anchors with either the rigid or flexible type of connectors.

1. Locate the lower anchors under the marks.
2. Place the child seat on the vehicle seat, then attach the child seat to the lower anchors according to the instructions that came with the child seat.

When installing the child seat, make sure that the lower anchors are not obstructed by the seat belt or any other object.
3. Put the outer head restraint to its uppermost position, then route the tether strap between the head restraint legs, and secure the tether strap hook to the anchor. Make sure the strap is not twisted.

3. Put the center head restraint to its lowest position, then route the tether strap over the top of the head restraint and secure the tether strap hook to the anchor. Make sure the strap is not twisted.

4. Tighten the tether strap as instructed by the child seat manufacturer.

5. Make sure the child seat is firmly secured by rocking it forward and back and side to side; little movement should be felt.

6. Make sure any unused seat belt that a child can reach is buckled, the lockable retractor is activated, and the belt is fully retracted and locked.

For your child’s safety, when using a child seat installed using the LATCH system, make sure that the child seat is properly secured to the vehicle. A child seat that is not properly secured will not adequately protect a child in a crash and may cause injury to the child or other vehicle occupants.

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Installing a Child Seat with a Lap/Shoulder Seat Belt

1. Place the child seat on the vehicle seat.
2. Route the seat belt through the child seat according to the seat manufacturer's instructions, and insert the latch plate into the buckle.
   ► Insert the latch plate fully until it clicks.
3. Slowly pull the shoulder part of the belt all the way out until it stops. This activates the lockable retractor.
4. Let the seat belt retract a few inches and check that the retractor has switched modes by pulling on the webbing. It should not pull out again until it is reset by removing the latch plate from the buckle.
   ► If you are able to pull the shoulder belt out, the lockable retractor is not activated. Slowly pull the seat belt all the way out, and repeat steps 3 – 4.

Installing a Child Seat with a Lap/Shoulder Seat Belt

A child seat that is not properly secured will not adequately protect a child in a crash and may cause injury to the child or other vehicle occupants.
5. Grab the shoulder part of the seat belt near the buckle, and pull up to remove any slack from the lap part of the belt. When doing this, place your weight on the child seat and push it into the vehicle seat.

6. Make sure the child seat is firmly secured by rocking it forward and back and side to side; little movement should be felt.

7. Make sure any unused seat belt that a child can reach is buckled, the lockable retractor is activated, and the belt is fully retracted and locked.

To deactivate a lockable retractor, release the buckle and allow the seat belt to wind up all the way.

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Adding Security with a Tether

A tether anchorage point is provided behind each second and third row seating position. If you have a child restraint system that comes with a tether but can be installed with a seat belt, the tether may be used for additional security.

Adding Security with a Tether
Always use a tether for forward facing child seats when using the seat belt or lower anchors.
Using a second row anchor

Outer positions
1. Put the outer head restraint to its uppermost position, then route the tether strap between the head restraint legs, and secure the tether strap hook to the anchor. Make sure the strap is not twisted.

Center position of second row bench seat
1. Put the center head restraint to its lowest position, then route the tether strap over the top of the head restraint and secure the tether strap hook to the anchor. Make sure the strap is not twisted.

All positions
2. Tighten the tether strap as instructed by the child seat manufacturer.

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Using a third row anchor

1. Pull up the head restraint and push rearwards until it latches, then route the tether strap through the head restraint legs. Make sure the strap is not twisted.
2. Open the anchor cover.
3. Secure the tether strap hook to the anchor.
4. Tighten the tether strap as instructed by the child seat manufacturer.
Safety of Larger Children

Protecting Larger Children

The following pages give instructions on how to check proper seat belt fit, what kind of booster seat to use if one is needed, and important precautions for a child who must sit in front.

Checking Seat Belt Fit

When a child is too big for a child seat, secure the child in a rear seat using the lap/shoulder seat belt. Have the child sit upright and all the way back, then answer the following questions.

Checklist

- Do the child’s knees bend comfortably over the edge of the seat?
- Does the shoulder belt cross between the child’s neck and arm?
- Is the lap part of the seat belt as low as possible, touching the child’s thighs?
- Will the child be able to stay seated like this for the whole trip?

If you answer yes to all these questions, the child is ready to wear the lap/shoulder seat belt correctly. If you answer no to any question, the child needs to ride on a booster seat until the seat belt fits properly without a booster seat.

WARNING

Allowing a child age 12 or under to sit in front can result in injury or death if the passenger’s front airbag inflates.

If a larger child must ride in front, move the vehicle seat as far to the rear as possible, have the child sit up properly and wear the seat belt properly, using a booster seat if needed.
If a lap/shoulder seat belt cannot be used properly, position the child in a booster seat in the rear seat. For the child’s safety, check that the child meets the booster seat manufacturer’s recommendations.

Your vehicle has a rear seat where children can be properly restrained. If you ever have to carry a group of children, and a child must ride in front:

- Make sure you read and fully understand the instructions and safety information in this manual.
- Move the front passenger seat as far back as possible.
- Have the child sit upright and well back in the seat.
- Check that the seat belt is properly positioned so that the child is secure in the seat.

We strongly recommend that you keep an eye on child passengers. Even older, more mature children sometimes need to be reminded to fasten their seat belts and sit up properly.
Exhaust Gas Hazard

Carbon Monoxide Gas
The engine exhaust from this vehicle contains carbon monoxide, a colorless, odorless, and highly toxic gas. As long as you properly maintain your vehicle, carbon monoxide gas will not get into the interior.

- Have the exhaust system inspected for leaks whenever
  - The exhaust system is making an unusual noise.
  - The exhaust system may have been damaged.
  - The vehicle is raised for an oil change.

When you operate a vehicle with the tailgate open, airflow can pull exhaust gas into the interior and create a hazardous condition. If you must drive with the tailgate open, open all the windows and set the climate control system as shown below.

1. Select the fresh air mode.
2. Select the mode.
3. Set the fan speed to high.
4. Set the temperature control to a comfortable setting.

Adjust the climate control system in the same manner if you sit in your parked vehicle with the engine running.

- Carbon Monoxide Gas
  - Carbon monoxide gas is toxic.
  - Breathing it can cause unconsciousness and even kill you.
  - Avoid any enclosed areas or activities that expose you to carbon monoxide.

An enclosed area such as a garage can quickly fill up with carbon monoxide gas. Do not run the engine with the garage door closed. Even when the garage door is open, drive out of the garage immediately after starting the engine.
## Safety Labels

### Label Locations

These labels are in the locations shown. They warn you of potential hazards that can cause serious injury or death. Read these labels carefully.

If a label comes off or becomes hard to read (except for the U.S. dashboard label which may be removed by the owner), contact a dealer for a replacement.

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Instrument Panel

This chapter describes the buttons, indicators, and gauges that are used while driving.

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## Indicators

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| U.S. Brake Canada (Red) | Brake System Indicator (Red) | Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off. Comes on when the brake fluid level is low. Comes on if there is a problem with the brake system. | **Comes on while driving** - Check the brake fluid level.  
**What to do when the indicator comes on while driving** P. 543  
**Comes on along with the ABS indicator** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
**If the Brake System Indicator (Red) Comes On** P. 543 | ![Warning: Brake Fluid Low](image1) ![Brake System Problem](image2) |
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<td>Brake System Indicator (Amber)</td>
<td>• Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off. • Comes on if there is a problem with a system related to braking other than the conventional brake system. • Comes on if there is a problem with the electric parking brake system.</td>
<td>• <strong>Comes on while driving</strong> - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. • With this indicator on, your vehicle still has normal braking ability.</td>
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**U.S.**

- Brake System Problem
- Canada

**Canada**

- Electric Parking Brake System
- Automatic Brake Hold

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|           | Electric Parking Brake Indicator          | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on when the parking brake is applied, and goes off when it is released.  
• Comes on for about 15 seconds then goes off when you push the electric parking brake switch with the power mode in OFF.  
• Comes on for about 15 seconds then goes off when you set the power mode to OFF with the parking brake applied. | • **Blinks and the electric parking brake system indicator comes on at the same time** - There is a problem with the electric parking brake system. The parking brake may not be set.  
• Depress the brake pedal to release the parking brake.  
  - **Parking Brake** P. 428  
• **Comes on while driving** - Avoid using the parking brake and have your vehicle checked by a dealer immediately.  
  - **If the Electric Parking Brake System Indicator Comes On** P. 544 |
|           | Electric Parking Brake System Indicator   | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on if there is a problem with the electric parking brake system. |                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| ![Brake Hold System Indicator](image1) | Automatic Brake Hold System Indicator          | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on when the automatic brake hold system is on. | ![Automatic Brake Hold](image2) P. 432          |         |
| ![U.S. Hold](image3) | Automatic Brake Hold Indicator                  | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on when the automatic brake hold is activated. | ![Automatic Brake Hold](image2) P. 432          |         |
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| ![Value1](image1.png) | Low Oil Pressure Indicator | • Comes on when you set the power mode to ON, and goes off when the engine starts.  
• Comes on when the engine oil pressure is low. | **Comes on while driving** - Immediately stop in a safe place.  
[If the Low Oil Pressure Indicator Comes On](P. 541) | ![Image1](image1.png) |
| ![Value2](image2.png) | Malfunction Indicator Lamp | • Comes on when you set the power mode to ON, and goes off either when the engine starts or after several seconds if the engine did not start. If “readiness codes” have not been set, it blinks five times before it goes off.  
• Comes on if there is a problem with the emissions control systems.  
• Blinks when a misfire in the engine’s cylinders is detected. | **Readiness codes are part of the on board diagnostics for the emissions control systems.**  
[Testing of Readiness Codes](P. 565)  
**Comes on while driving** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
**Blinks while driving** - Stop in a safe place where there are no flammable objects. Stop the engine for 10 minutes or more, and wait for it to cool down. Then, take your vehicle to a dealer.  
[If the Malfunction Indicator Lamp Comes On or Blinks](P. 542) | ![Image2](image2.png) |
| ![Value3](image3.png) | Charging System Indicator | • Comes on when you set the power mode to ON, and goes off when the engine starts.  
• Comes on when the battery is not charging. | **Comes on while driving** - Turn off the climate control system and rear defogger in order to reduce electricity consumption.  
[If the Charging System Indicator Comes On](P. 541) | ![Image3](image3.png) |
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<td>M (sequential mode) Indicator/ Sequential Mode Gear Selection Indicator</td>
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<td>Transmission Indicator</td>
<td>The indicated current gear selection blinks if there is a problem with the transmission system.</td>
<td>Avoid sudden start and acceleration, and stop in a safe place immediately. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
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<td>All the gear positions may light for several seconds, and go off.</td>
<td>When all the gear positions light, immediately stop your vehicle in a safe place. Indicators go off if there is no problem. However, even if they go off, take your vehicle to a dealer for inspection.</td>
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|          | The indicated current gear selection or all the gear positions blink if there is a problem with the transmission system, and the vehicle no longer moves. | Immediately stop in a safe place.  
- Emergency Towing P. 554  
- Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. |  |
|          | The indicated current gear selection or all the gear positions blink if you cannot select [P] due to the transmission system failure. | The engine can be activated as a temporary measure.  
- If the Transmission Indicator Blinks along with the Warning Message P. 545  
- Set the parking brake when parking.  
- Have your vehicle checked by a dealer immediately. |  |
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| ![Seat Belt Reminder Indicator](image1) | Seat Belt Reminder Indicator | • Comes on and the beeper sounds if you are not wearing a seat belt when you set the power mode to ON.  
• If the front passenger is not wearing a seat belt, the indicator comes on about a few seconds later.  
• Blinks while driving if either you or the front passenger has not fastened a seat belt. The beeper sounds and the indicator blinks at regular intervals. | • The beeper stops and the indicator goes off when you and the front passenger fasten their seat belts.  
• **Stays on after you or the front passenger has fastened the seat belt** - A detection error may have occurred in the sensor. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
**Seat Belt Reminder** P. 34 | ![Seat Belt Reminder](image2) |
| ![Low Fuel Indicator](image3) | Low Fuel Indicator | • Comes on when the fuel reserve is running low (approximately 2.5 U.S. gal./9.5 Liter left).  
• Blinks if there is a problem with the fuel gauge. | • **Comes on** - Refuel your vehicle as soon as possible.  
• **Blinks** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. | ![Fuel Low](image4) |
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<td>Stays on constantly - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. With this indicator on, your vehicle still has normal braking ability but no anti-lock function.</td>
<td>Anti-lock Brake System (ABS) P. 434</td>
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<td>Supplemental Restraint System Indicator</td>
<td>Supplemental Restraint System</td>
<td>Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off. Comes on if a problem with any of the following is detected: - Supplemental restraint system - Side airbag system - Side curtain airbag system - Seat belt tensioner</td>
<td>Stays on constantly or does not come on at all - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
<td>Airbag System (SRS) Problem</td>
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<td>Auto High-Beam Indicator</td>
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<td>Comes on when all the operating conditions of the Auto high-beam are met.</td>
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| ![Car Icon] | **Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®)**<br>System Indicator | - Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
- Blinks when VSA®, or trailer stability assist is active.  
- Comes on if there is a problem with the VSA®, hill start assist, trailer stability assist or brake lighting system. | **Stays on constantly** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
- [Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®), aka Electronic Stability Control (ESC), System](P. 418)  
- [Trailer Stability Assist](P. 362)  
- [Hill start assist system](P. 371)  
- When **Trailer Stability Assist Problem** is displayed on the MID, the VSA® does not activate. | ![Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) Problem](P. 418)  
![Hill start assist system](P. 371)  
![Trailer Stability Assist Problem](P. 362) |
| ![Off Icon] | **VSA® OFF**<br>Indicator | - Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
- Comes on when you partially disable VSA®. | **VSA® On and Off** P. 419 | — |

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| ![Speed-sensitive Electric Power Steering (EPS) System Indicator](image) | Speed-sensitive Electric Power Steering (EPS) System Indicator | • Comes on when you set the power mode to ON, and goes off when the engine starts.  
• Comes on if there is a problem with the EPS system. | **Stays on constantly or does not come on at all** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
**If the Speed-Sensitive Electric Power Steering (EPS) System Indicator Comes On** P. 543 | |
| ![Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator](image) | Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on if the tire pressure of any of the tires becomes significantly low.  
• Blinks for about one minute, and then stays on if there is a problem with the TPMS, or when a spare tire* is temporarily installed. | **Comes on while driving** - Stop in a safe place, check tire pressures, and inflate the tire(s) if necessary.  
**Blinks and remains on** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. If the vehicle is fitted with a spare, get your regular tire repaired or replaced and put back on your vehicle as soon as you can. | |
| ![Turn Signal and Hazard Warning Indicators](image) | Turn Signal and Hazard Warning Indicators | • Blinks when you operate the turn signal lever.  
• Blinks along with all turn signals if you press the hazard warning button. | **Does not blink or blinks rapidly**  
**Replacing Light Bulbs** P. 481 | |
| ![High Beam Indicator](image) | High Beam Indicator | • Comes on when the high beam headlights are on. | — | — |

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<td>Fog Light Indicator*</td>
<td>• Comes on when the fog lights are on.</td>
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|          | Immobilizer System Indicator| • Comes on briefly when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off. | • **Blinks** - You cannot start the engine. Set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK), then select the ON mode again.  
  • **Repeatedly blinks** - The system may be malfunctioning. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
  • Do not attempt to alter this system or add other devices to it. Electrical problems can occur. |         |

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<td><img src="image" alt="Security System Alarm Indicator" /></td>
<td>Security System Alarm Indicator</td>
<td>• Blinks when the security system alarm has been set.</td>
<td><a href="#">Security System Alarm</a> P. 157</td>
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| ![System Message Indicator](image) | System Message Indicator     | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on along with a beep when a problem is detected. A system message on the MID appears at the same time.  
• While the indicator is on, roll the multifunction steering wheel control to see the message again.  
• Refer to the Indicators information in this chapter when a system message appears on the MID. Take the appropriate action for the message.  
• The MID does not return to the normal screen unless the warning is canceled, or the multifunction steering-wheel controls is rolled. | — | — |
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|           |      | ● Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
        |      | ● Comes on as soon as a problem is detected in the keyless access system or keyless starting system. | ● Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. | [Keyless Access System Indicator](#) |
| ❌        |      | ● Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
        |      | ● Comes on if there is a problem with the SH-AWD® system.  
        |      | ● Blinks when the differential temperature is too high. | - **Stays on constantly** - The engine drives the front wheels only in this state. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
        |      | [Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®) System Indicator](#) | - **Blinks while driving** - Stop in a safe place, change to **P**, and idle the engine until the indicator goes off. If the indicator does not stop blinking, take your vehicle to a dealer.  
        |      | [Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®)](#) | [Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®)](#) | [Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®)](#) |

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<td><strong>Auto Idle Stop Indicator (Green)</strong>*</td>
<td>• Comes on when Auto Idle Stop is in operation. The engine automatically shuts off.</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Auto Idle Stop*" /> P. 382</td>
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| ![Amber](image) | **Auto Idle Stop System Indicator (Amber)***   | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Blinks if there is a problem with the Auto Idle Stop System. | ![Blinks](image) - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.                                      | ![Auto Engine Idle Stop System Problem](image) |
| ![Amber](image) | • Comes on when Auto Idle Stop System has been turned off by Auto Idle Stop OFF Button. | ![Auto Idle Stop System ON/OFF](image) P. 382                                   |                                                                                                 |         |

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| Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS) Indicator (Amber) | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Comes on if there is a problem with the LKAS. | • **Stays on constantly** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. | | |
| Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS) Indicator (Green) | • Comes on when you press the MAIN button.  
• Comes on when the LKAS is in operation, or the LKAS button is pressed, but the temperature inside the front sensor camera is too high. The LKAS cancels automatically. The beeper sounds simultaneously.  
• Comes on when the area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc. Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth.  
• May come on when driving in bad weather (rain, snow, fog, etc.) | • **Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)**  
P. 410  
• **Use the climate control system to cool down the camera.**  
• **Goes off** - The camera has been cooled down and the system activates normally.  
• **Front Sensor Camera**  
P. 388 | | |
| | | • Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the indicator and message come back on after you cleaned the area around the camera. | | |
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<td>Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) Indicator</td>
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<td>• Comes on for a few seconds when you change the power mode to ON, then goes off. • Comes on if there is a problem with the RDM system.</td>
<td>• <strong>Stays on constantly</strong> - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Road Departure Mitigation Problem" /></td>
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<td>• Comes on when the RDM system shuts itself off.</td>
<td>• <strong>Stays on</strong> - The temperature inside the camera is too high. Use the climate control system to cool down the camera. The system activates when the temperature inside the camera cools down.</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Some Driver Assist Systems Control Operation" /></td>
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<td>• Comes on when the RDM system shuts itself off.</td>
<td>• <strong>Stays on</strong> - The area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc. Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth. • Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the indicator and message come back on after you cleaned the area around the camera.</td>
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<td>Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) Indicator</td>
<td>• Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.</td>
<td>• Comes on while driving - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
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<td>(Amber)</td>
<td>• Comes on if there is a problem with ACC with LSF.</td>
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<td>Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) Indicator</td>
<td>• Comes on when you press the MAIN button.</td>
<td>• Comes on if anything covers the radar sensor cover and prevents the sensor from detecting a vehicle in front.</td>
<td>➤ Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) P. 390</td>
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<td>(Green)</td>
<td>• Comes on if anything covers the radar sensor cover and prevents the sensor from detecting a vehicle in front.</td>
<td>• May come on when driving in bad weather (rain, snow, fog, etc.)</td>
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<td>• ACC has been automatically canceled.</td>
<td>• When the radar sensor gets dirty, stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe off dirt using a soft cloth.</td>
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<td>• Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the message does not disappear even after you clean the sensor cover.</td>
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<td>Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) Indicator (Green)</td>
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<td>• Comes on when ACC with LSF is in operation, but the temperature inside the front sensor camera is too high. ACC with LSF cancels automatically. The beeper sounds simultaneously. • Comes on when the area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc. Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth. • May come on when driving in bad weather (rain, snow, fog, etc.)</td>
<td>• Use the climate control system to cool down the camera. • <strong>Goes off</strong> - The camera has been cooled down and the system activates normally.</td>
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|           | Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™) Indicator | - Comes on for a few seconds when you change the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
- Comes on when you deactivate the CMBS™. A multi-information display message appears for five seconds.  
- Comes on if there is a problem with the CMBS™. | - **Stays on constantly without the CMBS™ off** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.  
[Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™) P. 436](source) |         |
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<td>Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™) Indicator</td>
<td>Comes on when the CMBS™ system shuts itself off.</td>
<td>• <strong>Stays on</strong> - The area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc. Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth.&lt;br&gt;  <a href="#">Front Sensor Camera</a> P. 388</td>
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<td>• When the radar sensor gets dirty, stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe off dirt using a soft cloth.&lt;br&gt; • Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the message does not disappear even after you clean the sensor cover.&lt;br&gt;  <a href="#">Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)</a> P. 436</td>
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<td>• <strong>Stays on</strong> - The temperature inside the camera is too high. Use the climate control system to cool down the camera. The system activates when the temperature inside the camera cools down.&lt;br&gt;  <a href="#">Front Sensor Camera</a> P. 388</td>
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| Blind spot information (BSI) Indicator | • Comes on for a few seconds when you set the power mode to ON, then goes off.  
• Stays on while BSI is turned off. |  
• Comes on when mud, snow, or ice accumulates in the vicinity of sensor. | **Comes on while driving** - Remove the obstacle in the vicinity of sensor.  
[Blind spot information (BSI) System*](#)  
P. 421 | ![Blind spot info Not Available](image)  
![Blind spot info System Problem](image) |
| |  
• Comes on if there is a problem with the system. | **Comes on while driving** - Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. |  | ![Blind spot info Not Available](image) |
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The following messages appear only on the MID. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls to see the message again with the system message indicator on.

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<td>Appears if any door or the tailgate is not completely closed.</td>
<td>Goes off when all doors and the tailgate are closed.</td>
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<td>Tailgate Open</td>
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<td>Door And Tailgate Open</td>
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<td>Hood Open</td>
<td>Appears when the hood is opened.</td>
<td>Close the hood.</td>
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<td>Washer Fluid Low</td>
<td>Appears when the washer fluid is low.</td>
<td>• Refill washer fluid.</td>
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<td>² Refilling Window Washer Fluid P. 480</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mask Rin And Shift To Park To Change Settings</td>
<td>Appears while you are customizing the settings and the transmission is in other than [P].</td>
<td>² Customized Features P. 123</td>
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<td>Transmission Temperature</td>
<td>Appears when the transmission system temperature is too high. The vehicle does not operate properly.</td>
<td>• You may find it difficult to accelerate, or to start the vehicle on uphill.</td>
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<td>• Immediately stop in a safe place in [P].</td>
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<td>• Let the engine idle until the message disappears.</td>
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<td>Battery Problem</td>
<td>Appears when there is a problem with the sensor on the battery.</td>
<td>• Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
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<td>² Checking the Battery P. 499</td>
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<td>Battery Problem</td>
<td>Appears along with the battery charging system indicator when the battery is not charging.</td>
<td>• Turn off the climate control system and rear defogger to reduce electricity consumption.</td>
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<td>² If the Charging System Indicator Comes On P. 541</td>
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<td>Maintenance Due Soon</td>
<td>Appears when the scheduled maintenance is due soon. Consequently, Maintenance Due Now and Maintenance Past Due follow.</td>
<td>Maintenance Minder Messages on the Multi-Information Display (MID) P. 466</td>
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<td>Overheating</td>
<td>Appears when the engine coolant temperature gets abnormally high.</td>
<td>Overheating P. 539</td>
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<td>Power Tailgate Problem</td>
<td>Appears when there is a problem with the power tailgate system.</td>
<td>Manually open or close the power tailgate. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.</td>
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| ![U.S. Starter System Problem](image) | ● Appears if there is a problem with the starter system. | ● Hold the ENGINE START/STOP button up to 15 seconds to start the engine.  
[Starting the Engine](#) P. 367  
Have your vehicle checked by a dealer. |
| ![Canada Starter System Problem](image) | ● Appears when you set the power mode to ACCESSORY or ON. | [Starting the Engine](#) P. 367 |
| ![Models with Auto Idle Stop](image) | ● Appears when the engine does not restart automatically due to the following reason:  
● The hood is open.  
● There is a problem in the system that disables Auto Idle Stop. | Models with Auto Idle Stop  
● Follow the normal procedure to start the engine.  
[Starting the Engine](#) P. 367  
● Close the hood. |
| ![Canadian models](image) | ● Appears when the steering wheel is locked. | ● Move the steering wheel left and right while pressing the ENGINE START/STOP button. |
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<td>Accessory Mode</td>
<td>• Appears when the power mode is in ACCESSORY.</td>
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<td>To Switch Vehicle Off, Push Twice</td>
<td>• Appears after the driver’s door is opened when the power mode is in ACCESSORY.</td>
<td>• Press the ENGINE START/STOP button twice with your foot off the brake pedal to change the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).</td>
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| Keyless Remote Not Detected | • Appears when you close the door with the power mode is in ON without the keyless access remote inside the vehicle. | • Disappears when you bring the keyless access remote back inside the vehicle and close the door.  
  ➤ Keyless Access Remote Reminder P. 165 |
| Keyless Remote Battery Low | • Appears when the keyless access remote battery becomes weak. | • Replace the battery as soon as possible.  
  ➤ Replacing the Button Battery P. 501 |
| To Start, Hold Remote Near Start Button | • Appears if the keyless access remote’s battery is too weak to start the engine or the key is not within operating range to start the engine. The beeper sounds six times. | • Bring the keyless access remote in front of the ENGINE START/STOP button to be touched with.  
  ➤ If the Keyless Access Remote Battery is Weak P. 535 |
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<td>To Shift From <strong>P</strong> Engine Must Be Running</td>
<td>Appears when you attempt to change to another gear position with the transmission in <strong>P</strong> and the engine OFF.</td>
<td>To select another gear position while in <strong>P</strong> the engine must be ON.</td>
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<td>Door is Open, Shift to Park</td>
<td>Appears when you try to change the gear position after the position has automatically been changed to <strong>P</strong> with the driver’s door open and the driver’s seat belt unfastened.</td>
<td>Press the <strong>P</strong> button if you leave the vehicle.</td>
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<td>Shift to Park</td>
<td>Appears when the vehicle is stopped with the driver’s seat belt unfastened and there is a chance that the vehicle may roll unintentionally.</td>
<td>Press the <strong>P</strong> button before release the brake pedal when idling, parking or exiting the vehicle.</td>
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<td>Models with Auto Idle Stop</td>
<td>Appears when the engine stops without the transmission in <strong>P</strong>, and does not restart automatically.</td>
<td>If you want to set the power mode to ON, change the gear position to <strong>P</strong>.</td>
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<td>Appears if you open the hood while Auto Idle Stop activates.</td>
<td>If you want to start the engine, follow the normal procedure.</td>
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<td>If you want to keep the transmission in <strong>N</strong> position [car wash mode]</td>
<td>If you change to <strong>N</strong>, then release the <strong>N</strong> button.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Models with Auto Idle Stop</td>
<td>Appears when you change to <strong>N</strong>, then release the <strong>N</strong> button.</td>
<td>If you want to keep the transmission in <strong>N</strong> position [car wash mode] P. 378</td>
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<td>● Appears when you try to change the gear position without depressing the brake pedal.</td>
<td>● Depress the brake pedal, then select a shift button.</td>
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<td>● Appears when you try to change the gear position without releasing your foot off the accelerator pedal.</td>
<td>● Release your foot off the accelerator pedal, then select a shift button.</td>
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<td>● Appears when the ( P ) button is pressed while the vehicle is moving. \linebreak● Appears if you change the gear position to ( R ) while the vehicle is moving forward, or to ( D ) while the vehicle is reversing.</td>
<td>● Make sure that the vehicle comes to a stop before operating the select button.</td>
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<td>● Appears when you set the power mode to ON without fastening the driver’s seat belt. \linebreak● Appears when you change the gear position after ( P ) has been automatically selected with the driver’s door open, the driver’s seat belt unfastened, then the brake pedal is released.</td>
<td>● Fasten the seat belt properly before you start to drive. ( \rightarrow ) Shift Operation P. 376</td>
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<tr>
<td>● Appears when you press the ( P ) button but it is not engaged due to low ATF temperature.</td>
<td>● Depress the brake pedal until this message disappear.</td>
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<td><img src="image1" alt="Dynamic Mode" /></td>
<td>Appears when pressing the Dynamic Mode button. Press again to change the next mode.</td>
<td><a href="#">Integrated Dynamics System</a> P. 387</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="image2" alt="Engine Cooling Problem" /></td>
<td>Appears if there is a problem with the cooling system.</td>
<td>Drive slowly to prevent overheating and have your vehicle checked by a dealer as soon as possible.</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="image3" alt="Headlight Problem" /></td>
<td>Appears when there is a problem with the headlights.</td>
<td>Appears while driving - The headlights may not be on. When conditions allow you to drive safely, have your vehicle checked by a dealer as soon as possible.</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="image4" alt="Parking Sensor System Problem" /></td>
<td>Appears if there is a problem with the parking sensor system*.</td>
<td>Check if the area around the sensor(s) is covered with mud, ice, snow, etc. If the indicator(s) stays on or the beeper does not stop even after you clean the area, have the system checked by a dealer.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Brake Hold Disabled" /></td>
<td>• Appears if the automatic brake hold is automatically canceled while it is in operation.</td>
<td>• Immediately depress the brake pedal.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Brake Hold System Off" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the automatic brake hold system is turned off.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="To Enable Brake Hold" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the automatic brake hold button is pressed without wearing the driver’s seat belt.</td>
<td>• Fasten the driver’s seat belt.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="To Disable Brake Hold" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the automatic brake hold button is pressed without depressing the brake pedal while the automatic brake hold is in operation.</td>
<td>• Press the automatic brake hold button with the brake pedal depressed.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Parking Brake" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the parking brake is applied automatically while it is in operation.</td>
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| ![Auto High-Beam Problem](image1) | • Appears if there is a problem with the Auto high-beam. | • Manually operate the headlight switch.  
• If you are driving with the high-beam headlights when this happens, the headlights are changed to low beams. |
| ![Some Driver Assist System Camera Temperature](image2) | • Appears when the Auto high-beam is in operation, or the headlight switch is turned in AUTO, but there the temperature inside the camera is too high. The Auto high-beam cancels automatically. | • Use the climate control system to cool down the camera.  
• **Goes off** - The camera has been cooled down. Turing the headlight switch in AUTO can resume the system. [Front Sensor Camera P. 388](#) |
| ![Some Driver Assist Systems Cannot Operate Due to Front Weather](image3) | • Appears when the area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc. Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth.  
• May appear when driving in bad weather (rain, snow, fog, etc.) | • Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the message comes back on after you cleaned the area around the camera. |
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<td><img src="image" alt="BRAKE" /></td>
<td>• Flashes when the system senses a likely collision with a vehicle in front of you.</td>
<td>• Take the appropriate means to prevent a collision (apply the brakes, change lanes, etc.)</td>
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<td>✅ Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™) P. 436</td>
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| ACC Off                                      | • Appears when ACC with LSF has been automatically canceled.                                 | • You can resume the set speed after the condition that caused ACC with LSF to cancel improves. Press the **RES/+SET/-** switch up.  
  📖 **Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390 |
| Cruise Cancelled: No Vehicle Detected Ahead  | • Appears when the vehicle speed slows down to 25 mph (40 km/h) and the vehicle ahead of you goes out of the ACC with LSF range while ACC with LSF is in operation. | • ACC with LSF has been automatically canceled.  
  📖 **Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390 |
| Cannot Set Cruise: No Vehicle Detected Ahead  | • Appears when pressing the **RES/+** switch down while the vehicle speed is less than 25 mph (40 km/h) and the vehicle ahead of you goes out of the ACC with LSF range. | • ACC with LSF cannot be set.  
  📖 **Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390 |
| Cruise Cancelled Too Close To Vehicle Ahead   | • Appears when the distance between your vehicle and the vehicle ahead of you is too close while ACC with LSF is in operation. | • ACC with LSF has been automatically canceled.  
  📖 **Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390 |
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<td>Appears when pressing the <strong>RES/+</strong> switch down while the distance between your vehicle and the vehicle ahead of you is too close.</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Cannot Set Cruise: Fasted Seat Belt" /></td>
<td>Appears when pressing the <strong>RES/+</strong> switch down while the driver’s seat belt is unfastened.</td>
<td><img src="image" alt="Cannot Set Cruise: Fasted Seat Belt" /></td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Cannot Set Cruise: Shift To Drive" /></td>
<td>Appears when pressing the <strong>RES/+</strong> switch down while the transmission is not in <strong>D</strong>.</td>
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- ACC with LSF cannot be set.
- **Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390
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<td>Appears when the vehicle is stopped on a very steep slope while ACC with LSF is in operation.</td>
<td>• ACC with LSF has been automatically canceled.  <a href="#">Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) P. 390</a></td>
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<td>Cruise Cancelled: Slope Too Steep</td>
<td>Appears when pressing the RES/+/- switch down while the vehicle is stopped on a very steep slope.</td>
<td>• ACC with LSF cannot be set.  <a href="#">Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) P. 390</a></td>
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<td>Cannot Set Cruise: Slope Too Steep</td>
<td>Appears when pressing the RES/+/- switch down while the parking brake is applied.</td>
<td>• ACC with LSF cannot be set.  <a href="#">Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF) P. 390</a>  <a href="#">Parking Brake P. 428</a></td>
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<td>Appears if ACC with LSF is canceled while your vehicle is automatically stopped by ACC with LSF. The beeper sounds.</td>
<td>● Immediately depress the brake pedal.</td>
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| 🚫 | Appears when pressing the **RES/+**/**SET/-** switch down while the vehicle is moving and the brake pedal is depressed. | ● ACC with LSF cannot be set.  
**Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)** P. 390 |
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#### Models with two-way keyless access remote

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<td>• Appears when you unlock and open the driver’s door while the engine is running by two-way keyless access remote.</td>
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<td>- Remote Engine Start with Vehicle Feedback* [P. 369]</td>
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* Not available on all models

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| Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS) | Appears when the vehicle is driving out of a detected lane. Rapid vibrations on the steering wheel. | Keep the vehicle within the lane you are driving. The color of either line changes from white to amber as the vehicle gets closer to that side of the lane line. | Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS) P. 410  
Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System P. 405 |
| Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System | Appears when the vehicle is driving out of a detected lane. **When you selected Warning Only**  
- Rapid vibrations on the steering wheel when the vehicle is drifting out of a detected lane.  
**When you selected Normal or Wide**  
- Rapid vibrations on the steering wheel with steering assist when the vehicle is drifting out of a detected lane. | | |
| Steering Required | Blinks when you fail to steer the vehicle. The beeper sounds simultaneously if selected by customization. | Operate the steering wheel to resume the LKAS. | |
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<td><img src="image" alt="LKAS Off" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the LKAS is in operation, or the LKAS button is pressed,</td>
<td>• If any other system indicators come on, such as the VSA®, ABS and brake</td>
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<td>but there is a problem with a system related to the LKAS. The LKAS</td>
<td>system, take appropriate action.</td>
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<td>cancels automatically. The beeper sounds simultaneously if selected by</td>
<td><a href="#">Indicators P. 74</a></td>
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<td>customization.</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="image" alt="Camera Temperature" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the LKAS is in operation, or the LKAS button is pressed,</td>
<td>• Use the climate control system to cool down the camera.</td>
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<td>but there the temperature inside the LKAS camera is too high. The LKAS</td>
<td>• Goes off - The camera has been cooled down. Pressing the LKAS button can</td>
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<td><img src="image" alt="Camera Blockage" /></td>
<td>• Appears when the area around the camera is blocked by dirt, mud, etc.</td>
<td>• Have your vehicle checked by a dealer if the indicator and message come</td>
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<td>Stop your vehicle in a safe place, and wipe it off with a soft cloth.</td>
<td>back on after you cleaned the area around the camera.</td>
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<td>• May appear when driving in bad weather (rain, snow, fog, etc.)</td>
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Message: Appears when the LKAS is in operation, or the LKAS button is pressed, but there is a problem with a system related to the LKAS. The LKAS cancels automatically. The beeper sounds simultaneously if selected by customization.

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- Use the climate control system to cool down the camera.
- Goes off - The camera has been cooled down. Pressing the LKAS button can resume the system.
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### Models with Auto Idle Stop

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| ● Appears when Auto Engine Idle Stop Guidance Screens ON has been selected from the customization menu.  
● Appears when Auto Idle Stop does not activate for some reason. 
● Appears when the engine restarts automatically. 
● Appears when the battery temperature is around 14°F (−10°C) or lower. 
● Appears when Auto Idle Stop does not activate because the climate control system is in use, and the difference between the set temperature and actual interior temperature becomes significant. 
● Appears when Auto Idle Stop does not activate because the engine coolant temperature is low or high. | ![Auto Engine Idle Stop Unavailable](image) | ![Auto Idle Stop*](image) P. 382 |
| ● Appears when Auto Idle Stop does not activate because the battery charge level is low. | ● Appears even though the battery is fully charged- The system may not read the battery amount correctly. Drive for a few minutes. 
● Appears after charging the battery or jump starting - Disconnect the negative − cable once and reconnect it again to the battery. Drive a few minutes. | |
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<td><img src="image1.png" alt="Image" /></td>
<td>Appears when Auto Idle Stop does not activate because the pressure to the brake pedal is not enough.</td>
<td>Depress the brake pedal firmly.</td>
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<tr>
<td><img src="image2.png" alt="Image" /></td>
<td>Appears when <strong>Auto Engine Idle Stop Guidance Screens ON</strong> has been selected from the customization menu.</td>
<td>The engine restarts automatically in a few seconds. <strong>Starting the Engine</strong> P. 367</td>
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</table>
  * Appears when the system is under the following conditions while Auto Idle Stop activates:  
    * The battery charge level is low.  
    * The battery temperature is around 14°F (−10°C) or lower.  
    * The climate control system is in use, and the difference between the set temperature and actual interior temperature becomes significant.  
    * The humidity in the interior is high. |
Gauges and Multi-Information Display (MID)

Gauges

Gauges include the speedometer, tachometer, fuel gauge, and related indicators. They are displayed when the power mode is in ON.

■ Speedometer

Displays your driving speed in mph (U.S.) or km/h (Canada).

■ Tachometer

Shows the number of engine revolutions per minute.

■ Fuel Gauge

Displays the amount of fuel left in the fuel tank.

■ Temperature Gauge

Displays the temperature of the engine coolant.

NOTICE
You should refuel when the reading approaches □. Running out of fuel can cause the engine to misfire, damaging the catalytic converter.

The actual amount of remaining fuel may differ from the fuel gauge reading.

NOTICE
Driving with the temperature gauge pointer in the upper zone can cause serious engine damage. Pull safely to the side of the road and allow engine temperature to return to normal.

□ Overheating P. 539
**MID**

The MID shows the odometer, trip meter, outside temperature indicator, and other gauges. It also displays important messages such as warnings and other helpful information.

### Switching the Display

**Main displays**

Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls to change the display.

* Not available on all models
- **Lower displays**
  Press the TRIP button to change the display.

- **Odometer**
  Shows the total number of miles (U.S.) or kilometers (Canada) that your vehicle has accumulated.
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- **Trip Meter**
  Shows the total number of miles (U.S.) or kilometers (Canada) driven since the last reset. Meters A and B can be used to measure two separate trips.

  - **Resetting a trip meter**
    To reset a trip meter, display it, then press and hold the TRIP button until the trip meter is reset to 0.0.

- **Outside Temperature**
  Shows the outside temperature in Fahrenheit (U.S.) or Celsius (Canada).

  - **Adjusting the outside temperature display**
    Adjust the temperature reading up to ±5°F or ±3°C if the temperature reading seems incorrect.

- **Average Fuel Economy**
  Shows the estimated average fuel economy of each trip meter in mpg (U.S.) or l/100 km (Canada). The display is updated at set intervals. When a trip meter is reset, the average fuel economy is also reset.

  - **Reset**
    Switch between trip meter A and trip meter B by pressing the TRIP button.

  - **Outside Temperature**
    The temperature sensor is located in the front bumper. Road heat and exhaust from another vehicle can affect the temperature reading when your vehicle speed is less than 19 mph (30 km/h).

    It may take several minutes for the display to be updated after the temperature reading has stabilized.

    Use the MID's customized features to correct the temperature.

    - **Customized Features** P. 123

  - **Average Fuel Economy**
    You can change when to reset the average fuel economy.

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■ Instant Fuel Economy
Shows the instant fuel economy as a bar graph in mpg (U.S.) or l/100 km (Canada).

■ Range
Shows the estimated distance you can travel on the remaining fuel. This distance is estimated from the fuel economy of your previous trips.

■ Elapsed Time
Shows the time elapsed since Trip A or Trip B was reset.

■ Average Speed
Shows the average speed in mph (U.S.) or km/h (Canada) since Trip A or Trip B was reset.

Elapsed Time
You can change when to reset the elapsed time.

Average Speed
You can change when to reset the average speed.
- **Gauges and Multi-Information Display (MID)**

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#### SH-AWD® Torque Distribution Monitor*

The indicators on the display show the amount of torque being transferred to the right front, left front, right rear, and left rear wheels.

- **Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®)** P. 423

#### Current Mode for Dynamic Mode

Shows the current mode for Dynamic Mode.

- **Integrated Dynamics System** P. 387

#### Turn-by-Turn Directions

- **Models with navigation system**

  Shows you turn-by-turn driving directions to your destination linked with the navigation system.

- **Refer to the navigation system**

  The multi-information display shows a compass when the route guidance is not used.

  You can select whether the turn-by-turn display comes on or not during the route guidance.

- **Customized Features** P. 123

- **Refer to the navigation system**

* Not available on all models

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- **Gauges and Multi-Information Display (MID)**

- **Engine Oil Life and Maintenance Items**
  Shows the remaining oil life and Maintenance Minder™.
  - Maintenance Minder™ P. 465

- **Tire Pressure Monitor**
  Shows each tire’s pressure.
  - Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) P. 424
**Customized Features**

Use the MID to customize certain features.

**How to customize**

Select the **Vehicle Settings** screen by rolling the multi-function steering-wheel controls while the power mode is in ON, and the vehicle is at a complete stop. Push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

**MID: Goes to Vehicle Settings.**

**Multi-function Steering-wheel Controls**
- Roll: Changes the customize menus and items.
- Push: Enter the selected item.

Customization is possible when you see the driver’s ID (**Driver 1** or **Driver 2**) on the screen. The driver’s ID indicates which remote transmitter you have used to unlock the driver’s door. The customized settings are recalled every time you unlock the driver’s door with that remote.

Change to **P** before you attempt to change any customized setting.

Customizing is also available from the audio/information screen. You cannot have **Vehicle Settings** displayed on the multi-information display while the audio/information screen shows the same menu.

**Customized Features**

To customize other features, roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

- **List of customizable options** P. 126
- **Example of customization settings** P. 131

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**Customization flow**

Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls to select **Vehicle Settings** and push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

- **Vehicle Settings**
  - **Push**
  - **Driver Assist System Setup**
    - **Push**
    - **Roll**
      - **Driver Assist System Setup**
        - **Push**
        - **Roll**
          - **Driver Assist System Setup**
            - **Push**
            - **Roll**
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- **Forward Collision Warning Distance**
  - **ACC Forward Vehicle Detect Beep**
  - **ACC Display Speed Unit**
  - **Road Departure Mitigation Setting**
  - **Lane Keeping Assist Suspend Beep**
    - **Blind Spot Info**

- **Language Selection**
  - **Adjust Outside Temp. Display**
  - **“Trip A” Reset Timing**
  - **“Trip B” Reset Timing**
  - **Reverse Alert Tone**
  - **Auto Engine Idle Stop Guidance Screens**
    - **Turn by Turn Display**

- **Memory Position Link**
  - **Easy Entry/Exit**
  - **Door Unlock Mode**
  - **Keyless Access Beep Volume**
  - **Keyless Access Light Flash**
  - **Keyless Access Beep**
  - **Remote Start System On/Off**
  - **Walk Away Auto Lock**

* Not available on all models
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- Exit
- Door Setup
  - Dynamic Mode Setup
  - Default All
- Lighting Setup
  - Interior Light Dimming Time
  - Headlight Auto Off Timer
  - Auto Light Sensitivity
- Door Setup
  - Auto Door Lock
  - Auto Door Unlock
  - Key And Remote Unlock Mode
  - Keyless Lock Answer Back
  - Security Relock Timer
  - Auto Folding Door Mirror
- Power Tailgate Setup
  - Keyless Open Mode
  - Power Open By Outer Handle
- Dynamic Mode Setup
  - Preferred Dynamic Mode
- Maintenance Info.
  - Maintenance Reset

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<td>ACC Forward Vehicle Detect Beep</td>
<td>Causes the system to beep when the system detects a vehicle, or when the vehicle goes out of the ACC with LSF range.</td>
<td>On/Off ¹</td>
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<td>ACC Display Speed Unit</td>
<td>Changes the speed unit for ACC with LSF on the MID.</td>
<td>mph⁻¹/km/h (U.S.)</td>
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<td>Road Departure Mitigation Setting</td>
<td>Changes the setting for the road departure mitigation system.</td>
<td>Normal ¹/Wide/Warning Only</td>
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<td>Lane Keeping Assist Suspend Beep</td>
<td>Causes the system to beep when the LKAS is suspended.</td>
<td>On/Off ¹</td>
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<td>Blind Spot Info ²</td>
<td>Changes the setting for the blind spot information.</td>
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*¹: Default Setting

*²: Not available on all models
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<td>Changes the displayed language.</td>
<td>English*1/Français/Español</td>
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<td><strong>Adjust Outside Temp. Display</strong></td>
<td>Adjusts the temperature reading by a few degrees.</td>
<td>-5°F ~ ±0°F ~ +5°F (U.S.)</td>
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<td>-3°C ~ ±0°C ~ +3°C (Canada)</td>
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<td><strong>“Trip A” Reset Timing</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting of how to reset trip meter A, average fuel economy A, average speed A, and elapsed time A.</td>
<td>When Refueled/IGN Off/Manually Reset*1</td>
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| Easy Entry/Exit                        | Moves the seat rearward and steering wheel fully up when you get in/get out of the vehicle. Changes the setting for this feature. | Seat & Steering Wheel¹/  
Seat Only/Steering Wheel Only/Off |
| Door Unlock Mode                       | Changes which doors unlock when you grab the driver’s door handle.          | Driver’s Door or Tailgate  
Only¹/All Doors               |
| Keyless Access Beep Volume *           | Changes the beep volume.                                                    | High¹/Low                  |
| Keyless Access Light Flash             | Causes some exterior lights to flash when you unlock/lock the doors.        | On¹/Off                    |
| Keyless Access Beep                    | Causes the beeper to sound when you unlock/lock the doors.                  | On¹/Off                    |
| Remote Start System On/Off *           | Turns the remote engine start feature on and off.                           | On¹/Off                    |
| Walk Away Auto Lock                    | Changes the settings for the automatic locking the doors when you walk away from the vehicle while carrying the keyless access remote. | On/Off¹                   |

*¹: Default Setting

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<td>—</td>
<td>Cancels/Resets all the customized settings as default.</td>
<td>Cancel/Set</td>
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*1: Default Setting
Example of customization settings
The steps for changing the "Trip A" Reset Timing setting to When Refueled are shown below. The default setting for "Trip A" Reset Timing is Manually Reset.

1. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls to select Vehicle Settings, then push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

2. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls until Meter Setup appears on the display.
3. Push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.
   ▶ Language Selection appears first on the display.
4. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls until "Trip A" Reset Timing appears on the display, then push the multi-function steering-wheel controls. 
   - The display switches to the customization setup screen, where you can select When Refueled, IGN Off, Manually Reset, or Exit.

5. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls and select When Refueled, then push the multi-function steering-wheel controls. 
   - The When Refueled Setup screen appears, then the display returns to the customization menu screen.

6. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls until Exit appears on the display, then push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

7. Repeat Step 6 until you return to the normal screen.
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Clock

Adjusting the Clock
You can adjust the time manually in the audio/information screen, with the power mode in ON.

Adjusting the Time

Using the Settings menu on the audio/information screen

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select System Settings, then press 🚽.
   ► Repeat the procedure to select Clock Adjustment.
3. Rotate 🔄 to change hour, then press 🚽.
4. Rotate 🔄 to change minute, then press 🚽.

Adjusting the Time
These indications are used to show how to operate the interface dial.
Rotate 🔄 to select.
Press 🚽 to enter.

You can customize the clock display to show the 12 hour clock or 24 hour clock.
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You can turn the clock display in the audio/information screen on and off.
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Models with navigation system
The clock is automatically updated through the navigation system, so the time does not need to be adjusted.
Locking and Unlocking the Doors

Key Types and Functions

This vehicle comes with the following keys:

- Use the keys to start and stop the engine, and to lock and unlock all the doors and tailgate. You can also use the keyless access system to lock and unlock all the doors and tailgate.

Key Types and Functions

All the keys have an immobilizer system. The immobilizer system helps to protect against vehicle theft.

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The keys contain precision electronics. Adhere to the following advice to prevent damage to the electronics:

- Do not leave the keys in direct sunlight, or in locations with high temperature or high humidity.
- Do not drop the keys or set heavy objects on them.
- Keep the keys away from liquids.
- Do not take the keys apart except for replacing the battery.

If the circuits in the keys are damaged, the engine may not start, and the keyless access system may not work. If the keys do not work properly, have them inspected by a dealer.

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Models with two-way keyless access remote

You can remotely start the engine using the two-way keyless access remote.

* Not available on all models

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Locking and Unlocking the Doors

Key Types and Functions

Keyless Access Remote

The built-in key can be used to lock/unlock the doors when the keyless access remote battery becomes weak and the power door lock/unlock operation is disabled.

To remove the built-in key, slide the release knob and then pull out the key. To reinstall the built-in key, push the built-in key into the keyless access remote until it clicks.
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Low Keyless Access Remote Signal Strength

The vehicle transmits radio waves to locate the keyless access remote when locking/unlocking the doors and tailgate, or to start the engine.

In the following cases, locking/unlocking the doors and tailgate, or starting the engine may be inhibited or operation may be unstable:

• Strong radio waves are being transmitted by nearby equipment.
• You are carrying the keyless access remote together with telecommunications equipment, laptop computers, cell phones, or wireless devices.
• A metallic object is touching or covering the keyless access remote.

Key Number Tag

Contains a number that you will need if you purchase a replacement key.

Keep the key number tag separate from the key in a safe place outside of your vehicle. If you wish to purchase an additional key, contact a dealer.

If you lose your key and you cannot start the engine, contact a dealer.

Communication between the keyless access remote and the vehicle consumes the keyless access remote’s battery. Battery life is about two years, but this varies depending on regularity of use. The battery is consumed whenever the keyless access remote is receiving strong radio waves. Avoid placing it near electrical appliances such as televisions and personal computers.
Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Outside

Using the Keyless Access System

- When you carry the keyless access remote, you can lock/unlock the doors and the tailgate.

- You can lock/unlock the doors and tailgate within a radius of about 32 inches (80 cm) of the outside door handle or tailgate outer handle.

- If the interior light switch is in the door activated position, the interior light comes on when you unlock the doors and tailgate.
  - No doors opened: The light fades out after 30 seconds.
  - Doors and tailgate relocked: The light goes off immediately.

- If you do not open a door or the tailgate within 30 seconds of unlocking the vehicle with the keyless access system, the doors and tailgate will automatically relock.
  - You can lock or unlock doors using the keyless access system only when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF.

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Interior Lights
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Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Outside

Controls

■ Locking the doors and tailgate
Press the door lock button on the front or rear* doors, or on the tailgate.

- Some exterior lights flash; the beeper sounds; all the doors and tailgate lock; and the security system sets.

Using the Keyless Access System

- Do not leave the keyless access remote in the vehicle when you get out. Carry it with you.
- Even if you are not carrying the keyless access remote, you can lock/unlock the doors and tailgate while someone else with the remote is within range.
- The door may be unlocked if the door handle is covered with water in heavy rain or in a car wash if the keyless access remote is within range.
- If you grip a door handle wearing gloves, the door sensor may be slow to respond or may not respond by unlocking the doors.
- After locking the door, wait at least two seconds before unlocking it by gripping the handle.
- The door might not open if you pull it immediately after gripping the door handle. Grip the handle again and confirm that the door is unlocked before pulling the handle.
- Even within the 32 inches (80 cm) radius, you may not be able to lock/unlock the doors with the keyless access remote if it is above or below the outside handle.
- The keyless access remote may not operate if it is too close to the door and door glass.

The light flash, beep and door unlock mode settings can be customized using the audio/information screen or multi-information display (MID).

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* Not available on all models
Locking and Unlocking the Doors

Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Outside

Locking the doors and tailgate (Walk away auto lock)

When you walk away from the vehicle while carrying the keyless access remote, the doors will automatically lock. The auto lock function activates when all doors and tailgate are closed, and the keyless access remote is within about 6 feet (2 m) radius of the outside door handle.

1. Exit vehicle while carrying keyless access remote and close door(s).
2. While within about 6 feet (2 m) radius of the vehicle.
   - The beeper sounds; the auto lock function will be activated.
3. Carry the keyless access remote beyond about 6 feet (2 m) from the vehicle and remain outside this range for 2 or more seconds.
   - Some exterior lights flash; the beeper sounds; all doors and tailgate will then lock.

The activation range of the auto lock function is about 6 feet (2 m)

After the auto lock function has been activated, when you stay within the locking/unlocking operation range, the indicator on the keyless access remote will continue to flash until the doors are locked.

When you stay beside the vehicle within the operation range, the doors will automatically lock approximately 30 seconds after the auto lock function activating beeper sounds.

When you open a door after the auto lock function activating beeper sounds, the auto lock function will be delayed until all doors and tailgate are closed.

When all doors and tailgate have been closed and the keyless access remote is inside the vehicle, or if the keyless access remote is not detected within about 6 feet (2 m) of the vehicle, auto lock function will not be activated.

You must wait until the power tailgate fully closes before the auto lock function will be activated.

The auto lock function is set to OFF as the factory default setting. The auto lock function can be set to ON using the audio/information screen or MID.

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To temporarily deactivate the function:
1. Set the power mode to OFF.
2. Open the driver’s door.
3. Using the master door lock switch, operate the lock as follows:
   Lock → Unlock → Lock → Unlock.
   ♦ The beeper sounds and the function is deactivated.

To restore the function:
- Set the power mode to ON.
- Lock the vehicle without using the auto lock function.
- Walk away at least more than about 6 feet (2 m) away from the vehicle while carrying the keyless access remote.

Locking the doors and tailgate (Walk away auto lock)
The auto lock function does not operate when any of the following conditions are met.
- The keyless access remote is inside the vehicle.
- A door or the hood is not closed.
- The power mode is set to any mode other than OFF.
- The keyless access remote is not located within a radius of about 6 feet (2 m) from the vehicle when you get out of the vehicle and close the doors.

Auto lock function operation stop beeper
After the auto lock function has been activated, the auto lock operation stop beeper sounds for approximately two seconds in the following cases.
- The keyless access remote is put inside the vehicle through a window.
- You are located too close to the vehicle.
- The keyless access remote is put inside the tailgate.
If the warning beeper sounds, check that you are carrying the keyless access remote. Then, open/close a door and confirm the auto lock activation beeper sounds once.
**Locking and Unlocking the Doors**

**Unlocking the doors and tailgate**

Grab the driver’s door handle:
- The driver’s door unlocks.
- Some exterior lights flash twice and the beeper sounds twice.

Grab the front passenger’s door or rear* door handle:
- All doors and the tailgate unlock.
- Some exterior lights flash twice and the beeper sounds twice.

Press and hold the tailgate outer handle:
- The tailgate unlocks and opens.
- Some exterior lights flash twice and the beeper sounds twice.

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**Using the Keyless Access System**

*Models with navigation system*

When you go into the keyless access system working range with all the doors locked, the LED puddle lights come on for 30 seconds.

The lights do not come on if you have previously stayed within the range for more than two minutes, or the doors have been locked for a few days.

The feature activates again after you drive the vehicle, then lock the doors.

You can also unlock and open with the power tailgate.

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* Not available on all models
Locking and Unlocking the Doors

Controls

Locking the doors and tailgate
Press the lock button.

Once:
- Some exterior lights flash, all the doors and tailgate lock, and the security system sets.

Twice (within five seconds after the first push):
- The beeper sounds and verifies the security system is set.

Unlocking the doors and tailgate
Press the unlock button.

Once:
- Some exterior lights flash twice, and the driver’s door unlocks.

Twice:
- The remaining doors and tailgate unlock.

*1: Checking Door Lock Status P. 145

* Not available on all models

Using the Remote Transmitter

If you do not open a door or the tailgate within 30 seconds of unlocking the vehicle with the remote transmitter, the doors and tailgate will automatically relock.

You can change the relock timer setting.

You can lock or unlock doors using the remote transmitter only when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF.

The remote transmitter uses low-power signals, so the operating range may vary depending on the surroundings.

The remote will not lock the vehicle when a door or the tailgate is open.

If the distance at which the remote transmitter works varies, the battery is probably low.
If the LED does not come on when you press a button, the battery is dead.

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You can customize the door unlock mode setting.

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Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Outside

■ Locking/Unlocking the Doors Using a Key

If the keyless access remote battery or the vehicle battery is dead, use the key instead of the keyless access remote.

- Replacing the Button Battery P. 501

  Fully insert the key and turn it.

■ Locking a Door Without Using a Key

- ■ Locking the front doors
  Push the lock tab forward 1 or push the master door lock switch in the lock direction 2, and close the door.

- ■ Locking the rear doors
  Push the lock tab forward and close the door.

■ Lockout prevention system

The doors and tailgate cannot be locked when the keyless access remote is inside the vehicle.

-■ Locking a Door Without a Key

When you lock the driver’s door, all the other doors and tailgate lock at the same time. Make sure you have the key in your hand when you lock the driver’s door, any of the other doors or the tailgate, otherwise you may end up locking the key inside the vehicle.

-■ Locking/Unlocking the Doors Using a Key

When you lock the driver’s door with a key, all the other doors and tailgate lock at the same time. When unlocking, the driver’s door unlocks first. Turn the key a second time within a few seconds to unlock the remaining doors and the tailgate.

You can customize the door unlock mode setting.

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Check Door Lock Status

You can remotely check if your vehicle’s doors are all locked or any are unlocked using the keyless access remote from extended distances.

Press the lock button, the Amber (LEFT) LED blinks once. Then after three seconds one of the following feedback will come:
- Green (center) comes on: Acknowledges that the doors are locked.
- Red (right) comes on: Acknowledges that doors are not locked, or any door is not completely closed.
- Red (right) blinks three times: The remote does not receive the door lock status from the vehicle.

* Not available on all models

Checking Door Lock Status*

Operate the remote in an open space. If there are buildings or other obstacles between your vehicle and the remote, the remote may not work even within the operable range. However, the range required for unlocking the tailgate and all the doors as well as activating the panic function is the same as that required for operating the standard keyless access remote.

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When checking the door lock status, you can also start or stop the engine.

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Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Inside

**Using the Lock Tab**

| To Lock | Lock Tab | To Unlock |

- **Locking a door**
  Push the lock tab forward.

- **Unlocking a door**
  Pull the lock tab rearward.

**Using the Lock Tab**

When you lock the door using the lock tab on the driver's door, all of the other doors and the tailgate lock at the same time.

When you unlock the door using the lock tab on the driver's door, only the driver's door will unlock.
Unlocking and Unlocking the Doors

Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Inside

Controls

Pull the front door inner handle.

ึง The door unlocks and opens in one motion.

Unlocking and opening the driver’s door from the inner handle unlocks all the other doors.

To avoid all the doors to be unlocked, use the lock tab on the driver’s door to unlock, then lock again before opening the door.

ึง This setting works for one time only. If you do not want all the doors to be unlocked all the time, customize the Auto Door Unlock setting to Off using the MID or audio/information screen.

Unlocking Using the Front Door Inner Handle

The front door inner handles are designed to allow front seat occupants to open the door in one motion. However this feature requires that front seat occupants never pull a front door inner handle while the vehicle is in motion.

Children should always ride in a rear seat where childproof door locks are provided.

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Childproof Door Locks

The childproof door locks prevent the rear doors from being opened from the inside regardless of the position of the lock tab.

Setting the Childproof Door Locks

Slide the lever in the rear door to the lock position, and close the door.

When opening the door
Open the door using the outside door handle.

Using the Master Door Lock Switch

Press the master door lock switch in as shown to lock or unlock all the doors and the tailgate.

Childproof Door Locks

To open the door from the inside when the childproof door lock is on, put the lock tab in the unlock position, lower the rear window, put your hand out of the window, and pull the outside door handle.

Using the Master Door Lock Switch

When you lock/unlock either front door using the master door lock switch, all the other doors and the tailgate lock/unlock at the same time.
Auto Door Locking/Unlocking

Your vehicle locks all doors and unlocks all doors or the driver’s door automatically when a certain condition is met.

- **Auto Door Locking**
  - **Drive lock mode**
    All doors and tailgate lock when the vehicle’s speed reaches about 10 mph (15 km/h).

- **Auto Door Unlocking**
  - **Driver’s door open mode**
    All doors unlock when the driver’s door is opened.
Opening and Closing the Tailgate

Precautions for Opening/Closing the Tailgate

Always make sure individuals and objects are clear of the tailgate before opening or closing it.

- **Opening the tailgate**
  - Open the tailgate all the way.
  - If it is not fully opened, the tailgate may begin to close under its own weight.
  - Be careful when it is windy. The wind may cause the tailgate to close.

- **Closing the tailgate**
  - Keep the tailgate closed while driving to:
    - Avoid possible damage.
    - Prevent exhaust gas from leaking into the vehicle.
    - **Carbon Monoxide Gas** P. 71

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**WARNING**

Anyone caught in the path of a tailgate that is being opened or closed can be seriously injured.

Make sure that all people are clear of the tailgate before opening or closing it.

Be careful not to hit your head on the tailgate or to put your hands between the tailgate and the cargo area when closing the tailgate.

When you are storing or picking up luggage from the cargo area while the engine is idling, do not stand in front of the exhaust pipe. You may get burned.

Do not allow any passenger in the cargo space. They may get hurt during hard braking, a sudden acceleration, or a crash.
Using the Tailgate Outer Handle

When all the doors are unlocked, the tailgate is unlocked. Press the tailgate outer handle for more than one second, and wait until you hear three beeps before you lift open the tailgate.

- Releasing the outer handle within one second with one beep enables the power tailgate operations.

To manually close the tailgate, grab the inner handle, pull the tailgate down, and push it closed from outside.

Using the Tailgate Outer Handle

- Do not leave the keyless access remote in the vehicle when you get out. Carry it with you.
- Even if you are not carrying the keyless access remote, you can lock/unlock the tailgate while someone else with the remote is within range.
- Do not leave the keyless access remote inside the cargo area and close the tailgate. The beeper sounds repeatedly. You can open the tailgate and retrieve the key.

If you are carrying the keyless access remote, you do not have to unlock the tailgate before opening it.
Opening/Closing the Power Tailgate

The power tailgate can be operated by pressing the power tailgate button on the remote transmitter or driver’s door, or pressing the outer handle or button on the tailgate.

**The power tailgate can be opened when:**
- The tailgate is fully closed.
- The transmission is in P.
- Press and hold the tailgate button on the remote transmitter for about one second when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
  - If you have changed the Keyless Open Mode setting to When Unlocked, you need to unlock the tailgate before you press the tailgate button to open it. *(Customized Features) P. 123, 285*

**The power tailgate can be closed when:**
- The tailgate is fully open.
- Press and hold the tailgate button on the remote transmitter for about one second when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

**NOTICE**

Do not push or pull on the power tailgate when it is being automatically opened or closed.

Forcibly opening or closing the power tailgate while in operation can deform the tailgate frame.

When operating the power tailgate, make sure there is enough space around your vehicle. People near the tailgate may be seriously hurt if the tailgate hits or closes on their heads. Be especially cautious if children are around.

The power tailgate may not open or close under the following conditions:
- You start the engine while the tailgate is automatically opening or closing.
- The vehicle is parked on a steep hill.
- The vehicle is swayed in a strong wind.
- The tailgate or the roof is covered with snow or ice.

If you close the power tailgate when all the doors are locked, the power tailgate locks automatically.

If you replace the battery or the power tailgate fuse while the tailgate is open, the power tailgate may be disabled. The power tailgate resumes once you manually close the tailgate.
Opening and Closing the Tailgate

Opening/Closing the Power Tailgate

Press the power tailgate button for more than one second to operate when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

To reverse direction while the power tailgate is in operation, press the button again. The beeper sounds three times and the tailgate reverses direction.

Remote Transmitter

Press the power tailgate button for more than one second to operate when the power mode is in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

To reverse direction while the power tailgate is in operation, press the button again. The beeper sounds three times and the tailgate reverses direction.

Customizing when to open the tailgate

Anytime: The power tailgate unlocks and opens at the same time. This is the default setting.

When Unlocked: The tailgate opens when all doors are unlocked.

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Installing aftermarket components other than Acura genuine accessories on the power tailgate may prevent it from fully opening or closing.

Make sure the power tailgate is fully open before you get your luggage in and out.

Make sure the power tailgate is fully closed before you start the vehicle.

If the power tailgate meets resistance while opening or closing, the auto reverse feature reverses the direction. The beeper sounds three times.

The auto reverse function stops sensing when the tailgate is almost closed to make sure that it fully closes.

Do not touch the sensors located on both sides of the tailgate. The power tailgate does not close if you touch either sensor when you are trying to close the tailgate.

Be careful not to scratch the sensors with a sharp object. If scratched, they can be damaged, and the power tailgate closing feature malfunctions.
Opening and Closing the Tailgate

**Power Tailgate Button**

To open or close the power tailgate, press the power tailgate button for about one second. Some exterior lights flash and the beeper sounds.

To reverse direction while the power tailgate is in operation, press the button again. The beeper sounds three times and the tailgate reverses direction.

**Power Tailgate Outer Handle**

To open the power tailgate, press the outer handle for one second. Some exterior lights flash and the beeper sounds.
Opening and Closing the Tailgate

### Power Tailgate Close Button

Press the button on the tailgate to close the power tailgate.
If you press the button again while the power tailgate is closing, it reverses direction.

### Auto-Closer

If you manually close the power tailgate, it latches automatically.

If you press the power tailgate close button while the tailgate is automatically opening, the power tailgate operation reverses direction.

The auto-closer feature does not activate if you press the tailgate outer handle while the power tailgate is closing.

Do not put any force on the tailgate while the power tailgate is latching.

Keep your hands away from the tailgate when you manually close the tailgate and let it latch automatically. It is dangerous to put your hands around the tailgate as it starts to latch itself.
## Power Tailgate Fall Detection

Automatically lowers the power tailgate when there is a possibility that the fully opened power tailgate can fall down by its own weight (for example, by snow on the tailgate). The beeper sounds while the power tailgate lowers.

**Power Tailgate Fall Detection**

If you try to manually close the power tailgate immediately after it fully opens, the power tailgate fall detection may activate.

Once the power tailgate fall detection activates, wait until the power tailgate fully closes. Keep away from the power tailgate when it is in motion.

If the power tailgate fall detection constantly activates, consult at a dealer.
Security System

**Immobilizer System**

The immobilizer system prevents a key that has not been pre-registered from starting the engine. Each key contains electronic transmitters that use electronic signals to verify the key.

Pay attention to the following when pressing the ENGINE START/STOP button:

- Do not allow objects that emit strong radio waves near the ENGINE START/STOP button.
- Make sure the key is not covered by or touching a metal object.
- Do not bring a key from another vehicle’s immobilizer system near the ENGINE START/STOP button.
- Do not put the key near magnetic items. Electronic devices, such as televisions and audio systems emit strong magnetic fields. Note that even a key chain can become magnetic.

**Security System Alarm**

The security system alarm activates when the tailgate, hood or doors are forcibly opened. The alarm does not activate if the tailgate or doors are opened with the key, remote transmitter or keyless access system.

However, the alarm activates if a door is opened with the key and then the hood is opened before the power mode is set to ON.

- **When the security system alarm activates**
  The horn sounds intermittently, and some exterior lights flash.

- **To deactivate the security system alarm**
  Unlock the vehicle using the key, remote transmitter, or keyless access system. The system, along with the horn and flashing lights, is deactivated.

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**NOTICE**

Leaving the key in the vehicle can result in theft or accidental movement of the vehicle.
Always take the key with you whenever you leave the vehicle unattended.

Do not alter the system or add other devices to it. Doing so may damage the system and make your vehicle inoperable.

The security alarm continues for a maximum of two minutes until the security system alarm deactivates.
Setting the security system alarm
The security system alarm automatically sets when the following conditions have been met:
- The power mode is set to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
- The hood is closed.
- All doors and the tailgate are locked from outside with the key, remote transmitter, or keyless access system.

When the security system alarm sets
The security system alarm indicator in the instrument panel blinks. When the blinking interval changes after about 15 seconds, the security system alarm is set.

To cancel the security system alarm
The security system alarm is canceled when the vehicle is unlocked using the key, remote transmitter, keyless access system, or the power mode is set to ON. The security system alarm indicator goes off at the same time.

Security System Alarm
Do not set the security system alarm when someone is in the vehicle or a window is open. The system can accidentally activate when:
- Unlocking the door with the lock tab.
- Opening the hood with the hood release.

If the battery goes dead after you have set the security system alarm, the security alarm may go off once the battery is recharged or replaced. If this occurs, deactivate the security system alarm by unlocking a door using the key, remote transmitter, or keyless access system.
■ Panic Mode

■ The panic button on the remote transmitter
If you press the panic button for approximately one second, the following will occur for about 30 seconds:
- The horn sounds.
- Some exterior lights flash.

■ Canceling panic mode
Press any button on the remote transmitter, or set the power mode to ON.
Opening and Closing the Windows

Opening/Closing the Power Windows

The power windows can be opened and closed when the power mode is in ON, using the switches on the doors.

The driver’s side switches can be used to open and close all the windows. The power window lock button on the driver’s side must be switched off (not pushed in, indicator off) to open and close the windows from anywhere other than the driver’s seat.

When the power window lock button is pushed in, the indicator comes on and you can only operate the driver’s window. Turn the power window lock button on if a child is in the vehicle.

### Opening/Closing Windows with Auto-Open/Close Function

**Manual operation**
- **To open**: Push the switch down lightly, and hold it until the desired position is reached.
- **To close**: Pull the switch up lightly, and hold it until the desired position is reached.

**Automatic operation**
- **To open**: Push the switch down firmly.
- **To close**: Pull the switch up firmly.

The window opens or closes completely. To stop the window at any time, push or pull the switch briefly.

### Opening/Closing the Power Windows

**WARNING**

Closing a power window on someone’s hands or fingers can cause serious injury.

Make sure your passengers are away from the windows before closing them.

The power windows can be operated for up to 10 minutes after you set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK). Opening either front door cancels this function.

**Auto Reverse**

If a power window senses resistance when closing automatically, it will stop closing and reverse direction.

The driver’s window auto reverse function is disabled when you continuously pull up the switch.

The auto reverse function stops sensing when the window is almost closed to ensure that it fully closes.
Opening and Closing the Windows

Controls

■ Opening the Windows and Moonroof with the Remote

To open: Press the unlock button, and then within 10 seconds, press it again and hold it.

If the windows and moonroof stop midway, repeat the procedure.

Unlock Button

■ Opening/Closing the Windows and Moonroof with the Key

To open: Unlock the driver’s door with the key. Within 10 seconds of returning the key to the central position, turn the key in the unlock direction and hold it there.

To close: Lock the driver’s door with the key. Within 10 seconds of returning the key to the central position, turn the key in the lock direction and hold it there.

Open Close

Release the key to stop the windows and moonroof at the desired position. If you want further adjustment, repeat the same operation.
Opening and Closing the Moonroof

You can only operate the moonroof when the power mode is in ON. Use the switch in the front of the ceiling to open and close the moonroof.

■ Automatic operation

To open: Pull the switch back firmly.
To close: Push the switch forward firmly.

The moonroof will automatically open or close all the way. To stop the moonroof midway, push the switch briefly.

■ Manual operation

To open: Pull the switch back lightly, and hold it until the desired position is reached.
To close: Push the switch forward lightly, and hold it until the desired position is reached.

■ Tilting the moonroof up

To tilt: Push on the center of the moonroof switch.
To close: Push the switch forward firmly, then release.

NOTICE

Opening the moonroof in below freezing temperature or when it is covered with snow or ice can damage the moonroof panel or motor.

The power moonroof can be operated for up to 10 minutes after you set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK). Opening either front door cancels this function.

When resistance is detected, the auto reverse function causes the moonroof to change directions, then stop. Auto reverse stops sensing when the moonroof is almost closed to ensure that it fully closes. Make sure that all objects, including fingers, are clear of the moonroof.

You can use the remote transmitter or the key to operate the moonroof.

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WARNING

Opening or closing the moonroof on someone’s hands or fingers can cause serious injury.

Make sure all hands and fingers are clear of the moonroof before opening or closing it.
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ENGINE START/STOP Button

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**Indicators**

- **VEHICLE OFF (LOCK)**
  - Indicator in the button is off.
  - The steering wheel is locked*1.
  - The power to all electrical components is turned off.
- **ACCESSORY**
  - Indicator in the button is on.
  - Operate the audio system and other accessories in this position.
- **ON**
  - Indicator in the button is on.
  - All electrical components can be used.

*1: Canadian models

**ENGINE START/STOP Button Operating Range**

You can start the engine when the keyless access remote is inside the vehicle. The engine may also run if the keyless access remote is close to the door or window, even if it is outside the vehicle.

**ON mode:**
- Indicator in the button is off, if the engine is running.

If the keyless access remote battery is weak, beeper sounds and the **To Start, Hold Remote Near Start Button** message appears on the MID.

- **If the Keyless Access Remote Battery is Weak** P. 535

Do not leave the power mode in ACCESSORY or ON when you get out.
If you leave the vehicle for 30 to 60 minutes with the transmission in P and the power mode in ACCESSORY, the vehicle automatically goes into the mode similar to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) to avoid draining the battery.

**Automatic Power Off**

If you leave the vehicle for 30 to 60 minutes with the transmission in P and the power mode in ACCESSORY, the vehicle automatically goes into the mode similar to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) to avoid draining the battery.

**Canadian models**

When in this mode:

- The steering wheel does not lock.
- You cannot lock or unlock doors with the remote transmitter or the keyless access system.

Press the ENGINE START/STOP button twice to switch the mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

**Power Mode Reminder**

If you open the driver’s door when the power mode is set to ACCESSORY, a warning buzzer sounds.
Keyless Access Remote Reminder

Warning buzzers may sound from inside and/or outside the vehicle to remind you that the keyless access remote is out of the vehicle. If the buzzer continues even after the remote is put back inside, place it to be within its operational range.

- **When the power mode is in ON**
  If the keyless access remote is taken out of the vehicle, and the driver’s door is closed, a warning buzzer sounds from both inside and outside the vehicle. A warning message on the MID notifies the driver inside that the remote outside of the vehicle.

- **When the power mode is in ACCESSORY**
  If the keyless access remote is taken out of the vehicle, and the driver’s door is closed, a warning buzzer sounds from outside the vehicle.

Keyless Access Remote Reminder

When the keyless access remote is within the system’s operational range, and the driver’s door is closed, the warning function cancels.

If the keyless access remote is taken out of the vehicle after the engine has been started, you can no longer change the ENGINE START/STOP button mode or restart the engine. Always make sure if the remote is in your vehicle when you operate the ENGINE START/STOP button.

Removing the keyless access remote from the vehicle through a window does not activate the warning buzzer.

Do not put the keyless access remote on the dashboard or in the glove box. It may cause the warning buzzer to go off. Under some other conditions that can prevent the vehicle from locating the remote, the warning buzzer may also go off even if the remote is within the system’s operational range.
Turn Signals

The turn signals can be used when the power mode is in ON.

**One-touch turn signal**
When you lightly push up or down and release the turn signal lever, the exterior turn signals and turn signal indicator blink three times. This feature can be used when signaling for a lane change.
Light Switches

Manual Operation

Rotating the light switch turns the lights on and off, regardless of the power mode setting.

- **High beams**
  Push the lever forward until you hear a click.

- **Low beams**
  When in high beams, pull the lever back to return to low beams.

- **Flashing the high beams**
  Pull the lever back, and release it.

- **Lights off**
  Turn the lever to OFF either when:
  - The transmission is in **P**.
  - The parking brake is applied.

To turn the lights on again, turn the lever to OFF to cancel the lights off mode. Even if you do not cancel the lights off mode, the lights come on automatically when:
  - The gear position is changed out of **P** and the parking brake is released.
  - The vehicle starts to move.

Light Switches

If you leave the power mode in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) while the lights are on, a chime sounds when the driver’s door is opened.

When the lights are on, the lights on indicator in the instrument panel will be on. **Lights On Indicator** P. 85

Do not leave the lights on when the engine is off because it will cause the battery to discharge.

**Models without automatic headlight adjusting system**
If you sense that the level of the headlights is abnormal, have the vehicle inspected by a dealer.

**Models with automatic headlight adjusting system**
Your vehicle is equipped with the automatic headlight adjusting system that automatically adjusts the vertical angle of the high/low beam headlights. If you find a significant change in the vertical angle of the headlights, there may be a problem with the system. Have your vehicle checked by a dealer.
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Light Switches

Automatic Operation (automatic lighting control)

Automatic lighting control can be used when the power mode is in ON.

When the light switch is in AUTO, the headlights and other exterior lights will switch on and off automatically depending on the ambient brightness.

► You can change the auto light sensitivity setting.

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We recommend that you turn on the lights manually when driving at night, in a dense fog, or in dark areas such as long tunnels or parking facilities.

The light sensor is in the location shown below. Do not cover this light sensor with anything; otherwise, the automatic lighting system may not work properly.

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Light Switches

Controls

The headlights automatically come on when the wipers are used several times within a certain number of intervals with the headlight switch in AUTO. The headlights automatically go off a few minutes later if the wipers are stopped.

Headlight Integration with Wiper

The headlights automatically come on when the wipers are used several times within a certain number of intervals with the headlight switch in AUTO. The headlights automatically go off a few minutes later if the wipers are stopped.

Automatic Lighting Off Feature

The headlights, all other exterior lights, and the instrument panel lights turn off 15 seconds after you set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK), take the remote with you, and close the driver’s door.

If you set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) with the headlight switch on, but do not open the door, the lights turn off after 10 minutes (3 minutes, if the switch is in the AUTO position).

The lights turn on again when you unlock or open the driver’s door. If you unlock the door, but do not open it within 15 seconds, the lights go off. If you open the driver’s door, you will hear a lights on reminder chime.

Adjust the auto light sensitivity as follows:

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Headlight Integration with Wiper

This feature activates while the headlights are off in AUTO. The instrument panel brightness does not change when the headlights come on.

At dark ambient light levels, the automatic lighting control feature turns on the headlights, regardless of the number of wiper sweeps.

Automatic Lighting Off Feature

You can change the headlight auto off timer setting.

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Fog Lights*

When the low beam headlights are on, turn the fog light switch on to use the fog lights.

Daytime Running Lights

The daytime running lights come on when the following conditions have been met:

- The power mode is in ON.
- The headlight switch is in AUTO or Fog.
- The parking brake is released.

The lights remain on even if you set the parking brake. Setting the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) will turn off the daytime running lights.

The daytime running lights are off once the headlight switch is turned on, or when the headlight switch is in AUTO and it is getting darker outside.
Auto High-Beam

Uses the camera attached to the windshield, monitors the space ahead of your vehicle, and automatically changes the low beam headlights to high beam headlights when necessary.

The system operates when:
- The headlight switch is in AUTO.
- The lever is in the low beam position.
- The system recognizes that you are driving at night and the low beam headlights come on.
- The vehicle speed is above 35 mph (56 km/h).

The system changes between high and low beam headlights when:
- The camera is not detecting any lights coming from preceding or oncoming vehicles: The headlights change to high beams.
- The camera detects lights coming from a preceding or oncoming vehicle: The headlights are returned to low beams.
- The camera monitors the range within the 50-degrees view angle. The distance that the camera can detect lights ahead differs depending on conditions, such as the brightness of the lights and the weather.

Auto High-Beam

The auto high-beam determines when to change the headlight beams by responding to the brightness of the lights ahead of your vehicle. In the following cases, the system may not respond to the lights properly:
- The brightness of the lights from the preceding or oncoming vehicle is intense or poor.
- Visibility is poor due to the weather (rain, snow, fog, windshield frost, etc.).
- Other light sources, such as street lights and electric billboards are illuminating the road ahead.
- The brightness level of the road ahead constantly changes.
- The road is bumpy or with many curves.
- A vehicle cuts in front of you, or a vehicle in front of you is not in the preceding or oncoming direction.
- Your vehicle is tilted with a heavy load in the rear.

If you find the timing of beam changes inconvenient for driving, change the headlight beams manually.

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To Operate the System

Headlight Switch

Turn the headlight switch in AUTO and pull the headlight lever to low beam.

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The auto high-beam indicator comes on.

Temporary cancellation

The auto high-beam operation is temporarily canceled while:
- You are continuously driving at a speed below 25 mph (40 km/h).
- The vehicle speed is below 15 mph (24 km/h).
- The windshield wipers run at high speed for more than a few seconds.

The system operation resumes once the condition that caused it to cancel improves.

To Operate the System

For the auto high-beam to work properly:
- Do not place an object that reflects light on the dashboard.
- Keep the windshield around the camera clean. When cleaning the windshield, be careful not to apply the windshield cleanser to the camera lens.
- Do not attach an object, sticker or film to the area around the camera.
- Do not touch the camera lens.

If the camera receives a strong impact, or repairing of the area near the camera is required, consult a dealer.

If the Some Driver Assist Systems Cannot Operate: Camera Temperature Too High message appears:
- Use the climate control system to cool down the interior and, if necessary, also use defroster mode with the air flow directed towards the camera.
- Start driving the vehicle to lower the windshield temperature, which cools down the area around the camera.

If the Some Driver Assist Systems Cannot Operate: Clean Front Windshield message appears:
- Park your vehicle in a safe place, and clean the windshield. If the message does not disappear after you have cleaned the windshield and driven for a while, have your vehicle checked by a dealer.
■ To manually cancel the system temporarily
You can cancel the operation when you manually change the headlights to high beams. Push the lever forward until you hear a click, or lightly pull the lever towards you to flash high beams. The auto high-beam indicator goes off.
If you want the auto high-beam operation to resume at once, pull the lever towards you.

■ To Adjust the System
Adjust the system when the vehicle is parked with the power mode in ON and the light switch is in the AUTO position.

To disable the system: Pull the light switch lever towards you and hold it for 40 seconds. The auto high-beam indicator in the meter will blink twice.
To enable the system: Pull the light switch lever towards you and hold it for 30 seconds. The auto high-beam indicator in the meter will blink once.
To set the high sensitivity: Pull the light switch lever towards you and hold it for 2 minutes. The auto high-beam indicator in the meter will blink three times. The setting is reset when the power mode is set to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
### Wipers and Washers

#### Windshield Wipers/Washers

The windshield wipers and washers can be used when the power mode is in ON.

- **MIST**
  - The wipers run at high speed until you release the lever.

- **Wiper switch (OFF, INT*, LO, HI)**
  - Change the wiper switch setting according to the amount of rain.

- **AUTO***
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- **Adjusting wiper operation***
  - Turn the adjustment ring to adjust wiper operation.

  - Lower speed, fewer sweeps
  - Higher speed, more sweeps

- **Washer**
  - Sprays while you pull the lever toward you.
  - When you release the lever for more than one second, the spray stops, the wipers sweep two or three more times to clear the windshield, then stop.

### Notice

- Do not use the wipers when the windshield is dry. The windshield will get scratched, or the rubber blades will get damaged.
- Turn the washers off if no washer fluid comes out. The pump may get damaged.
- The wiper motor may stop motor operation temporarily to prevent an overload. Wiper operation will return to normal within a few minutes, once the circuit has returned to normal.
- In cold weather, the blades may freeze to the windshield. Operating the wipers in this condition may damage the wipers. Use the defroster to warm the windshield, then turn the wipers on.
When you push the lever down to AUTO, the windshield wipers sweep once, and go into the automatic mode.

The wipers operate intermittently, at low speed, or at high speed and stops in accordance with the amount of rainfall the rainfall sensor detects.

**Auto sensitivity adjustment**

When the wiper function is set to AUTO, you can adjust the sensitivity of the rainfall sensor (using the adjustment ring) so that wipers will operate in accordance with your preference.

**Sensor sensitivity**

- Low sensitivity
- High sensitivity

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*Not available on all models*
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Wipers and Washers Controls

The rear wiper and washer can be used when the power mode is in ON.

**Wiper switch (OFF, INT, ON)**
Change the wiper switch setting according to the amount of rain.

**Washer ( )**
Sprays while you rotate the switch to this position. Hold it to activate the wiper and to spray the washer. Once released, it stops operating after a few more sweeps.

**Operating in reverse**
When you select the transmission to \( R \) with the windshield wipers activated, the rear wiper operates automatically as follows even if its switch is off.

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Turn the headlights on and press the headlight washer button to operate. The headlight washers also operate when you turn the windshield washers for the first time after the power mode is set to ON.
Brightness Control

When the power mode is in ON, you can use the [+ ] or [- ] button to adjust instrument panel brightness.

**Brighten:** Press the [+ ] button.

**Dim:** Press the [- ] button.

You will hear a beep when the brightness reaches minimum or maximum. Several seconds after you have adjusted the brightness, you will be returned to the previous display.

■ Brightness level indicator

The brightness level is shown on the MID while you are adjusting it.

Instrument panel brightness varies, depending on whether the exterior lights are on or off. The instrument panel dims to reduce glare when they are on.

When it is bright outside and the headlight integration with the wiper is activated, the instrument panel brightness does not change.

If you press the [+ ] button until the brightness display is up to max, the beeper sounds. This cancels the reduced instrument panel brightness when the parking lights are on.

The brightness can be set differently for when the exterior lights are on, and when they are off.
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### Rear Defogger/Heated Door Mirror Button

Press the rear defogger and heated door mirror button to defog the rear window and mirrors when the power mode is in ON.

The rear defogger and heated door mirrors automatically switch off after 10-30 minutes depending on the outside temperature.

**NOTICE**

When cleaning the inside of the rear window, be careful not to damage the heating wires. It is critical to wipe the window from side to side along the defogger heating wires.

This system consumes a lot of power, so turn it off when the window has been defogged. Also, do not use the system for a long time while the engine is idling. This may weaken the battery, making it difficult to start the engine.

When the outside temperature is below 41°F (5°C), the heated door mirror may activate automatically for 10 minutes when you set the power mode to ON.

### Heated Windshield Button *

Press the heated windshield button to deice the windshield when the power mode is in ON.

* Not available on all models

**NOTICE**

This system consumes a lot of power, so turn it off when the window has been deiced. Also, do not use the system for a long period when the engine is idling. This may weaken the battery, making it difficult to start the engine.

When the outside temperature is below 39°F (4°C), the heated windshield may automatically activate. The system deactivates itself once the outside temperature reaches 43°F (6°C).
Driving Position Memory System

You can store two driver's seat (except for power lumbar), steering wheel and door mirror positions with the driving position memory system. When you unlock and open the driver's door with a remote transmitter, or keyless access system, the seat and door mirrors adjust automatically to one of the two preset positions. The steering wheel will move to the stored position when you set the power mode to ACCESSORY.

When you enter the vehicle, the MID briefly shows you which remote transmitter you used to unlock the vehicle.
- DRIVER 1 transmitter is linked to memory button 1.
- DRIVER 2 transmitter is linked to memory button 2.

The driver's seat moves rearward and steering wheel fully up depending on the set seating position once you
- Stop the vehicle.
- Put the transmission in P.
- Turn the engine off.
- Then open the driver's door.

Once the power mode is in the ACCESSORY position, the driver's seat and steering wheel moves to the DRIVER 1 or 2 preset position.

System Operation

The system will not operate if:
- The vehicle speed is above 3 mph (5 km/h).
- Either memory position button is pressed while the seat or steering wheel is in motion.
- The seat or steering wheel position is adjusted while in operation.
- The memory 1 or 2 position is set fully to the rear.

Using the audio/information screen or MID, you can disable the automatic seat, steering wheel and door mirrors adjustment function.

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The driver's seat easy exit feature can be turned ON/OFF.

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When opening the driver's door, the customized features you have previously set using the same remote are also recognized. They include:
- Driving position memory
- Keyless memory settings
- Audio system settings
- Climate control settings
- Navigation system* preferences

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Driving Position Memory System

Storing a Position in Memory

1. Set the power mode to ON. Adjust the driver’s seat, the steering wheel and the door mirrors to the desired position.
2. Press the SET button.
   - You will hear the beeper, and the memory button indicator light will blink.
   - Once the seat, the steering wheel and the outside mirror positions have been memorized, the indicator light on the button you pressed stays on.

Recalling the Stored Position

1. Change to [P].
2. Apply the parking brake.
3. Press a memory button ([1] or [2]).
   - You will hear the beeper, and the indicator light will blink.

The seat, the steering wheel and the door mirrors will automatically move to the memorized positions. When it has finished moving, you will hear the beeper, and the indicator light stays on.

Storing a Position in Memory

After you press the SET button, the storing operation will be canceled when:
- You do not press the memory button within five seconds.
- You readjust the seat, the steering wheel or the outside mirror position before the double-beep.
- You set the power mode to any position except ON.

Recalling the Stored Position

The seat, the steering wheel and the door mirrors will stop moving if you:
- Press the SET button or memory button [1] or [2].
- Adjust the seat position, door mirrors, or steering wheel.
- Select into a position other than [P].
Adjusting the Steering Wheel

The steering wheel height and distance from your body can be adjusted so that you can comfortably grip the steering wheel in an appropriate driving posture.

Push and hold the adjustment switch to move the steering wheel in, out, up or down.

Make sure you can see the instrument panel gauges and indicators.

**WARNING**

Adjusting the steering wheel position while driving may cause you to lose control of the vehicle and be seriously injured in a crash.

Adjust the steering wheel only when the vehicle is stopped.
Adjusting the Mirrors

Interior Rearview Mirror
Adjust the angle of the rearview mirror when you are sitting in the correct driving position.

Automatic Dimming Rearview Mirror and Power Door Mirrors*
When you are driving after dark, the automatic dimming rearview mirror and power door mirrors* reduce the glare from headlights behind you, based on inputs from the mirror sensor. This feature is always active.

* Not available on all models

Automatic Dimming Rearview Mirror and Power Door Mirrors*
The auto dimming function cancels when the transmission is in R.

Adjusting the Mirrors
Keep the inside and outside mirrors clean and adjusted for best visibility.
Adjust the mirrors before you start driving.
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Power Door Mirrors

You can adjust the door mirrors when the power mode is set to ON.

■ Mirror position adjustment
**L/R selector switch:** Select the left or right mirror. After adjusting the mirror, return the switch to the center position.

**Mirror position adjustment switch:** Press the switch left, right, up, or down to move the mirror.

■ Folding door mirrors*
Press the fold button to fold the door mirrors.

■ Reverse Tilt Door Mirror

If activated, either side door mirror automatically tilts downward when you pull back \[ \text{R} \]; this improves close-in visibility on the selected side of the vehicle when backing up. The mirror automatically returns to its original position when you select out of \[ \text{R} \].

To activate this feature, set the power mode to ON, and slide the selector switch to the left or right side.

* Not available on all models
Adjusting the Mirrors

Power Door Mirrors

Controls

■ Folding the door mirrors
Lock all doors from outside the vehicle.
    ► The mirrors start folding automatically.
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■ Unfolding the door mirrors
Unlock the driver’s or all doors from outside the vehicle.
    ► The mirrors start unfolding automatically.
    ➤ Locking and Unlocking the Doors P. 135

Automatic Folding Door Mirror Function*

You can turn the automatic folding door mirror function on and off.
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Door mirrors will not fold automatically when locking from inside the vehicle using lock tab or master door lock switch.

Door mirrors will not unfold automatically if fold button is pressed.
➤ Folding door mirrors* P. 184

* Not available on all models
Adjusting the Seats

Front Seats

Adjust the driver’s seat as far back as possible while allowing you to maintain full control of the vehicle. You should be able to sit upright, well back in the seat and be able to adequately press the pedals without leaning forward, and grip the steering wheel comfortably. The passenger’s seat should be adjusted in a similar manner, so that it is as far back from the front airbag in the dashboard as possible.

Adjusting the Seat Positions

■ Adjusting the front power seats

- Horizontal Position Adjustment
- Height Adjustment
- Driver’s Side/Passenger’s Side
- Lumbar Support Adjustment
- Seat-back Angle Adjustment

WARNING

Sitting too close to a front airbag can result in serious injury or death if the front airbags inflate.

Always sit as far back from the front airbags as possible while maintaining control of the vehicle.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Transport Canada recommend that drivers allow at least 10 inches (25 cm) between the center of the steering wheel and the chest.

Always make seat adjustments before driving.

* Not available on all models
Adjusting the Seats

Front Seats Controls

Adjust the driver’s seat-back to a comfortable, upright position, leaving ample space between your chest and the airbag cover in the center of the steering wheel.

The front seat passenger should also adjust their seat-back to a comfortable, upright position.

Reclining a seat-back so that the shoulder part of the belt no longer rests against the occupant’s chest reduces the protective capability of the belt. It also increases the chance of sliding under the belt in a crash and being seriously injured. The farther a seat-back is reclined, the greater the risk of injury.

WARNING
Reclining the seat-back too far can result in serious injury or death in a crash.

Adjust the seat-back to an upright position, and sit well back in the seat.

Do not put a cushion, or other object, between the seat-back and your back. Doing so may interfere with proper seat belt or airbag operation.

If you cannot get far enough away from the steering wheel and still reach the controls, we recommend that you investigate whether some type of adaptive equipment may help.
Adjusting the Seat Positions

Models with bench seat

Horizontal Position Adjustment
Pull up the bar to move the seat, then release the bar.

Seat-back Angle Adjustment
Pull up the lever to change the angle.

Second Row Seats
Once a seat is adjusted correctly, rock it back and forth to make sure it is locked in position.
Models with captain seat

Horizontal Position Adjustment
Pull up the bar to move the seat, then release the bar.

Seat-back Angle Adjustment
Pull up the lever to change the angle.
Adjusting the Seats
Second Row Seats

Third Row Seat Access

Pressing the button on the seat-back, or seat cushion tilts the second row outer seat’s seatback forward.
- The whole seat slides forward.

Pulling up on the strap also tilts the seat-back forward.

Third Row Seat Access

The button is disabled when the vehicle is moving.

When you enter the third row seat, be careful not to trip over the second row seat belt.
Folding Down the Second Row Seat

Separately fold down the left and right halves of the second row seat to make room for cargo.

Models with bench seat

1. Store the center seat belt first. Insert the latch plate into the slot on the side of the anchor buckle.
2. Retract the seat belt into the holder on the ceiling. Seat Belt with Detachable Anchor P. 38
3. Lower the center head restraint to its lowest position. Put the armrest back into the seat-back.
4. Pull up on the seat-back angle adjustment lever.

To return the seat to the original position, pull up the seat-back in the upright position.

Folding Down the Second Row Seat

Make sure that the folded seat-back does not press against the front passenger seat, as this can cause the weight sensors in the front passenger seat to work improperly.

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The front seats must be far enough forward so they do not interfere with the second row seats as they fold down.

To lock the seat-back upright, push it backwards until it locks.

Make sure the seat-back, head restraints and seat cushion are securely latched back into place before driving. Also, make sure all rear shoulder belts are positioned in front of the seat-back.

Models with bench seat

Make sure the center shoulder belt is re-positioned in the holding slot.
Head Restraints

Your vehicle is equipped with head restraints in all seating positions.

Adjusting the Front and Second Row Outer Head Restraint Positions

Head restraints are most effective for protection against whiplash and other rear-impact crash injuries when the center of the back of the occupant’s head rests against the center of the restraint. The tops of the occupant’s ears should be level with the center height of the restraint.

Position head in the center of the head restraint.

WARNING

Improperly positioning head restraints reduces their effectiveness and increases the likelihood of serious injury in a crash.

Make sure head restraints are in place and positioned properly before driving.

In order for the head restraint system to work properly:

- Do not hang any items on the head restraints, or from the restraint legs.
- Do not place any objects between an occupant and the seat-back.
- Install each restraint in its proper location.
To raise the head restraint: Pull it upward.  
To lower the head restraint: Push it down while pressing the release button.
Adjusting the Seats

Head Restraints

A passenger sitting in the second row center seating position should adjust the height of their head restraint to an appropriate position before the vehicle begins moving.

**To raise the head restraint:**
Pull it upward.

**To lower the head restraint:**
Push it down while pressing the release button.

Head restraints can be removed for cleaning or repair.

**To remove a head restraint:**
Pull the restraint up as far as it will go. Then push the release button, and pull the restraint up and out.

**To reinstall a head restraint:**
Insert the legs back in place, then adjust the head restraint to an appropriate height while pressing the release button. Pull up on the restraint to make sure it is locked in position.

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**Changing the Second Row Center Seat Head Restraint Position**

**Removing and Reinstalling the Head Restraints**

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**WARNING**

Failure to reinstall, or correctly reinstall, the head restraints can result in severe injury during a crash.

Always replace the head restraints before driving.

* Not available on all models
Folding Down the Third Row Head Restraint

A passenger in the third row seating position should put the head restraint in the upright position before the vehicle begins moving.

To fold down the head restraint:
Pull the handle.

To put the head restraint back in the upright position:
Pull up the head restraint and push rearward until it latches.
Maintain a Sitting Proper Position

After all occupants have adjusted their seats and head restraints, and put on their seat belts, it is very important that they continue to sit upright, well back in their seats, with their feet on the floor until the vehicle is safely parked and the engine is off.

Sitting improperly can increase the chance of injury during a crash. For example, if an occupant slouches, lies down, turns sideways, sits forward, leans forward or sideways, or puts one or both feet up, the chance of injury during a crash is greatly increased.

In addition, an occupant who is out of position in the front seat can be seriously or fatally injured in a crash by striking interior parts of the vehicle or being struck by an inflating front airbag.

**WARNING**

Sitting improperly or out of position can result in serious injury or death in a crash.

Always sit upright, well back in the seat, with your feet on the floor.
Third Row Seats

Folding Down the Third Row Seat
Separately fold down the left and right halves of the third row seat to make room for cargo.

To fold down the seat
1. Pull the handle on the seat-back fully.  
   The head restraint tilts downward.
2. Push the seat-back forward while pulling the handle.

To return the seat to the original position
1. Pull the seat-back up with the handle pulled.
2. Push the head restraint up to its original position.

Make sure all items in the cargo area or items extending to the third row seats are properly secured. Loose items can fly forward if you have to brake hard.

To return the seat to the original position
Make sure the seat-back and head restraints are securely latched back into place before driving.
Armrest

Using the Front Seat Armrest

The console lid can be used as an armrest.

To adjust:
Slide the armrest to a desired position.
■ Using the Rear Seat Armrest

Pull down the armrest in the center backrest.

The console lid can be used as an armrest.

To adjust:
Slide the armrest to a desired position.
Interior Lights/Interior Convenience Items

Interior Lights

■ Interior Light Switches

- **ON**
The interior lights come on regardless of whether the tailgate and doors are open or closed.

- **Door activated**
The interior lights come on in the following situations:
  - When the tailgate or any doors are opened.
  - You unlock the driver’s door.
  - When the power mode is set to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

- **OFF**
The interior lights remain off regardless of whether the tailgate or any doors are open or closed.

Interior Light Switches

In the door activated position, the interior lights fade out and go off about 30 seconds after the doors are closed. The lights go off after 30 seconds in the following situations:

- When you unlock the driver’s door but do not open it.
- When you set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) but do not open a door.

You can change the interior lights dimming time.

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The interior lights go off immediately in the following situations:

- When you lock the driver’s door.
- When you close the driver’s door in ACCESSORY mode.
- When you set the power mode to ON.

If you leave any of the tailgate or doors open in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) mode, the interior lights go off after about 15 minutes.

When the interior light switch is in ON, if you close the tailgate and all doors in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) mode, the interior lights go off after about 30 minutes. However, when the battery is weaken, the interior lights go off after about 30 minutes if any door is open.
■ Map Lights

■ Front
The map lights can be turned on and off by pressing the (map light) button.

■ Second and third row
The map lights can be turned on and off by pressing the (map light) button when the front interior light switch is in the door activated position.

■ Cargo Area Lights

■ ON
The light comes on when you open the tailgate, and goes off when closed.

■ OFF
The light stays off with or without opening the tailgate.

When the interior light switch is in the door activated position and any door is open, the map light will not go off when you press the button.
### Interior Convenience Items

#### Glove Box

Press the button to open the glove box. You can lock the glove box with the built-in key.

To Lock

Glove Box

#### Removable shelf

The shelf in the glove box is detachable. To remove it, disengage the tabs.

Tabs

Shelf

The removed shelf can be stored upside down in the glove box.

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**WARNING**

An open glove box can cause serious injury to your passenger in a crash, even if the passenger is wearing the seat belt.

Always keep the glove box closed while driving.
Pull the passenger’s side handle to open the console compartment.

Pull the driver’s side handle to open the utility tray in the console lid.

■ Console Tray
Slide or lift the tray when you use the console compartment.
  ► To lift this tray, slide it rearward, then pull it up.

* Not available on all models

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Interior Convenience Items

### Center Pocket

Press the raised detent to open the lid. To close the lid, push it down until it latches.

### Under-floor Storage Area

Pull the handle to open the cargo floor lid.
Beverage Holders

- **Front seat beverage holders**
  Are located in the console between the front seats.

- **Door side beverage holders**
  Are located on the both of front and rear door side pockets.

**NOTICE**
Spilled liquids damage the upholstery, carpeting, and electrical components in the interior.

Be careful when you are using the beverage holders. Hot liquid can scald you.
Interior Convenience Items

- **Second row seat beverage holders**
  Fold the armrest down to use the rear seat beverage holders.

- **Third row seat beverage holders**
  Are located in the console between the second row seats.
### Accessory Power Sockets

The accessory power sockets can be used when the power mode is in ACCESSORY or ON.

- **Accessory power socket (center pocket)**
  Open the lid and the cover to use it.

- **Accessory power socket (front console compartment)**
  Pull the handle and open the cover to use it.

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**NOTICE**

Do not insert an automotive type cigarette lighter element: The power socket can overheat.

The accessory power sockets are designed to supply power for 12 volt DC accessories that are rated 180 watts or less (15 amps).

To prevent battery drain, use the power socket only when the engine is running.

* Not available on all models
■ Accessory power socket (cargo area)
Open the cover to use it.

■ AC Power Outlet*
The AC power outlet can be used when the engine is running.
Open the cover to use it. Plug in the appliance slightly, turn it 90° clockwise, then push it all the way.

* Not available on all models

NOTICE
Do not use the AC power outlet for electric appliances that require high initial peak wattage, such as cathode-ray tube type televisions, refrigerators, electric pumps, etc. It is not suitable for devices that process precise data, such as medical equipment, and that require an extremely stable power supply, such as microcomputer-controlled electric blankets, touch sensor lamps, etc.

The AC power outlet is designed to supply power for up to 115 volt appliances that are rated 150 watts or less.

Continued use of any electric appliance/device exceeding these ratings may result in damage to the appliance/device.
Interior Lights/Interior Convenience Items

Coat Hooks

There is a coat hook on the rear grab handle of both sides. Pull it down to use it.

Tie-down Anchors

The tie-down anchors on the cargo area floor can be used to install a net for securing items.
Sunglasses Holder

To open the sunglasses holder, push and release the indent. To close, push it again until it latches.

You can store eyeglasses and other small items in this holder.

Heated Steering Wheel*

The power mode must be in ON to use the heated steering wheel.

Press the button on the left side of the steering wheel.

When a comfortable temperature is reached, press the button again to turn it off.

The heated steering wheel is turned off every time you start the engine, even if you turned it on the last time you drove the vehicle.

* Not available on all models

Do not use the heated steering wheel continuously when the engine is off. Under such conditions, the battery may be weakened, making the engine difficult to start.
The power mode must be in ON to use the seat heaters and ventilators.

1. Select the setting with one of the following:
   - The Heat/Cool level indicators: Select your desired level setting. The left is for a LO setting, the center is for a MID setting, and to the right for a HI setting. 
   - AUTO: The system automatically selects the setting most suitable to the ambient environment.
   - OFF: Turn off the system.

WARNING

Heat induced burns are possible when using seat heaters.

Persons with a diminished ability to sense temperature (e.g., persons with diabetes, lower-limb nerve damage, or paralysis) or with sensitive skin should not use seat heaters.

Do not use the seat heaters and the seat ventilation even in LO when the engine is off. Under such conditions, the battery may be weakened, making the engine difficult to start.

* Not available on all models

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### Second Row Outer Seat Heaters*

The power mode must be in ON to use the seat heaters.

Press the seat heater button:
- Once - The HI setting (three indicators on)
- Twice - The MID setting (two indicators on)
- Three times - The LO setting
- Four times - The OFF setting (no indicators on)

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**WARNING**

Heat induced burns are possible when using seat heaters.

Persons with a diminished ability to sense temperature (e.g., persons with diabetes, lower-limb nerve damage, or paralysis) or with sensitive skin should not use seat heaters.

Do not use the seat heaters even in LO when the engine is off. Under such conditions, the battery may be weakened, making the engine difficult to start.

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### Integrated Sunshades*

Pull the tab and roll up the sunshade all the way. Use the hooks to hang it.

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*Not available on all models*
Using Automatic Climate Control

The automatic climate control system maintains the interior temperature you select. The system also selects the proper mix of heated or cooled air that raises or lowers the interior temperature to your preference as quickly as possible.

1. Press the AUTO button.
2. Adjust the interior temperature using the driver’s side or passenger’s side temperature control switch.
3. Press the (On/Off) button to cancel.

Use the system when the engine is running.

If any buttons/icons on the touch screen are pressed while using the climate control system in AUTO, the function of the button/icon that was pressed will take priority. The AUTO indicator will go off, but functions unrelated to the button/icon that was pressed will be controlled automatically.

Models with Auto Idle Stop
During idle-stops, air-conditioning is suspended, and only the blower remains active. If you do not want air-conditioning suspended, press (Off) to cancel idle-stop.

All models
To prevent cold air from blowing in from outside, the fan may operate at low speed for a while after the AUTO button has been pressed.

If the interior is very warm, you can cool it down more rapidly by partially opening the windows, turning the system on auto, and setting the temperature to low. Change the fresh mode to recirculation mode until the temperature cools down.

When you set the temperature to the lower or upper limit, Lo or Hi is displayed.

Pressing the (On/Off) button switches the climate control system between on and off. When turned on, the system returns to your last selection.

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- **A/C (Air Conditioning) and SYNC (Synchronized) Icon**
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- **Fan Control Icon**

**Using Automatic Climate Control**

When you unlock the doors with your remote, the driver's ID (Driver 1 or Driver 2) is detected, and the climate control settings are turned to the respective mode automatically when you set the power mode to ON.

You can store two customized climate control settings to the system and recall them from the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.

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Using Automatic Climate Control

1. Select the driver’s or passenger’s side temperature control icon.

2. Change the temperature setting from the following:

   - **Temperature bar**: Select a point where your desired temperature setting is. Farther to the left is for a lower, and to the right for a higher setting.
   - **3/4**: To raise or lower the temperature setting one degree at a time. While you select and hold 3/4, the temperature decreases or increases.
   - **MAX COOL ON/OFF**: To rapidly cool down the interior.
     - The A/C indicator comes on. The setting returns to the previously selected value when you select it again.
   - **MAX HEAT ON/OFF**: To rapidly warm up the interior.
     - The A/C indicator goes off. The setting returns to the previously selected value when you select it again.

Using Automatic Climate Control

When you set the temperature to the lower or upper limit, **Lo** or **Hi** is displayed.

When you set the **MAX COOL** or **MAX HEAT**, **MAX COOL** or **MAX HEAT** is displayed.

**Models with Auto Idle Stop**

If you select the **MAX COOL ON/OFF** or **MAX HEAT ON/OFF** during Auto Idle Stop, the engine restarts automatically.

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Switching the vent mode

Select a desired vent mode icon, or Front Mode Auto: The system automatically selects the vent mode most suitable to the ambient environment.

Vent mode
- Dashboard vents
- Dashboard and floor vents
- Floor vents
- Floor and defroster vents

A/C on and off

1. Select A/C.
2. Select ON or OFF.
**Climate Control System**

**Using Automatic Climate Control**

### ■ SYNC on and off

1. Select **SYNC**.
2. Select **ON** for synchronized mode.
   - When in synchronized mode, the front passenger’s side temperature and the rear passenger compartment become the same as the driver’s side settings.
3. Adjust the temperature or change the mode from the driver’s side.

### ■ Changing the fan speed

1. Select **Fan Speed**.
2. Change the fan speed with one of the following:
   - **Fan Speed Level Indicators**: Select your desired speed level. The smaller indicator is for a slower speed, and the larger for a faster speed.
   - **+/−**: To go up or down one level at a time.
   - **Front Fan AUTO**: The system automatically selects the fan speed most suitable to the ambient environment.

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**SYNC on and off**

When you press the **SYNC** button, the system synchronizes the driver’s and front passenger’s temperature settings.

When the system is not in SYNC mode, the driver’s side temperature, the front passenger’s side temperature and the rear passenger compartment (if it is on) can be set separately.

You can also turn off SYNC mode by changing the front passenger’s side temperature or rear passenger’s temperature.

**Changing the fan speed**

While the climate control system is in AUTO, **Front Fan AUTO** is highlighted.
Switching between the Recirculation and Fresh Air Modes

1. Select or currently shown.
2. Switch the mode depending on environmental conditions to the following:

- (Recirculation Mode): Recirculates air from the vehicle’s interior through the system.
- (Fresh Air Mode): Maintains outside ventilation. Keep the system in fresh air mode in normal situations.
Using Automatic Climate Control

You can store two sets of your preferred temperature, fan speed, and vent mode settings to the climate control system.

To store a set of the climate control settings:
1. Select **Shortcuts**.
2. Adjust the climate control system to your preference.
3. Select **Climate**.
4. Select **Edit**.
5. Select **Add**.
6. Select **Preset 1** or **Preset 2** you want to store your settings to.

To recall one of the settings:
1. Select **Shortcuts**.
2. Select **Climate**.
3. Select **Preset 1** or **Preset 2**.

To delete a preset:
1. Select **Shortcuts**.
2. Select **Climate**.
3. Select **Edit**.
4. Select **Delete**.
5. Select **Preset 1** or **Preset 2** you want to delete.

You can also store a set by pressing and holding the preset number you want to store that setting after step 3.
Climate Control System
Using Automatic Climate Control

Defrosting the Windshield and Windows

Press the button to turn the air conditioning system on and automatically switch the system to fresh air mode.

Press the button again to turn off, the system returns to the previous settings.

To rapidly defrost the windows

1. Press the button.
2. Select the recirculation mode.

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Defrosting the Windshield and Windows

For your safety, make sure you have a clear view through all the windows before driving.
Do not set the temperature near the upper or lower limit.
When cold air hits the windshield, the outside of the windshield may fog up.

If the side windows fog up, adjust the vents so that the air hits the side windows.

Models with Auto Idle Stop
If you press the button during Auto Idle Stop, the engine restarts automatically.

To rapidly defrost the windows

After defrosting the windows, switch over to fresh air mode.
If you keep the system in recirculation mode, the windows may fog up from humidity. This impedes visibility.
Rear Climate Control System

Using the Rear Climate Control System From the Front Panel

Use the system when the engine is running.

1. Select REAR.
2. Select AUTO.
   - The rear system changes to AUTO mode.
3. Adjust the rear passenger’s compartment temperature using the temperature control icon.
4. Select the ON/OFF to cancel.
   - When the turned back on, the system returns to your last selection.

Rear Climate Control System

If any icons on the touch screen are pressed while using the rear climate control system in AUTO, the function of the icon that was pressed will take priority.

Rear Lock: Appears on the front panel. When selected, it disables the rear panel control.
LOCK: Appears on the rear control panel while the rear lock is on.

If the rear lock is on while in SYNC mode, the rear control panel is disabled. LOCK SYNC appears on the rear control panel.

Models with Auto Idle Stop
When the rear fan is set to maximum speed, Auto Idle Stop does not activate.
Auto Idle Stop may not activate under other conditions when the rear climate control system is in use.
Climate Control System

Rear Climate Control System

■ Changing the rear temperature setting

Change the temperature setting from the following:

1. ▲/▼: To raise or lower the temperature setting one degree at a time. While you select and hold ▲/▼, the temperature decreases or increases.

2. When you set the temperature to the lower or upper limit, Lo or Hi is displayed.

■ Switching the vent mode

Select a desired vent mode icon.

Vent mode:

- Rear console vents
- Rear console vents and floor vents
- Rear floor vents

Vent Mode Icon
■ Changing the fan speed

Select your desired speed level. The smaller indicator is for a slower speed, and the larger for a faster speed.
Use the system when the engine is running
1. Press the **AUTO** button.
2. Adjust the interior temperature using the rear temperature control button.
3. To turn off the rear climate control system, press the **On/Off** button.
The automatic climate control system is equipped with sensors. Do not cover or spill any liquid on them.
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Audio System

About Your Audio System

The audio system features AM/FM radio and SiriusXM® Radio service. It can also play audio CDs, WMA/MP3/AAC files, USB flash drives, and iPod, iPhone and Bluetooth® devices.

You can operate the audio system from the buttons and switches on the panel or the remote controls on the steering wheel, or the icons on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.

SiriusXM® Radio is available on a subscription basis only. For more information on SiriusXM® Radio, contact a dealer.

General Information on the Audio System

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SiriusXM® Radio is available in the United States and Canada, except Hawaii, Alaska, and Puerto Rico.

SiriusXM® is a registered trademark of SiriusXM Radio, Inc.

Video CDs, DVDs*, and 3-inch (8-cm) mini CDs are not supported.

iPod, iPhone and iTunes are trademarks of Apple Inc.

State or local laws may prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle.

When the screen is viewed through polarized sunglasses, a rainbow pattern may appear on the screen due to optical characteristics of the screen. If this is disturbing, please operate the screen without polarized sunglasses.

* Not available on all models
USB Ports

■ In the console compartment
The USB port (1.0 A) is for playing audio files on a USB flash drive and connecting a cellular phone and charging device.

The USB ports (2.5 A) are only for charging devices.

■ On the back of the console compartment
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USB Ports

USB Ports (2.5 A)

USB Port (1.0 A)

- Do not leave the iPod or USB flash drive in the vehicle. Direct sunlight and high temperatures may damage it.
- We recommend using an extension cable with the USB port.
- Do not connect the iPod or USB flash drive using a hub.
- Do not use a device such as a card reader or hard disk drive, as the device or your files may be damaged.
- We recommend keeping your data backed up before using the device in your vehicle.
- Displayed messages may vary depending on the device model and software version.

If the audio system does not recognize the iPod, try reconnecting it a few times or reboot the device. To reboot, follow the manufacturer’s instructions provided with the iPod or visit the following website:

The USB port can supply up to 1.0 A or 2.5 A of power. It does not output 1.0 A or 2.5 A unless requested by the device.

For amperage details, read the operating manual of the device that needs to be charged.

Set the power mode to ACCESSORY or ON first.

This port is for battery charge only. You cannot play music even if you have connected a music player to it.

Under certain conditions, a device connected to the port may generate noise in the radio you are listening to.
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Features

Auxiliary Input Jack

Use the jack to connect standard audio devices.

1. Open the AUX cover.
2. Connect a standard audio device to the input jack using a 1/8 inch (3.5 mm) stereo miniplug.
   ▶ The audio system automatically switches to the AUX mode.

Audio System Theft Protection

The audio system is disabled when it is disconnected from the power source, such as when the battery is disconnected or goes dead. In certain conditions, the system may display a code entry screen. If this occurs, reactivate the audio system.

■ Reactivating the audio system
1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. Turn on the audio system.
3. Press and hold the audio system power button for more than two seconds.
   ▶ The audio system is reactivated when the audio control unit establishes a connection with the vehicle control unit. If the control unit fails to recognize the audio unit, you must go to a dealer and have the audio unit checked.

You can return to the AUX mode by selecting Change Source on the Audio menu screen or Source on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.
Audio Remote Controls

Allows you to operate the audio system while driving.

**SOURCE Button**
Cycles through the audio modes as follows:
FM → AM → SiriusXM® → CD → USB → iPod → Bluetooth® Audio → Pandora® → Aha™ → AUX

**Left Selector Wheel**

**Roll Up:** To increase the volume.

**Roll Down:** To decrease the volume.

**Push:** To mute. Push again to unmute.
• When listening to the radio
  - **Move to the right:** To select the next preset radio station.
  - **Move to the left:** To select the previous preset radio station.
  - **Move to the right and hold:** To select the next strong station.
  - **Move to the left and hold:** To select the previous strong station.
• When listening to a CD, iPod, USB flash drive, or Bluetooth® Audio
  - **Move to the right:** To skip to the next song.
  - **Move to the left:** To go back to the beginning of the current or previous song.
  - **Move to the right and hold:** To go to the next folder. (Bluetooth® Audio only)
  - **Move to the left and hold:** To go to the previous folder. (Bluetooth® Audio only)
• When listening to a CD or USB flash drive
  - **Move to the right and hold:** To skip to the next folder.
  - **Move to the left and hold:** To go back to the previous folder.
• When listening to Pandora® and Aha™
  - **Move to the right:** To skip to the next song.
  - **Move to the right and hold:** To select the next station.
  - **Move to the left and hold:** To select the previous station.

Some mode appears only when an appropriate device or medium is used.
Audio System Basic Operation

To use the audio system, the power mode must be in ACCESSORY or ON. Use the interface dial or **MENU** button to access some audio functions.

Press 🔄 to switch between the normal and extended display for some functions.

**Interface dial:** Rotate left or right to scroll through the available choices. Press to set your selection. Move right, left, up or down to select secondary menu.

**MENU button:** Press to select any mode. The available mode includes **Sound**, **Change Source**, **Refresh Station List**, **Save Preset**, **Radio Text**, **Music Search**, and play modes. Play modes can be also selected from **Scan**, **Random/Repeat**, and so on.

**BACK button:** Press to go back to the previous display.

***(Day/Night) button:** Press to change the audio/information screen brightness. Press 🔄 once and make an adjustment. Each time you press 🔄, the mode switches between the daytime mode, nighttime mode and off mode.

Audio Menu Items
- **Sound** P. 243
- **Refresh Station List** P. 247
- **Save Preset** P. 246, 251
- **Radio Text** P. 248
- **Music Search** P. 261, 265, 271
- **Scan** P. 262, 272
- **Random/Repeat** P. 262, 266, 272

When you unlock the doors with your remote, the driver’s ID (Driver 1 or Driver 2) is detected, and the audio system settings and preset memory are turned to the respective mode automatically when you set the power mode to ON.
On Demand Multi-Use Display™

Use the On Demand Multi-Use Display™ to operate the audio system.

Selecting an Audio Source

Select Source, then select an icon on the source list to switch the audio source.

Displaying the Menu Items

Select More to display the menu items.

Displaying the Menu Items

Select Source. Menu Items

Select More.

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Icons that appear on the screen vary by the source selected.

Select X to go back to the previous screen.

Use the / / / icons to turn the page.

Selecting an Audio Source

You can change the order of source icons displayed.

1. Select Source, then Edit Order.
2. Select two icons, then select Done.

The locations of these icons are switched.

To go back to the original display order, select Default.
You can preset the settings of three categories (Phone, Climate, Audio) from Shortcuts.
Phone
You can preset five speed dial entries, and make a call from one of the preset numbers, or call history when the phone is paired and connected to the vehicle’s Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) system. Phone Setup P. 317

To preset a speed dial:
1. Select Shortcuts.
2. Select Phone.
3. Select Speed Dial.
4. Select Edit or No Entry.
   ▶ If you select No Entry, go to step 6.
5. Select Add.
   ▶ Five presets appear. Select a No Entry preset or an existing preset.
   ▶ The screen changes to a list of previously stored speed dial entries.
6. Select a number you want to store as a shortcut.

To make a call from a speed dial entry:
1. Select Shortcuts.
2. Select Phone.
3. Select Speed Dial.
4. Select a preset number.
   ▶ Dialing starts automatically.

Dial icon
You can make a call using the keyboard on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™ to input numbers.

To make a call using a phone number
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To delete a speed dial:
1. Select **Shortcuts**.
2. Select **Phone**.
3. Select **Speed Dial**.
4. Select **Edit**.
5. Select **Delete**.
6. Select the preset number with the phone number you want to delete.

To make a call from call history:
1. Select **Shortcuts**.
2. Select **Phone**.
3. Select **Call History**.
4. Select a phone number.
   - **Dialing starts automatically.**
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Audio

You can store up to six radio stations when playing AM, FM, or SiriusXM® radio.

To preset a station:
1. Tune to a radio station.
   - Playing AM/FM Radio P. 245
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2. Select Shortcuts.
3. Select Audio.
4. Select Edit or No Entry.
   - If you select No Entry, go to step 6.
5. Select Add.
6. Select the preset icon you want to store the station.

To play a preset station:
1. Select Shortcuts.
2. Select Audio.
3. Select a preset icon.

To delete a preset station:
1. Select Shortcuts.
2. Select Audio.
3. Select Edit.
4. Select Delete.
5. Select the preset icon with the radio station you want to delete.

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You can also preset a station by pressing and holding the preset icon you want to store that station after step 3.
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Adjusting the Sound

1. Select More, then Sound.
2. Use +, − or other icons to adjust the setting.

Changing the Screen Settings

1. Select More, then Screen Settings.
2. Use +, − or other icons to adjust the setting.

Adjusting the Sound

Select Off, Low, Mid or High for the SVC setting. P. 243
Instead of using +, − or icons, you can also touch the point where your desired setting is.

You can also adjust the sound by selecting on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.

Changing the Screen Settings

The followings are adjustable screen settings:
- Sync Display Brightness
  Selects whether the screen brightness synchronizes with the instruments panel brightness.
- Brightness
- Contrast
- Black Level
- Display
  Changes between the daytime or nighttime modes.
- Beep
  Mutes a beep that sounds every time you touch the screen.
- Keyboard
  Changes the on-screen keyboard from the alphabetical order to the qwerty type.
- Vibration
  Turns on and off the vibration when you touch the screen.
- Fade Timer
  Sets the screen black out timing.

Instead of using +, − or icons, you can also touch the point where your desired setting is.
Audio/Information Screen
Displays the audio status and wallpaper. From this screen, you can go to various setup options.

Switching the Display
Press the PHONE, INFO and AUDIO buttons to go to the corresponding display.
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Audio
Shows the current audio information.

Phone
Shows the HFL information. Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® P. 310

Info
Shows the Trip Computer or Clock/Wallpaper and other information. Rotate to select an item, then press .

Trip computer (Current Drive)
Shows the range, and instant and average fuel economy of the current trip, as well as the average fuel economy from your last trip.

Trip computer (History of Trip A)
Shows the range, average fuel economy and distances traveled for the current trip, as well as the average fuel economy and distances traveled during the last three driving cycles. Each time you reset the trip meter A, the information on the display updates. The history of the previous three driving cycles is kept.

Deleting the history manually
1. Move on the History of Trip A screen to select Delete History, then press .
2. A confirmation message appears on the screen. Rotate to select Yes, then press .

Clock/Wallpaper
Shows a clock screen or an image you import.
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Audio/Information Screen

Features
You can change, store, and delete the wallpaper on the audio/information screen.

■ Wallpaper Setup
You can change, store, and delete the wallpaper on the audio/information screen.

■ Import wallpaper
You can import up to three images, one at a time, for wallpaper from a USB flash drive.

1. Connect the USB flash drive to the USB port.
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2. Press the SETTINGS button.
3. Rotate to select System Settings, then press .
   ► Repeat the procedure to select Clock, Clock/Wallpaper Type.
4. Move to select Wallpaper.
   ► The screen will change to the wallpaper list.
5. Rotate to select Add New, then press .
6. Rotate to select a desired picture.
   ► The preview is displayed on the left side on the screen.
7. Press .
   ► The confirmation message will appear.
   Then the display will return to the wallpaper list.

Wallpaper Setup
- When importing wallpaper files, the image must be in the USB flash drive’s root directory.
  Images in a folder cannot be imported.
- The file name must be fewer than 64 characters.
- The file format of the image that can be imported is BMP (bmp) or JPEG (jpg).
- The individual file size limit is 2 MB.
- The maximum image size is 1,680 x 936 pixels. If the image size is less than 420 x 234 pixels, the image is displayed in the middle of the screen with the extra area appearing in black.
- Up to 50 files can be selected.
- If the USB flash drive does not have any pictures, the No files detected message appears.
■ Select wallpaper
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate  to select System Settings, then press .
   ► Repeat the procedure to select Clock/Wallpaper Type.
3. Move  to select Wallpaper.
   ► The screen changes to the wallpaper list.
4. Rotate  to select a desired wallpaper.
   ► The preview is displayed on the left side on the screen.
5. Press .
   ► The pop-up menu appears on the screen.
6. Rotate  to select Set, then press .
   ► The display will return to the wallpaper list.

■ Delete wallpaper
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate  to select System Settings, then press .
   ► Repeat the procedure to select Clock/Wallpaper Type.
3. Move  to select Wallpaper.
   ► The screen changes to the wallpaper list.
4. Rotate  to select a wallpaper that you want to delete, then press .
   ► The preview is displayed on the left side on the screen.
   ► The pop-up menu appears on the screen.
5. Rotate  to select Delete, then press .
   ► The confirmation message will appear.
6. Rotate  to select Yes, then press  to delete completely.
   ► The display will return to the wallpaper list.

Wallpaper Setup
From the pop-up menu, rotate  to select Preview and press  to see a preview at full-size screen.

To go back to the previous screen, press  to select OK, or press the BACK button.

When the file size is large, it takes a while to be previewed.
Adjusting the Sound

1. On the screen of any audio source, press the MENU button.
2. Rotate ☻ to select Sound, then press ☩.

Rotate ☻ to scroll through the following choices:

- Bass
- Treble
- Fader
- Balance
- Subwoofer
- Speed-sensitive Volume Compensation
- SVC

The SVC has four modes: Off, Low, Mid, and High. SVC adjusts the volume level based on the vehicle speed. As you go faster, audio volume increases. As you slow down, audio volume decreases.

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Display Setup

You can change the brightness or color theme of the audio/information screen.

### Changing the Screen Brightness

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select System Settings, then press.
3. Move < or > to select the Display tab.
4. Rotate to select Brightness, then press.
5. Rotate to adjust the setting, then press.

### Changing the Screen’s Color Theme

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select System Settings, then press.
3. Move < or > to select the Others tab.
4. Rotate to select Background Color, then press.
5. Rotate to select the setting you want, then press.

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Changing the Screen Brightness

You can change the Contrast and Black Level settings in the same manner.
Playing AM/FM Radio

**Source**
Select to change a band or change an audio source.

**Power) Button**
Press to turn the audio system on and off.

**VOL (Volume) Knob (Pushed out)**
Turn to adjust the volume.

**Tune**
Select to switch to tune mode.

**Skip/Seek Icons**
Select \[ \text{[} \text{to search up and down the selected band for a station with a strong signal.} \]

**Scan**
Select to sample each of the strongest stations on the selected band for 10 seconds.

**BACK Button**
Press to go back to the previous display.

**Audio/Information Screen**

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**Sound Icon**
Select to display the Sound menu.

**Preset Icons**
Select to store a station. To listen to a stored channel, select 1-6 (AM) or 1-12 (FM).

**More**
Select to display the menu items.

**Tune Up/Down Icons**
Select \[ \text{or } \text{to tune the radio frequency.} \]

**MENU Button**
Press to display the menu items.

**Interface Dial/ENTER Button**
Press and turn to select preset radio stations. Move up, down, right and left to select secondary menu.

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Preset Memory

To store a station:

1. Tune to the desired station.
2. Move < or > to select Presets tab.
3. Rotate < to select the preset number you want to store the station.
4. Press and hold < for a few seconds.

You can also store that station by the following procedure.
1. Tune to the selected station.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate < to select Save Preset, then press <.
4. Rotate < to select the preset number you want to store that station, then press <.

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1. Tune to the selected station.
2. Change the display to the preset screen.
3. Select and hold the preset number you want to store that station.

You can also store that station by the following procedure.
1. Tune to the selected station.
2. Select More.
3. Select Save Preset.
4. Select the preset number you want to store that station.

Playing AM/FM Radio

The ST indicator appears on the display indicating stereo FM broadcasts.
Stereo reproduction in AM is not available.

Switching the Audio Mode
Press the SOURCE button on the steering wheel.
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You can also switch the mode by pressing the MENU button and selecting Change Source on the Audio menu screen.

You can store 6 AM stations and 12 FM stations into the preset memory.
Radio Data System (RDS)

Provides text data information related to your selected RDS-capable FM station.

To find an RDS station from Station List

1. Move << or >> to select the Station List tab.
2. Rotate ◀ to select the station, then press .

Manual update

Updates your available station list at any time.

1. Rotate ◀ to select Refresh, then press .

You can also update a station by the following procedure.

1. Press the MENU button while listening to an FM station.
2. Rotate ◀ to select Refresh Station List, then press .

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Playing AM/FM Radio

■ Radio text
Display the radio text information of the selected RDS station.
1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate ☰ to select Radio Text, then press ◄.

■ Scan
Samples each of the strongest stations on the selected band for 10 seconds.

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate ☰ to select Scan, then press ◄.
To turn off scan, press ☰ to select Stop Scan, or press the BACK button.

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To turn off scan, select Stop Scan.
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Channel Art
Source
Select to change an audio source.

(Power) Button
Press to turn the audio system on and off.

VOL (Volume) Knob (Pushed out)
Turn to adjust the volume.

Scan
Select to scan each channel.

Presets
Select to store a channel. To listen to a stored channel, select 1-12.

Channel Up/Down Icons
Playback Icon

BACK Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

Audio/Information Screen
Category Up/Down Icons
Select ◄ or ► to display and select an SiriusXM® Radio category.

Sound Icon
Select to display the Sound menu.

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Playback Icon
Select to display the Playback screen.

More
Select to display the menu items.

Channel Up/Down Icons
Select ◄ or ► to the previous or next channel. Select and hold to rapidly skip 10 channels at a time.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

Interface Dial/ENTER Button
Press and turn to select preset radio stations. Move up, down, right and left to select secondary menu.
To Play the SiriusXM® Radio

1. Select the SiriusXM® mode.
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   Interface Dial
2. Rotate to select a channel from a list, then press .

   On Demand Multi-Use Display™
2. Select a channel using the , icons on the tune mode screen or the preset numbers (1-12) on the preset mode screen.

To change the tune mode:

   On Demand Multi-Use Display™
1. Select the SiriusXM® mode.
2. Select More.
3. Select Tune Mode.
4. Select Channel Mode or Category Mode.

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In the channel mode, all available channels are selectable. In the category mode, you can select a channel within a category (Jazz, Rock, Classical, etc.).

There may be instances when SiriusXM® Radio does not broadcast all the data fields (artist name, title). This does not indicate a problem with your audio system.

SiriusXM® Radio channels load in ascending order, which can take about a minute. Once they have loaded you will be able to scroll up or down to make your selections.

Tune Start:
When you change a channel, a song being played on that channel restarts from the beginning with this function. This can be turned on or off from the Play Song from Beginning setting.

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Preset Memory

To store a channel:

Interface Dial
1. Tune to the selected channel.
2. Move ◀ or ▶ to select Presets tab.
3. Rotate ◁ to select the preset number you want to store the channel.
4. Press and hold ◁ for a few seconds.

You can also store a channel by the following procedure.
1. Tune to the selected channel.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate ◁ to select Save Preset, then press ◁.
4. Rotate ◁ to select the preset number you want to store that channel, then press ◁.

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1. Tune to the selected channel.
2. Change the display to the preset screen.
3. Select and hold the preset number you want to store that channel.

You can also store a channel by the following procedure.
1. Tune to the selected channel.
2. Select More.
3. Select Save Preset.
4. Select the preset number you want to store that channel.
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## Multi-channel preset (for music channels only)
You can store up to four of your preferred music channels per preset and listen to them randomly.

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1. Tune a station.
2. Select More.
3. Select Save Preset.
4. Select Edit TuneMix.
5. Select a preset number where you want to add a music channel.
6. Select Add.
   - Select OK or X to return the previous screen.

### To delete a multi-channel preset:
1. Select More.
2. Select Save Preset.
3. Select Edit TuneMix.
4. Select a multi-channel preset number.
5. Select Delete.
6. Select channel icon.
   - Select OK or X to return the previous screen.
### Listening to Featured Channels

Suggested channel listing received from SiriusXM® can be displayed and selected.

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Move ➨ to select **Advanced**.
3. Rotate ◀ to select **Featured Channels**, then press ◀️.
4. Rotate ◀ to select a channel, then press ◀️.

### Displaying a Channel Schedule

You can check a channel schedule by selected channel list on the audio/information screen.

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Move ➨ to select **Advanced**.
3. Rotate ◀ to select **View Channel Schedule**, then press ◀️.
Replay Function

The system constantly records up to the last 60 minutes of your currently tuned channel and all the preset channel broadcast, starting from the moment you turn the power mode to ON. You can rewind and replay the last 60 minutes of each broadcast.

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select Playback, then press .

The following items are available:
- **Play/Pause**: Pauses or plays a storing broadcast.
- **Go to Live**: Returns to real-time broadcast.
- **Skip Down**: Skips to the previously stored channel.
- **Skip Up**: Skips to the next channel.
- **15sec Back**: Select to skip back 15 seconds in the current selection. Select and hold to fast-rewind the current selection.
- **15sec Skip**: Select to skip forward 15 seconds in the current selection. Select and hold to fast-forward the current selection.
- **OK**: Returns to previous channel.

Returning to real-time broadcast

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select Go to Live, press while listening to the playback channel.

Replay Function

The system starts storing broadcast in memory when the power mode is turned ON. You can go back to the program from that point.

You can no longer replay any program once the power mode is turned OFF as it erases memory. You can check how long the program has been stored in memory from the audio/information screen.

(A): Shows how much time the replayed segment is behind the real-time broadcast
(B): Replayed segment
(C): Length stored in memory
Live Sports Alert

While listening to other channels you can receive sports alerts such as scores from your favorite teams.

To set up a sports alert

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate ⏺ to select Audio Settings, then press ⏺.
3. Select SXM tab.
4. Select SportsFlash™.
5. Select Notification, then select Enable.
6. Press the BACK button.
7. Select Favorite Teams, then select a team.
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■ Receiving a sports alert

1. A pop-up appears and notifies you of a sports alert.
2. Rotate \( \circ \) to select **Listen Now**, then press \( \circ \).

The following items are available:
- **Play/Pause**: Pauses or plays a current sports alert.
- **Go to Live**: Returns to real-time broadcast.
- **Skip Down**: Skips to the previously stored sports alert.
- **Skip Up**: Skips to the next stored sports alert.
- **15sec Back**: Select to skip back 15 seconds to the current sports alert. Select and hold to fast-rewind the current sports alert.
- **15sec Skip**: Select to skip forward 15 seconds to the current sports alert. Select and hold to fast-forward the current sports alert.
- **Back**: Returns to previous channel.

■ Listening to a missed sports alert

If you have missed a sports alert:
1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Move \( \circ \) to select **Advanced**.
3. Rotate \( \circ \) to select **SportsFlash™**, then press \( \circ \).
4. Rotate \( \circ \) to select alert, then press \( \circ \).
You can receive the SiriusXM® traffic and weather information service in SiriusXM® mode.

**Traffic and Weather Information**

To set up a traffic & weather information

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Audio Settings, then press 🎧.
3. Rotate to select Traffic & Weather Now Setup, then press 🎧.
4. Rotate 🎧 to select a city, then press 🎧.

The traffic and weather information function at SiriusXM® mode only.

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When you listen to the traffic and weather information service, set up the applicable city using Traffic & Weather Now Setup.
Listening a traffic and weather information

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Move ▶ to select Advanced.
3. Rotate ₋ to select Traffic & Weather Now, then press 🎧.

The following items are available:

- **Play/Pause**: Pauses or plays a storing broadcast.
- **Go to Live**: Returns to real-time broadcast.
- **Skip Down**: Skips to the previously stored channel.
- **Skip Up**: Skips to the next channel.
- **15sec Back**: Select to skip back 15 seconds in the current broadcast. Select and hold to fast-rewind the current broadcast.
- **15sec Skip**: Select to skip forward 15 seconds in the current broadcast. Select and hold to fast-forward the current broadcast.
- **Back**: Returns to previous channel.


### Scan

Sample each channel on the selected mode for 10 seconds.

**Interface Dial**

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select Scan, then press .
3. Rotate to select Scan Channels or Scan Songs in Presets, then press .

To turn off scan, press to select Stop Scan, or press the BACK button.

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1. Select More.
2. Select Scan.
3. Select Scan Channels or Scan Songs in Presets.

To turn off scan, select Stop Scan.

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**Scan**

You can select desired channel by songs using Scan Songs in presets.

The "Scan Songs in Presets" function is based on TuneScan™ technology of SiriusXM®.

The "Featured Channels" function is based on Featured Favorites™ technology of SiriusXM®.

TuneScan™ and Featured Favorites™ are registered trademarks of SiriusXM® Radio, Inc.

**Scan Mode Menu Items**

- **Scan Channels**: Scans for channels with a strong signal in the selected mode.
- **Scan Songs in Presets**: Scans for desired preset channel by songs. Select Skip Up or Skip Down to skip to the next/previous stored selection.
Playing a CD

Your audio system supports audio CDs, CD-Rs and CD-RWs in either MP3, WMA, or AAC*1 format. With the CD loaded, select the CD mode.

*1: Only AAC format files recorded with iTunes are playable on this unit.
How to Select a File from the Music Search List (MP3/WMA/AAC)

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select Music Search, then press 🔄.
3. Rotate 🔄, move ◄ or ►, then press 🔄 to select a file from the Music Search list.

You can also select a file by the following procedure.
1. Rotate ◄ or press ◄ to display the song list.
2. Rotate ◄, move ◄ or ►, then press ◄ to select a file from the list.

Playing a CD

NOTICE
Do not use CDs with adhesive labels. The label can cause the CD to jam in the unit.

WMA and ACC files protected by digital rights management (DRM) cannot be played. The audio system displays Unplayable File, then skips to the next file.

Text data appears on the display under the following circumstances:
• When you select a new folder, file, or track.
• When you change the audio mode to CD.
• When you insert a CD.

If you eject the CD but do not remove it from the slot, the system reloads the CD automatically after several seconds.
How to Select a Play Mode

You can select scan, repeat, and random modes when playing a track or file.

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Rotate the dial to select Scan or Random/Repeat, then press ⊿.
3. Rotate the dial to select a mode, then press ⊿.

How to Select a Play Mode

**Interface Dial**

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Rotate the dial to select Scan or Random/Repeat, then press ⊿.
3. Rotate the dial to select a mode, then press ⊿.

**On Demand Multi-Use Display™**

1. Select Scan, Random or Repeat.
2. Playing a CD P. 260
3. Select a mode.

To turn off a play mode

**Interface Dial**

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Rotate the dial to select the mode you want to turn off, then press ⊿.

**On Demand Multi-Use Display™**

1. Select Scan, Random or Repeat.
2. Playing a CD P. 260
3. Select the mode you want to turn off.

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### Play Mode Menu Items

- **Scan**
  - **Scan Folders (MP3/WMA/AAC)**: Provides 10-second sampling of the first file in each of the main folders.
  - **Scan Tracks**: Provides 10-second sampling of all tracks on the CD (all files in the current folder in MP3, WMA, or AAC).

- **Random/Repeat**
  - **Repeat Folder (MP3/WMA/AAC)**: Repeats all files in the current folder.
  - **Repeat Track**: Repeats the current track/file.
  - **Random in Folder (MP3/WMA/AAC)**: Plays all files in the current folder in random order.
  - **Random All Tracks**: Plays all tracks/files in random order.
Playing an iPod

Connect the iPod using your USB connector to the USB port, then select the iPod mode.

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Audio/Information Screen

USB Indicator
Appears when an iPod is connected.

Source
Select to change an audio source.

On Demand Multi-Use Display™
Source
Select to change an audio source.

Power) Button
Press to turn the audio system on and off.

Sound Icon
Select to display the Sound menu.

VOL (Volume) Knob (Pushed out)
Turn to adjust the volume.

Album Bar
Select to search for an album.

Play/Pause Icon
Select to resume or play a song.

Repeat Icon
Select to repeats the current song.

Shuffle Icon
Select to change a play mode in album shuffle or shuffle all songs.

More
Select to display the menu items.

Album Art Icon

Skip/Seek Icons
Select [;left or [right] to change songs. Select and hold to move rapidly within a song.

Interface Dial/ENTER Button
Press and turn to select an item, then press to set your selection.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

Move up, down, right and left to select secondary menu.

BACK Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

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How to Select an Album

You can select albums in the category you selected by the Music Search list.

1. Select the album bar.
   - The image of the current album is displayed.
2. Select ➤ or ➥ icon to search for an album.
   - When the album image you are looking for appears, select it to play.

How to Select an Album

This function may not be available depending on models or versions.

Select X to go back to the previous screen.
How to Select a Song from the Music Search List

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate \( \textcircled{\downarrow} \) to select Music Search, then press \( \textcircled{\uparrow} \).

3. Rotate \( \textcircled{\downarrow} \), move \( \langle \textcircled{\downarrow} \rangle \) or \( \langle \textcircled{\uparrow} \rangle \), then press \( \textcircled{\uparrow} \) to select a song from the Music Search list.

You can also select a song by the following procedure.

1. Rotate \( \textcircled{\downarrow} \) or press \( \textcircled{\uparrow} \) to display the song list.
2. Rotate \( \textcircled{\downarrow} \), move \( \langle \textcircled{\downarrow} \rangle \) or \( \langle \textcircled{\uparrow} \rangle \), then press \( \textcircled{\uparrow} \) to select a song from the list.
### How to Select a Play Mode

You can select repeat and shuffle modes when playing a file.

**Interface Dial**
1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Rotate \( \rightarrow \) to select **Shuffle/Repeat**, then press \( \Rightarrow \).
3. Rotate \( \rightarrow \) to select a mode, then press \( \Rightarrow \).

**On Demand Multi-Use Display™**
1. Select **Shuffle** or **Repeat**.
2. Playing an iPod P. 263
3. Select a mode.

### To turn off a play mode

**Interface Dial**
1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Rotate \( \rightarrow \) to select the mode you want to turn off, then press \( \Rightarrow \).

**On Demand Multi-Use Display™**
1. Select **Shuffle** or **Repeat**.
2. Playing an iPod P. 263
3. Select the mode you want to turn off.

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**Play Mode Menu Items**

**Repeat Song**: Repeats the current track.

**Shuffle Albums**: Plays all available albums in a selected list (playlists, artists, albums, songs, genres, or composers) in random order.

**Shuffle All Songs**: Plays all available files in a selected list (playlists, artists, albums, songs, genres, or composers) in random order.
Compatible phones only

Playing Internet Radio

Connect a compatible phone through Bluetooth®.

iPhone
You can also connect the phone using your USB connector to the USB port. Select Source to select Pandora or Aha mode.

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* Not available on all models
You can operate some of the Pandora® menu items from your vehicle’s audio system. The available items are:

- **Create Station**
- **Skip Forward**
- **Play/Pause**
- **Station List**
- **Like**
- **Dislike**
- **Bookmark Track**
- **Bookmark Artist**
- **Sound**
- **Change Source**

### Operating a menu item

The menu items are shown in the lower half of the audio/information screen. Rotate 🗻 to select an item and press 🔄.

To select **Sound** or **Change Source**, press the MENU button, then press 🔄.

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**Pandora® Menu**

You can operate some of the Pandora® menu items from your vehicle’s audio system. The available items are:

- **Create Station**
- **Skip Forward**
- **Play/Pause**
- **Station List**
- **Like**
- **Dislike**
- **Bookmark Track**
- **Bookmark Artist**
- **Sound**
- **Change Source**

**Operating a menu item**

The menu items are shown in the lower half of the audio/information screen. Rotate 🗻 to select an item and press 🔄.

To select **Sound** or **Change Source**, press the MENU button, then press 🔄.

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**Playing Internet Radio**

**Pandora®** is a personalized Internet radio service that selects music based on an artist, song, or genre a user enters, and streams what is likely to be of interest.

To use this service in your vehicle, the Pandora® app must first be installed on your phone. Visit www.pandora.com for more information.

If you cannot operate Pandora® through the audio system, it may be streaming through Bluetooth® Audio. Make sure Pandora® mode on your audio system is selected.

There are restrictions on the number of songs you can skip or dislike in a given hour.
Features

Aha™ Radio Menu
You can operate some of the Aha™ menu items from your vehicle’s audio system. The available items are:
- Like
- Dislike
- Play/Pause
- 15sec rewind
- 30sec skip
- Tracks
- Reply
- Call
- Detail
- Sound
- Change Source
- Station List

Operating a menu item
The menu items are shown in the lower half of the audio/information screen. Rotate ▼ to select an item and press ▼.

To select Sound, Change Source or Station List, press the MENU button, then press ▼.

Aha™ Radio Menu
Aha™ by Harman is a cloud-based service that organizes your favorite web content into live radio stations. You can access podcasts, internet radio, location-based services, and audio updates from social media sites.

Available operating functions vary on software versions. Some functions may not be available on the vehicle’s audio system.

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the audio/information screen.

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The menu items vary depending on the station you selected.

To use this service in your vehicle, the AcuraLink Streams app must be installed on your phone. For more information visit:
- U.S.: owners.acura.com/apps
- Canada: acura.ca/owners/acuralink/streams

You must have a previously set up Aha account prior to using the service in your vehicle. For more information visit:
- U.S.: www.aharadio.com
- Canada: acura.ca/owners/acuralink/streams
Playing a USB Flash Drive

Your audio system reads and plays sound files on a USB flash drive in either MP3, WMA, or AAC*1 format.

Connect your USB flash drive to the USB port, then select the USB mode.

*1: Only AAC format files recorded with iTunes are playable on this unit.
How to Select a File from the Music Search List

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate \( \text{to select Music Search, then press } \) \( \).

3. Rotate \( \), move \( \text{or } \), then press \( \) to select a file from the Music Search list.

You can also select a file by the following procedure.
1. Rotate \( \text{or press } \) to display the song list.
2. Rotate \( \), move \( \text{or } \), then press \( \) to select a file from the list.

Playing a USB Flash Drive

Use the recommended USB flash drives.

Files in WMA/ACC format protected by digital rights management (DRM) cannot be played.
The audio system displays Unplayable File, and then skips to the next file.

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the audio/information screen.

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How to Select a Play Mode

You can select scan, repeat, and random modes when playing a file.

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate \( \circ \) to select Scan or Random/Repeat, then press \( \triangleright \).
3. Rotate \( \circ \) to select a mode, then press \( \triangleright \).

To turn off a play mode

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate \( \circ \) to select the mode you want to turn off, then press \( \triangleright \).

### Play Mode Menu Items

**Scan**
- **Scan Folders**: Provides 10-second sampling of the first file in each of the main folders.
- **Scan Tracks**: Provides 10-second sampling of all files in the current folder.

**Random/Repeat**
- **Repeat Folder**: Repeats all files in the current folder.
- **Repeat Track**: Repeats the current file.
- **Random in Folder**: Plays all files in the current folder in random order.
- **Random All Tracks**: Plays all files in random order.

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**Features**

- Interface Dial
- On Demand Multi-Use Display™

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Playing a USB Flash Drive P. 270
2. Select a mode.
Playing Bluetooth® Audio

Your audio system allows you to listen to music from your Bluetooth-compatible phone.

This function is available when the phone is paired and connected to the vehicle’s Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) system.

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Not all Bluetooth-enabled phones with streaming audio capabilities are compatible with the system. For a list of compatible phones:

- U.S.: Visit www.acura.com/handsfreelink, or call 1-888-528-7876.
- Canada: Visit www.handsfreelink.ca, or call 1-888-528-7876.

In some states, it may be illegal to perform some data device functions while driving.

If more than one phone is paired to the HFL system, there will be a delay before the system begins to play.
Audio System Basic Operation ➤ Playing Bluetooth® Audio

To Play Bluetooth® Audio Files

1. Make sure that your phone is paired and connected to HFL.
2. Select the Bluetooth® Audio mode.

If the phone is not recognized, another HFL-compatible phone, which is not compatible for Bluetooth® Audio, may already be connected.

To pause or resume a file

Interface Dial

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select Play or Pause, then press .

On Demand Multi-Use Display™
Select the play icon or pause icon.

To play Bluetooth® Audio Files

To play the audio files, you may need to operate your phone. If so, follow the phone maker's operating instructions.

The pause function may not be available on some phones.

Switching to another mode pauses the music playing from your phone. This function may not be available on some phones.
Siri Eyes Free

You can talk to Siri using the Talk button on the steering wheel when your compatible iPhone is paired to Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®.

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Using Siri Eyes Free

(Hang-up/back) button:
Press to deactivate Siri.

(Talk) button:
Press and hold until the display changes as shown.

Appears when Siri is activated in Siri Eyes Free

While in Siri Eyes Free:
The display remains the same. No feedback or commands appear.

Siri Eyes Free

Siri is a trademark of Apple Inc.

Check Apple Inc. website for features available for Siri.

We recommend against using Siri other than in Siri Eyes Free while operating a vehicle.

Using Siri Eyes Free

Some commands work only on specific phone features or apps.
## Audio Error Messages

### CD Player

If a disc error occurs, you may see the following error messages.

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<tr>
<td>Unplayable File</td>
<td>Track/file format not supported</td>
<td>• Current track/file will be skipped. The next supported track/file plays automatically.</td>
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</table>
| Bad Disc                       | Track/file format not supported | • Press the (eject) button and remove the disc, and check that the error message is cleared.  
• Check that the disc is not damaged or deformed, and insert the disc again.  
  [Protecting CDs P. 283](#) |
| Mecha Error                    | Mechanical error             | • If the error message reappears, press the button, and pull out the disc.  
• Insert a different disc.  
If the new disc plays, there is a problem with the first disc.  
• If the error message repeats, or the disc cannot be removed, contact a dealer.  
Do not try to force the disc out of the player. |
| Bad Disc Please Check Owner's Manual  | Servo error                  | • Check that the disc is not damaged or deformed.  
  [Protecting CDs P. 283](#) |
| Check Disc                     | Disc error                   | • Turn the audio system off and allow the player to cool down until the error message is cleared. |
| Heat Error                     | High temperature             |                                                                          |
## iPod/USB Flash Drive

If an error occurs while playing an iPod or USB flash drive, you may see the following error messages. If you cannot clear the error message, contact a dealer.

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<th>Error Message</th>
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<tr>
<td>Incompatible USB Device Please Check Owner's Manual.</td>
<td>Appears when an incompatible device is connected. Disconnect the device. Then turn the audio system off, and turn it on again. Do not reconnect the device that caused the error.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unsupported Version</td>
<td>Appears when an unsupported iPod is connected. If it appears when a supported iPod is connected, update the iPod software to the newer version.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Connect Retry</td>
<td>Appears when the system does not acknowledge the iPod. Reconnect the iPod.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unplayable File</td>
<td>Appears when the files in the USB flash drive are DRM or an unsupported format. This error message appears for about three seconds, then plays the next song.</td>
</tr>
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</table>

### No Data

#### iPod

Appears when the iPod is empty.

#### USB flash drive

Appears when the USB flash drive is empty or there are no MP3, WMA, or AAC files in the USB flash drive.

#### iPod and USB flash drive

Check that compatible files are stored on the device.

#### Unsupported

Appears when an unsupported device is connected. If it appears when a supported device is connected, reconnect the device.
If an error occurs while playing Pandora®, you may see the following error messages. If you cannot clear the error message, contact a dealer.

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<td>Incompatible USB Device</td>
<td>Appears when an incompatible device is connected. Disconnect the device. Then turn the audio system off, and turn it again. Do not reconnect the device that caused the error.</td>
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<tr>
<td>No stations have been created. Please create a station on the device.</td>
<td>Appears when there is no station list on the device. Use the device to create a station.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No active station.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Music licenses force us to limit the number of tracks you may skip each hour.</td>
<td>Appears when you try to skip a song or select Dislike over the predetermined number of times in an hour.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unable to save rating. Unable to save bookmark. or Unable to skip.</td>
<td>Appears when the commanded operation is failed. Try again later.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No data</td>
<td>Appears when no data is available with Pandora® activated. Reboot the app and reconnect the device.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PANDORA App version is not supported.</td>
<td>Appears when Pandora® version is not supported. Update Pandora® to the latest version.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PANDORA system maintenance.</td>
<td>Appears when the Pandora® server is in maintenance. Try again later.</td>
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## Audio Error Messages

### Error Message

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<td>Cannot connect to PANDORA. When stopped, check your mobile device.</td>
<td>Appears when Pandora® is unable to play music. Check your device.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>When not driving, please see mobile device.</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>The maximum number of stations that can be created is 100. To create more,</td>
<td>Appears when the number of created stations reaches the limitation.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>please delete one or more previously created stations.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unable to create new station. Please try again.</td>
<td>Appears when you try to create a new station.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unable to play PANDORA. Please try again later.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unable to play PANDORA. Music licensing restricts play in this area.</td>
<td>Appears when Pandora® is unable to play music.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unable to play PANDORA. When stopped, log-in to PANDORA.</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>This PANDORA station is currently not available. Please select another station.</td>
<td>Appears when the station you selected is not currently available.</td>
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## Aha™ Radio

If an error occurs while playing Aha™ Radio, you may see the following error messages.

If you cannot clear the error message, contact a dealer.

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<td>Appears when an incompatible device is connected. Disconnect the device. Then turn the audio system off, and turn it on again. Do not reconnect the device that caused the error.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Please Check Owner’s Manual</td>
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General Information on the Audio System

SiriusXM® Radio Service

■ Subscribing to SiriusXM® Radio

1. You need your radio ID ready before registering for subscription. To see the ID in the display: Turn the interface dial until 0 appears.
2. Have your radio ID and credit card number ready, and either call or visit the SiriusXM® website to subscribe.

■ Receiving SiriusXM® Radio

Switch to the SiriusXM® mode by using the SOURCE button on the steering wheel, or through the On Demand Multi-Use Display™, and stay in this mode for about 30 minutes until the service is activated. Make sure your vehicle is in an open area with good reception.

■ SiriusXM® Radio Display Messages

Loading:
SiriusXM® is loading the audio or program information.

Channel off air:
The channel is not currently broadcasting.

Channel unsubscribed:
You are not subscribed to the channel selected.

No signal:
The signal is too weak in the current location.

Channel unavailable:
No such channel exists.

Check antenna, Antenna disconnected, Antenna shorted:
There is a problem with the SiriusXM® antenna. Contact a dealer.

Contact Information for SiriusXM® Radio:
• US: SiriusXM® Radio at www.siriusxm.com or 1-800-852-9696
• Canada: SiriusXM® Canada at www.siriusxm.ca, or 1-877-438-9677

The SiriusXM® satellites are in orbit over the equator; therefore, objects south of the vehicle may cause satellite reception interruptions. Satellite signals are more likely to be blocked by tall buildings and mountains the farther north you travel from the equator.

You may experience reception problems under the following circumstances:
• In a location with an obstruction to the south of your vehicle.
• In tunnels
• On the lower level of a multi-tiered road
• Large items carried on the roof rack
General Information on the Audio System

Recommended CDs

- Use only high-quality CD-R or CD-RW discs labeled for audio use.
- Use only CD-R or CD-RW discs on which the recordings are closed.
- Play only standard round-shaped CDs.

The CD packages or jackets should have one of these marks.

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CDs with MP3, WMA or AAC files

- Some software files may not allow for audio play or text data display.
- Some versions of MP3, WMA or AAC formats may be unsupported.

A Dual-disc cannot play on this audio unit. If recorded under certain conditions, a CD-R or CD-RW may not play either.
## Protecting CDs

Follow these precautions when handling or storing CDs:

- Store a CD in its case when it is not being played.
- When wiping a CD, use a soft clean cloth from the center to the outside edge.
- Handle a CD by its edge. Never touch either surface.
- Never insert foreign objects into the CD player.
- Keep CDs out of direct sunlight and extreme heat.
- Do not place stabilizer rings or labels on the CD.
- Avoid fingerprints, liquids, and felt-tip pens on the CD.

### NOTICE

Do not insert a damaged CD. It may be stuck inside and damage the audio unit.

#### Examples:

- Bubbled, wrinkled, labeled, and excessively thick CDs
- Sealed with plastic ring
- Damaged CDs
- Poor quality CDs
- Small CDs (3-inch (8-cm) CD)
- Using printer label kit
General Information on the Audio System

Compatible iPod, iPhone, and USB Flash Drives

### iPod and iPhone Model Compatibility

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<td>iPod classic 120GB (launch in 2008)</td>
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<td>iPod classic 160GB (launch in 2009)</td>
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<td>iPod nano (1st to 7th generation) released between 2005 and 2012</td>
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<td>iPod touch (1st to 6th generation) released between 2007 and 2015</td>
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<td>iPhone 3G/iPhone 3GS/iPhone 4/iPhone 4s/iPhone 5/iPhone 5c/iPhone 5s/iPhone 6/iPhone 6 Plus/iPhone 6s/iPhone 6s Plus</td>
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### USB Flash Drives

- A USB flash drive of 256 MB or higher is recommended.
- Some digital audio players may not be compatible.
- Some USB flash drives (e.g., a device with security lockout) may not work.
- Some software files may not allow for audio play or text data display.
- Some versions of MP3, WMA, or AAC formats may be unsupported.
Customized Features

Models with navigation system
See the Navigation System Manual for the customized features except for the Vehicle Settings.

Models without navigation system
Use the audio/information screen to customize certain features.

■ 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 .

Audio/Information Screen

Customized Features
When you customize setting, make sure that the vehicle is at a complete stop and select to [P].

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

List of customizable options P. 291

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Customized Features

Customization flow

Press the SETTINGS button.

- System Settings
  - Display: Sync Display Brightness, Brightness, Contrast, Black Level
  - Bluetooth: Bluetooth Status, Bluetooth Device List, Edit Pairing Code
  - Voice Reco: Voice Prompt
  - Clock: Clock, Clock/Wallpaper Type, Clock Adjustment, Clock Format
  - Others: Language, Operation Restriction Tips*, Background Color, Header Clock Display, Factory Data Reset

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Customized Features

Features

Vehicle Settings
  - Default

Driver Assist System Setup
  - Forward Collision Warning Distance
  - ACC Forward Vehicle Detect Beep
  - ACC Display Speed Unit
  - Road Departure Mitigation Setting
  - Lane Keeping Assist Suspend Beep
    - Blind Spot Info*

Driving Position Setup
  - Memory Position Link
  - Easy Entry/Exit

Keyless Access Setup
  - Door Unlock Mode
  - Keyless Access Beep Volume*
  - Keyless Access Light Flash
  - Keyless Access Beep
  - Remote Start System On/Off*
  - Walk Away Auto Lock

Meter Setup
  - Adjust Outside Temp. Display
  - “Trip A” Reset Timing
  - “Trip B” Reset Timing
  - Reverse Alert Tone
  - Auto Engine Idle Stop Guidance Screens*
    - Turn by Turn Display*

Language Selection

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- Lighting Setup
  - Interior Light Dimming Time
  - Headlight Auto Off Timer
  - Auto Light Sensitivity
- Door Setup
  - Auto Door Lock
  - Auto Door Unlock
  - Key And Remote Unlock Mode
  - Keyless Lock Answer Back
  - Security Relock Timer
  - Auto Folding Door Mirror
- Power Tailgate Setup
  - Keyless Open Mode
  - Power Open By Outer Handle
- Dynamic Mode Setup
  - Preferred Dynamic Mode
  - Maintenance Info.
- Maintenance Reset
- Fixed Guideline
- Dynamic Guideline

*1: Models without Cross Traffic Monitor

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Customized Features

- **Camera Settings**
  - Default
  - Models with Cross Traffic Monitor

- **Rear Camera**
  - Fixed Guideline
  - Dynamic Guideline

- **Cross Traffic Monitor**
  - Default

- **Audio Settings**
  - Default
  - Models with Cross Traffic Monitor

- **SXM**
  - Play Song from Beginning
  - Notification

- **Bluetooth**
  - Beep
  - Favorite Teams
  - Traffic & Weather Now Setup
  - Channel Art
  - Bluetooth Device List
  - Connect Bluetooth Audio Device
  - Source Select Popup
  - Cover Art

*1: Models with Cross Traffic Monitor
*2: May change depending on your currently selected source.
Customized Features

Phone Settings
- Default

Phone
- Connect Phone
- Bluetooth Device List
  - Add Bluetooth Device
  - Add Bluetooth Device
  - Edit Bluetooth Device
- Edit Speed Dial
- Auto Transfer
- Auto Answer
- Ring Tone
- Automatic Phone Sync
- Use Contact Photo
- Enable Text/Email
- Select Account
- New Text/Email Alert
- Message Auto Reading

Text/Email

Info Settings
- Default

Info
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  - Clock/Wallpaper Type
  - Clock Adjustment
  - Clock Format

Others
- Info Screen Preference
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<td>Changes the brightness of the audio/information screen.</td>
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<td>Turns the Bluetooth® on and off.</td>
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<td>Pairs a new phone to HFL, edits and deletes a paired phone, and creates a security PIN.</td>
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<td>Changes a pairing code.</td>
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<td>Analog/Digital*1/ Small Digital/Off</td>
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<td><strong>Clock</strong></td>
<td>- Changes the wallpaper type.</td>
<td>Blank/Galaxy*1/ Metallic</td>
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<td>- Imports an image file for a new wallpaper.</td>
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<td>Adjusts Clock.</td>
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<td><strong>Clock Format</strong></td>
<td>Selects the digital clock display from 12H to 24H.</td>
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<td><strong>Language</strong></td>
<td>Changes the display language.</td>
<td>English */ Français / Español</td>
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<td><strong>Others</strong></td>
<td><strong>Operation Restriction Tips</strong></td>
<td>Alerts you when manual control of the system is disabled to prevent distraction while driving.</td>
<td>On */ Off</td>
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<td><strong>Background Color</strong></td>
<td>Changes the background color of the audio/information screen and the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.</td>
<td>Blue */ Amber / Red / Green</td>
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<td><strong>Header Clock Display</strong></td>
<td>Selects whether the clock display comes on.</td>
<td>On */ Off</td>
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<td><strong>Factory Data Reset</strong></td>
<td>Resets all the settings to their factory default.</td>
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<td><strong>Default</strong></td>
<td>Cancels / Resets all customized items in the System Settings group as default.</td>
<td>Default / OK</td>
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<td><strong>Forward Collision Warning Distance</strong></td>
<td>Changes at which distance CMBS™ alerts.</td>
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<td><strong>ACC Forward Vehicle Detect Beep</strong></td>
<td>Causes the system to beep when the system detects a vehicle, or when the vehicle goes out of the ACC with LSF range.</td>
<td>On/Off°</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>ACC Display Speed Unit</strong></td>
<td>Changes the speed unit for ACC with LSF on the multi-information display (MID).</td>
<td>mph°/km/h (U.S.) mph/km/h° (Canada)</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Road Departure Mitigation Setting</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting for the road departure mitigation system.</td>
<td>Normal°/Wide/Warning Only</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Lane Keeping Assist Suspend Beep</strong></td>
<td>Causes the system to beep when the LKAS is suspended.</td>
<td>On/Off°</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Blind Spot Info°</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting for the blind spot information.</td>
<td>Audible And Visual Alert°/Visual Alert/Off</td>
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<td>English¹/ Français/ Español</td>
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<td>information display.</td>
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<td><strong>Adjust Outside Temp. Display</strong></td>
<td>Adjusts the temperature reading by a few</td>
<td>-5°F ~ ±0°F¹ ~ +5°F</td>
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<td><strong>Vehicle Settings</strong></td>
<td><strong>“Trip A” Reset Timing</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting of how to reset trip meter A, average fuel economy A, average speed A, and elapsed time A.</td>
<td>When Refueled/IGN Off/Manually Reset¹</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Meter Setup</strong></td>
<td><strong>“Trip B” Reset Timing</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting of how to reset trip meter B, average fuel economy B, average speed B, and elapsed time B.</td>
<td>When Refueled/IGN Off/Manually Reset¹</td>
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<td><strong>Reverse Alert Tone</strong></td>
<td>Causes the beeper to sound once when the change the gear position to R.</td>
<td>On¹/Off</td>
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<td><strong>Auto Engine Idle Stop Guidance Screens</strong></td>
<td>Selects whether the Auto Idle Stop guidance screens comes on.</td>
<td>On/Off¹¹</td>
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<td><strong>Turn by Turn Display</strong></td>
<td>Selects whether the turn-by-turn display comes on during the route guidance.</td>
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<td>Turns the driving position memory system using a remote transmitter on and off.</td>
<td>On’’/Off</td>
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<td>Easy Entry/Exit</td>
<td>Moves the seat fully rearward and steering wheel fully up when you get in/get out of the vehicle. Changes the setting for this feature.</td>
<td>Seat &amp; Steering Wheel’’/Seat Only/Steering Wheel Only/Off</td>
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<td>Vehicle Settings</td>
<td>Door Unlock Mode</td>
<td>Changes which doors unlock when you grab the driver's door handle.</td>
<td>Driver's Door or Tailgate Only’’/All Doors</td>
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<td>Keyless Access Setup</td>
<td>Keyless Access Beep Volume’’</td>
<td>Changes the beep volume.</td>
<td>High’’/Low</td>
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<td>Keyless Access Light Flash</td>
<td>Causes some exterior lights to flash when you unlock/lock the doors.</td>
<td>On’’/Off</td>
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<td>Keyless Access Beep</td>
<td>Causes the beeper to sound when you unlock/lock the doors.</td>
<td>On’’/Off</td>
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<td>Remote Start System On/Off’’</td>
<td>Turns the remote engine start feature on and off.</td>
<td>On’’/Off</td>
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<td>Walk Away Auto Lock</td>
<td>Changes the settings for the auto lock function when you walk away from the vehicle.</td>
<td>On/Off’’</td>
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#### Lighting Setup

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<td>Changes the length of time the interior lights stay on after you close the doors.</td>
<td>60 seconds / 30 seconds / 15 seconds</td>
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<td><strong>Headlight Auto Off Timer</strong></td>
<td>Changes the length of time the exterior lights stay on after you close the driver’s door.</td>
<td>60 seconds / 30 seconds / 15 seconds / 0 seconds</td>
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<td><strong>Auto Light Sensitivity</strong></td>
<td>Changes the timing for the headlights to come on.</td>
<td>Max / High / Mid / Low / Min</td>
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<td>With Vehicle Speed*1/Shift from P/Off</td>
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<td><strong>Auto Door Unlock</strong></td>
<td>Changes the setting for when the doors unlock automatically.</td>
<td>All Doors When Driver's Door Opens*1/All Doors When Shifted to Park/All Doors When Ignition Switched Off/Off</td>
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<td>Vehicle</td>
<td><strong>Key And Remote Unlock Mode</strong></td>
<td>Sets up either the driver's door or all doors to unlock on the first push of the remote or built-in key.</td>
<td>Driver Door*1/All Doors</td>
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<td>Door Setup</td>
<td><strong>Keyless Lock Answer Back</strong></td>
<td>LOCK/UNLOCK- The exterior lights flash. LOCK (2nd push)- The beeper sounds.</td>
<td>On*1/Off</td>
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<td><strong>Security Relock Timer</strong></td>
<td>Changes the time it takes for the doors to relock and the security system to set after you unlock the vehicle without opening any door.</td>
<td>90seconds/60seconds/30seconds*1</td>
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<td><strong>Auto Folding Door Mirror</strong>*</td>
<td>Changes how you can fold the door mirrors.</td>
<td>Auto Fold With Keyless*1/Manual Only</td>
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<td>Changes the keyless setting for when the power tailgate opens.</td>
<td>Anytime** */When Unlocked</td>
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<td><strong>Power Open By Outer Handle</strong></td>
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<td>Selects whether to enable the power tailgate open operation using the tailgate outer handle.</td>
<td>Off (Manual Only) <em>/ On (Power/Manual)</em>*</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Vehicle Settings</strong></td>
<td><strong>Preferred Dynamic Mode</strong></td>
<td>Changes the dynamic mode setting for when you set the power mode to ON.</td>
<td>Last Used** */ Comfort/Normal/Sport</td>
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<td><strong>Maintenance Info.</strong></td>
<td><strong>Maintenance Reset</strong></td>
<td>Resets the engine oil life display when you have performed the maintenance service.</td>
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<td><strong>Default</strong></td>
<td><strong>Maintenance Reset</strong></td>
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<td>Selects whether the dynamic guidelines come on the rear camera monitor.</td>
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<td>Turns the cross traffic monitor feature on and off.</td>
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<td>Disable*/Enable/Enable(one time)</td>
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<td><strong>Beep</strong> Causes the system to beep when the sports alert is notified.</td>
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<td><strong>Favorite Teams</strong></td>
<td>Selects your favorite sport teams.</td>
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<td><strong>SiriusXM® mode</strong></td>
<td><strong>Play Song from Beginning</strong> Turns on and off the Tune Start function.</td>
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<td><strong>SiriusXM® mode</strong></td>
<td><strong>Traffic &amp; Weather Now Setup</strong> Selects a city for using the SiriusXM® traffic and weather information.</td>
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<td><strong>SiriusXM® mode</strong></td>
<td><strong>Channel Art</strong> Turns on and off the channel art display.</td>
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<td>Bluetooth Device List</td>
<td>Connects, disconnects or pairs a Bluetooth® Audio device to HFL.</td>
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<td>Audio Settings</td>
<td><strong>Source Select Popup</strong></td>
<td>Selects whether the list of selectable audio sources comes on when the AUDIO button is pressed.</td>
<td>On/Off*¹</td>
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<td>iPod, USB, Pandora®* or Aha™ mode</td>
<td>Turns on and off the cover art display.</td>
<td>On*/¹Off</td>
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<td>Pairs a new phone to HFL, or connects or disconnects a paired phone.</td>
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<td>Bluetooth Device List</td>
<td>Pairs a new phone to HFL, edits or deletes a paired phone, or creates a security PIN.</td>
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<td>Edit Speed Dial</td>
<td>Edits, adds or deletes a speed dial entry.</td>
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<td>Auto Transfer</td>
<td>Sets calls to automatically transfer from your phone to HFL when you enter the vehicle.</td>
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<td>Auto Answer</td>
<td>Sets whether to automatically answer an incoming call after about four seconds.</td>
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<td>Ring Tone</td>
<td>Selects the ring tone.</td>
<td>Fixed/Mobile Phone¹/Off</td>
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<td>Automatic Phone Sync</td>
<td>Sets a phonebook data to be automatically imported when a phone is paired to HFL.</td>
<td>On/Off</td>
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<td>Use Contact Photo</td>
<td>Displays a caller’s picture on an incoming call screen.</td>
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*1: Default Setting
Defaulting All the Settings

You can reset all the menu and customized settings as the factory defaults.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate \( \uparrow \) to select System Settings, then press \( \uparrow \).
3. Move \(<\) or \(>\) to select the Others tab.
4. Rotate \( \uparrow \) to select Factory Data Reset, then press \( \uparrow \).
   - The pop-up menu appears on the screen.
5. Rotate \( \uparrow \) to select Yes, then press \( \uparrow \).
   - The confirmation message will appear.
6. Rotate \( \uparrow \) to select Yes, then press \( \uparrow \) again to reset the settings.
   - The confirmation message will appear.

When you transfer the vehicle to a third party, reset all settings to default and delete all personal data.

Models with navigation system

The following settings will be reset:
- Routing & Guidance: Rerouting, Unverified Area Routing, Traffic Rerouting, Edit Waypoint Search Area, Guidance Mode, Street Name Guidance
- Route Preference
- Audio preset settings
- Phonebook entries
- Other display and each item settings
HomeLink® Universal Transceiver

The HomeLink® Universal Transceiver can be programmed to operate up to three remote controlled devices around your home, such as garage doors, lighting, or home security systems.

### Important Safety Precautions

Refer to the safety information that came with your garage door opener to test that the safety features are functioning properly. If you do not have the safety information, contact the manufacturer.

Before programming HomeLink, make sure that people and objects are out of the way of the garage or gate to prevent potential injury or damage.

When programming a garage door opener, park just outside the garage door’s path.
If it is necessary to erase a previously entered learned code:

- Press and hold the two outside buttons for about 20 seconds, until the red indicator blinks. Release the buttons, and proceed to step 1.
- If you are training the second or third button, go directly to step 1.

The instructions on the next page should work for most gate or garage openers, but may not work for all. For detailed instructions about your specific remote opener, visit http://www.homelink.com or call (800) 355-3515.
Training a Button

1. Position the remote transmitter you wish to link 1 to 3 inches (3 - 8 cm) from the HomeLink button you want to program.

2. Press and release the desired HomeLink button. Hold the button on the remote transmitter. Does the HomeLink indicator (LED) change from slowly blinking to constantly on or rapidly blinking? The process should take less than 60 seconds.

   YES

   NO

3. Press and hold the programmed HomeLink button for about a sec. Does the device (garage door opener) work?

   YES

   NO

4. Press and hold the HomeLink button again. Does the device (garage door opener) work?

   Training Complete

   HomeLink LED is constantly on.

5. Press and hold the HomeLink button again. The remote-controlled device should operate.

   Training Complete

Retraining a Button

If you want to retrain a programmed button for a new device, you do not have to erase all button memory. You can replace the existing memory code using this procedure:

1. Press and hold the desired HomeLink button until the HomeLink indicator begins to blink.

   NO

   Standard transmitter

   Indicator remains on for about 25 secs.

   NO

   Rolling code transmitter

   Indicator remains on for about 25 secs.

2. Quickly release the HomeLink button and follow steps 1 - 3 under “Training a Button.” You do not need to press and release the HomeLink button again in step 2.

   Erasing Codes

To erase all the codes, press and hold the two outside buttons until the HomeLink indicator begins to blink (about 10 to 20 secs). You should erase all codes before selling the vehicle.

If you have any problems, see the device’s instructions, visit www.homelink.com, or call HomeLink at (800) 355-3515.

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Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) allows you to place and receive phone calls using your vehicle’s navigation/audio system, without handling your cell phone.

**Using HFL**

**HFL Buttons**

- **(Pick-up) button:** Press to go to the Speed Dial/Call History on the multi-information display or to answer an incoming call.
- **(Hang-up/back) button:** Press to end a call, to cancel a command or to clear the phone information on the MID.
- **(Talk) button:** Press to give HFL voice commands.
- **PHONE button:** Press to go directly to the Phone screen.
- **Interface dial:** Rotate to select an item on the screen, then press . Move , , or to select secondary menu.

Place your phone where you can get good reception. To use HFL, you need a Bluetooth-compatible cell phone. For a list of compatible phones, pairing procedures, and special feature capabilities:

- **U.S.:** Visit [www.acura.com/handsfreelink](http://www.acura.com/handsfreelink), or call 1-888-528-7876.
- **Canada:** Visit [www.handsfreelink.ca](http://www.handsfreelink.ca), or call 1-888-528-7876.

To use HFL, the Bluetooth setting must be On.

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Voice control tips:
- Aim the vents away from the ceiling and close the windows, as noise coming from them may interfere with the microphone.
- Press and release the button when you want to call a number using a stored voice tag, a phonebook name, or a number. Speak clearly and naturally after a beep.
- If the microphone picks up voices other than yours, the command may be misinterpreted.
- To change the volume level, use the audio system’s volume knob or the remote audio controls on the steering wheel.

State or local laws may prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle.

If you receive a call while using the audio system, the system resumes its operation an after ending the call.

* Not available on all models
### HFL Status Display

The audio/information screen notifies you when there is an incoming call.

- **Bluetooth® Indicator**: Comes on when your phone is connected to HFL.
- **HFL Mode**
- **Battery Level Status**
- **Roam Status**
- **Signal Strength**
- **Caller’s Name**
- **Caller’s Number**

### Limitations for Manual Operation

Certain manual functions are disabled or inoperable while the vehicle is in motion.

**U.S. models**

You cannot select a grayed-out option until the vehicle is stopped.

Only previously stored speed dial entries with voice tags, phonebook names, or numbers can be called using voice commands while the vehicle is in motion.

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**HFL Limitations**

An incoming call on HFL will interrupt the audio system when it is playing. It will resume when the call is ended.

**HFL Status Display**

The information that appears on the audio/information screen varies between phone models.

You can change the system language.

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The power mode must be in ACCESSORY or ON to use HFL.

■ Phone Settings screen

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Phone Settings, then press 🔄.

To use HFL, you must first pair your Bluetooth-compatible cell phone to the system while the vehicle is parked.

Some functions are limited while driving. A message appears on the screen when the vehicle is moving and the operation is canceled.

*1: Appears only when a phone is connected to HFL.
Features

- **Edit Speed Dial**
  - **Edit**
    - Edit a previously stored speed dial number.
    - Change a number.
    - Create or delete a voice tag.
  - **Delete**
    - Delete a previously stored speed dial number.

- **Delete All**
  - Delete all the previously stored speed dial numbers.

- **Manual Input**
  - Enter a phone number to store as a speed dial number.

- **Import from Call History**
  - Select a phone number from the call history to store as a speed dial number.

- **Import from Phonebook**
  - Select a phone number from the phonebook to store as a speed dial number.

- **New Entry**
  - Enter a phone number to store as a speed dial number.

- **Delete**
  - Delete all the previously stored speed dial numbers.

- **Auto Transfer**
  - Set calls to automatically transfer from your phone to HFL when you enter the vehicle.

- **Auto Answer**
  - Set whether to automatically answer an incoming call after about four seconds.

- **Ring Tone**
  - Select the ring tone.

- **Automatic Phone Sync**
  - Set phonebook data to be automatically imported when a phone is paired to HFL.

- **Use Contact Photo**
  - Display a caller’s picture on an incoming call screen.

- **Default**
  - Cancel/Reset all customized items in the Phone Settings group as default.

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- **Enable Text/Email**: Turn the text/e-mail message function on and off.
- **Select Account**: Select a mail or text message account.
- **New Text/Email Alert**: Select whether a pop-up alert comes on the screen when HFL receives a new text/e-mail message.
- **Message Auto Reading**: Selects whether the system automatically reads out messages, and, if selected, whether only when driving.

*1: Appears only when a phone is connected to HFL.
■ Phone screen

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button to display the menu items.

Dial*: Enter a phone number to dial.
Phonebook*: Display the paired phone's phonebook.

Speed Dial*: Enter a phone number to store as a speed dial number. Select a phone number from the call history to store as a speed dial number. Select a phone number from the phonebook to store as a speed dial number.

(Existing entry list) Dial the selected number in the speed dial list.
More Speed Dials Display another paired phone's speed dial list.

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- **Redial**
  - Redial the last number dialed in the phone’s history.

- **Call History**
  - All
  - Dialed
  - Received
  - Missed
  - Display the last 20 outgoing, incoming and missed calls.

- **Text/Email**
  - Message is read aloud.

- **(Read/Stop)**
  - System reads received message aloud, or stop message from being read.

- **Previous**
  - See the previous message.

- **Next**
  - See the next message.

- **Reply**
  - Reply to a received message using one of six fixed phrases.

- **Call**
  - Make a call to the sender.

- **Select Account**
  - Select a mail or text message account.

*1: Appears only when a phone is connected to HFL.
To pair a cell phone (when there is no phone paired to the system)

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Rotate ℹ️ to select Yes, then press 🔄.
3. Make sure your phone is search or discoverable mode, then press 🔄.
   ▶️ HFL automatically searches for a Bluetooth device.
4. When your phone appears on the list, select it by pressing 🔄.
   ▶️ If your phone does not appear, you can select Refresh to search again.
   ▶️ If your phone still does not appear, move ℹ️ to select Device Not Found? and search for Bluetooth devices using your phone. From your phone, select HandsFreeLink.
5. HFL gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
   ▶️ Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match. This may vary by phone.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.
To pair a cell phone (when a phone has already been paired to the system)

1. Press the **SETTINGS** button.
2. Rotate to select **Phone Settings**, then press .
   - Repeat the procedure to select **Connect Phone**, then **Add Bluetooth device**.
3. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode, then press .
   - HFL automatically searches for a **Bluetooth** device.
4. When your phone appears on the list, select it by pressing .
   - If your phone does not appear, you can select **Refresh** to search again.
   - If your phone still does not appear, move to select **Device Not Found?** and search for **Bluetooth** devices using your phone. From your phone, select **HandsFreeLink**.
5. HFL gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
   - Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match. This may vary by phone.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.
To change the pairing code setting

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select System Settings, then press .
   - Repeat the procedure to select Edit pairing code.
3. Rotate to select Fixed or Random, then press .

The pairing code may be six or four digits depending on your phone.

The default pairing code is 0000 until you change the setting.
To create your own, select Fixed, and delete the current code, then enter a new one.

For a randomly generated pairing code each time you pair a phone, select Random.
To replace an already-paired phone with a new phone

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate → to select Phone Settings, then press .
   ▶ Repeat the procedure to select Bluetooth Device List.
3. Rotate → to select a paired phone you want to replace, then press .
4. Rotate → to select Replace This Device, then press .
5. HFL enters the pairing process and searches a new phone.
   ▶ Follow the prompts to pair a new phone.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.
■ To delete a paired phone

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate ◀ to select Phone Settings, then press ▶.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Bluetooth Device List.
3. Rotate ◀ to select a phone you want to delete, then press ▶.
4. Rotate ◀ to select Delete This Device, then press ▶.
5. A confirmation message appears on the screen. Rotate ◀ to select Yes, then press ▶.
6. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.

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To turn on or off the text/e-mail message function
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Phone Settings, then press .
   ▶ Repeat the procedure to select Enable Text/Email.
   ▶ A pop-up menu appears on the screen.
3. Rotate to select On or Off, then press .

To turn on or off the text/e-mail message notice
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Phone Settings, then press .
   ▶ Repeat the procedure to select New Text/Email Alert.
   ▶ A pop-up menu appears on the screen.
3. Rotate to select On or Off, then press .

To use the text/e-mail message function, you need a Bluetooth-compatible cell phone. For a list of compatible phones, pairing procedures, and special feature capabilities:
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On: A pop-up notification comes on every time you receive a new text message.
Off: The message you receive is stored in the system without notification.
To set up the auto reading option

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select Phone Settings, then press 🔄.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Message Auto Reading.
   - A pop-up menu appears on the screen.
3. Rotate 🔄 to select On, Off or Auto, then press 🔄.

On: A text/e-mail message is always read aloud.
Off: A text/e-mail message is not read aloud.
Auto: A text/e-mail message is read aloud only when driving.
To Create a Security PIN
You can protect each of the six cell phones with a security PIN.

1. Press the **SETTINGS** button.
2. Rotate ⦿ to select **Phone Settings**, then press ✿.
   - Repeat the procedure to select **Bluetooth Device List**.
3. Rotate ⦿ to select a phone you want to add a security PIN to, then press ✿.
4. Rotate ⦿ to select **Edit PIN**, then press ✿.
5. Enter a new four-digit number.
   - **Audio/information screen**
     Rotate ⦿ to select, then press ✿.
     Move ⬅ to delete. Rotate ⦿ to select **OK** to enter the security PIN.
   - **On Demand Multi-Use Display™**
     You can also enter a number using the icons.
6. Re-enter the four-digit number.
   - The screen returns to the screen in step 4.
### Automatic Transferring

If you get into the vehicle while you are on the phone, the call can be automatically transferred to HFL.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select Phone Settings, then press 📲.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Auto Transfer.
3. Rotate 🔄 to select On, then press 📲.

### Auto Answer

You can set HFL to automatically answer an incoming call in four seconds.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select Phone Settings, then press 📲.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Auto Answer.
3. Rotate 🔄 to select On, then press 📲.

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### Features

#### Ring Tone

You can change the ring tone setting.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 📢 to select Phone Settings, then press 🥜.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Ring Tone.
3. Rotate 📢 to select Fixed, Mobile Phone or Off, then press 🥜.

#### Use Contact Photo

You can display a caller’s picture on an incoming call screen.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate 📢 to select Phone Settings, then press 🥜.
   - Repeat the procedure to select Use Contact Photo.
3. Rotate 📢 to select On or Off, then press 🥜.

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**Ring Tone**

- **Fixed**: The fixed ring tone sounds from the speaker.
- **Mobile Phone**: The ring tone stored in the connected cell phone sounds from the speaker.
- **Off**: No ring tones sound from the speaker.
■ Automatic Import of Cellular Phonebook and Call History

When Automatic Phone Sync is set to On:
When your phone is paired, the contents of its phonebook and call history are automatically imported to HFL.

■ Changing the Automatic Phone Sync setting
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Phone Settings, then press .
   ► Repeat the procedure to select Automatic Phone Sync.
3. Rotate to select On or Off, then press .

On some phones, it may not be possible to import the category icons to HFL.

The phonebook is updated after every connection. Call history is updated after every connection or call.
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Speed Dial

Up to 20 speed dial numbers can be stored per phone.

To store a speed dial number:

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate ( to select Speed Dial, then press .
   ▶ Repeat the procedure to select New Entry.
4. Rotate ( to select a place to choose a number from, then press .
   From Import from Call History:
   ▶ Select a number from the call history.
   From Manual Input:
   ▶ Input the number manually.
   From Import from Phonebook:
   ▶ Select a number from the linked cell phone’s imported phonebook.
5. When the speed dial is successfully stored from Import from Call History or Import from Phonebook, you are asked to create a voice tag for the number. Rotate ( to select Yes or No, then press .
6. Using the button, follow the prompts to store a voice tag for the speed dial entry.

When a voice tag is stored, press the button to call the number using the voice tag. Say “Call” and the voice tag name.
To add a voice tag to a stored speed dial number
1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Phone Settings, then press .
   Repeat the procedure to select Edit Speed Dial.
3. Select an existing speed dial entry.
   From the pop-up menu, rotate to select Edit, then press .
4. Rotate to select Voice Tag, then press .
5. From the pop-up menu, rotate to select Record, then press .
   After selecting Record, wait for the beep(s) to sound before you state the name.
6. Move and select OK to complete the voice tag.

Avoid using duplicate voice tags.
Avoid using “home” as a voice tag.
It is easier for HFL to recognize a longer name. For example, use “John Smith” instead of “John.”
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#### To delete a voice tag
1. Press the **SETTINGS** button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select **Phone Settings**, then press 🖼️.
   - Repeat the procedure to select **Edit Speed Dial**.
3. Select an existing speed dial entry.
   - From the pop-up menu, rotate 🔄 to select **Edit**, then press 🖼️.
4. Rotate 🔄 to select **Voice Tag**, then press 🖼️.
   - From the pop-up menu, rotate 🔄 to select **Clear**, then press 🖼️.
5. A confirmation message appears on the screen. Rotate 🔄 to select **Yes**, then press 🖼️.

#### To delete a speed dial
1. Press the **SETTINGS** button.
2. Rotate 🔄 to select **Phone Settings**, then press 🖼️.
   - Repeat the procedure to select **Edit Speed Dial**.
3. Select an existing speed dial entry.
   - From the pop-up menu, rotate 🔄 to select **Delete**, then press 🖼️.
4. A confirmation message appears on the screen. Rotate 🔄 to select **Yes**, then press 🖼️.
You can make calls by inputting any phone number, or by using the imported phonebook, call history, speed dial entries, or redial.

Making a Call

Any voice-tagged speed dial entry, phonebook name, or number can be dialed by voice from most screens. Press the □ button and say “Call” and the voice tag name, “Call by name” and the phonebook name, or “Call” and the phone number.

The maximum range between your phone and vehicles is 30 feet (10 meters).

Once a call is connected, you can hear the voice of the person you are calling through the audio speakers.
To make a call using the imported phonebook
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate to select Phonebook, then press .
4. The phonebook is stored alphabetically. Move to Search.
   ► You can use the keyboard on the touch screen for an alphabetical search.
5. Rotate to select a number, then press .
   ► Dialing starts automatically.

This function is disabled while the vehicle is moving. However, you can call a stored voice-tagged speed dial number, phonebook name, or number using voice commands.

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You can use the keyboard on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™ for an alphabetical search.
To make a call using a phone number
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate to select Dial, then press .
4. Rotate to select a number, then press .
5. Rotate to select , then press .
   ➤ Dialing starts automatically.

To make a call using redial
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate to select Redial, then press .
   ➤ Dialing starts automatically.

To make a call using a phone number
You can use the keyboard on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™ to input numbers.
Select numbers, then to start dialing.
To make a call using the call history
Call history is stored by All, Dialed, Received, and Missed.
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate to select Call History, then press ⬆.
4. Move ⬅ or ➪ to select All, Dialed, Received, and Missed.
5. Rotate ⬆ to select a number, then press ⬆.
   ▶ Dialing starts automatically.

Steering switches
1. Press the ⬅ button.
2. Move the left selector wheel right to select Call History.
3. Roll the left selector wheel to select a number.
4. Push the left selector wheel or the ⬅ button.
   ▶ Dialing starts automatically.

To make a call using the call history
The call history displays the last 20 dialed, received, or missed calls.
(Appears only when a phone is connected to HFL.)

These icons next to the number indicate the following:
úde: Dialed calls.
úde: Received calls.
úde: Missed calls.

Steering switches
The call history displays the last 12 dialed, received, or missed calls.
To make a call using a speed dial entry

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate ◀ to select Speed Dial, then press ◀.
4. Rotate ◀ to select a number, then press ◀.
   ► Dialing starts automatically.

Steering switches

1. Press the button.
2. Move the left selector wheel left to select Speed Dial.
3. Roll the left selector wheel to select a number.
4. Push the left selector wheel or the button.
   ► Dialing starts automatically.

To make a call using a speed dial entry

Move ◀ to select More Speed Dials to view another paired phone’s speed dial list. You can make a call from that list using the currently connected phone.

When a voice tag is stored, press the button to call the number using the voice tag.

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Any voice-tagged speed dial entry, phonebook name or number can be dialed by voice from any screen. Press the button and follow the prompts.

Steering switches

The speed dial displays the 20 speed dial entries.

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When there is an incoming call, an audible notification sounds (if activated) and the **Incoming call** screen appears.

Press the \( \text{ \textbullet \textbullet \textbullet} \) button to answer the call. Press the \( \text{ \textbullet \textbullet \textbullet} \) button to decline or end the call.
**Options During a Call**

The following options are available during a call.

**Mute**: Mute your voice.

**Transfer**: Transfer a call from HFL to your phone.

**Touch Tones**: Send numbers during a call. This is useful when you call a menu-driven phone system.

The available options are shown on the Phone screen.

Rotate ☢ to select one of the available options, then press ✖.

- The mute icon appears when Mute is selected. Select Mute again to turn it off.

**Touch Tones**: Available on some phones.

You can select the icons on the On Demand Multi-Use Display™.
Receiving a Text/E-mail Message

HFL can display newly received text and e-mail messages as well as 20 of the most recently received messages on a linked cell phone. Each received message can be read aloud and replied to using a fixed common phrase.

1. A pop-up appears and notifies you of a new text or e-mail message.
2. Rotate ‡ to select Read to listen to the message, then press ‡.
   ► The text or e-mail message is displayed. The system automatically starts reading out the message.
3. To discontinue the message read-out, press ‡.

Receiving a Text/E-mail Message

The system does not display any received messages while you are driving. You can only hear them read aloud.

With some phones, you may be able to display up to 20 most recent text and e-mail messages.

State or local laws may limit your use of the HFL text/e-mail message feature. Only use the text/e-mail message feature when conditions allow you to do so safely.

When you receive a text or e-mail message for the first time since the phone is paired to HFL, you are asked to turn the New Text/Email Alert setting to On.

To turn on or off the text/e-mail message notice P. 322
If a paired phone has text message or mail accounts, you can select one of them to be active and receive notifications.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate  to select Phone Settings, then press .
   • Repeat the procedure to select Select Account.
3. Rotate  to select Text Messages or an e-mail message account you want, then press .

■ Selecting a Mail Account

You can also select a mail account from the folder list screen or the message list screen.
Move  to select Select Account, then press .

You can only receive notifications from one text message or mail account at a time.

Continued
Displaying text messages

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate  to select Text/Email, then press .
   - Select account if necessary.
4. Rotate  to select a message, then press .
   - The text message is displayed. The system automatically starts reading the message aloud.

Displaying Messages

The icon appears next to an unread message.

If you delete a message on the phone, the message will also be deleted from the system. If you send a message from the system, the message goes to your phone’s outbox.

To see the previous or next message, move or on the text message screen.
■ Displaying e-mail messages

1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Press the MENU button.
3. Rotate to select Text/Email, then press .
4. Rotate to select a folder, then press .
5. Rotate to select a message, then press .

The e-mail message is displayed. The system automatically starts reading the message aloud.

Displaying e-mail messages

Received text and e-mail messages may appear in the message list screen at the same time. In this case, text messages are titled No subject.
■ Read or stop reading a message
1. Go to the text or e-mail message screen. The system automatically starts reading the message aloud.
   Displaying Messages P. 340
2. Press to stop reading. Press again to start reading the message from the beginning.

■ Reply to a message
1. Go to the text or e-mail message screen. The system automatically starts reading the message aloud.
   Displaying Messages P. 340
2. Move and rotate to select Reply, then press .
3. Rotate to select the reply message, then press . The pop-up menu appears on the screen.
4. Select Send to send the message. Message Sent appears on the screen when the reply message was successfully sent.

The available fixed reply messages are as follows:
- Talk to you later, I’m driving.
- I’m on my way.
- I’m running late.
- OK
- Yes
- No

You cannot add, edit, or delete reply messages.

Only certain phones receive and send messages when paired and connected. For a list of compatible phones:
- U.S.: Visit www.acura.com/handsfreelink, or call 1-888-528-7876.
- Canada: Visit www.handsfreelink.ca, or call 1-888-528-7876.
Making a call to a sender
1. Go to the text message screen.
   ▶ The system automatically starts reading the message aloud.
   - Displaying text messages P. 340
2. Move ‹ and rotate › to select Call, then press ‹. 
When you set the power mode to ON, the compass self-calibrates, and the compass display appears.

**Compass Calibration**

If the compass indicates the wrong direction, or the CAL indicator blinks, you need to manually calibrate the system.

1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. On the top screen of any audio source, press and hold \( \text{CAL} \) for five seconds.
   - The display switches to the Compass settings screen.
3. Rotate \( \text{CAL} \) to select **Calibration**, then press \( \text{CAL} \).
4. When the display changes to **Calibration Start**, press \( \text{CAL} \).
5. Drive the vehicle slowly in two circles.
   - The compass starts to show a direction after the calibration. The CAL indicator goes off.

**Compass**

Compass operation can be affected under the following conditions:
- Driving near power lines or stations
- Crossing a bridge
- Passing a large vehicle, or driving near a large object that can cause a magnetic disturbance
- When accessories such as antennas and roof racks are mounted by magnets

**Compass Calibration**

Calibrate the compass in an open area.

While setting the compass, press the BACK button to cancel the setting mode and return to the previous screen.
Compass Zone Selection

1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. On the top screen of any audio source, press and hold 📅 for five seconds.
   - The display switches to the Compass settings screen.
3. Rotate ⦿ to select Zone Adjust, then press 🎮.
   - The display shows the current zone number the system is set to.
4. To change the zone, rotate ⦿ to select the zone number of your area (See Zone Map), then press 🎮.

Zone Map

Guam Island: Zone 8
Puerto Rico: Zone 11

Compass Zone Selection

The zone selection is done to compensate the variation between magnetic north and true north.

If the calibration starts while the audio system is in use, the display returns to normal after the calibration is completed.
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Check the following items before you start driving.

- Exterior Checks
  - Make sure there are no obstructions on the windows, door mirrors, exterior lights, or other parts of the vehicle.
  - Remove any frost, snow, or ice.
  - Remove any snow on the roof, as this can slip down and obstruct your field of vision while driving. If frozen solid, remove ice once it has softened.
  - When removing ice from around the wheels, be sure not to damage the wheel or wheel components.
  - Make sure the hood is securely closed.
  - If the hood opens while driving, your front view will be blocked.
  - Make sure the tires are in good condition.
  - Check air pressure, and check for damage and excessive wear.
  - Checking and Maintaining Tires P. 490
  - Make sure there are no people or objects behind or around the vehicle.
  - There are blind spots from the inside.

NOTICE
When doors are frozen shut, use warm water around the door edges to melt any ice. Do not try to force them open, as this can damage the rubber trim around the doors. When done, wipe dry to avoid further freezing.

Do not pour warm water into the key cylinder. You will be unable to insert the key if the water freezes in the hole.

Heat from the engine and exhaust can ignite flammable materials left under the hood, causing a fire. If you’ve parked your vehicle for an extended period, inspect and remove any debris that may have collected, such as dried grass and leaves that have fallen or have been carried in for use as a nest by a small animal. Also check under the hood for leftover flammable materials after you or someone else has performed maintenance on your vehicle.
Before Driving

Driving Preparation

- Store or secure all items on board properly.
  - Carrying too much cargo, or improperly storing it, can affect your vehicle’s handling, stability, stopping distance, and tires, and make it unsafe.
  - Maximum Load Limit P. 351
- Do not pile items higher than the seat height.
  - They can block your view and may be thrown forward in the event of sudden braking.
- Do not place anything in the front seat footwells. Make sure to secure the floor mat.
  - An object or unsecured floor mat can interfere with your brake and accelerator pedal operation while driving.
- If you have any animals on board, do not let them move around in the vehicle.
  - They may interfere with driving and a crash could occur.
- Securely close and lock all doors and the tailgate.
  - Locking/Unlocking the Doors from the Inside P. 146
- Adjust your seating position properly.
  - Adjust the head restraint, too.
  - Adjusting the Seats P. 186
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- Adjust the mirrors and steering wheel properly for your driving.
  - Adjust them while sitting in the proper driving position.
  - Adjusting the Steering Wheel P. 182
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Interior Checks

The headlight aim is set by the factory, and does not need to be adjusted. However, if you regularly carry heavy items in the cargo area or tow a trailer, have the aiming readjusted at a dealer or by a qualified technician.
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Before Driving

Driving Preparation

- Be sure items placed on the floor behind the front seats cannot roll under the seats.
  - They can interfere with the driver's ability to operate the pedals, the operation of the seats, or the operation of the sensors under the seats.
- Everyone in the vehicle must fasten their seat belt.
  - Fastening a Seat Belt P. 36
- Make sure that the indicators in the instrument panel come on when you start the vehicle, and go off soon after.
  - Always have a dealer check the vehicle if a problem is indicated.
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Maximum Load Limit

**Models with bench seat**
The maximum load for your vehicle is 1,173 lbs (532 kg).

**Models with captain seat**
The maximum load for your vehicle is 1,005 lbs (456 kg).
See the Tire and Loading Information label attached to the driver's doorjamb.

This figure includes the total weight of all occupants, cargo, and accessories, and the tongue load if you are towing a trailer.

Steps for Determining Correct Load Limit -
**1** Locate the statement “The combined weight of occupants and cargo should never exceed XXX kg or XXX lbs.” on your vehicle’s placard.
**2** Determine the combined weight of the driver and passengers that will be riding in your vehicle.
**3** Subtract the combined weight of the driver and passengers from XXX kg or XXX lbs.

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**WARNING**
Overloading or improper loading can affect handling and stability and cause a crash in which you can be hurt or killed.

Follow all load limits and other loading guidelines in this manual.

Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR): The maximum allowable weight of the vehicle, all occupants, all accessories, all cargo, and the tongue load.
- **Specifications** P. 560

Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR): The maximum allowable weight of the vehicle axle.
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Maximum Load Limit

(4) The resulting figure equals the available amount of cargo and luggage load capacity. For example, if the “XXX” amount equals 1,400 lbs. and there will be five 150 lb. passengers in your vehicle, the amount of available cargo and luggage load capacity is 650 lbs.

\[ 1,400 - 750 (5 \times 150) = 650 \text{ lbs.} \]

(5) Determine the combined weight of luggage and cargo being loaded on the vehicle. That weight may not safely exceed the available cargo and luggage load capacity calculated in step 4.

(6) If your vehicle will be towing a trailer, load from your trailer will be transferred to your vehicle. Consult this manual to determine how this reduces the available cargo and luggage load capacity of your vehicle.
In addition, the total weight of the vehicle, all occupants, accessories, cargo, and trailer tongue load must not exceed the Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or the Gross Axle Weight Rating (GAWR). Both are on a label on the driver’s doorjamb.

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<td>Example1</td>
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<td>![Car Icon]</td>
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<td>Max Load</td>
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<td>1,173 lbs (532 kg)</td>
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<td>Passenger Weight</td>
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<tr>
<td>150 lbs x 2 = 300 lbs (68 kg x 2 = 136 kg)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cargo Weight</td>
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<tr>
<td>873 lbs (396 kg)</td>
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<td>Example2</td>
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<td>Cargo Weight</td>
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<td>423 lbs (192 kg)</td>
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Towing a Trailer

Towing Preparation

■ Towing Load Limits

Your vehicle can tow a trailer if you carefully observe the load limits, use the proper equipment, and follow the towing guidelines. Check the load limits before driving.

■ Total trailer weight

Do not exceed the maximum allowable weight of the trailer, cargo, and everything in or on it shown in the table. Towing loads in excess of this can seriously affect vehicle handling and performance and can damage the engine and drivetrain.

Check the loading of your vehicle and trailer carefully before starting to drive.

Exceeding any load limit or improperly loading your vehicle and trailer can cause a crash in which you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Each weight limit is calculated based on the following conditions:
- Occupants fill seats from the front of the vehicle to the back
- Each occupant weighs 150 lbs (68 kg)
- Each occupant has 15 lbs (7 kg) of cargo in the cargo area

Any additional weight, cargo or accessories reduce the maximum trailer weight and maximum tongue load.

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<td>2</td>
<td>5,000 lbs (2,268 kg)</td>
<td>3,500 lbs (1,588 kg)</td>
<td>3,500 lbs (1,588 kg)</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>4,750 lbs (2,155 kg)</td>
<td>3,250 lbs (1,474 kg)</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>4,500 lbs (2,041 kg)</td>
<td>3,000 lbs (1,361 kg)</td>
<td>3,000 lbs (1,361 kg)</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>4,250 lbs (1,928 kg)</td>
<td>2,750 lbs (1,247 kg)</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>4,000 lbs (1,814 kg)</td>
<td>2,500 lbs (1,134 kg)</td>
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<td>4,000 lbs (1,814 kg)</td>
<td>Towing not recommended</td>
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Check if all loads are within limits at a public scale. If a public scale is not available, add the estimated weight of your cargo load to the weight of your trailer (as quoted by the manufacturer), and then measure the tongue load with an appropriate scale or tongue gauge or estimate it based on cargo distribution.

Refer to the trailer owner’s manual for additional information.

Break-in Period

Avoid towing a trailer during your vehicle’s first 600 miles (1,000 km).

Never exceed the gross weight ratings.

Gross weight information

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Towing Preparation

Tongue Load

The weight of the tongue with a fully loaded trailer on the hitch should be approximately:

Boat trailers: 5 – 15% of the total trailer weight

Other trailers: 10 – 15% of total trailer weight

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<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>500 lbs (227 kg)</td>
<td>350 lbs (159 kg)</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>475 lbs (215 kg)</td>
<td>325 lbs (147 kg)</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>380 lbs (172 kg)</td>
<td>300 lbs (136 kg)</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>290 lbs (132 kg)</td>
<td>260 lbs (118 kg)</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>165 lbs (75 kg)</td>
<td>140 lbs (63 kg)</td>
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Continued
To estimate the tongue load

Excessive tongue load reduces front tire traction and steering control. Too little tongue load can make the trailer unstable and cause it to sway.

You can estimate the tongue load by measuring the trailer hitch height from the ground in the following steps:

1. Park the vehicle on level ground.
2. Measure the distance between the ground and the bottom of the trailer hitch.
3. Connect the fully loaded trailer to the hitch.
4. Measure the distance between the ground and the bottom of the trailer hitch again.
5. Subtract the second measurement from the first measurement, then refer to the following table.

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<th>If the difference is</th>
<th>4WD models</th>
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<td>1 inches (2.5 cm)</td>
<td>150 lbs (68 kg)</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 1/2 inches (3.8 cm)</td>
<td>250 lbs (114 kg)</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>2 inches (5.1 cm)</td>
<td>350 lbs (159 kg)</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 3/8 inches (6.0 cm)</td>
<td>450 lbs (205 kg)</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 5/8 inches (6.7 cm)</td>
<td>500 lbs (227 kg)</td>
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If the difference becomes more than indicated in the table, distribute the load or remove cargo as needed.
How to weigh the trailer loads using the public scale

Check each weight in the order indicated as shown. Refer to the table on the right for each weight’s limit except for the tongue load.

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1. Front gross axle weight.
2. Gross vehicle weight.
3. Rear gross axle weight.
5. Hitched trailer weight.
6. Unhitched trailer weight.

- If you cannot weigh the rear axle, subtract 1 from 2.
- The maximum gross combined weight (4) decreases by 2% for every 1,000 feet (305 meters) of elevation.
- To calculate the tongue load, subtract 5 from 6.
- Refer to the trailer owner’s manual for additional information.

How to weigh the trailer loads using the public scale

Fully load the vehicle and trailer. An attendant who watches the scale is needed as all occupants should stay in the vehicle.

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<th>Weight limit for</th>
<th>2WD models</th>
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<tr>
<td>Front gross axle</td>
<td>2,811 lbs (1,275 kg)</td>
<td>2,910 lbs (1,320 kg)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Gross vehicle</td>
<td>5,368 lbs (2,435 kg)</td>
<td>5,677 lbs (2,575 kg)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Rear gross axle</td>
<td>2,734 lbs (1,240 kg)</td>
<td>2,965 lbs (1,345 kg)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Gross combined</td>
<td>8,036 lbs (3,645 kg)</td>
<td>9,833 lbs (4,460 kg)</td>
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If a public scale is not available, add the estimated weight of your cargo load to the weight of your trailer (as quoted by the manufacturer), and then measure the tongue load with an appropriate scale or tongue gauge or estimate it based on cargo distribution.
Towing generally requires a variety of supplemental equipment. To ensure the best quality, we recommend that you purchase Acura equipment whenever possible.

Make sure that all equipment is properly installed and maintained, and that it meets federal, state, province/territory, and local regulations.

Consult your trailer maker for proper installation and setup of the equipment. Improper installation and setup can affect the handling, stability, and braking performance of your vehicle.

Consult your trailer sales or rental agency if any other items are recommended or required for your towing situation.

The lighting and wiring of trailers can vary by type and brand. If a connector is required, it should only be installed by a qualified technician.

Trailer packages and products:
- Ball mount, hitch plug, hitch pin etc.
- Wiring harness kit
- Trailer hitch kit (jumper harness included)

Are available at a dealer.
Towing a Trailer

Towing Preparation

■ Trailer brakes
Recommended for any trailer with a total weight of 1,000 lbs (450 kg) or more: There are two common types of trailer brakes: surge and electric. Surge brakes are common for boat trailers, since the brakes will get wet. If you choose electric brakes, be sure they are electronically actuated. Do not attempt to attach trailer brakes to your vehicle’s hydraulic system, as it will lower braking effectiveness and create a potential hazard. The 4-pin gray connector installed in your vehicle has all of the circuits required to install most electric trailer brake controllers.

Have a qualified mechanic install your trailer brake controller following the trailer brake controller manufacturer’s instructions. Failure to properly install the trailer brake controller may increase the distance it takes for you to stop your vehicle when towing a trailer.
Towing a Trailer

Towing Preparation

■ Trailer light
Trailer lights and equipment must comply with federal, state, province/territory, and local regulations. Check with your local trailer sales or rental agency for the requirements in the area where you plan to tow.

Pins’ wiring color codes and their purposes:

- +B Trailer Charge
- Right Turn Signal
- +B Trailer Hazard Light
- Stop Light
- +B Trailer Small
- +B Trailer Back Light
- +B Trailer Hazard Light
- +B ELEC Brake
- Back Light
- IG2 HAC
- Left Turn Signal

We recommend that you have a dealer install a Acura wiring harness and converter. They are designed for your vehicle.

■ Hitches
Read the trailer manufacturer’s instructions, and select the appropriate draw bar for the height of the trailer you will be towing.

■ Weight distribution hitches
Your vehicle is designed to tow without the need for a load distributing hitch. If you wish to use one, please consult your trailer maker for proper installation and set-up. Improper set-up could degrade the handling, stability, and braking performance of your vehicle.
Towing a Trailer

**Towing Preparation**

- **Safety chains**
  Always use safety chains when you tow a trailer. Leave enough slack to allow the trailer to turn corners easily, but do not allow the chains to drag on the ground.

- **Sway control**
  This device can be used if your trailer tends to sway. Your trailer maker can tell you what kind of sway control you need and how to install it. Improper installation could degrade the handling and stability of your vehicle.

- **Trailer mirrors**
  Many states, provinces and territories require special exterior mirrors when towing a trailer. Install special mirrors whenever you cannot clearly see behind you, or if the trailer creates a blind spot.

- **Automatic transmission cooler**
  **4WD models**
  An additional ATF (automatic transmission fluid) cooler is required to keep the transmission from overheating when towing more than 3,500 lbs (1,588 kg). You can get the additional ATF cooler at a dealer.
Towing a Trailer

Trailer Stability Assist

Helps to stabilize the vehicle and trailer when the trailer severely sways.

How trailer stability assist works

When the vehicle and trailer become unstable while driving, trailer stability assist determines the cause. If the trailer oscillation is detected as the cause, and the swaying increases, the system applies the brakes or controls engine output to reduce vehicle speed.

Both the vehicle and trailer brake lights come on automatically if you brake to reduce vehicle speed.

Trailer stability assist is not a function that prevents the vehicle and trailer from swaying. Avoid high speeds, abrupt steering, improper trailer load, and sudden braking to keep the trailer from swaying. When swayed too severely, the system becomes ineffective, and you may lose control of your vehicle, causing the trailer to roll over or get damaged.

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Trailer towing sway is caused by:

- Crosswinds
- Improper towbar down load
- Excessive Speed

The VSA® system indicator blinks during the trailer stability assist operation.

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Driving Safely with a Trailer

Things You Need To Know Before Towing a Trailer

- Have the trailer properly serviced and keep it in good condition.
- Make sure that all the weights and load in the vehicle and trailer are within limits.
- When towing more than 3,500 lbs (1,590 kg), use of gasoline with a pump octane number of 91 or higher is recommended.
- Towing performance can be affected by high altitude, high temperature, or steep uphill.
- Securely attach the hitch, safety chains, and other necessary parts to the trailer.
- Securely store all the items in and on the trailer so that they do not shift while driving.
- Check if the lights and brakes on the trailer are working properly.
- Check the pressures of the trailer tires, including the spare.

Models with Auto Idle Stop

- Turn off Auto Idle Stop system using Auto Idle Stop OFF button. The trailer weight can affect your vehicle's brake effectiveness if Auto Idle Stop is activated on a hill while towing a trailer.

Towing Speeds and Gears

- Drive slower than normal.
- Obey posted speed limits for vehicles with trailers.
- Use the D position when towing a trailer on level roads.
Towing a Trailer

Towing Your Vehicle

■ Turning and Braking
- Turn more slowly and with a wider turning arc than normal.
- Allow more time and distance for braking.
- Do not brake or turn suddenly.

■ Driving in Hilly Terrain
- Monitor your temperature gauge. If it nears the red (Hot) mark, turn off the climate control system and reduce speed. Pull to the side of the road safely to cool down the engine if necessary.
- Change the gear position to S position if the transmission shifts frequently.

■ Retrieving a Boat
If the vehicle tires slip when retrieving a boat from the water, keep the transmission in D and do not use the sequential shift mode in S. This prevents damage to the transmission.

Towing Your Vehicle

Your vehicle is not designed to be towed behind a motor home. If your vehicle needs to be towed in an emergency, refer to the emergency towing information.

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Off-Highway Driving Guidelines

General Information

Your vehicle has been designed primarily for use on pavement, however, its higher ground clearance allows you to occasionally travel on unpaved roads. It is not designed for trail-blazing, or other challenging off-road activities.

If you decide to drive on unpaved roads, you will find that it requires somewhat different driving skills and that your vehicle will handle somewhat differently than it does on pavement. Pay attention to the precautions and tips in this section, and get acquainted with your vehicle before leaving the pavement.

Important Safety Precautions

To avoid loss of control or rollover, be sure to follow all precautions and recommendations:

- Be sure to store cargo properly and do not exceed your cargo load limits.  
  [ Maximum Load Limit P. 351 ]
- Whenever you drive, make sure you and your passengers always wear seat belts.
- Keep your speed low, and never go faster than the conditions allow.
- It’s up to you to continually assess the situation and drive within the limits.

WARNING

Improperly operating this vehicle on or off pavement can cause a crash or rollover in which you and your passengers could be seriously injured or killed.

• Follow all instructions and guidelines in this owner’s manual.
• Keep your speed low, and don’t drive faster than conditions permit.

Failure to operate your vehicle correctly might result in a crash or a rollover.

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Spinning the tires can also damage the SH-AWD® system.
Avoiding Trouble

- **Check Out Your Vehicle** before you leave the pavement and make sure that all scheduled maintenance has been completed. Pay special attention to the condition of the tires, and check the tire pressures.
- **Remember** the route you choose presents limits (too steep or bumpy), you have limits (driving skill and comfort), and your vehicle has limits (traction, stability, and power). Failing to recognize these limits will likely put you and your passengers in a hazardous situation.
- **Accelerating and Braking** should be done slowly and gradually. Trying to start or stop too fast can cause a loss of traction and you could lose control.
- **Avoiding Obstacles and Debris** in the road reduces the likelihood of a rollover or damage to your suspension or other components.
- **Driving on Slopes** increases your risk of a rollover, particularly if you attempt to drive across a slope that is too steep. Going straight up or down a slope is usually the safest. If you can’t clearly see all conditions or obstacles on a slope, walk it before you drive it. If there is any doubt whether you can safely pass, don’t try it. Find another route. If you get stuck when climbing, do not try to turn around. Back down slowly following the same route you took up the hill.
- **Crossing a Stream** - Avoid driving through deep water. If you encounter water in your route (a small stream or large puddle, for example), evaluate it carefully before going ahead. Make sure it is shallow, flowing slowly, and has firm ground underneath. If you are not sure of the depth or the ground, turn around and find another route. Driving through deep water can also damage your vehicle. The water can get into the transmission and differential, diluting the lubricant and causing an eventual failure. It can also wash the grease out of the wheel bearings.
- **If You Get Stuck**, carefully go in the direction that you think will get you unstuck. Do not spin the tires as this will only make things worse and could damage the transmission. If you are unable to free yourself, your vehicle will need to be towed. Front and rear tow hooks are provided for this purpose.
When Driving

Starting the Engine

1. Make sure the parking brake is applied.
   - The electric parking brake indicator comes on for 15 seconds when you press the electric parking brake switch.

2. Depress the brake pedal.
   - Make sure the transmission is in P.

3. Press the ENGINE START/STOP button without depressing the accelerator pedal. The engine will crank until it starts.

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If the Keyless Access Remote Battery is Weak P. 535

The engine may not start if the keyless access remote is subjected to strong radio waves.

Do not hold the ENGINE START/STOP button to start the engine.

If the engine does not start, wait at least 30 seconds before trying again.

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When Driving

Starting the Engine

You can turn the engine off when the vehicle is completely stopped.

1. Change the gear position to P.
2. Press the ENGINE START/STOP button with your foot on the brake pedal.

Stopping the Engine

The immobilizer system protects your vehicle from theft.
If an improperly coded device is used, the engine’s fuel system is disabled.

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Remote Engine Start with Vehicle Feedback*

You can remotely start the engine using the two-way keyless access remote from extended distances.

To start the engine

The engine runs for up to 10 minutes without you starting the vehicle.

To extend the run time for another 10 minutes during the first run, press the button, then press and hold the button.

The amber LED blinks, then the green LED comes back on if a 10-minute extension request was transmitted successfully.

After pressing the (lock) button, wait for the green LED to blink. This indicates that the all the doors and the tailgate are locked.

* Not available on all models

WARNING

Engine exhaust contains toxic carbon monoxide.

Breathing carbon monoxide can kill you or cause unconsciousness.

Never use the remote engine starter when the vehicle is parked in a garage or other area with limited ventilation.

Remote Engine Start run timer extension

The engine runs for another 10 minutes from the time of extension request. The max engine run time is 20 minutes, if the extension request is made after 10 minutes of first engine run.

If there are buildings and obstacles between your vehicle and the remote, the range will be reduced. This distance may vary by external electrical interference.

The engine may not start by the remote engine start if:

• You have disabled a remote engine start setting using the multi-information display (MID).
• The power mode is not in VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
• The gear is in a position other than (P).
• The hood is open, or any door or the tailgate is unlocked.
When Driving

Starting the Engine

To stop the engine

Press and hold the button for one second.

Amber LED: Blinks when any button is pressed.

Red LED:
- Comes on for one second to let you know that the engine has stopped.
- Blinks when the remote is out of the keyless access system range. The engine will not stop.

Go within the range, and try again.

Remote Engine Start with Vehicle Feedback*

- You have already used the remote twice to start the engine.
- Another registered keyless access remote is in the vehicle.
- There is any antenna failure.
- Door is unlocked with the built-in key.
- The engine oil pressure is low.
- The engine coolant temperature is extremely high.
- The telematics unit malfunctions.
- The security system alarm is not set.

Before starting the engine, make sure to check the door lock status using the remote. When you press the button, wait for the green LED to blink. If the red LED turns on, the doors and tailgate did not lock, and the engine does not start.

While the engine is running, the vehicle will automatically precondition inside the vehicle.

When it is warm outside:
- The air conditioning is activated in recirculation mode.
- The seat ventilation is activated*.

When it is cold outside:
- The defroster is activated at a moderately warm temperature.
- The rear defogger and door mirror heaters are activated.
- The seat and heated steering wheel are activated*.

* Not available on all models

Heated Steering Wheel* P. 210
Front Seat Heaters and Seat Ventilation* P. 211, 212
Starting to Drive

When the engine was started using the two-way keyless access remote*

1. Depress the brake pedal and press the ENGINE START/STOP button simultaneously.

When the engine was started in any case

2. Keeping your right foot on the brake pedal, press the D button. Select R when reversing.
3. With the parking brake applied, release the brake pedal and gently depress the accelerator pedal.
   ▶ Make sure the electric parking brake indicator goes off.
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If the Transmission Indicator Blinks along with the Warning Message P. 545

Hill start assist system

Hill start assist keeps the brake engaged briefly to help prevent the vehicle from rolling on inclines as you move your foot from the brake pedal to the accelerator.

Change the gear position to D or S when facing uphill, or R when facing downhill, then release the brake pedal.

The brakes remain engaged briefly as you release the brake pedal.

When the engine was started using the two-way keyless access remote*

The engine stops when the gear position is changed from P before the ENGINE START/STOP button is pressed. Follow the step 1 when starting to drive.

You can also release the parking brake by pulling the electric parking brake switch while depressing the brake pedal.

When facing downhill, you can start your vehicle more smoothly by manually releasing it with the electric parking brake switch than by releasing it with the accelerator pedal.

Hill start assist system

Hill start assist may not prevent the vehicle from rolling downhill on a very steep or slippery slope, and will not operate on small inclines.

Hill start assist is not a replacement for the parking brake.

* Not available on all models
When Driving

Precautions While Driving

Driving Guidelines for Your Utility Vehicle

Utility vehicles have a significantly higher rollover rate than other types of vehicles. To prevent rollovers or loss of control:
• Take corners at slower speeds than you would with a passenger vehicle.
• Avoid sharp turns and abrupt maneuvers whenever possible.
• Do not modify your vehicle in any way that you would raise the center of gravity.
• Do not carry heavy cargo on the roof.

Never carry more than 165 lbs (75 kg) of cargo on the roof rack (Acura accessory).

In Rain

Avoid driving in deep water and on flooded roads. This can damage the engine, driveline, or cause electrical component failure.

Other Precautions

If there is a strong impact with something under the vehicle, stop in a safe location. Check the underside of the vehicle for damage or any fluid leaks.

NOTICE

Do not change the gear position while pressing the accelerator pedal. You could damage the transmission.

NOTICE

If you repeatedly turn the steering wheel at an extremely low speed, or hold the steering wheel in the full left or right position for a while, the system heats up. The system goes into a protective mode, and limits its performance. The steering wheel becomes harder and harder to operate. Once the system cools down, the EPS system is restored. Repeated operation under these conditions can eventually damage the system.

If the power mode is set to ACCESSORY or VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) while driving, the engine will shut down and all steering and brake power assist functions will stop, making it difficult to control the vehicle.

Do not change the gear position to N, as you will lose engine braking (and acceleration) performance.

During the first 600 miles (1,000 km) of operation, avoid sudden acceleration or full throttle operation so as not to damage the engine or powertrain.

Avoid hard braking for the first 200 miles (300 km). You should also follow this when the brake pads are replaced.
Automatic Transmission

■ Creeping
The engine runs at a higher idle speed and creeping increases. Keep the brake pedal firmly depressed when stopped.

■ Kickdown
Quickly depressing the accelerator pedal while driving uphill may cause the transmission to drop to a lower gear, unexpectedly increasing vehicle speed. Depress the accelerator pedal carefully, especially on slippery roads and curves.
When Driving

Shifting

Change the gear position in accordance with your driving needs.

### Shift button positions

- **P (Park)**: Used when parking or starting the engine.
- **R (Reverse)**: Used when reversing.
- **N (Neutral)**: Used when idling.
- **D (Drive)**: Used for:
  - Normal driving (gears change between 1st and 9th automatically).
  - Temporarily driving in the sequential mode.
- **S (Drive (S))**: Used for:
  - Automatically changing gears between 1st and 7th (7th gear is used only at high speed).
  - Driving in the sequential mode.

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**Shifting**

To prevent malfunction and unintended engagement:
- Do not spill any liquids on or around shift buttons.
- Do not place or drop any objects on or around shift buttons.
- Do not let passengers or children operate the shift buttons.

**WARNING**

The vehicle can roll away if left unattended without confirming that Park is engaged.

Always keep your foot on the brake pedal until you have confirmed that **P** is shown on the gear position indicator.

The beeper sounds when you depress the accelerator pedal with the gear position in **N**.

Change the gear position to **D** or **R** with the brake pedal depressed.

When shifting gears in extremely low temperatures (−22°F/−30°C), there may be a short delay before the shift is indicated in the display. Always confirm you are in the correct gear before driving.
When Driving

Shifting

- **P (park) button**

  Park your vehicle in a safe place with the power mode in ON, then apply the brakes and press the **P** button to put the transmission in Park. The indicators on the sides of the **P** button come on.
When you change (D to (R) and visa versa, depress the brake pedal to come to a complete stop, then select the intended gear position while maintaining brake pressure.

Use the gear position indicator and the shift button indicator to check the gear position before selecting a shift button.

If the indicator of the currently selected gear position, or all the gear position indicators are blinking simultaneously, there is a problem with the transmission. Avoid sudden acceleration and have the transmission checked by a dealer as soon as possible.

The fuel supply may be cut off if you drive at engine speeds in or over the tachometer’s red zone (engine speed limit). If this happens, you may experience a slight jolt.

When the engine speed is increased while the transmission is in (N, (P) or (R), the fuel supply may be cut off even without the engine speed entering the tachometer’s red zone.

The beeper sounds once when you change to (R).
When Driving

Shifting

In freezing or sub-freezing conditions, the gear selection response may be slow. Always depress the brake pedal before changing the gear position to [P], and confirm that [P] is shown on the gear position indicator before releasing the brake.

■ When opening the driver's door
If you open the driver's door under the following conditions, the gear position automatically changes to [P].
• The vehicle is stationary with the engine running, or moving at 1 mph (2 km/h) or slower.
• The transmission is in other than [P].
• You have unfastened the driver side seat belt.

▶ If you manually change the gear position from [P] with the brake pedal depressed, the gear position will automatically return to [P] once you release the brake pedal.

■ When turning off the power mode
If you turn the engine off while the vehicle is stationary, and the transmission is in other than [P], the gear position automatically changes to [P].

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When opening the driver's door
You should always select [P] before opening the driver’s door.
Make sure to park the vehicle in a safe place.

When Stopped P. 445

If you want to drive the vehicle after the gear position has automatically changed to [P] under the described conditions, close the door, fasten the seat belt, depress the brake pedal, then change the gear position.

If you leave the vehicle, turn off the engine and lock the doors.
When Driving

Shifting

**if you want to keep the transmission in **N** position [car wash mode]**

With the engine running:
1. Press and hold the brake pedal.
2. Select **N**.
3. Within five seconds, press the **ENGINE START/STOP** button.

The power mode changes to ACCESSORY.
- This puts the vehicle in car wash mode which must be used when your vehicle is pulled through a conveyor type automatic car wash where you or an attendant do not remain in the vehicle.
- The gear position remains in **N** with the power mode in ACCESSORY for 15 minutes, then, it automatically changes to **P** and the power mode changes to OFF.

Manually changing to **P** cancels ACCESSORY mode. The **P** indicator comes on and the power mode changes to OFF.
### Restriction on selecting a gear position

You cannot select a gear position under certain circumstances that may lead to unexpected crashes or damage.

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<td>Stop your vehicle in a safe place, depress the brake pedal, and select the appropriate gear position.</td>
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When Driving

Shifting

- **Sequential Mode**
  
  Use the paddle shifters to change between 1st and 9th gears without removing your hands from the steering wheel. The transmission will switch to the sequential mode.

  - **When the transmission is in D**:
    
    The vehicle will go into the sequential mode momentarily, and the sequential mode gear selection indicator will come on.
    
    Once you start traveling at a constant speed, the sequential mode will automatically switch off, and the sequential mode gear selection indicator will go off.

    Hold the + paddle shifter for two seconds or push D button to return to normal drive.

  - **When the transmission is in S**:
    
    The vehicle will go into the sequential mode, and the M (sequential mode) indicator and sequential mode gear selection indicator will come on.
    
    If the vehicle speed increases and the engine speed reaches near the tachometer’s red zone, the transmission automatically shifts up to the next gear.
    
    You can cancel this mode by holding the + paddle shifter for two seconds or push D button. When the sequential mode is canceled, the sequential mode indicator and sequential mode gear selection indicator go off.
Sequential Mode Operation

Each paddle shift operation makes a single gear change. To change gears continuously, release the paddle shifter before pulling it again for the next gear.

Recommended Shift Points
Use this table as a guideline for efficient fuel economy and effective emission control.

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<td>6th to 7th</td>
<td>57 mph (92 km/h)</td>
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<td>7th to 8th</td>
<td>62 mph (100 km/h)</td>
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<td>8th to 9th</td>
<td>67 mph (108 km/h)</td>
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If the sequential mode gear selection indicator blinks when you try to shift up or down, this means your vehicle speed is not in its allowable gear range. Slightly accelerate to shift up and decelerate to shift down while the indicator is blinking.
Auto Idle Stop*

To help maximize fuel economy, the engine automatically stops when the vehicle comes to a stop, depending on environmental and vehicle operating conditions. The indicator comes on.

The engine then restarts once the vehicle is about to move again, and the indicator goes off.

A message associated with Auto Idle Stop appears on the MID.

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If the driver’s door is opened while the indicator is on, a buzzer sounds to notify you that the Auto Idle Stop function is in operation.

Auto Idle Stop System ON/OFF

To turn the Auto Idle Stop system off, press this button. The Auto Idle Stop system stops.

- The Auto Idle Stop system will stop and the indicator (Amber) in meter will come on.

The Auto Idle Stop system is turned on every time you start the engine, even if you turned it off the last time you drove the vehicle.

Auto Idle Stop*  

The 12-volt battery installed in this vehicle is specifically designed for a model with Auto Idle Stop. Using a 12-volt battery other than this specified type may shorten the battery life, and prevent Auto Idle Stop from activating. If you need to replace the battery, make sure to select the specified type. Ask a dealer for more details.

Auto Idle Stop may activate less frequently in such conditions as a traffic jam.

Auto Idle Stop System ON/OFF

Press the Auto Idle Stop OFF button to restart the engine from the idling stop.

* Not available on all models
Auto Idle Stop Activates When:
The vehicle stops with the gear position in D and the brake pedal depressed.

Auto idle stop does not activate when:
- The driver’s seat belt is not fastened.
- The engine coolant temperature is low or high.
- The transmission fluid temperature is low or high.
- The vehicle comes to a stop again before the vehicle speed reaches 3 mph (5 km/h) after the engine starts.
- Stopped on a steep incline.
- A gear position other than D.
- The engine is started with the hood open.
  - Turn off the engine. Close the hood before you restart the engine to activate Auto Idle Stop.
- The battery charge is low.
- The internal temperature of the battery is 14°F (−10°C) or less.
- The climate control system is in use, and the outside temperature is below −4°F (−20°C) or over 104°F (40°C).
- The climate control system temperature is set to the Hi or Lo.
  - is ON (indicator on).
  - When the rear fan is set to maximum speed.
  - Auto Idle Stop may not activate under other conditions when the rear climate control system is in use.

Auto Idle Stop Activates When:
When ACC with LSF is in operation, the vehicle stops without depressing the brake pedal and Auto Idle Stop may activate.

Do not open the hood while the Auto Idle Stop function is activated. If the hood is opened, the engine will not restart automatically.

In this case, restart the engine with the ENGINE START/STOP button.
Starting the Engine P. 367

Pressing the ENGINE START/STOP button changes the power mode to ACCESSORY even while Auto Idle Stop is in operation. Once in ACCESSORY, the engine no longer restarts automatically. Follow the standard procedure to start the engine.
Starting the Engine P. 367
When Driving

Auto Idle Stop

Auto idle stop may not activate when:

- The vehicle is stopped by braking suddenly.
- The steering wheel is operated.
- The fan speed is high.
- Altitude is high.
- The vehicle is repeatedly accelerated and decelerated at a low speed.
- The climate control system is in use, and there is a significant difference between the set temperature and the actual interior temperature.
- Humidity in the interior is high.
- The rear fan is set to maximum speed.

Auto Idle Stop may not activate under other conditions when the rear climate control system is in use.
When Driving

Auto Idle Stop

When the brake pedal is released (without the automatic brake hold system activated).

The accelerator pedal is depressed (with the automatic brake hold system activated).

**Automatic Brake Hold** P. 432

**The Engine Automatically Restarts When:**

- The engine restarts even if the brake pedal is depressed*1 when:
  - The Auto Idle Stop OFF button is pressed.
  - When a steering wheel is operated.
  - The gear position is change to [R] or [S], or when it is change from [N] to [D].
  - The pressure on the brake pedal is reduced and the vehicle starts moving while stopped on an incline.
  - The pressure on the brake pedal is repeatedly applied and released slightly during a stop.
  - The battery charge becomes low.
  - The accelerator pedal is depressed.
  - The driver’s seat belt is unlatched.
  - [W] is ON (indicator on).
  - The climate control system is in use, and the difference between the set temperature and actual interior temperature becomes significant.
  - The climate control system is being used to dehumidify the interior.
  - The vehicle ahead of you starts again when your vehicle stops automatically with ACC with LSF.

*1: With the automatic brake hold system activated, you can release the brake pedal during Auto Idle Stop is in operation.

If you are using an electronic device during Auto Idle Stop, the device may temporarily be turned off when the engine restarts.
When Driving

**Auto Idle Stop**

- The engine restarts even if the automatic brake hold system is activated when:
  - The automatic brake hold system is canceled and the electric parking brake is applied automatically.
  - The automatic brake hold system has a problem.

**Starting Assist Brake Function**

Briefly keeps the brakes applied after releasing the brake pedal to restart the engine. This can keep your vehicle from unexpectedly moving while on an incline.
Integrated Dynamics System

Modifies the dynamic character of the vehicle. There are three modes to select from: **Comfort**, **Normal**, and **Sport**.

Press the **Dynamic Mode** button to select a mode. The mode you have selected appears on the MID.

You can customize the mode default setting using the MID.

- **Comfort**: Maximizes driver comfort through increased steering assist.
- **Normal**: Balanced driving performance for most driving situations.
- **Sport**: Enhances vehicle response feel through decreased steering assist, heightened throttle response, increased SH-AWD* torque bias, and modified active sound control.

* Not available on all models

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**When Driving**

**Integrated Dynamics System**
When Driving ▶ Front Sensor Camera

Front Sensor Camera
The camera, used in systems such as LKAS, RDM, ACC with LSF, and CMBS™, is designed to detect an object that triggers any of the systems to operate its functions.

■ Camera Location and Handling Tips
This camera is located behind the rearview mirror.

To help reduce the likelihood that high interior temperatures will cause the camera’s sensing system to shut off, when parking, find a shady area or face the front of the vehicle away from the sun. If you use a reflective sun shade, do not allow it to cover the camera housing. Covering the camera can concentrate heat on it.

Never apply a film or attach any objects to windshield, the hood, or the front grill that could obstruct the camera’s field of vision and cause the system to operate abnormally. Scratches, nicks, and other damage to the windshield within the camera’s field of vision can cause the system to operate abnormally. If this occurs, we recommend that you replace the windshield with a genuine Acura replacement windshield. Making even minor repairs within the camera’s field of vision or installing an aftermarket replacement windshield may also cause the system to operate abnormally. After replacing the windshield, have a dealer recalibrate the camera. Proper calibration of the camera is necessary for the system to operate properly.

Do not place an object on the top of the instrument panel. It may reflect onto the windshield and prevent the system from detecting lane lines properly.
When Driving

Front Sensor Camera

If the **Some Driver Assist Systems Cannot Operate: Camera Temperature Too High** message appears:

- Use the climate control system to cool down the interior and, if necessary, also use defroster mode with the air flow directed towards the camera.
- Start driving the vehicle to lower the windshield temperature, which cools down the area around the camera.

If the **Some Driver Assist Systems Cannot Operate: Clean Front Windshield** message appears:

- Park your vehicle in a safe place, and clean the windshield. If the message does not disappear after you have cleaned the windshield and driven for a while, have your vehicle checked by a dealer.
Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

Helps maintain a constant vehicle speed and a set following-distance behind a vehicle detected ahead of yours and, if the detected vehicle slows to a stop, decelerates and stops your vehicle, without you having to keep your foot on the brake or the accelerator.

When ACC with LSF slows your vehicle by applying the brakes, your vehicle’s brake lights will illuminate.

**When to use**

- **Vehicle speed for ACC with LSF:** A vehicle is detected ahead within ACC with LSF range – ACC with LSF operates at speeds up to 90 mph (145 km/h).
- **No vehicle is detected within ACC with LSF range** – ACC with LSF operates at the speed of about 25 mph (40 km/h) or above.
- **Gear position for ACC with LSF:** In D or S.

**WARNING**

Improper use of ACC with LSF can lead to a crash.

Use ACC with LSF only when driving on expressways or freeways and in good weather conditions.

ACC with LSF has limited braking capability and may not stop your vehicle in time to avoid a collision with a vehicle that quickly stops in front of you.

Always be prepared to apply the brake pedal if the conditions require.

**Important Reminder**

As with any system, there are limits to ACC with LSF. Use the brake pedal whenever necessary, and always keep a safe distance between your vehicle and other vehicles.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

How to activate the system

Press the MAIN button on the steering wheel.

ACC (green) is on in the instrument panel. ACC with LSF is ready to use.

When the MAIN button is pressed, ACC with LSF and Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS) are both turned on or off.

ACC with LSF may not work properly under certain conditions.

ACC with LSF Conditions and Limitations

When not using ACC with LSF: Turn off adaptive cruise by pressing the MAIN button. This also will turn off the Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS).

Do not use the ACC with LSF under the following conditions.

- On roads with heavy traffic or while driving in continuous stop and go traffic.
- On roads with sharp turns.
- On roads with steep downhill sections, as the set vehicle speed can be exceeded by coasting. In such cases, the ACC with LSF will not apply the brakes to maintain the set speed.
- On roads with toll collection facilities or other objects between lanes of traffic, or in parking areas, or facilities with drive through access.
When Driving
Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

When Driving at about 25 mph (40 km/h) or above:
Take your foot off the pedal and press down the RES/+/- switch when you reach the desired speed. The moment you release the switch, the set speed is fixed, and ACC with LSF begins.

When Driving at slower than about 25 mph (40 km/h):
If the vehicle is moving and the brake pedal is not depressed, pressing the switch fixes the set speed to about 25 mph (40 km/h) regardless of current vehicle speed. While stationary and a vehicle is ahead of you, the vehicle speed can be set, even with the brake pedal depressed.

When ACC with LSF starts operating, the vehicle icon, distance bars, and set speed appear on the MID.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

■ When in Operation

■ There is a vehicle ahead

ACC with LSF monitors if a vehicle ahead of you enters the ACC with LSF range. If a vehicle is detected doing so, the ACC with LSF system maintains or decelerates your vehicle’s set speed in order to keep the vehicle’s set following-distance from the vehicle ahead.

To Set or Change Following-distance P. 399

ACC with LSF Range: 394 ft. (120 m)

When a vehicle whose speed is slower than your set speed comes in or cuts in front of you and is detected by the radar and the camera, your vehicle starts to slow down.

A vehicle icon appears on the MID.

When in Operation

If the vehicle detected ahead of you slows down abruptly, or if another vehicle is detected cutting in front of you, the beeper sounds and a message appears on the MID.
Depress the brake pedal, and keep an appropriate distance from the vehicle ahead.

Even if the distance between your vehicle and the vehicle detected ahead is short, ACC with LSF may start accelerating your vehicle under the following circumstances:
• The vehicle ahead of you is going at almost the same speed as, or faster than, your vehicle.
• A vehicle that cuts in front of you is going faster than your vehicle, gradually increasing the distance between the vehicles.

You can also set the system to beep when a vehicle detected in front of you comes in and goes out of the ACC with LSF detecting range. Change the ACC Forward Vehicle Detect Beep setting.

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When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

■ There is no vehicle ahead

Your vehicle maintains the set speed without having to keep your foot on the brake or accelerator pedal.

If there previously was a vehicle detected ahead that kept your vehicle from traveling at the set speed, ACC with LSF accelerates your vehicle to the set speed, and then maintains it.

While stationary and no vehicle is detected, ACC with LSF automatically cancels and a beeper sounds.

■ When you depress the accelerator pedal

You can temporarily increase the vehicle speed. In this case, there is no audible or visual alert even if a vehicle is in the ACC with LSF range.

ACC with LSF stays on unless you cancel it. Once you release the accelerator pedal, the system resumes the set speed.

There are times when the vehicle speed will decrease when the accelerator pedal is lightly applied.

When in Operation

Limitations

You may need to use the brake to maintain a safe distance when using ACC with LSF. Additionally, ACC with LSF may not work properly under certain conditions.

ACC with LSF Conditions and Limitations

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When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

- A vehicle detected ahead is within ACC with LSF range and slows to a stop

Your vehicle also stops, automatically. The Stopped message appears on the MID. When the vehicle ahead of you starts again, the vehicle icon on the MID blinks. If you press the RES/+ or SET/– switch up or down, or depress the accelerator pedal, ACC with LSF operates again within the previously set speed.

- A vehicle detected ahead is within ACC with LSF range and slows to a stop

**WARNING**

Exiting a vehicle that has been stopped while the ACC with LSF system is operating can result in the vehicle moving without operator control.

A vehicle that moves without operator control can cause a crash, resulting in serious injury or death.

Never exit a vehicle when the vehicle is stopped by ACC with LSF.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

ACC with LSF Conditions and Limitations

The system may automatically shut off and the ACC indicator will come on under certain conditions. Some examples of these conditions are listed below. Other conditions may reduce some of the ACC functions.

- Front Sensor Camera P. 388

Environmental conditions
Driving in bad weather (rain, fog, snow, etc.).

Roadway conditions
Driving on a snowy or wet roadway (obscured lane marking, vehicle tracks, reflected lights, road spray, high contrast).

Vehicle conditions
- The outside of the windshield is blocked by dirt, mud, leaves, wet snow, etc.
- An abnormal tire or wheel condition (Wrong sized, varied size or construction, improperly inflated, compact spare tire*, etc.).
- The camera temperature gets too hot.
- The parking brake is applied.
- When the front grille is dirty.
- When the front of the vehicle tilts up due to heavy cargo in the cargo area or rear seats.
- When tire chains are installed.

* Not available on all models
Detection limitations

- A vehicle or pedestrian suddenly crosses in front of you.
- The distance between your vehicle and the vehicle or pedestrian ahead of you is too short.
- A vehicle cuts in front of you at a slow speed, and it brakes suddenly.
- When you accelerate rapidly and approach the vehicle or pedestrian ahead of you at high speed.
- The vehicle ahead of you is a motorcycle, bicycle, mobility scooter, or other small vehicle.
- When there are animals in front of your vehicle.
- When you drive on a curved or winding or undulating road that makes it difficult for the sensor to properly detect a vehicle or a pedestrian in front of you.
- The speed difference between your vehicle and a vehicle in front of you is significantly large.
- An oncoming vehicle suddenly comes in front of you.
- Your vehicle abruptly crosses over in front of an oncoming vehicle.
- When driving through a narrow iron bridge.
- When the vehicle ahead of you brakes suddenly.
- When the vehicle ahead of you has a unique shape.
- When your vehicle or the vehicle ahead of you is driving on one edge of the lane.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

To Adjust the Vehicle Speed

Increase or decrease the vehicle speed using the RES/+\(\rightarrow\)SET/\(-\) switch on the steering wheel.

- Each time you press the switch up or down, the vehicle speed is increased or decreased by about 1 mph or 1 km/h accordingly.
- If you keep the switch pressed up or down, the vehicle speed increases or decreases by about 5 mph or 5 km/h accordingly.

To Adjust the Vehicle Speed

If a vehicle detected ahead is going at a speed slower than your increased set speed, ACC with LSF may not accelerate your vehicle. This is to maintain the set following-distance between your vehicle and the vehicle ahead.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

To Set or Change Following-distance

Press the (distance) button to change the ACC with LSF following-distance. Each time you press the button, the following-distance (the interval behind a vehicle detected ahead of you) setting cycles through short, middle, long, and extra long following-distances.

Determine the most appropriate following-distance setting based on your specific driving conditions. Be sure to adhere to any following-distance requirements set by local regulation.
When Driving Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

The higher your vehicle’s following-speed is, the longer the short, middle, long or extra long following-distance becomes. See the following examples for your reference.

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When your vehicle stops automatically because a vehicle detected ahead of you has stopped, the distance between the two vehicles will vary based on the ACC with LSF distance setting.
When Driving
Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

To cancel ACC with LSF, do any of the following:

- Press the CANCEL button.
- Press the MAIN button.
- ACC with LSF indicator goes off.
- Depress the brake pedal.

When the LSF function has stopped the vehicle, you cannot cancel ACC with LSF by depressing the brake pedal.

Resuming the prior set speed: After you have canceled ACC with LSF, you can resume the prior set speed while it is still displayed. Press the RES/+ SET/- switch up.

The set speed cannot be set or resumed when ACC with LSF has been turned off using the MAIN button. Press the MAIN button to activate the system, then set the desired speed.
When Driving  Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

## Automatic cancellation

The beeper sounds and a message appears on the MID when ACC with LSF is automatically canceled. Any of these conditions may cause the ACC with LSF to automatically cancel:

- Bad weather (rain, fog, snow, etc.)
- When the radar sensor in the front grille gets dirty.
- The vehicle ahead of you cannot be detected.
- An abnormal tire condition is detected, or the tires are skidding.
- Driving on a mountainous road, or driving off road for extended periods.
- Abrupt steering wheel movement.
- When the ABS, VSA® or CMBS™ is activated.
- When the ABS or VSA® system indicator comes on.
- When the vehicle is stopped on a very steep slope.
- When you manually apply the parking brake.
- When the detected vehicle within the ACC with LSF range is too close to your vehicle.
- When a detected vehicle goes out of the ACC with LSF range while your vehicle is stationary.
- The camera behind the rearview mirror, or the area around the camera, including the windshield, gets dirty.

The ACC with LSF automatic cancellation can be also triggered by the following causes. In these cases, the electric parking brake will be automatically applied.

- The driver's seat belt is unfastened when the vehicle is stationary.
- The vehicle stops for more than 10 minutes.
- The engine is turned off.
- When trailer stability assist is activated.

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Even though ACC with LSF has been automatically canceled, you can still resume the prior set speed. Wait until the condition that caused ACC with LSF to cancel improves, then press the **RES/+**/**SET/--** switch up.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

To Switch ACC with LSF to Cruise Control

Press and hold the (distance) button for one second. **Cruise Mode Selected** appears on the MID for two seconds, and then the mode switches to Cruise.

To switch back to ACC with LSF, press and hold the button again for one second. **ACC Mode Selected** appears on the MID for two seconds.

When to use

Desired speed in a range above roughly 25 mph (40 km/h) ~.

To Set the Vehicle Speed

Take your foot off the pedal and press the **RES/+SET/-** switch down when you reach the desired speed.

The moment you release the **RES/+SET/-** switch, the set speed is fixed, and cruise control begins. The **CRUISE CONTROL** indicator comes on.

To Adjust the Vehicle Speed

Each time you press the **RES/+SET/-** switch up or down, the vehicle speed is increased or decreased by about 1 mph (1.6 km/h).

If you keep the **RES/+SET/-** switch pressed up or down, the vehicle speed increases or decreases until you release it. This speed is then set.
When Driving

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) with Low Speed Follow (LSF)

To Cancel
To cancel cruise control, do any of the following:
- Press the CANCEL button.
- Press the MAIN button.
- Depress the brake pedal.
The CRUISE CONTROL indicator goes off.

Resuming the prior set speed:
After cruise control has been canceled, you can still resume the prior set speed by pressing the RES/+ SET/- switch up while driving at a speed of at least 25 mph (40 km/h) or more.

You cannot set or resume in the following situations:
- When vehicle speed is less than 25 mph (40 km/h).
- When the MAIN button is turned off.

At vehicle speeds of 22 mph (35 km/h) or less, cruise control canceled automatically.
Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System

Alerts and helps to assist you when the system determines a possibility of your vehicle unintentionally crossing over detected lane markings.

How the System Works

The front camera behind the rearview mirror monitors left and right lane markings (in white or yellow). If your vehicle is getting too close to detected lane markings without a turn signal activated, the system, in addition to a visual alert, applies steering torque and alerts you with rapid vibrations on the steering wheel, to help you remain within the detected lane.

As a visual alert, the Lane Departure message appears on the MID.

If the system determines that its steering input is insufficient to keep your vehicle on the roadway, it may apply braking.

Braking is applied only when the lane markings are solid continuous lines.

The system cancels assisting operations when you turn the steering wheel to avoid crossing over detected lane markings.

If the system operates several times without detecting driver response, the system beeps to alert you.

Important Safety Reminder

Like all assistance systems, the RDM system has limitations. Over-reliance on the RDM system may result in a collision. It is always your responsibility to keep the vehicle within your driving lane.

The RDM system only alerts you when lane drift is detected without a turn signal in use. The RDM system may not detect all lane markings or lane or roadway departures; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed and lane marker condition. It is always your responsibility to safely operate the vehicle and avoid collisions.

You can read about handling information for the camera equipped with this system.

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The RDM system may not work properly or may work improperly under the certain conditions:

RDM Conditions and Limitations P. 408

There are times when you may not notice RDM functions due to your operation of the vehicle, or road surface conditions. If the Lane Departure message displays repeatedly and you do not apply responsive actions, the system beeps and cancels RDM functions.
When Driving

Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System

How the System Activates

The system becomes ready to start searching for lane markings when all the following conditions are met:

- The vehicle is traveling between about 45 and 90 mph (72 and 145 km/h).
- The vehicle is on a straight or slightly curved road.
- The turn signals are off.
- The brake pedal is not depressed.
- The wipers are not in continuous operation.
- The vehicle is not accelerating or braking, and the steering wheel is not being turned.
- The system makes a determination that the driver is not actively accelerating, braking or steering.

How the System Activates

The RDM system may automatically shut off and the indicator comes and stays on.

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RDM system function can be impacted when the vehicle is:

- Not driven within a traffic lane.
- Driven on the inside edge of a curve, or outside of a lane.
- Driven in a narrow lane.
Press the RDM button to turn the system on and off.

- The indicator in the button comes on and the message appears on the MID when the system is on.

When you have selected **Warning Only** from the customized options using the MID, the system does not operate the steering wheel and braking.
When Driving

Road Departure Mitigation (RDM) System

RDM Conditions and Limitations

The system may not properly detect lane markings and the position of your vehicle under certain conditions. Some examples of these conditions are listed below.

Environmental conditions
- Driving in bad weather (rain, fog, snow, etc.).
- Sudden changes between light and dark, such as an entrance or exit of a tunnel.
- There is little contrast between lane lines and the roadway surface.
- Driving into low sunlight (e.g., at dawn or dusk).
- Strong light is reflected onto the roadway.
- Driving in the shadows of trees, buildings, etc.
- Shadows of adjacent objects are parallel to lane markings.
- Roadway objects or structures are misinterpreted as lane markers.
- Reflections on the interior of the front windshield.
**Roadway conditions**
- Driving on a snowy or wet roadway (obscured lane marking, vehicle tracks, reflected lights, road spray, high contrast).
- Driving on a road with temporary lane markings.
- Faint, multiple, or varied lane markings are visible on the roadway due to road repairs or old lane markings.
- The roadway has merging, split, or crossing lines (e.g., such as at an intersection or crosswalk).
- The lane markings are extremely narrow, wide, or changing.
- The vehicle in front of you is driving near the lane lines.
- The road is hilly or the vehicle is approaching the crest of a hill.
- Driving on rough or unpaved roads, or over bumpy surfaces.
- When objects on the road (curb, guard rail, pylons, etc.) are recognized as white lines (or yellow lines).
- When driving on roads with double lines.

**Vehicle conditions**
- Headlight lenses are dirty or the headlights are not properly adjusted.
- The outside of the windshield is streaked or blocked by dirt, mud, leaves, wet snow, etc.
- The inside of the windshield is fogged.
- The camera temperature gets too hot.
- An abnormal tire or wheel condition (wrong sized, varied size or construction, improperly inflated, compact spare tire*, etc.).
- The vehicle is tilted due to a heavy load or suspension modifications.
- When tire chains are installed.

* Not available on all models
When Driving
Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)
Provides steering input to help keep the vehicle in the middle of a detected lane and provides tactile and visual alerts if the vehicle is detected drifting out of its lane.

Steering input assist
The system applies torque to the steering to keep the vehicle between the left and right lane lines. The applied torque becomes stronger as the vehicle gets closer to either of the lane lines.

LKAS camera
Monitors the lane lines

Tactile and visual alerts
Rapid vibrations on the steering wheel and a warning display alert you that the vehicle is drifting out of a detected lane.

When you operate the turn signals to change lanes, the system is suspended, and resumes after the signals are off.
If you make a lane change without operating the turn signals, the LKAS alerts activate, and torque is applied to the steering.

Important Safety Reminders
The LKAS is for your convenience only. It is not a substitute for your vehicle control. The system does not work if you take your hands off the steering wheel or fail to steer the vehicle.

Multi-Information Display Warning and Information Messages P. 113
Do not place objects on the instrument panel. Objects may reflect on the front windshield and prevent correct detection of the traffic lanes.

LKAS only alerts you when lane drift is detected without a turn signal in use. LKAS may not detect all lane markings or lane departures; accuracy will vary based on weather, speed, and lane marker condition. It is always your responsibility to safely operate the vehicle and avoid collisions.

The LKAS is convenient when it is used on freeways.

The LKAS may not work properly or may work improperly under the certain conditions:
LKAS Conditions and Limitations P. 416

LKAS may not function as designed on while driving in frequent stop and go traffic, or on roads with sharp curves.

You can read about handling information for the camera equipped with this system.
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When Driving
Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

- **Lane Keep Support Function**
  Provides assistance to keep the vehicle in the center of the lane, when the vehicle nears a white or yellow line, steering force of the electric power steering will become stronger.

- **Lane Departure Warning Function**
  When the vehicle enters the warning area, LKAS alerts you with slight steering wheel vibration as well as a warning display.

- **Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)**
  When it fails to detect lanes, the system will temporarily be canceled. When lane is detected, system will recover automatically.
When the System can be Used

The system can be used when the following conditions are met.
- The lane in which you are driving has detectable lane markers on both sides, and your vehicle is in the center of the lane.
- The vehicle speed is between about 45 and 90 mph (72 and 145 km/h).
- You are driving on a straight or slightly curved road.
- The turn signals are off.
- The brake pedal is not depressed.
- The wipers are not in continuous operation.

How to activate the system

1. Press the MAIN button.
   - The LKAS is on in the MID.
   - The system is ready to use.

2. Press the LKAS button.
   - Lane outlines appear on the MID.
   - The system is activated.

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

You can read about handling information for the camera equipped with this system.

Front Sensor Camera P. 388

If the vehicle drifts toward either left or right lane line due to the system applying torque, turn off the LKAS and have your vehicle checked by a dealer.
When Driving

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

3. Keep your vehicle near the center of the lane while driving.
   - The dotted outer lines change to solid ones once the system starts operating after detecting the left and right lane markings.

To cancel

To cancel the LKAS:
Press the MAIN or LKAS button.

The LKAS is turned off every time you stop the engine, even if you turned it on the last time you drove the vehicle.

When the System can be Used

The LKAS temporarily deactivates when it fails to detect lane lines. When the system detects the lines again, it comes back on automatically.

To cancel

Pressing the MAIN button also turns ACC with LSF on and off.
When Driving

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

- The system operation is suspended if you:
  - Set the wipers to continuous operation.
    - Turning the wipers off resumes the LKAS.
  - Decrease the vehicle speed to about 40 mph (64 km/h) or less.
    - Increasing the vehicle speed to about 45 mph (72 km/h) or more resumes the LKAS.
  - Depress the brake pedal.
    - The LKAS resumes and starts detecting the lane lines again once you release the brake pedal.

Models with automatic intermittent wipers
- Set the wiper switch to AUTO and the wipers operate continuously.
  - The LKAS resumes when the wipers stop or operate intermittently.

When the LKAS is suspended, the lane lines on the MID change to contour lines.
The LKAS may automatically be suspended when:
- The system fails to detect lane lines.
- The steering wheel is quickly turned.
- You fail to steer the vehicle.
- The vehicle runs on a curved road over the speed limit.

Once these conditions no longer exist, the LKAS automatically resumes.

The LKAS may automatically be canceled when:
- The camera temperature gets too high.
- The camera behind the rearview mirror, or the area around the camera, including the windshield, gets dirty.
- When driving through a sharp curve.
- When driving at a speed in excess of approximately 90 mph (145 km/h).
- When the ABS or VSA® systems engage.

A beeper will sound if the LKAS is automatically canceled.
When Driving
Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

■ LKAS Conditions and Limitations

The system may not detect lane markings and therefore may not keep the vehicle in the middle of a lane under certain conditions, including the following:

■ Environmental conditions
  - Driving in bad weather (rain, fog, snow, etc.).
  - Sudden changes between light and dark, such as an entrance or exit of a tunnel.
  - There is little contrast between lane lines and the roadway surface.
  - Driving into low sunlight (e.g., at dawn or dusk).
  - Strong light is reflected onto the roadway.
  - Driving in the shadows of trees, buildings, etc.
  - Shadows of adjacent objects are parallel to lane markings.
  - Roadway objects or structures are misinterpreted as lane markers.
  - Reflections on the interior of the front windshield.
When Driving

Lane Keeping Assist System (LKAS)

■ Roadway conditions
  - Driving on a snowy or wet roadway (obscured lane marking, vehicle tracks, reflected lights, road spray, high contrast).
  - Driving on a road with temporary lane markings.
  - Faint, multiple, or varied lane markings are visible on the roadway due to road repairs or old lane markings.
  - The roadway has merging, split, or crossing lines (e.g., such as at an intersection or crosswalk).
  - The lane markings are extremely narrow, wide, or changing.
  - The vehicle in front of you is driving near the lane lines.
  - The road is hilly or the vehicle is approaching the crest of a hill.
  - Driving on rough or unpaved roads, or over bumpy surfaces.
  - When objects on the road (curb, guard rail, pylons, etc.) are recognized as white lines (or yellow lines).
  - When driving on roads with double lines.

■ Vehicle conditions
  - Headlight lenses are dirty or the headlights are not properly adjusted.
  - The outside of the windshield is streaked or blocked by dirt, mud, leaves, wet snow, etc.
  - The inside of the windshield is fogged.
  - The camera temperature gets too hot.
  - An abnormal tire or wheel condition (wrong sized, varied size or construction, improperly inflated, compact spare tire*, etc.).
  - The vehicle is tilted due to a heavy load or suspension modifications.

* Not available on all models
Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®), aka Electronic Stability Control (ESC), System

VSA® helps to stabilize the vehicle during cornering if the vehicle turns more or less than what was intended. It also assists in maintaining traction on slippery surfaces. It does so by regulating engine output and selectively applying the brakes.

VSA® Operation

When VSA® activates, you may notice that the engine does not respond to the accelerator. You may also notice some noise from the hydraulic system. You will also see the indicator blink.

The VSA® may not function properly if tire type and size are mixed. Make sure to use the same size and type of tire, and the air pressures as specified.

When the VSA® system indicator comes on and stays on while driving, there may be a problem with the system. While this may not interfere with normal driving, have your vehicle checked by a dealer immediately.

VSA® cannot enhance stability in all driving situations and does not control the entire braking system. You still need to drive and corner at speeds appropriate for the conditions and always leave a sufficient margin of safety.

The main function of the VSA® system is generally known as Electronic Stability Control (ESC). The system also includes a traction control function.
**When Driving**

**Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®), aka Electronic Stability Control (ESC), System**

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### VSA® On and Off

This button is on the driver side control panel. To partially disable VSA® functionality/features, press and hold it until you hear a beep.

The traction control stops fully functioning, allowing the wheels to spin more freely at low speed. The VSA® OFF indicator will also come on.

To restore VSA® functionality/features, press the VSA® OFF button until you hear a beep.

VSA® is turned on every time you start the engine, even if you turned it off the last time you drove the vehicle.

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Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®), aka Electronic Stability Control (ESC), System

With the button pressed, your vehicle will have normal braking and cornering ability, but VSA® traction and stability enhancement becomes less effective.

In certain unusual conditions when your vehicle gets stuck in shallow mud or fresh snow, it may be easier to free it with the VSA® temporarily switched off.

When the button is pressed, the traction control function becomes less effective. This allows for the wheels to spin more freely at low speed. You should only attempt to free your vehicle with the VSA® off if you are not able to free it when the VSA® is on.

Immediately after freeing your vehicle, be sure to switch VSA® on again. We do not recommend driving your vehicle with the VSA® system switched off.

You may hear a motor sound coming from the engine compartment while system checks are being performed immediately after starting the engine or while driving. This is normal.
Agile Handling Assist System

Lightly brakes each of the front and rear wheels, as needed, when you turn the steering wheel, and helps support the vehicle’s stability and performance during cornering.

The agile handling assist system cannot enhance stability in all driving situations. You still need to drive and corner at speeds appropriate for the conditions and always leave a sufficient margin of safety.

When the VSA® system indicator comes on and stays on while driving, the agile handling assist system does not activate.

You may hear a sound coming from the engine compartment while the system is activated. This is normal.
Blind spot information (BSI) System*

Is designed to detect vehicles in specified alert zones adjacent to your vehicle, particularly in harder to see areas commonly known as “blind spots.”

When the system detects vehicles approaching from behind in adjacent lanes, the appropriate indicator comes on for a few seconds, providing assistance when you change lanes.

■ How the system works

- The transmission is in D.
- Your vehicle speed is between 20 mph (32 km/h) and 100 mph (160 km/h)

Alert zone range
A: Approx. 1.6 ft. (0.5 m)
B: Approx. 10 ft. (3 m)
C: Approx. 10 ft. (3 m)

Radar Sensors: underneath the rear bumper corners

[Diagram of Radar Sensors and Alert Zones]

WARNING
Failure to visually confirm that it is safe to change lanes before doing so may result in a crash and serious injury or death. Do not rely only on the blind spot information system when changing lanes.

Always look in your mirrors, to either side of your vehicle, and behind you for other vehicles before changing lanes.

Important Safety Reminder
Like all assistance systems, BSI has limitations. Over reliance on BSI may result in a collision.

The system is for your convenience only. Even if an object is within the alert zone, the following situations may occur:
- The BSI alert indicator may not come on due to obstruction (splashes, etc.) even without the Blind Spot Info Not Available MID appearing.
- The BSI alert indicator may come on even with the message appearing.

The BSI alert indicator may not come on under the following conditions:
- A vehicle does not stay in the alert zone for more than two seconds.
- A vehicle is parked in a side lane.
- The speed difference between your vehicle and the vehicle you are passing is greater than 6 mph (10 km/h).
- An object not detected by the radar sensors approaches or passes your vehicle.

* Not available on all models

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When Driving

Blind spot information (BSI) System

■ When the system detects a vehicle

BSI Alert Indicator: Located near the outside rearview mirror on both sides.

■ Comes on when
  • A vehicle enters the alert zone from behind to overtake you with a speed difference of no more than 31 mph (50 km/h) from your vehicle.
  • You pass a vehicle with a speed difference of no more than 12 mph (20 km/h).

■ Blinks and the beeper sounds when
  You move the turn signal lever in the direction of the detected vehicle. The beeper sounds three times.

* Not available on all models
Super Handling-All Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD®) *

The system controls and transfers varying amounts of engine torque to each wheel in accordance with the driving conditions.

SH-AWD® helps to enhance driving stability, and lets you handle situations like slippery surfaces, such as snow, sand, mud, and steep hills, better than when driving with two wheel drive. However, the system does not help to enhance braking. Be precautious about the following:

- It is still your responsibility to drive safely when you steer, accelerate, and apply brakes.
- Leave a sufficient margin when braking on slippery surfaces.

* Not available on all models
When Driving

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)

Monitors the tire pressure while you are driving. If your vehicle’s tire pressure becomes significantly low, the low tire pressure/TPMS indicator comes on and a message appears on the MID.

Conditions such as low ambient temperature and altitude change directly affect tire pressure and can trigger the low tire pressure/TPMS indicator to come on.

If the Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator Comes On or Blinks P. 545

Tire pressure checked and inflated in:
• Warm weather can become under-inflated in colder weather.
• Cold weather can become over-inflated in warmer weather.

The low tire pressure/TPMS indicator will not come on as a result of over inflation.

The TPMS audibly and visually informs you of changes in tire pressure of the individual tire that you are adjusting using audible and visual indications.

If the Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator Comes On or Blinks P. 545
When Driving

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)

To select the tire pressure monitor, set the power mode to ON, and roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls until you see the tire pressure screen.

The pressure for each tire is displayed in psi (U.S.) or kPa (Canada).

Tire Pressures Low is displayed when a tire has significantly low pressure. The specific tire is displayed on the screen.

Tire Pressure Monitor

The pressure displayed on the MID can be slightly different from the actual pressure as measured by a gauge. If there is a significant difference between the two values, or if the low tire pressure/TPMS indicator and the message on the MID do not go off after you have inflated the tire to the specified pressure, have the system checked by a dealer.

Tire Pressure Monitor Problem may appear if you drive with the compact spare tire, or there is a problem with the TPMS.

If a change in tire pressure has been significant, the system beeps and the hazard lights flash continuously for five seconds when the specified tire pressure is reached. Stop filling the tire.
When Driving

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) - Required Federal Explanation

Each tire, including the spare (if provided), should be checked monthly when cold and inflated to the inflation pressure recommended by the vehicle manufacturer on the vehicle placard or tire inflation pressure label.

(If your vehicle has tires of a different size than the size indicated on the vehicle placard or tire inflation pressure label, you should determine the proper tire inflation pressure for those tires.)

As an added safety feature, your vehicle has been equipped with a tire pressure monitoring system (TPMS) that illuminates a low tire pressure telltale

when one or more of your tires is significantly under-inflated.

Accordingly, when the low tire pressure telltale illuminates, you should stop and check your tires as soon as possible, and inflate them to the proper pressure.

Driving on a significantly under-inflated tire causes the tire to overheat and can lead to tire failure. Under-inflation also reduces fuel efficiency and tire tread life, and may affect the vehicle's handling and stopping ability.
Please note that the TPMS is not a substitute for proper tire maintenance, and it is the driver’s responsibility to maintain correct tire pressure, even if under-inflation has not reached the level to trigger illumination of the TPMS low tire pressure telltale.

Your vehicle has also been equipped with a TPMS malfunction indicator to indicate when the system is not operating properly. The TPMS malfunction indicator is combined with the low tire pressure telltale. When the system detects a malfunction, the telltale will flash for approximately one minute and then remain continuously illuminated. This sequence will continue upon subsequent vehicle start-ups as long as the malfunction exists.

When the malfunction indicator is illuminated, the system may not be able to detect or signal low tire pressure as intended.

TPMS malfunctions may occur for a variety of reasons, including the installation of replacement or alternate tires or wheels on the vehicle that prevent the TPMS from functioning properly.

Always check the TPMS malfunction telltale after replacing one or more tires or wheels on your vehicle to ensure that the replacement or alternate tires and wheels allow the TPMS to continue to function properly.
Braking

Brake System

### Parking Brake

Use the parking brake to keep the vehicle stationary when parked. You can manually apply and release, or automatically release it.

**Manual operations**

Use the electric parking brake switch to apply or release the brake. Manually releasing the parking brake using the switch helps your vehicle start slowly and smoothly when facing down hill on steep hills.

- **To apply manually**
  - Press the electric parking brake switch.
  - The electric parking brake indicator comes on.

- **Parking Brake**

You may hear the electric parking brake system motor operating from the rear wheel area when you apply or release the parking brake, or set the power mode to OFF. This is normal.

The brake pedal may slightly move due to the electric parking brake system operation when you apply or release the parking brake. This is normal.

You cannot apply or release the parking brake if the battery goes dead.

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If you press and hold the electric parking brake switch while driving the brakes on all four wheels are applied (by the VSA® system) until the vehicle come to a stop (at which point the electric parking brake is applied) or the switch is released.
To release manually
1. Depress the brake pedal fully.
2. Pull the electric parking brake switch up gently and securely.
   - The electric parking brake indicator goes off.

Parking Brake
In the following situations, the parking brake automatically operates.
- When the vehicle stops more than 10 minutes while ACC with LSF is activated.
- When the driver’s seat belt is unfastened while your vehicle is stopped automatically by ACC with LSF.
- When the engine is turned off while ACC with LSF is activated.
- When the vehicle stops with the automatic brake hold system activated for more than 10 minutes.
- When the driver’s seat belt is unfastened while your vehicle is stopped and brake hold system is applied.
- When the engine is turned off while brake hold system is applied.
- When there is a problem with the Brake Hold System while Brake Hold is applied.
Braking

Brake System

To release automatically
Depressing the accelerator pedal releases the parking brake. Use the accelerator pedal to release the brake when you are starting the vehicle facing uphill, or in a traffic jam.

Gently depress the accelerator pedal. When on a hill, it may require more accelerator input to release.

The electric parking brake indicator goes off.

You can release the parking brake automatically when:

• You are wearing the driver’s seat belt.
• The engine is running.
• The transmission is not in P or N.

Parking Brake

If the parking brake cannot be released automatically, release it manually.

The parking brake cannot be released automatically while the following indicators are on:

• Malfunction indicator lamp
• Transmission indicator

The parking brake may not be released automatically while the following indicators are on:

• Electric parking brake system indicator
• VSA® system indicator
• ABS indicator
• Supplemental restraint system indicator
Foot Brake

Your vehicle is equipped with disc brakes at all four wheels. A vacuum power assist helps reduce the effort needed on the brake pedal. The brake assist system increases the stopping force when you depress the brake pedal hard in an emergency situation. The anti-lock brake system (ABS) helps you retain steering control when braking very hard.

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Foot Brake

Check the brakes after driving through deep water, or if there is a buildup of road surface water. If necessary, dry the brakes by lightly depressing the pedal several times.

If you hear a continuous metallic friction sound when applying the brakes, this is caused by the brake wear indicator rubbing on the brake rotor and indicates that the brake pads need to be replaced. Have the vehicle checked by a dealer. If you hear only an occasional squeak or squeal when you initially apply the brake pedal, this may be normal and caused by high frequency vibration of the brake pads against the rotating brake disc.

Constantly using the brake pedal while going down a long hill builds up heat, which reduces the brake effectiveness. Apply engine braking by taking your foot off the accelerator pedal and downshifting to a lower gear.

Do not rest your foot on the brake pedal while driving, as it will lightly apply the brakes and cause them to lose effectiveness over time and reduce pad life. It will also confuse drivers behind you.
Braking

Brake System

Automatic Brake Hold

Keeps the brake applied after releasing the brake pedal until the accelerator pedal is pressed. You can use this system while the vehicle is temporarily stopped, such as when you stop at a traffic light.

- Activating the system
  - Depress the brake pedal to come to a complete stop. The transmission must be in D or N.
  - The automatic brake hold indicator comes on. Braking is kept for up to 10 minutes.
  - Release the brake pedal after the automatic brake hold indicator comes on.

- Canceling the system
  - Depress the accelerator pedal while the transmission is in D. The system is canceled and the vehicle starts to move.
  - The automatic brake hold indicator goes off. The system continues to be on.

- Turning on the system
  - Fasten your seat belt properly, then start the engine. Press the automatic brake hold button.
  - The automatic brake hold system indicator comes on. The system is turned on.

WARNING

Activating the automatic brake hold system on steep hills or slippery roads may still allow the vehicle to move if you remove your foot from the brake pedal.

If a vehicle unexpectedly moves, it may cause a crash resulting in serious injury or death.

Never activate the automatic brake hold system or rely on it to keep a vehicle from moving when stopped on a steep hill or slippery roads.

WARNING

Using the automatic brake hold system to park the vehicle may result in the vehicle unexpectedly moving.

If a vehicle moves unexpectedly, it may cause a crash, resulting in serious injury or death.

Never leave the vehicle when braking is temporarily kept by automatic brake hold and always park the vehicle by putting the transmission in P and applying the parking brake.
The system automatically cancels when:
- You depress the brake pedal and change to P or R.
- You engage the parking brake.

Under the following conditions, the system automatically cancels, and the parking brake is applied:
- Braking is kept for more than 10 minutes.
- The driver’s seat belt is unfastened.
- The engine is turned off.
- Brake Hold System Problem appears on the MID.

Turning off the automatic brake hold system

While the system is on, press the automatic brake hold button again.
- The automatic brake hold system indicator goes off.

If you want to turn off automatic brake hold while the system is in operation, press the automatic brake hold button with the brake pedal depressed.

Automatic Brake Hold

While the system is activated, you can turn off the engine or park the vehicle through the same procedure as you normally do.

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Whether the system is on, or the system is activated, the automatic brake hold turns off once the engine is off.

Turning on the system

Make sure to turn off the automatic brake hold system before using an automated car wash.

You may hear an operating noise if the vehicle moves while the automatic brake hold system is in operation. The system generates sound while holding the vehicle and it moves.
Anti-lock Brake System (ABS)

ABS

Helps prevent the wheels from locking up, and helps you retain steering control by pumping the brakes rapidly, much faster than you.

The electronic brake distribution (EBD) system, which is part of the ABS, also balances the front-to-rear braking distribution according to vehicle loading.

You should never pump the brake pedal. Let the ABS work for you by always keeping firm, steady pressure on the brake pedal. This is sometimes referred to as “stomp and steer.”

ABS operation

The brake pedal may pulsate slightly when the ABS is working. Keep holding the pedal firmly down. On dry pavement, you will need to press on the brake pedal very hard before the ABS activates. However, you may feel the ABS activate immediately if you are trying to stop on snow or ice.

ABS may activate when you depress the brake pedal when driving on:
• Wet or snow covered roads.
• Roads paved with stone.
• Roads with uneven surfaces, such as potholes, cracks, manholes, etc.

When the vehicle speed goes under 6 mph (10 km/h), the ABS stops.

NOTICE

The ABS may not function correctly if you use an incorrect tire type and size.

When the ABS indicator comes on while driving, there may be a problem with the system. While normal braking is not affected, there is a possibility of the ABS not operating. Have the vehicle checked by a dealer immediately.

The ABS does not reduce the time or distance it takes to stop the vehicle. It only helps with steering control during hard braking.

In the following cases, your vehicle may need more stopping distance than a vehicle without the ABS:
• When driving on rough road surfaces, including when driving on uneven surfaces, such as gravel or snow.
• When tire chains are installed.

The following may be observed with the ABS system:
• Motor sounds coming from the engine compartment when the brakes are applied, or when system checks are being performed after the engine has been started and while vehicle is accelerating.
• Brake pedal and/or the vehicle body vibration when ABS activates. These vibrations and sounds are normal to ABS systems and are no cause for concern.
Brake Assist System

Designed to assist the driver by generating greater braking force when you depress the brake pedal hard during emergency braking.

■ Brake assist system operation
Press the brake pedal firmly for more powerful braking.

When brake assist operates, the pedal may wiggle slightly and an operating noise may be heard. This is normal. Keep holding the brake pedal firmly down.
Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

Can assist you when there is a possibility of your vehicle colliding with a vehicle or a pedestrian detected in front of yours. The CMBS™ is designed to alert you when a potential collision is determined, as well as to reduce your vehicle speed to help minimize collision severity when a collision is deemed unavoidable.

How the system works

The camera is located behind the rearview mirror.

The radar sensor is in the front grille.

The system starts monitoring the roadway ahead when your vehicle speed is about 3 mph (5 km/h) and there is a vehicle in front of you.

The CMBS™ activates when:

- The speed difference between your vehicle and a vehicle or pedestrian detected in front of you becomes about 3 mph (5 km/h) and over with a chance of a collision.
- Your vehicle speed is about 62 mph (100 km/h) or less and there is a chance of a collision with an oncoming detected vehicle or a pedestrian in front of you.

Important Safety Reminder

The CMBS™ is designed to reduce the severity of an unavoidable collision. It does not prevent collision nor stop the vehicle automatically. It is still your responsibility to operate the brake pedal and steering wheel appropriately according to the driving conditions.

The CMBS™ may not activate or may not detect a vehicle in front of your vehicle under certain conditions:

- CMBS™ Conditions and Limitations P. 440

You can read about handling information for the camera equipped with this system.

- Front Sensor Camera P. 388

Rapid vibrations on the steering wheel alert you when your vehicle speed is between 19 and 62 mph (30 and 100 km/h) with an oncoming vehicle detected in front of you.
■ When the system activates

The system provides visual, audible and tactile alerts of a possible collision, and stops if the collision is avoided.

- Take appropriate action to prevent a collision (apply the brakes, change lanes, etc.)

At system’s earliest collision alert stage, you can change the distance (Long/Normal/Short) between vehicles at which alerts will come on through MID setting options.

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■ Vibration alert on the steering wheel

When a potential collision to an oncoming detected vehicle is determined, the system alerts you with rapid vibration on the steering wheel, in addition to visual and audible alerts.

- Take appropriate action to prevent a collision (apply the brakes, operate the steering wheel, etc.).

When the system activates

The camera in the CMBS™ is also designed to detect pedestrians. However, this pedestrian detection feature may not activate or may not detect a pedestrian in front of your vehicle under certain conditions. Refer to the ones indicating the pedestrian detection limitations from the list.

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The head-up warning uses a lens located at the front end of the dashboard. Do not cover the lens or spill any liquid on it.

Vibration alert on the steering wheel

Vibration alert function is disabled when the electric power steering (EPS) system indicator comes on.

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Collision Alert Stages

The system has three alert stages for a possible collision. However, depending on circumstances, the CMBS™ may not go through all of the stages before initiating the last stage.

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<td>There is a risk of a collision with the vehicle ahead of you.</td>
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<td>When in Long, visual and audible alerts come on at a longer distance from a vehicle ahead than in Normal setting, and in Short, at a shorter distance than in Normal.</td>
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Press this button until the beeper sounds to switch the system on or off.

When the CMBS™ is off:
- The CMBS™ indicator in the instrument panel comes on.
- A message on the MID reminds you that the system is off.

The CMBS™ is in the previously selected ON or OFF setting each time you start the engine.

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

The CMBS™ may automatically shut off, and the CMBS™ indicator will come and stay on under certain conditions:

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Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBSTM)

CMBS™ Conditions and Limitations

The system may automatically shut off and the CMBS™ indicator will come on under certain conditions. Some examples of these conditions are listed below. Other conditions may reduce some of the CMBS™ functions.

Front Sensor Camera P. 388

Environmental conditions

- Driving in bad weather (rain, fog, snow, etc.).
- Sudden changes between light and dark, such as an entrance or exit of a tunnel.
- There is little contrast between objects and the background.
- Driving into low sunlight (e.g., at dawn or dusk).
- Strong light is reflected onto the roadway.
- Driving in the shadows of trees, buildings, etc.
- Roadway objects or structures are misinterpreted as vehicles and pedestrians.
- Reflections on the interior of the front windshield.

Roadway conditions

- Driving on a snowy or wet roadway (obscured lane marking, vehicle tracks, reflected lights, road spray, high contrast).
- The road is hilly or the vehicle is approaching the crest of a hill.
- Driving on curvy, winding, or undulating roads.
■ Vehicle conditions

- Headlight lenses are dirty or the headlights are not properly adjusted.
- The outside of the windshield is blocked by dirt, mud, leaves, wet snow, etc.
- The inside of the windshield is fogged.
- An abnormal tire or wheel condition (wrong sized, varied size or construction, improperly inflated, compact spare tire*, etc.).
- When tire chains are installed.
- The vehicle is tilted due to a heavy load or suspension modifications.
- The camera temperature gets too hot.
- Driving with the parking brake applied.
- When the radar sensor in the front grille gets dirty.

* Not available on all models
Braking

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

■ Detection limitations

- A vehicle or pedestrian suddenly crosses in front of you.
- The distance between your vehicle and the vehicle or pedestrian ahead of you is too short.
- A vehicle cuts in front of you at a slow speed, and it brakes suddenly.
- When you accelerate rapidly and approach the vehicle or pedestrian ahead of you at high speed.
- The vehicle ahead of you is a motorcycle, bicycle, mobility scooter or other small vehicle.
- When there are animals in front of your vehicle.
- When you drive on a curved, winding or undulating road that makes it difficult for the sensor to properly detect a vehicle in front of you.
- The speed difference between your vehicle and a vehicle or pedestrian in front of you is significantly large.
- An oncoming vehicle suddenly comes in front of you.
- Another vehicle suddenly comes in front of you at an intersection, etc.
- Your vehicle abruptly crosses over in front of an oncoming vehicle.
- When driving through a narrow iron bridge.
- When a pedestrian blends in with the background.
- When a pedestrian is bent over or squatting, or when their hands or raised or they are running.
- When several pedestrians are walking ahead in a group.
- When the lead vehicle suddenly slows down.
- When the camera cannot correctly identify that a pedestrian is present due to an unusual shape (holding luggage, body position, size).
Automatic shutoff

The CMBS™ may automatically shut itself off and the CMBS™ indicator comes and stays on when:

- The temperature inside the system is high.
- You drive off-road or on a mountain road, or curved and winding road for an extended period.
- An abnormal tire condition is detected (wrong tire size, flat tire, etc.).
- The camera behind the rearview mirror, or the area around the camera, including the windshield, gets dirty.

Once the conditions that caused CMBS™ to shut off improve or are addressed (e.g., cleaning), the system comes back on.
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Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

With Little Chance of a Collision

The CMBS™ may activate even when you are aware of a vehicle ahead of you, or when there is no vehicle ahead. Some examples of this are:

- **When Passing**
  Your vehicle approaches another vehicle ahead of you and you change lanes to pass.

- **At an intersection**
  Your vehicle approaches or passes another vehicle that is making a left or right turn.

- **On a curve**
  When driving through curves, your vehicle comes to a point where an oncoming vehicle is right in front of you.

- **Through a low bridge at high speed**
  You drive under a low or narrow bridge at high speed.

- **Speed bumps, road work sites, train tracks, roadside objects, etc.**
  You drive over speed bumps, steel road plates, etc., or your vehicle approaches train tracks or roadside objects [such as a traffic sign and guard rail] on a curve or, when parking, stationary vehicles and walls.

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

For the CMBS™ to work properly:

- Always keep the radar sensor cover clean.

- Never use chemical solvents or polishing powder for cleaning the sensor cover. Clean it with water or a mild detergent.

- Do not put a sticker on the emblem or replace the emblem.

- If you need the radar sensor to be repaired, or removed, or the radar sensor cover is strongly impacted, turn off the system by pressing the CMBS™ off button and take your vehicle to a dealer.
Parking Your Vehicle

When Stopped

1. Depress the brake pedal firmly.
2. With the brake pedal depressed, press the electric parking brake switch slowly, but fully.
3. Change the gear position to P.
4. Turn off the engine.
   The electric parking brake indicator goes off in about 15 seconds.

Do not park your vehicle near flammable objects, such as dry grass, oil, or timber. Heat from the exhaust can cause a fire.

NOTICE
The following can damage the transmission:
• Depressing the accelerator and brake pedals simultaneously.
• Changing into P before the vehicle stops completely.

In extremely cold temperatures, the parking brake may freeze up if applied. If such temperatures are expected, do not apply the parking brake but, if parking on a slope, either turn the front wheels so they will contact the curb if the vehicle rolls down the slope or block the wheels to keep the vehicle from moving. If you do not take either precaution, the vehicle may roll unexpectedly, leading to a crash.
Parking Your Vehicle

Always confirm the electric parking brake is set, particularly if you are parked on an incline.

**When Stopped**

When facing uphill, do not hold the vehicle by depressing the accelerator pedal. Doing so may cause the items to malfunction or a fire inside the vehicle.

**WARNING**

The vehicle can roll away if left unattended without confirming that Park is engaged.

Always keep your foot on the brake pedal until you have confirmed that \( P \) is shown on the gear position Indicator.
Parking Sensor System*

The corner and center sensors monitor obstacles near your vehicle. The beeper and audio/information screen let you know the approximate distance between your vehicle and the obstacle.

■ The sensor location and range

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Within about 28 in (70 cm) or less

Within about 45 in (115 cm) or less

Even when the system is on, always confirm if there is no obstacle near your vehicle before parking.

The system may not work properly when:
- The sensors are covered with snow, ice, mud or dirt, etc.
- The vehicle is on uneven surface, such as grass, bumpy road, or a hill.
- The vehicle has been out in hot or cold weather.
- The system is affected by devices that emit ultrasonic waves.
- Driving in bad weather.

The system may not sense:
- Thin or low objects.
- Sonic-absorptive materials, such as snow, cotton, or sponge.
- Objects directly under the bumper.

Do not put any accessories on or around the sensors.

* Not available on all models

Continued
Parking Your Vehicle

Parking Sensor System

Parking sensor system on and off

With the power mode in ON, press the parking sensor system button to turn on or off the system. The indicator in the button comes on and the beeper sounds when the system is on.

The rear center and corner sensors start to detect an obstacle when the transmission is in R, and the vehicle speed is less than 5 mph (8 km/h).

The front corner sensors start to detect an obstacle when the transmission is not in P, and the vehicle speed is less than 5 mph (8 km/h).
### When the distance between your vehicle and obstacles behind becomes shorter

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<td>Rear: About 45-28 in (115-70 cm)</td>
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<td>Front: About 39-28 in (100-70 cm)</td>
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<td>Short</td>
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<td>Very short</td>
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<td>Continuous</td>
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*1: At this stage, only the center sensors detect obstacles.
Parking Your Vehicle

Parking Sensor System

1. Make sure that the parking sensor system is not activated. Set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
2. Press and hold the parking sensor system button, and set the power mode to ON.
3. Keep pressing the button for 10 seconds. Release the button when the indicator in the button flashes.
4. Press the button again. The indicator in the button goes off.
   ▶ The beeper sounds twice. The rear sensors are now turned off.

To turn the rear sensors on again, follow the above procedure. The beeper sounds three times when the rear sensors come back on.

Turning off All Rear Sensors

1. Make sure that the parking sensor system is not activated. Set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).
2. Press and hold the parking sensor system button, and set the power mode to ON.
3. Keep pressing the button for 10 seconds. Release the button when the indicator in the button flashes.
4. Press the button again. The indicator in the button goes off.
   ▶ The beeper sounds twice. The rear sensors are now turned off.

When you set the gear position to [R], the indicator in the parking sensor system button blinks as a reminder that the rear sensors have been turned off.
**Cross Traffic Monitor**

Monitors the rear corner areas using the radar sensors when reversing, and alerts you if a vehicle approaching from a rear corner is detected.

The system is convenient when you are backing out of a parking space.

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**CAUTION**

Cross Traffic Monitor cannot detect all approaching vehicles and may not detect an approaching vehicle at all.

Failure to visually confirm that it is safe to back up the vehicle before doing so may result in a collision.

Do not solely rely on the system when reversing; always also use your mirrors, and look behind and to the sides of your vehicle before reversing.

* Not available on all models
Parking Your Vehicle

Cross Traffic Monitor

How the System Works

The system activates when:
• The power mode is in ON.
• The Cross Traffic Monitor system is turned on.

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Refer to the navigation system
• The transmission is in R.
• Your vehicle is moving at 3 mph (5 km/h) or lower.

When a vehicle is detected approaching from a rear corner, Cross Traffic Monitor alerts you with a buzzer and a displayed warning.

The system will not detect a vehicle that approaches from directly behind your vehicle, nor will it provide alerts about a detected vehicle when it moves directly behind your vehicle.

The system does not detect or provide alerts for a vehicle that is moving away from your vehicle, and it may not detect or alert for pedestrians, bicycles, or stationary objects.

Cross Traffic Monitor *

Cross Traffic Monitor may not detect an approaching vehicle, or may delay alerting you under the following conditions:
• A vehicle, which is parked adjacent to your vehicle, is blocking the radar sensor’s scope.
• Your vehicle is moving at the speed of about 3 mph (5 km/h) or higher.
• A vehicle is approaching at the speed other than between about 6 and 16 mph (10 and 25 km/h).
• The system picks up external interference such as other radar sensors from another vehicle or strong radio wave transmitted from a facility nearby.
• Either corner of the rear bumper is covered with snow, ice, mud or dirt.
• When there is bad weather.
• Your vehicle is on an incline.
• Your vehicle is tilted due to a heavy load in the rear.
• The rear bumper or the sensors have been improperly repaired or the rear bumper has been deformed. Have a vehicle checked by a dealer.

For proper operation, always keep the rear bumper corner area clean.
Do not cover the rear bumper corner area with labels or stickers of any kind.

* Not available on all models
### When the System Detects a Vehicle

**Models with multi-view rear camera system**

- **Arrow Icon**
  - Normal View
  - Wide View
  - Top Down View

**Models with surround view camera system**

- **Arrow Icon**
  - Rear Ground View
  - Rear Wide View
  - Rear Normal View

An arrow icon appears on the side a vehicle is approaching on the audio/information screen.

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**When the System Detects a Vehicle**

If the ⬤ on the lower right changes to ⬦ when the transmission is in [R], mud snow or ice may have accumulated in the vicinity of the sensor. Check the bumper corners for any obstructions, and thoroughly clean the area if necessary.

If the ⬦ comes on when the transmission is in [R], there may be a problem with the Cross Traffic Monitor system. Do not use the system and have your vehicle checked by a dealer.
Cross Traffic Monitor On and Off

You can switch on and off the system using the audio/information screen.

1. Press the SETTINGS button.
2. Rotate to select Camera Settings, then press.
3. Rotate to select Cross Traffic Monitor, then press.
4. Rotate to select On or Off, then press.
5. Press the BACK button to exit the menu.
Multi-View Rear Camera*

About Your Multi-View Rear Camera

Models with navigation system
See the Navigation System Manual.

Models without navigation system
The audio/information screen can display your vehicle's rear view. The display automatically changes to a rear view when the gear position is changed to (R).

Multi-View Rear Camera Display Area

You can view three different camera angles on the rearview display. Press the selector knob to switch the angle.

If the last used viewing mode is Wide or Normal, the same mode is selected the next time you change the gear position to (R). If Top view was last used, Wide mode is selected.

* Not available on all models

The rear camera view is restricted. You cannot see the corner ends of the bumper or what is underneath the bumper. Its unique lens also makes objects appear closer or farther than they actually are.

Visually confirm that it is safe to drive before backing up. Certain conditions (such as weather, lighting, and high temperatures) may also restrict the rear view. Do not rely on the rearview display which does not give you all information about conditions at the back of your vehicle.

If the camera lens is covered with dirt or moisture, use a soft, moist cloth to keep the lens clean and free of debris.

Fixed Guideline
On: Guidelines appear when you change the gear position to (R).
Off: Guidelines do not appear.

Dynamic Guideline
On: Guidelines move according to the steering wheel direction.
Off: Guidelines do not move.

* Not available on all models
Fuel Information

- **Fuel recommendation**
  
  **Unleaded premium gasoline, pump octane number 91 or higher**
  
  Use of lower octane gasoline can cause occasional metallic knocking noise in the engine and will result in decreased engine performance. Use of gasoline with a pump octane less than 87 can lead to engine damage.
  
- **Top tier detergent gasoline**
  
  Because the level of detergency and additives in gasoline vary in the market, Acura endorses the use of “TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline” where available to help maintain the performance and reliability of your vehicle. TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline meets a new gasoline standard jointly established by leading automotive manufacturers to meet the needs of today’s advanced engines.

  Qualifying gasoline retailers will, in most cases, identify their gasoline as having met “TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline” standards at the retail location. This fuel is guaranteed to contain the proper level of detergent additives and be free of metallic additives. The proper level of detergent additives, and absence of harmful metallic additives in gasoline, help avoid build-up of deposits in your engine and emission control system.

  For further important fuel-related information for your vehicle, or on information on gasoline that does not contain MMT, visit Acura Owners at [owners.acura.com](http://owners.acura.com). In Canada, visit [www.acura.ca](http://www.acura.ca) for additional information on gasoline. For more information on top tier gasoline, visit [www.toptiergas.com](http://www.toptiergas.com).

- **Fuel tank capacity**: 19.5 US gal (73.8 liters)
How to Refuel

Your fuel tank is not equipped with a fuel filler cap. You can insert the filler nozzle directly into the filler neck. The tank seals itself again when you pull out the filler nozzle.

1. Stop your vehicle with the service station pump on the left side of the vehicle in the rear.
2. Turn off the engine.
3. Press the fuel fill door release button. The fuel fill door opens.

1 How to Refuel

The fuel filler opening is designed to accept only service station filler nozzles for refueling. Use of smaller diameter tubes (e.g., those used to siphon fuel for other uses) or other non-service station devices can damage the area in and around the filler opening.

The filler nozzle automatically stops to leave space in the fuel tank so that fuel does not overflow as a result of changes in air temperature.

If the fuel filler nozzle keeps turning off when the tank is not full, there may be a problem with the pump’s fuel vapor recovery system. Try filling at another pump. If this does not fix the problem, consult a dealer.

WARNING

Gasoline is highly flammable and explosive. You can be burned or seriously injured when handling fuel.

- Stop the engine, and keep heat, sparks, and flame away.
- Handle fuel only outdoors.
- Wipe up spills immediately.

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4. Place the end of the filler nozzle on the lower part of filler opening, then insert it slowly and fully.
   - Make sure that the end of the filler nozzle goes down along with the filler pipe.
   - Keep the filler nozzle level.
   - When the tank is full, the filler nozzle will click off automatically.
   - After filling, wait about five seconds before removing the filler nozzle.

5. Shut the fuel fill door by hand.

How to Refuel

Do not continue to add fuel after the filler nozzle has automatically stopped. Additional fuel can exceed the full tank capacity.

If you have to refuel your vehicle from a portable container, use the funnel provided with your vehicle.

Refueling From a Portable Fuel Container
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Improving Fuel Economy and Reducing CO₂ Emissions

Achieving fuel economy and reducing CO₂ emissions is dependent on several factors, including driving conditions, load weight, idling time, driving habits, and vehicle condition. Depending on these and other factors, you may not achieve the rated fuel economy of this vehicle.

Maintenance and Fuel Economy

You can optimize your fuel economy with proper maintenance of your vehicle. Always maintain your vehicle in accordance with the messages displayed on the MID.

- Use the recommended viscosity engine oil, displaying the API Certification Seal.
- Maintain the specified tire pressure.
- Do not load the vehicle with excess cargo.
- Keep your vehicle clean. A buildup of snow or mud on your vehicle’s underside adds weight and increases wind resistance.
Maintenance

This chapter discusses basic maintenance.

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* Not available on all models
Before Performing Maintenance

Inspection and Maintenance

For your safety, perform all listed inspections and maintenance to keep your vehicle in good condition. If you become aware of any abnormality (noise, smell, insufficient brake fluid, oil residue on the ground, etc.), have your vehicle inspected by a dealer. (Note, however, that service at a dealer is not mandatory to keep your warranties in effect.) Refer to the separate maintenance booklet for detailed maintenance and inspection information.

Types of Inspection and Maintenance

- **Daily inspections**
  Perform inspections before long distance trips, when washing the vehicle, or when refueling.

- **Periodic inspections**
  - Check the brake fluid level monthly.
    - [Checking the Brake Fluid](#)
  - Check the tire pressure monthly. Examine the tread for wear and foreign objects.
    - [Checking and Maintaining Tires](#)
  - Check the operation of the exterior lights monthly.
    - [Replacing Light Bulbs](#)
  - Check the condition of the wiper blades at least every six months.
    - [Checking and Maintaining Wiper Blades](#)

Maintenance, replacement, or repair of emissions control devices and systems may be done by any automotive repair establishment or individuals using parts that are “certified” to EPA standards.

According to state and federal regulations, failure to perform maintenance on the maintenance main items marked with # will not void your emissions warranties. However, all maintenance services should be performed in accordance with the intervals indicated by the multi-information display (MID).

- [Maintenance Service Items](#)
- [Authorized Manuals](#)

If you want to perform complex maintenance tasks that require more skills and tools, you can purchase a subscription to the Service Express website at [www.techinfo.honda.com](http://www.techinfo.honda.com).

If you want to perform maintenance yourself, make sure that you have the necessary tools and skills first. After performing maintenance, update the records in the separate maintenance booklet.
Safety When Performing Maintenance

Some of the most important safety precautions are given here. However, we cannot warn you of every conceivable hazard that can arise in performing maintenance. Only you can decide whether you should perform a given task.

**Maintenance Safety**

- To reduce the possibility of fire or explosion, keep cigarettes, sparks, and flames away from the battery and all fuel related parts.
- Never leave rags, towels, or other flammable objects under the hood. Heat from the engine and exhaust can ignite them, causing a fire.
- To clean parts, use a commercially available degreaser or parts cleaner, not gasoline.
- Wear eye protection and protective clothing when working with the battery or compressed air.
- Engine exhaust contains carbon monoxide, which is poisonous and can kill you. Only operate the engine if there is sufficient ventilation.

**Vehicle Safety**

- The vehicle must be in a stationary condition.
  - Make sure your vehicle is parked on level ground, the parking brake is set, and the engine is off.
- Be aware that hot parts can burn you.
  - Make sure to let the engine and exhaust system cool thoroughly before touching vehicle parts.
- Be aware that moving parts can injure you.
  - Do not start the engine unless instructed, and keep your hands and limbs away from moving parts.
  - Do not open the hood while the Auto Idle Stop function* is activated.

*Not available on all models
Before Performing Maintenance

Parts and Fluids Used in Maintenance Service

The use of Acura genuine parts and fluids is recommended when maintaining and servicing your vehicle. Acura genuine parts are manufactured according to the same high quality standards used in Acura vehicles.

Do not press the engine cover forcibly. This may damage the engine cover and component parts.
If the engine oil life is less than 15%, you will see the Maintenance Minder messages appear the multi-information display (MID) every time you set the power mode to ON. The messages notify you when to change the engine oil, or when to bring your vehicle to a dealer for indicated maintenance services.

To Use Maintenance Minder™

- Displaying the Maintenance Minder Information

Maintenance items, which should be serviced at the same time that you replace the engine oil, appear on the MID. You can view them on the engine oil life screen at any time.

1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls until the engine oil life appears on the MID.

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There is a list of maintenance main and sub items you can view on the MID.

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### Maintenance Minder™ Messages on the Multi-Information Display (MID)

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<td>Maintenance Due Soon</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>The remaining engine oil life is 15 to 6 percent. Once you switch the display by rolling the multi-function steering-wheel controls, this message will go off.</td>
<td>The engine oil is approaching the end of its service life, and the maintenance items should be inspected and serviced soon.</td>
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<td>Maintenance Due Now</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>The remaining engine oil life is 5 to 1 percent. Roll the multi-function steering-wheel controls to switch to another display.</td>
<td>The engine oil has almost reached the end of its service life, and the maintenance items should be inspected and serviced as soon as possible.</td>
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<td>Maintenance Past Due</td>
<td>Negative Distance</td>
<td>The remaining engine oil life has passed its service life, and a negative distance appears after driving over 10 miles (U.S. models) or 10 km (Canadian models). Roll the multi-function steering wheel control to switch to another display.</td>
<td>The engine oil life has passed. The maintenance items must be inspected and serviced immediately.</td>
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The system message indicator (①) comes on along with the Maintenance Minder message.
### Maintenance Service Items

**Maintenance Main Items**

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<td>A</td>
<td>Replace engine oil*1</td>
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| B    | Replace engine oil*1 and oil filter  
|      | Inspect front and rear brakes  
|      | Check expiration date for tire repair kit bottle*  
|      | Inspect tie rod ends, steering gearbox, and boots  
|      | Inspect suspension components  
|      | Inspect driveshaft boots  
|      | Inspect brake hoses and lines (Including ABS/VSA)  
|      | Inspect all fluid levels and condition of fluids  
|      | Inspect exhaust system*  
|      | Inspect fuel lines and connections* |

*1: If the message Maintenance Due Now does not appear more than 12 months after the display is reset, change the engine oil every year.

**Maintenance Sub Items**

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| 2    | Replace air cleaner element*2  
|      | Replace dust and pollen filter*3  
|      | Inspect drive belt |
| 3    | Replace transmission and transfer fluid*4 |
| 4    | Replace spark plugs  
|      | Replace timing belt and inspect water pump*5  
|      | Inspect valve clearance |
| 5    | Replace engine coolant |
| 6    | Replace rear differential fluid*6 |

*2: If you drive in dusty conditions, replace the air cleaner element every 15,000 miles (24,000 km).

*3: If you drive primarily in urban areas that have high concentrations of soot in the air from industry and from diesel-powered vehicles, replace the dust and pollen filter every 15,000 miles (24,000 km).

*4: Driving in mountainous areas at very low vehicle speeds or trailer towing results in higher transmission temperature. This requires transmission fluid changes more frequently than recommended by the Maintenance Minder. If you regularly drive your vehicle under these conditions, have the transmission fluid changed at 30,000 miles (48,000 km).

*5: If you drive regularly in very high temperatures (over 110°F, 43°C), in very low temperatures (under -20°F, -29°C), replace every 60,000 miles/100,000 km.

*6: Driving in mountainous areas at very low vehicle speeds or trailer towing results in higher level of mechanical (Shear) stress to fluid. This requires differential fluid changes more frequently than recommended by the Maintenance Minder. If you regularly drive your vehicle under these conditions, have the differential fluid changed at 7,500 miles (12,000 km), then every 15,000 miles (24,000 km).

* Not available on all models

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**Maintenance Service Information**

- Independent of the Maintenance Minder information, replace the brake fluid every 3 years.
- Inspect idle speed every 160,000 miles (256,000 km).
- Adjust the valves during services A, B, 1, 2, or 3 if they are noisy.
To Use Maintenance Minder™

Resetting the Display
Reset the engine oil life display if you have performed the maintenance service.

1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. Go to the Maintenance Info. group.
   - Customized Features P. 123
3. Push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.
   - The oil life reset mode is displayed on the MID.
4. Select Reset with the multi-function steering-wheel controls, then push the multi-function steering wheel control.
   - The displayed maintenance items disappear, and the engine oil life display returns to 100%.
   - To cancel the oil life reset mode, select Cancel, then push the multi-function steering-wheel controls.

NOTICE
Failure to reset the engine oil life after a maintenance service results in the system showing incorrect maintenance intervals, which can lead to serious mechanical problems.

The dealer will reset the engine oil life display after completing the required maintenance service. If someone other than a dealer performs maintenance service, reset the engine oil life display yourself.

You can reset the engine oil life display using the audio/information screen.
   - Customized Features P. 285
Maintenance Under the Hood

Maintenance Items Under the Hood

- Engine Oil Fill Cap
- Engine Oil Dipstick (Orange)
- Washer Fluid
- Engine Coolant
- Reserve Tank
- Radiator Cap
- Brake Fluid (Black Cap)
- Battery
Opening the Hood

1. Park the vehicle on a level surface, and set the parking brake.

2. Pull the hood release handle under the driver’s side lower corner of the dashboard. The hood will pop up slightly.

3. Pull up the hood latch lever in the center of the hood to release the lock mechanism, and then open the hood.

4. Lift the hood up most of the way. The hydraulic supports will lift it up the rest of the way and hold it up.

When closing, lower it to approximately 12 inches (30 cm), then press down firmly with your hands.

NOTICE
Do not open the hood when the wiper arms are raised. The hood will strike the wipers, and may damage either the hood or the wipers.

Do not press the engine cover forcibly. This may damage the engine cover and component parts.

When closing the hood, check that the hood is securely latched.

If the hood latch lever moves stiffly, or if you can open the hood without lifting the lever, the latch mechanism should be cleaned and lubricated.

Models with Auto Idle Stop
Do not open the hood while the Auto Idle Stop function is activated.
Engine Compartment Cover

The component parts in the engine compartment are protected by a cover. You may need to remove the cover when you perform certain maintenance work. Pull up on the engine compartment cover carefully until all pins are removed from their grommets.
Recommended Engine Oil

- Genuine Acura Motor Oil
- Premium-grade 0W-20 detergent oil with an API Certification Seal on the container.

Oil is a major contributor to your engine’s performance and longevity. If you drive the vehicle with insufficient or deteriorated oil, the engine may fail or be damaged.

This seal indicates the oil is energy conserving and that it meets the American Petroleum Institute’s latest requirements.

Use a Genuine Acura Motor Oil or another commercial engine oil of suitable viscosity for the ambient temperature as shown.

### Synthetic oil
You may also use synthetic motor oil if it is labeled with the API Certification Seal and is the specified viscosity grade.
Oil Check

We recommend that you check the engine oil level every time you refuel. Park the vehicle on level ground. Wait approximately three minutes after turning the engine off before you check the oil.

1. Remove the dipstick (orange).
2. Wipe the dipstick with a clean cloth or paper towel.
3. Insert the dipstick back all the way into its hole.
4. Remove the dipstick again, and check the level. It should be between the upper and lower marks. Add oil if necessary.

If the oil level is near or below the lower mark, slowly add oil, being careful not to overfill.
Adding Engine Oil

1. Unscrew and remove the engine oil fill cap.
2. Add oil slowly.
3. Reinstall the engine oil fill cap, and tighten it securely.
4. Wait for three minutes and recheck the engine oil dipstick.

**NOTICE**

Do not fill the engine oil above the upper mark. Overfilling the engine oil can result in leaks and engine damage.

If any oil spills, wipe it away immediately. Spilled oil may damage the engine compartment components.
Changing the Engine Oil and Oil Filter

You must change the engine oil and oil filter regularly in order to maintain the engine’s lubrication. The engine may be damaged if they are not changed regularly.

Change the oil and filter in accordance with the maintenance message on the multi-information display.

1. Run the engine until it reaches normal operating temperature, and then turn the engine off.
2. Open the hood and remove the engine oil fill cap.
3. Remove the drain bolt and washer from the bottom of the engine, and drain the oil into a suitable container.

NOTICE
You may damage the environment if you do not dispose of the oil in a suitable way. If you are changing the oil by yourself, appropriately dispose of the used oil. Put the oil in a sealed container and take it to a recycling center. Do not throw the oil away into a garbage can or onto the ground.
4. Remove the oil filter and dispose of the remaining oil.
5. Check that the filter gasket is not stuck to the engine contact surface. If it is stuck, you must detach it.
6. Wipe away dirt and dust adhering to the contact surface of the engine block, and install a new oil filter. Apply a light coat of new engine oil to the filter gasket.
7. Put a new washer on the drain bolt, then reinstall the drain bolt. Tightening torque: 29 lbf·ft (39 N·m, 4.0 kgf·m)
8. Pour the recommended engine oil into the engine. Engine oil change capacity (including filter): 5.7 US qt (5.4 ℓ)
9. Reinstall the engine oil fill cap securely and start the engine.
10. Run the engine for a few minutes, and then check that there is no leak from the drain bolt or oil filter.
11. Stop the engine, wait for three minutes, and then check the oil level on the dipstick. If necessary, add more engine oil.

Changing the Engine Oil and Oil Filter

You will need a special wrench to replace the oil filter. You can buy this wrench from a dealer.

When installing the new oil filter, follow the instructions supplied with the oil filter.

Reinstall the engine oil fill cap. Start the engine. The low oil pressure indicator should go off within five seconds. If it does not, turn off the engine, and check your work.
Engine Coolant

Specified coolant: Acura Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant Type 2

This coolant is premixed with 50% antifreeze and 50% water. Do not add any straight antifreeze or water.

We recommend you check the engine coolant level every time you refuel. Check the reserve tank first. If it is completely empty, also check the coolant level in the radiator. Add the engine coolant accordingly.

Reserve Tank

1. Check the amount of coolant in the reserve tank.

2. If the coolant level is below the MIN mark, add the specified coolant until it reaches the MAX mark.

3. Inspect the cooling system for leaks.
1. Make sure the engine and radiator are cool.
2. Remove the engine compartment cover.  
   Engine Compartment Cover P. 471
3. Turn the radiator cap counterclockwise and relieve any pressure in the cooling system. 
   Do not push the cap down when turning.
4. Push down and turn the radiator cap counterclockwise to remove it.
5. The coolant level should be up to the base of the filler neck. Add coolant if it is low.
6. Put the radiator cap back on, and tighten it fully.
7. Pour coolant into the reserve tank until it reaches the MAX mark. Put the cap back on the reserve tank.

**Radiator**

**WARNING**

Removing the radiator cap while the engine is hot can cause the coolant to spray out, seriously scalding you.

Always let the engine and radiator cool down before removing the radiator cap.

**NOTICE**

Pour the fluid slowly and carefully so you do not spill any. Clean up any spills immediately; they can damage components in the engine compartment.
Transmission Fluid

■ Automatic Transmission Fluid

**Specified fluid: Acura Automatic Transmission Fluid ATF-TYPE 3.1 or higher**

Have a dealer check the fluid level and replace if necessary.

Do not attempt to check or change the automatic transmission fluid yourself.

**NOTICE**

Do not mix Acura ATF-TYPE 3.1 (or higher) with other transmission fluids.

Using a transmission fluid other than Acura ATF-TYPE 3.1 (or higher) may adversely affect the operation and durability of your vehicle’s transmission, and damage the transmission.

Any damage caused by using a transmission fluid that is not equivalent to Acura ATF-TYPE 3.1 (or higher) is not covered by Acura’s new vehicle limited warranty.
Brake Fluid

Specified fluid: Acura Heavy Duty Brake Fluid DOT 3

Checking the Brake Fluid

The fluid level should be between the MIN and MAX marks on the side of the reserve tank.

Refilling Window Washer Fluid

If the washer fluid is low, a message appears on the MID. Pour the washer fluid carefully. Do not overflow the reservoir.

NOTICE
Do not use engine antifreeze or a vinegar/water solution in the windshield washer reservoir. Antifreeze can damage your vehicle’s paint. A vinegar/water solution can damage the windshield washer pump.

Refilling Window Washer Fluid

NOTICE
Brake fluid marked DOT 5 is not compatible with your vehicle’s braking system and can cause extensive damage.

If the specified brake fluid is not available, you should use only DOT 3 or DOT 4 fluid from a sealed container as a temporary replacement.

Using any non-Acura brake fluid can cause corrosion and decrease the longevity of the system. Have the brake system flushed and refilled with Acura Heavy Duty Brake Fluid DOT 3 as soon as possible.

If the brake fluid level is at or below the MIN mark, have a dealer inspect the vehicle for leaks or worn brake pads as soon as possible.
Replacing Light Bulbs

Headlights

Headlights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

Front Turn Signal/Parking, Daytime Running and Front Side Marker Lights

Front turn signal/parking, daytime running and front side marker lights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

Fog Lights*

Fog lights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

Side Turn Signal/Emergency Indicator Lights

Door mirror side turn lights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

* Not available on all models

Models without automatic headlight adjusting system

However, if you regularly carry heavy items in the cargo area or tow a trailer, have the aiming readjusted at a dealer or by a qualified technician.
Replacing Light Bulbs

Brake Light and Rear Turn Signal Light Bulbs

When replacing, use the following bulbs.

**Brake Light: 21 W**
**Rear Turn Signal Light: 21 W**

1. Remove the cover.
   - Starting at the bottom, carefully pull the cover straight out, working upward until all pins are removed from their grommets.
   - The grommets should remain in the body.

2. Use a Phillip-head screwdriver to remove the bolts.

3. Pull the light assembly out of the rear pillar.
Replacing Light Bulbs

4. Turn the socket counter-clockwise and remove it. Remove the old bulb.
5. Insert a new bulb.
6. Slide the light assembly onto the guide on the body.
7. Align the pins with the body grommets, then push in until they fully seat.

Taillights/Rear Side Maker Lights

Taillights/rear side maker lights are the LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.
Replacing Light Bulbs
Back-Up Light Bulbs

When replacing, use the following bulbs.

Back-Up Light: 21 W

1. Remove the cover by prying on the edge using a flat-tip screwdriver.
   - Wrap the flat-tip screwdriver with a cloth to prevent scratches.

2. Turn the socket counter-clockwise and remove it. Remove the old bulb.

3. Insert a new bulb.

Taillights

Taillights are the LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.
Rear License Plate Lights

Rear license plate lights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

High-Mount Brake Light

High-mount brake light is LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

Puddle Lights*

Puddle lights are LED type. Have an authorized Acura dealer inspect and replace the light assembly.

* Not available on all models
Checking and Maintaining Wiper Blades

Checking Wiper Blades
If the wiper blade rubber has deteriorated, it will leave streaks and the hard surfaces of the blade may scratch the window glass.

Changing the Front Wiper Blade Rubber

1. Lift the driver side wiper arm first, then the passenger side.

2. Pry on the edge of the lock tab using a flat-tip screwdriver to push it up. Wrap the flat-tip screwdriver with a cloth to prevent scratches.

3. Slide the holder off the wiper arm.

NOTICE
Avoid dropping the wiper arm onto the windshield, it may damage the wiper arm and/or the windshield.
4. Slide the wiper blade out of holder by pulling the tabbed end out.

5. Remove the retainers from the wiper blade that has been removed, and mount to a new wiper blade.
   ► Correctly align the wiper blade protrusion and the retainer grooves.

6. Slide the new wiper blade onto the holder from the bottom end.
   ► The tab on the holder should fit in the indent of the wiper blade.

7. Slide the wiper blade onto the wiper arm, then push down the lock tab.

8. Lower the passenger side wiper arm first, then the driver side.
Checking and Maintaining Wiper Blades

Changing the Rear Wiper Blade Rubber

1. Raise the wiper arm off.

2. Slide the wiper blade out from the end with the indent.

3. Remove the retainers from wiper blade and mount to a new rubber blade.

NOTICE
Avoid dropping the wiper arm, it may damage the rear window.
4. Slide the new wiper blade onto the holder. Make sure it is engaged correctly, then install the wiper blade assembly onto the wiper arm.
Checking and Maintaining Tires

Checking Tires
To safely operate your vehicle, your tires must be of the proper type and size, in good condition with adequate tread, and properly inflated.

■ Inflation guidelines
Properly inflated tires provide the best combination of handling, tread life, and comfort. Refer to the driver’s doorjamb label or specifications page for the specified pressure.

Underinflated tires wear unevenly, adversely affect handling and fuel economy, and are more likely to fail from overheating.

Overinflated tires make your vehicle ride harshly, are more prone to road hazards, and wear unevenly.

Every day before you drive, look at each of the tires. If one looks lower than the others, check the pressure with a tire gauge.

At least once a month or before long trips, use a gauge to measure the pressure in all tires, including the spare*. Even tires in good condition can lose 1–2 psi (10–20 kPa, 0.1–0.2 kgf/cm²) per month.

■ Inspection guidelines
Every time you check inflation, also examine the tires and valve stems.
Look for:
• Bumps or bulges on the side or in the tread. Replace the tire if you find any cuts, splits, or cracks in the side of the tire. Replace it if you see fabric or cord.
• Remove any foreign objects and inspect for air leaks.
• Uneven tread wear. Have a dealer check the wheel alignment.
• Excessive tread wear.
  □ Wear Indicators P. 495
• Cracks or other damage around valve stem.

* Not available on all models

**WARNING**
Using tires that are excessively worn or improperly inflated can cause a crash in which you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Follow all instructions in this owner’s manual regarding tire inflation and maintenance.

Measure the air pressure when tires are cold. This means the vehicle has been parked for at least three hours, or driven less than 1 mile (1.6 km). If necessary, add or release air until the specified pressure is reached.

If checked when hot, tire pressure can be as much as 4–6 psi (30–40 kPa, 0.3–0.4 kgf/cm²) higher than if checked when cold.

Have a dealer check the tires if you feel a consistent vibration while driving. New tires and any that have been removed and reinstalled should be properly balanced.
The label attached to the driver’s doorjamb provides necessary tire and loading information.

**Tire and Loading Information Label**

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**Tire Labeling**

The tires that came on your vehicle have a number of markings. Those you should be aware of are described below.

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**Tire Sizes**

Whenever tires are replaced, they should be replaced with tires of the same size.

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The tire and loading information label attached to the driver’s doorjamb contains:

1. The number of people your vehicle can carry.
2. The total weight your vehicle can carry. Do not exceed this weight.
3. The original tire sizes for front, rear, and spare.
4. The proper cold tire pressure for front, rear, and spare.

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P: Vehicle type (P indicates passenger vehicle).
235: Tire width in millimeters.
60: Aspect ratio (the tire’s section height as a percentage of its width).
R: Tire construction code (R indicates radial).
18: Rim diameter in inches.
102: Load index (a numerical code associated with the maximum load the tire can carry).
V: Speed symbol (an alphabetical code indicating the maximum speed rating).
### Tire Identification Number (TIN)

The tire identification number (TIN) is a group of numbers and letters that look like the example in the side column. TIN is located on the sidewall of the tire.

### Glossary of Tire Terminology

- **Cold Tire Pressure** – The tire air pressure when the vehicle has been parked for at least three hours or driven less than 1 mile (1.6 km).
- **Load Rating** – Means the maximum load that a tire is rated to carry for a given inflation pressure.
- **Maximum Inflation Pressure** – The maximum tire air pressure that the tire can hold.
- **Maximum Load Rating** – Means the load rating for a tire at the maximum permissible inflation pressure for that tire.
- **Recommended Inflation Pressure** – The cold tire inflation pressure recommended by the manufacturer.
- **Treadwear Indicators (TWI)** – Means the projections within the principal grooves designed to give a visual indication of the degrees of wear of the tread.
DOT Tire Quality Grading (U.S. Vehicles)

The tires on your vehicle meet all U.S. Federal Safety Requirements. All tires are also graded for treadwear, traction, and temperature performance according to Department of Transportation (DOT) standards. The following explains these gradings.

■ Uniform Tire Quality Grading

Quality grades can be found where applicable on the tire sidewall between tread shoulder and maximum section width.

■ Treadwear

The treadwear grade is a comparative rating based on the wear rate of the tire when tested under controlled conditions on a specified government test course. For example, a tire graded 150 would wear one and one-half (1 1/2) times as well on the government course as a tire graded 100. The relative performance of tires depends upon the actual conditions of their use, however, and may depart significantly from the norm due to variations in driving habits, service practices and differences in road characteristics and climate.
Checking and Maintaining Tires

DOT Tire Quality Grading (U.S. Vehicles)

**Traction**

The traction grades, from highest to lowest, are AA, A, B, and C. Those grades represent the tire’s ability to stop on wet pavement as measured under controlled conditions on specified government test surfaces of asphalt and concrete. A tire marked C may have poor traction performance.

**Temperature**

The temperature grades are A (the highest), B, and C, representing the tire’s resistance to the generation of heat and its ability to dissipate heat when tested under controlled conditions on a specified indoor laboratory test wheel. Sustained high temperature can cause the material of the tire to degenerate and reduce tire life, and excessive temperature can lead to sudden tire failure. The grade C corresponds to a level of performance which all passenger car tires must meet under the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 109. Grades B and A represent higher levels of performance on the laboratory test wheel than the minimum required by law.

**Warning:** The traction grade assigned to this tire is based on straight-ahead braking traction tests, and does not include acceleration, cornering, hydroplaning, or peak traction characteristics.

**Warning:** The temperature grade for this tire is established for a tire that is properly inflated and not overloaded. Excessive speed, underinflation, or excessive loading, either separately or in combination, can cause heat buildup and possible tire failure.
Wear Indicators

The groove where the wear indicator is located is 1/16 inch (1.6 mm) shallower than elsewhere on the tire. If the tread has worn so that the indicator is exposed, replace the tire. **Worn out tires have poor traction on wet roads.**

Tire Service Life

The life of your tires is dependent on many factors, including driving habits, road conditions, vehicle loading, inflation pressure, maintenance history, speed, and environmental conditions (even when the tires are not in use).

In addition to regular inspections and inflation pressure maintenance, it is recommended that you have annual inspections performed once the tires reach five years old. All tires, including the spare*, should be removed from service after 10 years from the date of manufacture, regardless of their condition or state of wear.

* Not available on all models
Tire and Wheel Replacement

Replace your tires with radials of the same size, load range, speed rating, and maximum cold tire pressure rating (as shown on the tire’s sidewall). Using tires of a different size or construction can cause the Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) and SH-AWD®* systems as well as ABS to work incorrectly.

It is best to replace all four tires at the same time. If that isn’t possible, replace the front or rear tires in pairs.

If you replace a wheel, only use TPMS specified wheels approved for your vehicle. Make sure that the wheel’s specifications match those of the original wheels.

WARNING
Installing improper tires on your vehicle can affect handling and stability. This can cause a crash in which you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Always use the size and type of tires recommended in this owner’s manual.

* Not available on all models
**Tire Rotation**

Rotating tires according to the maintenance messages on the MID helps to distribute wear more evenly and increase tire life.

- **Tires without rotation marks**

  Rotate the tires as shown here.

- **Tires with rotation marks**

  Rotate the tires as shown here.
Checking and Maintaining Tires

Winter Tires

If driving on snowy or frozen roads, mount all season marked M+S tires, snow tires, or tire chains; reduce speed; and maintain sufficient distance between vehicles when driving.

Be particularly careful when operating the steering wheel or brakes to prevent skidding.

Use tire chains, snow tires, or all season tires when necessary or according to the law.

When mounting, refer to the following points.

For winter tires:
- Select the size and load ranges that are the same as the original tires.
- Mount the tires to all four wheels.

For tire chains:
- Install them on the front tires only.
- Because your vehicle has limited tire clearance, we strongly recommend using the chains listed below:

  **Cable-type: SCC Cable Chain Super Z LT - ZT735**

- Follow the chain manufacturer’s instruction when installing. Mount them as tightly as you can.
- Check that the chains do not touch the brake lines or suspension.
- Drive slowly.

**WARNING**

Using the wrong chains, or not properly installing chains, can damage the brake lines and cause a crash in which you can be seriously injured or killed.

Follow all instructions in this owner’s manual regarding the selection and use of tire chains.

**NOTICE**

Traction devices that are the wrong size or improperly installed can damage your vehicle’s brake lines, suspension, body, and wheels. Stop driving if they are hitting any part of the vehicle.

When tire chains are mounted, follow the chain manufacturer’s instructions regarding vehicle operational limits.

If your vehicle is equipped with summer tires, be aware that these tires are not designed for winter driving conditions. For more information, contact a dealer.
Battery

Checking the Battery

The condition of the battery is monitored by a sensor located on the negative terminal of the battery. If there is a problem with this sensor, the multi-information display (MID) will display a warning message. If this happens, have your vehicle inspected by a dealer.

Check the battery terminals for corrosion monthly.

If your vehicle’s battery is disconnected or goes dead:
- The audio system is disabled.
  
  Audio System Theft Protection P. 230
- The clock resets.
  
  Clock P. 134
- The navigation system* is disabled.
  
  Refer to navigation system manual

Charging the Battery*

Disconnect both battery cables to prevent damaging your vehicle’s electrical system. Always disconnect the negative (–) cable first, and reconnect it last.

**WARNING:** Battery post, terminals, and related accessories contain lead and lead compounds.

Wash your hands after handling.

When you find corrosion, clean the battery terminals by applying a baking powder and water solution. Clean the terminals with a damp towel. Cloth/towel dry the battery. Coat the terminals with grease to help prevent future corrosion.

Models with Auto Idle Stop

When replacing the battery, the replacement must be of the same specifications. Consult a dealer for more information.

* Not available on all models
Charging the AGM Battery *

AGM labeled batteries like those installed in your vehicle require a compatible charger to be properly charged. Damage to the battery can result if the battery is charged improperly or with the wrong equipment. For more information on how to charge your vehicle's AGM battery, consult a dealer.

* Not available on all models
Remote Transmitter Care

Replacing the Button Battery

If the indicator does not come on when the button is pressed, replace the battery.

Battery type: CR2032

1. Remove the built-in key.

2. Remove the upper half of the cover by carefully prying on the edge with a coin.
   - Remove carefully to avoid losing the buttons.
   - Wrap a coin with a cloth to prevent scratching the transmitter.

3. Make sure to replace the battery with the correct polarity.

NOTICE
An improperly disposed of battery can damage the environment. Always confirm local regulations for battery disposal.

Replacement batteries are commercially available or at a dealer.
If the indicator does not come on when the button is pressed, replace the battery. **Battery type: CR2032**

1. Remove the built-in key.  
   - As a convenience, lightly place masking tape over the remote buttons to hold them in place.
2. Remove the upper half of the cover by carefully prying on the edge with a coin.  
   - Wrap a coin with a cloth to prevent scratching the transmitter.
3. Press down on the center of the assembly and remove the battery.  
   - When removing the button battery, be careful not to touch parts around it.
4. Make sure to replace the battery with the correct polarity.

**Notice**  
The Remote transmitter is equipped with two batteries: A standard replaceable CR2032 coin button battery and an integral non-replaceable rechargeable battery. To prevent permanent damage to the rechargeable battery, replace the CR2032 battery every three to four years.
Remote Control and Wireless Headphone Care*

Models with Rear Entertainment System

ReReplacing the Battery

Remote Control

If it takes several pushes on the remote control buttons to operate the rear entertainment system, replace the battery.

Battery type: BR3032

1. Remove the cover.
2. Make sure to replace the battery with the correct polarity.

NOTICE

An improperly disposed of battery can damage the environment. Always confirm local regulations for battery disposal.

Replacement batteries are commercially available or at a dealer.

* Not available on all models
Remote Control and Wireless Headphone Care

Replacing the Battery

Wireless Headphone

If there is no sound coming from the wireless headphone, replace the battery.

**Battery type: AAA**

1. Remove the screw.
2. Open the cover.
3. Make sure to replace the battery with the correct polarity.
Climate Control System Maintenance

Dust and Pollen Filter

The climate control system is equipped with a dust and pollen filter that collects pollen, dust, and other debris in the air. The Maintenance Minder™ messages will let you know when to replace the filter.

We recommend that you replace the dust and pollen filter sooner when using your vehicle in areas with high concentrations of dust.

Dust and Pollen Filter

If the airflow from the climate control system deteriorates noticeably, and the windows fog up easily, the filter may need to be replaced. Please contact a dealer for replacement.
**Cleaning**

**Interior Care**

Use a damp cloth with a mixture of mild detergent and warm water to remove dirt. Use a clean cloth to remove detergent residue.

**Cleaning Seat Belts**

Use a soft brush with a mixture of mild soap and warm water to clean the seat belts. Let the belts air dry. Wipe the openings of the seat belt anchors using a clean cloth.

**Opening**

**Cleaning the Window**

Wipe using a glass cleaner.

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**Interior Care**

Do not spill liquids inside the vehicle. Electrical devices and systems may malfunction if liquids are splashed on them.

Do not use silicone based sprays on electrical devices such as audio devices and switches. Doing so may cause the items to malfunction or cause a fire inside the vehicle.

If a silicone based spray is inadvertently used on electrical devices, consult a dealer.

Depending on their composition, chemicals and liquid aromatics may cause discoloration, wrinkles, and cracking to resin-based parts and textiles.

Do not use alkali solvents or organic solvents such as benzene or gasoline.

After using chemicals, make sure to gently wipe them away using a dry cloth.

Do not place used cloths on top of resin based parts or textiles for long periods of time without washing.

**Cleaning the Window**

Wires are mounted to the inside of the rear window. Wipe along the same direction as the wires with a soft cloth so as not to damage them.

Be careful not to spill fluids, such as water or glass cleaner, on or around the cover of both the front sensor camera and the rainfall/light sensor*.

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* Not available on all models
Floor Mats

The front and second row passenger’s floor mats hook over floor anchors, which keep them from sliding forward. To remove a mat for cleaning, turn the anchor knobs to the unlock position. When reinstalling the mat after cleaning, turn the knobs to the lock position.

Do not put additional floor mats on top of the anchored mats.

Maintaining Genuine Leather

To properly clean leather:
1. Use a vacuum or soft dry cloth first to remove any dirt or dust.
2. Clean the leather with a soft cloth dampened with a solution comprised of 90% water and 10% neutral soap.
3. Wipe away any soap residue with a clean damp cloth.
4. Wipe away residual water and allow leather to air dry in the shade.

Floor Mats

If you use any floor mats that were not originally provided with your vehicle, make sure they are designed for your specific vehicle, fit correctly, and are securely anchored by the floor anchors. Position the rear seat floor mat properly. If they are not properly positioned, the floor mat can interfere with the front seat functions.
Exterior Care

Dust off the vehicle body after you drive. Regularly inspect your vehicle for scratches on painted surfaces. A scratch on a painted surface can result in body rust. If you find a scratch, promptly repair it.

### Washing the Vehicle

Wash the vehicle regularly. Wash more frequently when driving in the following conditions:
- If driving on roads with road salt.
- If driving in coastal areas.
- If tar, soot, bird droppings, insects, or tree sap are stuck to painted surfaces.

### Using an Automated Car Wash

- Fold in the door mirrors.
- Automatic intermittent wiper equipment vehicles, wipers switch to OFF.
- Make sure to follow the instructions indicated on the automated car wash. If you use a conveyor type automatic car wash, keep the transmission in N position.

> If you want to keep the transmission in N position [car wash mode] P. 378

### Using High Pressure Cleaners

- Keep sufficient distance between the cleaning nozzle and the vehicle body.
- Take particular care around the windows. Standing too close may cause water to enter the vehicle interior.
- Do not spray high pressure water directly into the engine compartment. Instead, use low pressure water and a mild detergent.

Do not spray water into the air intake vents. It can cause a malfunction.

Do not spray water on to the capless unit when the fuel fill door is open. It can cause damage to the fuel system or engine.
A good coat of automotive body wax helps protect your vehicle’s paint from the elements. Wax will wear off over time and expose your vehicle’s paint to the elements, so reapply as necessary.

If you get gasoline, oil, engine coolant, or battery fluid on resin coated parts, they may be stained or the coating may peel. Promptly wipe it away using a soft cloth and clean water.

Wipe using a glass cleaner.

Aluminum is susceptible to deterioration caused by salt and other road contaminants. When necessary, as early as possible use a sponge and mild detergent to wipe away these contaminants. Do not use a stiff brush or harsh chemicals (including some commercial wheel cleaners). These can damage the protective finish on aluminum alloy wheels, resulting in corrosion. Depending on the type of finish, the wheels also may lose their luster or appear burnished. To avoid water stains, wipe the wheels dry with a cloth while they are still wet.
Fogged Exterior Light Lenses

The inside lenses of exterior lights (headlights, brake lights, etc.) may fog temporarily if you have driven in the rain, or after the vehicle has been run through a car wash. Dew condensation also may build up inside the lenses when there is a significant enough difference between the ambient and inside lens temperatures (similar to vehicle windows fogging up in rainy conditions). These conditions are natural processes, not structural design problems in the exterior lights.

Lens design characteristics may result in moisture developing on the light lens frame surfaces. This also is not a malfunction. However, if you see large amounts of water accumulation, or large water drops building up inside the lenses, have your vehicle inspected by a dealer.
Accessories and Modifications

Accessories

When installing accessories, check the following:

- Do not install accessories on the windshield. They can obstruct your view and delay your reaction to driving conditions.
- Do not install any accessories over areas marked **SRS AIRBAG**, on the sides or backs of the front seats, on front or side pillars, or near the side windows. Accessories installed in these areas may interfere with proper operation of the vehicle’s airbags or may be propelled into you or another occupant if the airbags deploy.
- Be sure electronic accessories do not overload electrical circuits or interfere with proper operation of your vehicle.

- Before installing any electronic accessory, have the installer contact a dealer for assistance. If possible, have a dealer inspect the final installation.

**WARNING**

Improper accessories or modifications can affect your vehicle’s handling, stability, and performance, and cause a crash in which you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Follow all instructions in this owner’s manual regarding accessories and modifications.

Acura Genuine accessories are recommended to ensure proper operation on your vehicle.

Modifications

Do not modify your vehicle in a manner that may affect its handling, stability, or reliability, or install non-genuine Acura parts or accessories that may have a similar effect.

Even minor modifications to vehicle systems can affect overall vehicle performance. Always make sure all equipment is properly installed and maintained, and do not make any modification to your vehicle or its systems that might cause your vehicle to no longer meet federal, state, province, territory, and local regulations.

Do not modify or attempt to repair any of the electrical components.
Handling the Unexpected

This chapter explains how to handle unexpected troubles.

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### Types of Tools

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The tools are stored in the cargo area.
If a Tire Goes Flat

Changing a Flat Tire*

If a tire goes flat while driving, grasp the steering wheel firmly, and brake gradually to reduce speed. Then, stop in a safe place. Replace the flat tire with a compact spare tire. Go to a dealer as soon as possible to have the full-size tire repaired or replaced.

1. Park the vehicle on firm, level, non-slippery surface and apply the parking brake.
2. Change the gear position to P.
3. Turn on the hazard warning lights and set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

Periodically check the tire pressure of the compact spare. It should be set to the specified pressure.

Specified Pressure: 60 psi (420 kPa, 4.2 kgf/cm²)

When driving with the compact spare tire, keep the vehicle speed under 50 mph (80 km/h). Replace with a full-size tire as soon as possible.

The compact spare tire and wheel in your vehicle are specifically for this model. Do not use them with another vehicle. Do not use another type of compact spare tire or wheel with your vehicle.

Do not mount tire chains on a compact spare tire. If a chain-mounted front tire goes flat, remove one of the full-size rear tires and replace it with the compact spare tire. Remove the flat front tire and replace it with the full-size tire that was removed from the rear. Mount the tire chains on the front tire.

Do not use a puncture-repairing agent other than the one provided in the kit that came with your vehicle (if equipped). If a different agent is used, you may permanently damage the tire pressure sensor.

* Not available on all models

Continued
If a Tire Goes Flat

Changing a Flat Tire

Getting Ready to Replace the Flat Tire

1. Push the rear edge of the handle on the floor lid and open the lid.

2. Take out the cargo floor box.

3. Take the jack, wheel nut wrench, and jack handle bar out of the tool case.

Handling the Unexpected

NOTICE
Do not use the jack if it doesn’t work properly. Call your dealer or a professional towing service.

The wheel nut wrench supplied with your vehicle is specially adapted to fit the holder shaft. Do not use any other tool.

The subwoofer is located on the rear right side. Do not store anything in this area. Doing so may compromise vehicle audio performance.

* Not available on all models
4. Remove the cover on the cargo area lining to access the shaft for the spare tire hoist.

5. Put the wheel nut wrench with the jack handle bar on the hoist shaft. Turn the wrench to the left to lower the spare tire to the ground.

6. Keep turning the wheel nut wrench to create slack in the cable.

7. Remove the bracket from the spare tire.
If a Tire Goes Flat

8. Place a wheel block or rock in front and rear of the wheel diagonal to the flat tire.

9. Place the compact spare tire (wheel side up) under the vehicle body, near the tire that needs to be replaced.

10. Loosen each wheel nut about one turn using the wheel nut wrench.
If a Tire Goes Flat

### Changing a Flat Tire

1. Place the jack under the jacking point closest to the tire to be changed.
2. Turn the end bracket clockwise as shown in the image until the top of the jack contacts the jacking point.
   - Make sure that the jacking point tab is resting in the jack notch.
3. Raise the vehicle, using the jack handle bar and the jack handle, until the tire is off the ground.

### How to Set Up the Jack

**WARNING**

The vehicle can easily roll off the jack, seriously injuring anyone underneath.

Follow the directions for changing a tire exactly, and never get under the vehicle when it is supported only by the jack.

- Do not use the jack with people or luggage in the vehicle.
- Use the jack provided in your vehicle. Other jacks may not support the weight ("load") or may not fit the jacking point.
- The following instructions must be followed to use the jack safely:
  - Do not use while the engine is running.
  - Use only where the ground is firm and level.
  - Use only at the jacking points.
  - Do not get in the vehicle while using the jack.
  - Do not put anything on top of or underneath the jack.
If a Tire Goes Flat

### Changing a Flat Tire

1. Remove the wheel nuts and flat tire.
2. Wipe the mounting surfaces of the wheel with a clean cloth.
3. Mount the compact spare tire.
4. Screw the wheel nuts until they touch the lips around the mounting holes, then stop rotating.
5. Lower the vehicle and remove the jack. Tighten the wheel nuts in the order indicated in the image. Go around, tightening the nuts, two to three times in this order.

**Wheel nut torque:**
94 lbf-ft (127 N-m, 13.0 kgf-m)

Do not over tighten the wheel nuts by applying extra torque using your foot or a pipe.
If a Tire Goes Flat

Changing a Flat Tire

1. Remove the center cap.
2. Place the flat tire face up under the hoist.
3. Insert the hoist bracket into the center hole of the flat tire.
4. Turn the wheel nut wrench with the jack handle bar clockwise until the flat tire rests against the underbody of the vehicle and you hear the hoist click.
5. Securely store the jack and wheel nut wrench and jack handle bar back in the tool case. Store the case in the cargo area.

Storing the Flat Tire

1. Remove the center cap.
2. Place the flat tire face up under the hoist.
3. Insert the hoist bracket into the center hole of the flat tire.

4. Turn the wheel nut wrench with the jack handle bar clockwise until the flat tire rests against the underbody of the vehicle and you hear the hoist click.
5. Securely store the jack and wheel nut wrench and jack handle bar back in the tool case. Store the case in the cargo area.

TPMS and the Spare Tire

If you replace a flat tire with the spare tire, the low tire pressure/TPMS indicator comes on while you are driving. After driving for a few miles (kilometers), the indicator will start blinking for a short time and then stay on. Tire Pressure Monitor Problem appears on the multi-information display (MID), but this is normal.

If you replace the tire with a specified regular tire, the warning message on the MID and the low tire pressure/TPMS indicator will go off after a few miles (kilometers).
If a Tire Goes Flat

Chiefly Repairs a Flat Tire*

If the tire has a large cut or is otherwise severely damaged, you will need to have the vehicle towed. If the tire only has a small puncture, from a nail for instance, you can use the temporary tire repair kit so that you can drive to the nearest service station for a more permanent repair.

If a tire goes flat while driving, grasp the steering wheel firmly, and brake gradually to reduce speed. Then stop in a safe place.

1. Park the vehicle on a firm, level, and non-slippery surface and apply the parking brake.
2. Change the gear position to P.
3. Turn on the hazard warning lights and set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK).

The kit should not be used in the following situations. Instead, contact a dealer or roadside assistance to have the vehicle towed.

• The tire sealant has expired.
• More than one tire is punctured.
• The puncture or cut is larger than 3/16 inch (4mm).
• The tire side wall is damaged or the puncture is outside the contact area.
• Damage has been caused by driving with the tire extremely under inflated.
• The tire bead is no longer seated.
• The rim is damaged.

Do not remove a nail or screw that punctured the tire. If you remove it from the tire, you may not be able to repair the puncture using the kit.

NOTICE
Do not use a puncture-repairing agent other than the one provided in the kit that came with your vehicle. If a different agent is used, you may permanently damage the tire pressure sensor.

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Getting Ready to Temporarily Repair the Flat Tire

Repair notification label and speed restriction label are applied to the side of temporary tire repair kit.

When making a temporary repair, carefully read the instruction manual provided with the kit.
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Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

1. Pull the handle on the cargo area floor lid and open the lid.

2. Take out the cargo floor box.

3. Take the kit out of the case.

4. Place the kit face up, on flat ground near the flat tire, and away from traffic. Do not place the kit on its side.
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Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

1. Remove the valve cap from the tire valve stem.

2. Remove the sealant/air hose from the packaging.

3. Attach the sealant/air hose onto the tire valve stem. Screw it until it is tight.

Injecting Sealant and Air

WARNING

Tire sealant contains substances that are harmful and can be fatal if swallowed.

If accidentally swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water and get medical attention immediately.

For skin or eye contact, flush with cool water and get medical attention if necessary.

In cold temperatures, the sealant may not flow easily. In this situation, warm it up for five minutes before using.

The sealant can permanently stain clothing and other materials. Be careful during handling and wipe away any spills immediately.
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4. Plug in the compressor to the accessory power socket.
   ▶ Be careful not to pinch the cord in a door or window.
   ▶ Do not plug any other electronic devices into other accessory power sockets.
   🔴 Accessory Power Sockets P. 207

5. Start the engine.
   ▶ Keep the engine running while injecting sealant and air.
   🔴 Carbon Monoxide Gas P. 71

6. Turn the selector switch to REPAIR.

Noticing Sealant and Air

⚠️ WARNING

Running the engine with the vehicle in an enclosed or even partly enclosed area can cause a rapid build-up of toxic carbon monoxide.

Breathing this colorless, odorless gas can cause unconsciousness and even death.

Only run the engine to power the air compressor with the vehicle outdoors.

⚠️ NOTICE

Do not operate the temporary tire repair kit compressor for more than 15 minutes. The compressor can overheat and become permanently damaged.

There are three accessory power sockets:
• In the console compartment
• In the front of the center pocket
• In the left side panel in the cargo area
   🔴 Accessory Power Sockets P. 207

Until the sealant injection is complete, the pressure shown on the pressure gauge will appear higher than actual. After the sealant injection is complete the pressure will drop and then begin to rise again as the tire is inflated with air. This is normal. To accurately measure the air pressure using the gauge, turn the air compressor off only after the sealant injection is complete.
7. Press the inflator switch to turn on the compressor.
   ▶ The compressor starts injecting sealant and air into the tire.
   ▶ When the sealant injection is complete, continue to add air.

8. After the air pressure reaches 35 psi (240 kPa), turn off the kit.
   ▶ To check the pressure, occasionally turn off the compressor and read the gauge.

9. Unplug the power plug from the accessory power socket.

10. Unscrew the sealant/air hose from the tire valve stem. Reinstall the valve cap.

11. Press the pressure relief button until the gauge returns to 0 psi (0 kPa).

Injecting Sealant and Air
If the required air pressure is not reached within 10 minutes, the tire may be too severely damaged for the kit to provide the necessary seal, and your vehicle will need to be towed.

See an Acura dealer for a replacement sealant bottle and proper disposal of an empty bottle.
If a Tire Goes Flat
Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

12. Apply the speed restriction label to the location as shown.

13. Apply the repair notification label to the flat surface of the wheel.

The wheel surface must be clean to ensure the label adheres properly.

Distributing the Sealant in the Tire

1. Drive the vehicle for about 10 minutes.
   ▶ Do not exceed 50 mph (80 km/h).
2. Stop the vehicle in a safe place.
3. Recheck the air pressure using the sealant/air hose on the compressor.

4. Turn the selector switch to **AIR**.
   - Do not turn the air compressor on to check the pressure.
   - **Inflating an Under-inflated Tire** P. 531

5. If the air pressure is
   - Less than 25 psi (175 kPa):
     Do not add air or continue driving. The leak is too severe. Call for help and have your vehicle towed.
   - **Emergency Towing** P. 554
   - 35 psi (240 kPa) or more:
     Continue driving for another 10 minutes or until you reach the nearest service station, whichever is sooner. Do not exceed 50 mph (80 km/h). If you have not reached a service station, stop and check the tire pressure.
     - If the air pressure does not go down after the 10 minute driving, you do not need to check the pressure any more.

*Continued*
If a Tire Goes Flat

Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

- Greater than 25 psi (175 kPa), but less than 35 psi (240 kPa):
  Turn the air compressor on to inflate the tire until the tire pressure reaches 35 psi (240 kPa).

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Then drive carefully for 10 more minutes or until you reach the nearest service station, whichever is sooner. Do not exceed 50 mph (80 km/h). If you have not reached a service station, stop and check the tire pressure.

You should repeat this procedure as long as the air pressure is within this range.

6. Unscrew the sealant/air hose from the tire valve stem.
   Reinstall the valve cap.

7. Press the pressure relief button until the gauge returns to 0 psi (0 kPa).

8. Repackage and properly stow the kit.

Distributing the Sealant in the Tire

WARNING

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Breathing this colorless, odorless gas can cause unconsciousness and even death. Only run the engine to power the air compressor with the vehicle outdoors.
If a Tire Goes Flat
Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

You can use the kit to inflate a non-punctured under-inflated tire.

1. Open the cargo area floor lid.
2. Remove the kit from the case.
3. Place the kit, face up, on flat ground near the flat tire, away from traffic. Do not place the kit on its side.
4. Remove the sealant/air hose from the kit.
5. Remove the valve cap.

6. Attach the sealant/air hose onto the tire valve stem. Screw it until it is tight.

**Inflating an Under-inflated Tire**

You can use the kit to inflate a non-punctured under-inflated tire.

1. Open the cargo area floor lid.
2. Getting Ready to Temporarily Repair the Flat Tire P. 523
3. Remove the kit from the case.
4. Place the kit, face up, on flat ground near the flat tire, away from traffic. Do not place the kit on its side.
5. Remove the sealant/air hose from the kit.
6. Remove the valve cap.

**NOTICE**

Do not operate the temporary tire repair kit compressor for more than 15 minutes. The compressor can overheat and become permanently damaged.
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Temporarily Repairing a Flat Tire

7. Plug in the kit to the accessory power socket.
   ▶ Be careful not to pinch the cord in a door or window.
   ▶ Do not plug any other electronic devices into other accessory power sockets.
   ▶ Accessory Power Sockets P. 207

8. Start the engine.
   ▶ Keep the engine running while injecting air.
   ▶ Carbon Monoxide Gas P. 71

9. Turn the selector switch to AIR ONLY.

10. Press the inflator switch to turn on the kit.
    ▶ The compressor starts to inject air into the tire.

11. Inflate the tire to the specified air pressure.

WARNING

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12. Turn off the kit.
   - Check the pressure gauge on the air compressor.
   - If overinflated, press the pressure relief button.
13. Unplug the kit from the accessory power socket.
14. Unscrew the sealant/air hose from the tire valve stem. Reinstall the valve cap.
15. Press the pressure relief button until the gauge returns to 0 psi (0 kPa).
16. Repackage and properly stow the kit.
Engine Does Not Start

Checking the Engine

If the engine does not start, check the starter.

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| Starter doesn't turn or turns over slowly. The battery may be dead. Check each of the items on the right and respond accordingly. | Check for a message on the MID.  
- If the To Start, Hold Remote Near Start Button message appears  
  - If the Keyless Access Remote Battery is Weak P. 535  
  - Make sure the keyless access remote is in its operating range.  
  - ENGINE START/STOP Button Operating Range P. 163  
Check the brightness of the interior lights. Turn on the interior lights and check the brightness.  
- If the interior lights are dim or do not come on at all  
  - Battery P. 499  
- If the interior lights come on normally Fuses P. 546 |
| The starter turns over normally but the engine doesn’t start. There may be a problem with the fuse. Check each of the items on the right and respond accordingly. | Review the engine start procedure. Follow its instructions, and try to start the engine again. Jump Starting P. 537  
Check the immobilizer system indicator. When the immobilizer system indicator is blinking, the engine cannot be started.  
  - Immobilizer System P. 157  
Check the fuel level. There should be enough fuel in the tank. Fuel Gauge P. 116  
Check the fuse. Check all fuses, or have the vehicle checked by a dealer.  
  - Inspecting and Changing Fuses P. 553  
If the problem continues:  
  - Emergency Towing P. 554 |
If the Keyless Access Remote Battery is Weak

If the beeper sounds, the To Start, Hold Remote Near Start Button message appears on the multi-information display, the indicator on the ENGINE START/STOP button flashes, and the engine won’t start, start the engine as follows.

1. Touch the center of the ENGINE START/STOP button with the A logo on the keyless access remote while the indicator on the ENGINE START/STOP button is flashing. The buttons on the keyless access remote should be facing you.
   - The indicator flashes for about 30 seconds.

2. Depress the brake pedal and press the ENGINE START/STOP button within 10 seconds after the beeper sounds while the indicator stays on.
   - If you don’t depress the pedal, the mode will change to ACCESSORY.
Emergency Engine Stop

The ENGINE START/STOP button may be used to stop the engine due to an emergency situation even while driving. If you must stop the engine, do either of the following operations:

- Press and hold the ENGINE START/STOP button for about two seconds.
- Firmly press the ENGINE START/STOP button three times.

The steering wheel will not lock. However, because turning off the engine disables the power assist the engine provides to the steering and braking systems, it will require significantly more physical effort and time to steer and slow the vehicle. Use both feet on the brake pedal to slow down the vehicle and stop immediately in a safe place.

The gear position automatically changes to [P] after the vehicle comes to a complete stop. Then, the power mode changes to VEHICLE OFF.
Jump Starting

**Jump Starting Procedure**

Turn off the power to electric devices, such as audio and lights. Turn off the engine, then open the hood.

1. Pull up on the engine cover, remove it from the pins.
   - Start on the passenger side and lift the outermost edge of the cover.
   - Move towards the driver side while applying uniform upward pressure.

2. Connect the first jumper cable to your vehicle’s battery + terminal.
3. Connect the other end of the first jumper cable to the booster battery + terminal.
   - Use a 12-volt booster battery only.
   - When using an automotive battery charger to boost your 12-volt battery, select a lower charging voltage than 15 volts. Check the charger manual for the proper setting.
4. Connect the second jumper cable to the booster battery − terminal.

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**WARNING**

A battery can explode if you do not follow the correct procedure, seriously injuring anyone nearby.

Keep all sparks, open flames, and smoking materials away from the battery.

Securely attach the jumper cables clips so that they do not come off when the engine vibrates. Also be careful not to tangle the jumper cables or allow the cable ends to touch each other while attaching or detaching the jumper cables.

Battery performance degrades in cold conditions and may prevent the engine from starting.
Jump Starting

5. Connect the other end of the second jumper cable to the engine hanger as shown. Do not connect this jumper cable to any other part.

6. If your vehicle is connected to another vehicle, start the assisting vehicle's engine and increase its rpm slightly.

7. Attempt to start your vehicle's engine. If it turns over slowly, check that the jumper cables have good metal-to-metal contact.

What to Do After the Engine Starts

Once your vehicle's engine has started, remove the jumper cables in the following order.

1. Disconnect the jumper cable from your vehicle's ground.
2. Disconnect the other end of the jumper cable from the booster battery terminal.
3. Disconnect the jumper cable from your vehicle's battery terminal.
4. Disconnect the other end of the jumper cable from the booster battery terminal.

Have your vehicle inspected by a nearby service station or a dealer.
Handling the Unexpected

Overheating

How to Handle Overheating

Overheating symptoms are as follows:
• The temperature gauge needle is at the [H] mark or the engine suddenly loses power.
• The Stop Driving When Safe. Engine Temperature Too Hot message appears on the multi-information display (MID).
• Steam or spray comes out of the engine compartment.

First thing to do
1. Immediately park the vehicle in a safe place.
2. Turn off all accessories and turn on the hazard warning lights.
    No steam or spray present: Keep the engine running and open the hood.
    Steam or spray is present: Turn off the engine and wait until it subsides. Then, open the hood.

WARNING
Steam and spray from an overheated engine can seriously scald you.
Do not open the hood if steam is coming out.

NOTICE
Continuing to drive with the temperature gauge needle at the [H] mark may damage the engine.
How to Handle Overheating

Next thing to do

1. Check that the cooling fan is operating and stop the engine once the Stop Driving When Safe. Engine Temperature Too Hot message on the multi-information display goes off.
   ▶ If the cooling fan is not operating, immediately stop the engine.
2. Once the engine has cooled down, inspect the coolant level and check the cooling system components for leaks.
   ▶ If the coolant level in the reserve tank is low, add coolant until it reaches the MAX mark.
   ▶ If there is no coolant in the reserve tank, check that the radiator is cool. Cover the radiator cap with a heavy cloth and open the cap. If necessary, add coolant up to the base of the filler neck, and put the cap back on.

Last thing to do

Once the engine has cooled sufficiently, restart it and check the temperature gauge. If the temperature gauge needle has gone down, resume driving. If it has not gone down, contact a dealer for repairs.

WARNING

Removing the radiator cap while the engine is hot can cause the coolant to spray out, seriously scalding you.

Always let the engine and radiator cool down before removing the radiator cap.

If the coolant is leaking, contact a dealer for repairs.

Use water as an emergency/temporary measure only. Have a dealer flush the system with proper antifreeze as soon as possible.
Indicator, Coming On/Blinking

If the Low Oil Pressure Indicator Comes On

■ Reasons for the indicator to come on
   Comes on when the engine oil pressure is low.

■ What to do as soon as the indicator comes on
   1. Immediately park the vehicle on level ground in a safe place.
   2. If necessary, turn the hazard warning lights on.

■ What to do after parking the vehicle
   1. Stop the engine and let it sit for about three minutes.
   2. Open the hood and check the oil level.
   3. Start the engine and check the low oil pressure indicator.
      ▶ The indicator goes off: Start driving again.
      ▶ The indicator does not go off within 10 seconds: Stop the engine and contact a dealer for repairs immediately.

If the Charging System Indicator Comes On

■ Reasons for the indicator to come on
   Comes on when the battery is not being charged.

■ What to do when the indicator comes on
   Turn off the climate control system, rear defogger, and other electrical systems, and immediately contact a dealer for repairs.

NOTICE
Running the engine with low oil pressure can cause serious mechanical damage almost immediately.

If you need to stop temporarily, do not turn off the engine. Restarting the engine may rapidly discharge the battery.
If the Malfunction Indicator Lamp Comes On or Blinks

■ Reasons for the indicator lamp to come on or blink
  • Comes on if there is a problem with the engine emissions control system.
  • Blinks when engine misfiring is detected.

■ What to do when the indicator lamp comes on
Avoid high speeds and immediately get your vehicle inspected at a dealer.

■ What to do when the indicator lamp blinks
Park the vehicle in a safe place with no flammable items and wait at least 10 minutes or more with the engine stopped until it cools.

NOTICE
If you drive with the malfunction indicator lamp on, the emissions control system and the engine could be damaged.

If the malfunction indicator lamp blinks again when restarting the engine, drive to the nearest dealer at 31 mph (50 km/h) or less. Have your vehicle inspected.
If the Brake System Indicator (Red) Comes On

**Reasons for the indicator to come on**
- The brake fluid is low.
- There is a malfunction in the brake system.

**What to do when the indicator comes on while driving**
Depress the brake pedal lightly to check pedal pressure.
- If normal, check the brake fluid level the next time you stop.
- If abnormal, take immediate action. If necessary, downshift the transmission to slow the vehicle using engine braking.

If the Speed-Sensitive Electric Power Steering (EPS) System Indicator Comes On

**Reasons for the indicator to come on**
- Comes on when there is a problem with the EPS system.
- If you depress the accelerator pedal repeatedly to increase the engine speed while the engine is idling, the indicator comes on, and sometimes the steering wheel becomes harder to operate.

**What to do when the indicator comes on**
Stop the vehicle in a safe place and restart the engine.
If the indicator comes on and stays on, immediately have your vehicle inspected by a dealer.
If the Electric Parking Brake System Indicator Comes On

**Reasons for the indicator to come on**

- Comes on when there is a problem with the electric parking brake system.

**What to do when the indicator comes on**

- Avoid using the parking brake and immediately get your vehicle inspected at a dealer.

**What to do when the electric parking brake indicator comes on or blinks at the same time**

- Release the parking brake.

**Parking Brake P. 428**

- If the electric parking brake indicator remains on or blinks even after releasing the parking brake, immediately stop the vehicle in a safe place and call a dealer.

  - To prevent your vehicle from moving, change the gear position to **P**.

- If only the electric parking brake indicator goes off, immediately get your vehicle inspected at a dealer.

- If the electric parking brake indicator also turns on, the parking brake is still applied.

When the electric parking brake indicator blinks at the same time as the electric parking brake system indicator, the system must be checked. The parking brake may not operate under these conditions.
If the Low Tire Pressure/TPMS Indicator Comes On or Blinks

- **Reasons for the indicator to come on or blink**
  A tire pressure is significantly low. If there is a problem with the TPMS with Tire Fill Assist or the compact spare tire is installed, the indicator blinks for about one minute, and then stays on.

- **What to do when the indicator comes on**
  Drive carefully and avoid abrupt cornering and hard braking.
  Stop your vehicle in a safe place. Check the tire pressure and adjust the pressure to the specified level. The specified tire pressure is on a label on the driver side doorjamb.

- **What to do when the indicator blinks**
  Have the tire inspected by a dealer as soon as possible. If the compact spare tire causes the indicator to blink, change the tire to a full-size tire. The indicator goes off after driving for a few miles (kilometers).

If the Transmission Indicator Blinks along with the Warning Message

- **Reasons for the indicator to blink**
  There is a problem with the transmission.

- **What to do when the indicator blinks**
  - Immediately have your vehicle inspected by a dealer.
  - Select [N] after starting the engine.
  - Check if the [N] position in the instrument panel and the indicator on the [N] button light/blink.
  - The engine cannot be turned on unless the parking brake is set.

* Not available on all models
Fuses

Fuse Locations

If any electrical devices are not working, set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK) and check to see if any applicable fuse is blown.

■ Engine Compartment Fuse Box Type A

Fuse locations are shown on the fuse box cover. Locate the fuse in question by the fuse number and box cover number. Located near the brake fluid reservoir. Push the tabs to open the box.

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*1: Models without Auto Idle Stop
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* Not available on all models
Fuse locations are shown on the fuse box cover. Locate the fuse in question by the fuse number and box cover number. Located near the battery. Push the tabs to open the box.

- **Engine Compartment Fuse Box Type B**

  Fuse locations are shown on the fuse box cover. Locate the fuse in question by the fuse number and box cover number. Located near the battery. Push the tabs to open the box.

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<td>Stop &amp; Horn*</td>
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* Not available on all models
Handling the Unexpected

Fuse Locations

Engine Compartment Fuse Box Type C

Located near the + terminal on the battery.

Pull up the cover.
Replacement of this fuse should be done by a dealer.

Fuse location is shown on the back of the positive battery terminal cover.

Circuit protected and fuse rating

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Handling the Unexpected

Located under the dashboard.

Fuse locations are shown on the label on the outer side of the side panel cover. Locate the fuse in question by the fuse number and label number.

### Driver’s Side Interior Fuse Box Type A

- Fuse Box
- Fuse Label

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<td>20 A</td>
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<td>11 Meter*</td>
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* Not available on all models
Fuses

Fuse Locations

Handling the Unexpected

Located under the type A driver’s side interior fuse box. Take off the cover to open.

Fuse locations are shown on the label on the back side of the side panel cover. Locate the fuse in question by the fuse number and label number.

Driver’s Side Interior Fuse Box
Type B*

Circuit protected and fuse rating

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## Passenger’s Side Interior Fuse Box

Located on the lower side panel. Take off the cover to open.

Fuse locations are shown on the cover.

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### Circuit protected and fuse rating

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Fuses

 Fuse Locations

Handling the Unexpected

Located on the left side of cargo area.
Remove the cover by prying on the edge of
the cover using a flat-tip screwdriver.
  Wrap the flat-tip screwdriver with a
cloth to prevent scratches.

Fuse locations are shown on the cover.
Locate the fuse in question by the fuse
number and box cover number.

- Rear Fuse Box

Circuit protected and fuse rating

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<td>3 USB CHARGE</td>
<td>15 A</td>
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<td>4 Fuel Lid</td>
<td>7.5 A</td>
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<td>5 Seat Slide</td>
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<td>7 RR Heat Seat*</td>
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<td>13 Rear ECU</td>
<td>7.5 A</td>
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<td>14 SH-AWD*</td>
<td>(20 A)</td>
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<td>16 EPB-L</td>
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<td>18 PTG MTR</td>
<td>40 A</td>
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Inspecting and Changing Fuses

1. Set the power mode to VEHICLE OFF (LOCK). Turn headlights and all accessories off.
2. Remove the fuse box cover.
3. Check the large fuse in the engine compartment.
   - If the fuse is blown, use a Phillips-head screwdriver to remove the screw and replace it with a new one.
4. Inspect the small fuses in the engine compartment and the vehicle interior.
   - If there is a burned out fuse, remove it with the fuse puller and replace it with a new one.

**NOTICE**
Replacing a fuse with one that has a higher rating greatly increases the chances of damaging the electrical system.

Replace fuse with a spare fuse of the same specified amperage.
Confirm the specified amperage using the charts on P. 546 to P. 552.

There is a fuse puller in the engine compartment fuse box.

If the radio fuse is removed, the audio system will disable itself.
Emergency Towing

Call a professional towing service if you need to tow your vehicle.

**All models**

- **Flat bed equipment**
  The operator loads your vehicle on the back of a truck.  
  *This is the best way to transport your vehicle.*

**2WD models**

- **Wheel lift equipment**
  The tow truck uses two pivoting arms that go under the front tires and lift them off the ground. The rear tires remain on the ground.  
  *This is an acceptable way to tow your vehicle.*

**NOTICE**

Trying to lift or tow your vehicle by the bumpers will cause serious damage. The bumpers are not designed to support the vehicle’s weight.

**NOTICE**

Improper towing such as towing behind a motorhome or other motor vehicle can damage the transmission.

Never tow your vehicle with just a rope or chain. It is very dangerous since ropes or chains may shift from side to side or break.
When You Cannot Unlock the Fuel Fill Door

What to Do When Unable to Unlock the Fuel Fill Door

If you cannot unlock the fuel fill door, use the following procedure.

1. Open the tailgate.
2. Lift the cargo floor lid by the handle in the center.
3. Remove the cargo floor box and set it aside.
4. Wrap a cloth around the flat-tip screwdriver. Put it into the cover slot as shown in the image, and remove the cover.
5. Pull the release lever toward you.
   - The release lever unlocks the fuel fill door when it is pulled.

After taking these steps, contact a dealer to have the vehicle checked.
When You Cannot Open the Tailgate

What to Do When Unable to Open the Tailgate

If you cannot open the tailgate, use the following procedure.

1. Wrap a cloth around the flat-tip screwdriver. Put it into the cover as shown in the image, and remove the cover.

2. To open the tailgate, push the tailgate while sliding the lever to the right.

What to do-following up
After taking these steps, contact a dealer to have the vehicle checked.

When you open the tailgate from inside, make sure there is enough space around the tailgate, and it does not hit anyone or any object.
Refueling From a Portable Fuel Container

If you have run out of fuel and need to refuel your vehicle from a portable fuel container, use the funnel provided with your vehicle.

1. Turn off the engine.
2. Press the fuel fill door release button.  
   ▶ The fuel fill door opens.
3. Take the funnel out of its clip in the cargo area.
4. Place the end of the funnel on the lower part of filler opening, then insert it slowly and fully.  
   ▶ Make sure that the end of the funnel goes down along with the filler pipe.
5. Fill the tank with fuel from the portable fuel container.  
   ▶ Pour fuel carefully so you do not spill any.
6. Remove the funnel from the filler neck.  
   ▶ Wipe up any fuel from the funnel before storing it.
7. Shut the fuel fill door by hand.

**NOTICE**
Do not insert the nozzle of a portable fuel container or any funnel other than the one provided with your vehicle. Doing so can damage the fuel system. Do not try to pry open or push open the sealed fuel tank with foreign objects. This can damage the fuel system and its seal.

**WARNING**
Gasoline is highly flammable and explosive. You can be burned or seriously injured when handling fuel.

- Stop the engine, and keep heat, sparks, and flame away.
- Handle fuel only outdoors.
- Wipe up spills immediately.

**MAKE SURE**
The fuel in the portable fuel container is gasoline before you refuel.
This chapter includes your vehicle’s specifications, locations of identification numbers, and other information required by regulation.

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#### Weights:

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<td>2,435 kg(^*3)</td>
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<td>5,677 lbs (2,575 kg)(^*4)</td>
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<td>9,833 lbs (4,460 kg)(^*4)</td>
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*1: Models with second row captain seat  
*2: Models with second row bench seat  
*3: 2WD models  
*4: AWD models

### Air Conditioning

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<th>Refrigerant Type</th>
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<td>Charge Quantity</td>
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<td>Lubricant Type</td>
<td>PAG RL897</td>
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<td>Quantity</td>
<td>7.75 – 9.33 cu-in (127 – 153 cm(^3)) (20% RATIO)</td>
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### Engine Specifications

| Displacement     | 211.8 cu-in (3,471 cm\(^3\)) |
| Spark Plugs      | NGK DILZKR7B11G |

### Fuel

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<th>Type</th>
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<td>Fuel Tank Capacity</td>
<td>19.5 US gal (73.8 l)</td>
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### Washer Fluid

| Tank Capacity                  | U.S.: 4 US qt (3.8 l)  
|                               | Canada: 5.6 US qt (5.3 l) |

### Light Bulbs

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<td>5 W</td>
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<td>Cargo Area Lights</td>
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### Brake Fluid

| Specified          | Acura Heavy Duty Brake Fluid DOT 3 |

* Not available on all models
## Specifications

### Automatic Transmission Fluid

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<td>Change 3.5 US qt (3.3 ℓ)</td>
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### Rear Differential Fluid*

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### Transfer Assembly Fluid*

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<td>Hypoid gear oil SAE 75W-85 or SAE 90 (API grade GL4 or GL5)</td>
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<td>Capacity</td>
<td>Change 0.45 US qt (0.43 ℓ)</td>
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### Engine Oil

- **Recommended**
  - Genuine Acura Motor Oil 0W-20
  - API Premium-grade 0W-20 detergent oil

- **Capacity**
  - Change 5.4 US qt (5.1 ℓ)
  - Change including filter 5.7 US qt (5.4 ℓ)

### Engine Coolant

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### Tire

#### Regular

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#### Compact Spare

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### Engine Oil

- **Recommended**
  - Genuine Acura Motor Oil 0W-20
  - API Premium-grade 0W-20 detergent oil

- **Capacity**
  - Change 5.4 US qt (5.1 ℓ)
  - Change including filter 5.7 US qt (5.4 ℓ)

### Engine Coolant

- **Specified**
  - Acura Long Life Antifreeze/Coolant Type 2
  - Ratio 50/50 with distilled water

- **Capacity**
  - (change including the remaining 0.22 US gal (0.82 ℓ) in the reserve tank)

### Tire

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*1: Model with 18 inch wheel

*2: Model with 20 inch wheel

* Not available on all models
Identification Numbers

Vehicle Identification Number (VIN), Engine Number, and Transmission Number

Your vehicle has a 17-digit vehicle identification number (VIN) used to register your vehicle for warranty purposes, and for licensing and insuring your vehicle. The locations of your vehicle’s VIN, engine number, and transmission number are shown as follows.

The interior vehicle identification number (VIN) is located under the cover.
Devices that Emit Radio Waves

The following products and systems on your vehicle emit radio waves when in operation.

- AcuraLink*
- Audio System
- Blind Spot Information System*
- Bluetooth® Audio
- Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®
- HomeLink® Universal Transceiver
- Collision Mitigation Braking System™*
- Immobilizer System
- Remote Transmitter
- Keyless Access System
- Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS)
- Remote Engine Start with Vehicle Feedback*

Each of the above complies with the appropriate requirements or the required standards of FCC (Federal Communications Commission) and Industry Canada Standard, described below:

As required by the FCC:
This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

* Not available on all models
Reporting Safety Defects

In the U.S.
If you believe that your vehicle has a defect which could cause a crash or could cause injury or death, you should immediately inform the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) in addition to notifying American Honda Motor Co., Inc.

If NHTSA receives similar complaints, it may open an investigation, and if it finds that a safety defect exists in a group of vehicles, it may order a recall and remedy campaign. However, NHTSA cannot become involved in individual problems between you, your dealer, or American Honda Motor Co., Inc.

To contact NHTSA, you may call the Vehicle Safety Hotline toll-free at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); go to http://www.safercar.gov; or write to: Administrator, NHTSA, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590. You can also obtain other information about motor vehicle safety from http://www.safercar.gov.

In Canada
If you believe that your vehicle has a defect which could cause a crash or could cause injury or death, you should immediately inform Honda Canada Inc. and you may also inform Transport Canada.

If Transport Canada receives similar complaints, it may open an investigation, and if it finds that a safety defect exists in a group of vehicles, it may lead to a recall and remedy campaign. However, Transport Canada cannot become involved in individual problems between you, your dealer, or Honda Canada Inc.

To contact Transport Canada’s Defect Investigations and Recalls Division, you may call 1-800-333-0510. For more information on reporting safety defects or about motor vehicle safety, go to http://www.tc.gc.ca/roadsafety.
Emissions Testing

Testing of Readiness Codes

Your vehicle has readiness codes as part of the onboard self diagnostic system. Some States use these codes for testing to verify whether your vehicle’s emissions components are working properly. The codes may not be read properly if testing is performed just after the battery has gone dead or been disconnected.

To check if they are set, set the power mode to ON, without starting the engine. The malfunction indicator lamp will come on for several seconds. If it then goes off, the readiness codes are set. If it blinks five times, the readiness codes are not set.

If you are required to have your vehicle tested before the readiness codes are ready, prepare the vehicle for retesting by doing the following:

1. Fill the gas tank to approximately 3/4 full.
2. Park the vehicle and leave the engine off for 6 hours or more.
3. Make sure the ambient temperature is between 40°F and 95°F (4°C and 35°C).
4. Start the engine without touching the accelerator pedal, and let it idle for 20 seconds.
5. Keep the vehicle in **P**. Increase the engine speed to 2,000 rpm, and hold it there for about 3 minutes.
6. Let the engine idle with your foot off the accelerator for 20 seconds.

The readiness codes are erased when the battery is disconnected, and set again only after several days of driving under a variety of conditions.

If a testing facility determines that the readiness codes are not set, you may be requested to return at a later date to complete the test.

If the testing facility determines the readiness codes are still not set, see a dealer.
Emissions Testing

Testing of Readiness Codes

7. Select a nearby, lightly traveled major highway where you can maintain a speed of 50 to 60 mph (80 to 97 km/h) for at least 20 minutes. Drive on the highway in **D**. Do not use cruise control. When traffic allows, drive for 90 seconds without moving the accelerator pedal. (Vehicle speed may vary slightly; this is okay.) If you cannot do this for a continuous 90 seconds because of traffic conditions, drive for at least 30 seconds, then repeat it two more times (for a total of 90 seconds).

8. Drive in city or suburban traffic for at least 10 minutes. When traffic conditions allow, let the vehicle coast for several seconds without using the accelerator pedal or the brake pedal.

9. Park the vehicle and leave the engine off for 30 minutes.
Warranty Coverages

U.S. Owners
Your new vehicle is covered by these warranties:

*New Vehicle Limited Warranty* – covers your new vehicle, except for the emissions control systems and accessories, against defects in materials and workmanship.

*Emissions Control Systems Defects Warranty and Emissions Performance Warranty* – these two warranties cover your vehicle’s emissions control systems. Time, mileage, and coverage are conditional. Please read your warranty booklet for exact information.

*Seat Belt Limited Warranty* – a seat belt that fails to function properly is covered by a limited warranty. Please read your warranty booklet for details.

*Rust Perforation Limited Warranty* – all exterior body panels are covered against rusting from the inside out for the specified time period, regardless of mileage.

*Accessory Limited Warranty* – Acura accessories are covered under this warranty. Time and mileage limits depend on the type of accessory and other factors. Please read your warranty booklet for details.

*Replacement Parts Limited Warranty* – covers all Acura replacement parts against defects in materials and workmanship.
Replacement Battery Limited Warranty – provides prorated coverage for a replacement battery purchased from your dealer.

Replacement Muffler Lifetime Limited Warranty – provides coverage for as long as the purchaser of the muffler owns the vehicle.

Restrictions and exclusions apply to all these warranties. Please read the Acura warranty information booklet that came with your vehicle for precise information on warranty coverages. Your vehicle’s original tires are covered by their manufacturer. Tire warranty information is in a separate booklet.

■ Canadian Owners
Please refer to the warranty manual that came with your vehicle.

■ EPA Contact Information
An owner may obtain further information concerning emission warranties or report violations of the terms of the emission warranties by contacting:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Office of Transportation and Air Quality
Compliance Division, Light-Duty Vehicle Group
Attn: Warranty Complaints
2000 Traverwood Drive
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
Email: complianceinfo@epa.gov
Authorized Manuals

■ Service Express
For electronic copies of service publications, you can purchase a subscription to Service Express. Visit www.techinfo.honda.com for pricing and options.

■ For U.S. Owners
Manuals can be purchased from Helm Incorporated. You can order a manual by phone at (800) 782-4356 (credit card orders only), or online at www.helminc.com.

■ For Canadian Owners
Please contact a dealer to order any manuals that you may require.
Client Service Information

Acura dealership personnel are trained professionals who should be able to deal with any problems you may encounter with your vehicle. If, however, you are faced with a problem that they cannot resolve to your satisfaction, contact Acura Client Relations/Services.

U.S. Owners
American Honda Motor Co., Inc.
Acura Client Relations
Mail Stop 500-2N-7E
1919 Torrance Blvd.
Torrance, CA 90501-2746
Tel: (800) 382-2238

Canadian Owners
Honda Canada Inc.
Acura Client Services
180 Honda Boulevard
Markham, ON
L6C 0H9
Tel: 1-888-9-ACURA-9
Fax: 1-877-939-0909
E-mail: acura_cr@ch.honda.com

In Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands
Bella International
P.O. Box 190816
San Juan, PR 00919-0816
Tel: (787) 620-7546

When you call or write, please give us the following information:

- Vehicle Identification Number (VIN), Engine Number, and Transmission Number
- Date of purchase
- Odometer reading of your vehicle
- Your name, address, and telephone number
- A detailed description of the problem
- Name of the dealer who sold the vehicle to you
Requirements to access Pandora®

- Latest version of the Pandora app installed on your Android, Blackberry, or iPhone.
- Registered Pandora account (you can create a free account at www.pandora.com or on your smartphone)
- Connection to the internet via WiFi or cellular data network.

Limitations

- Access to Pandora requires an active internet connection
- Ability to access Pandora through this system is subject to change without notice
- Certain functionality of Pandora service is not available when accessing the service through this system including, but not limited to, creating new stations, deleting stations, emailing current stations, buying songs, viewing additional text information, logging in to Pandora, and adjusting Cell Network Audio Quality.

Pandora internet radio is a music service not affiliated with HONDA. More information is available at http://www.pandora.com. Pandora, the Pandora logo, and the Pandora trade dress are trademarks or registered trademarks of Pandora Media, Inc., used with permission.

- Mobile access requires a smartphone with an active data plan. Standard data rates may apply.
- Pandora is only available in the United States.

* Not available on all models
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