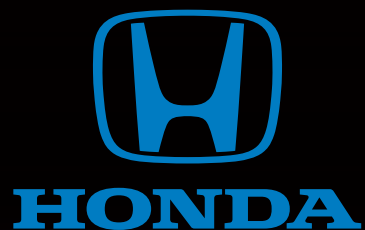


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The Technology Reference Guide is designed to help you get acquainted with your new Honda and provide basic instructions on some of the technology items. This guide covers the Odyssey LX and EX trim levels.

This guide is not intended as a substitute for the Owner's Manual. For complete information on vehicle controls and operation, please refer to the respective sections in the Owner's Manual.

*Odyssey LX shown on cover*



*EX shown*

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## AUTO DOOR LOCKS

### Default Lock/Unlock Setting

#### Default Lock Setting

All doors and the tailgate are preset to lock when your vehicle reaches about 10 mph.



#### Default Unlock Setting

Only the driver's door is preset to unlock when you shift into Park (P).



EX shown

Program how and when the vehicle doors automatically lock and unlock.

### Programming the Auto Door Unlock Setting

To program all doors and the tailgate to unlock when you shift to Park:

1. **Close** the driver's door. **Shift** into Park.



2. **Turn** the ignition switch to ON (II).



3. **Press and hold** the unlock side of the master lock switch for about 10 seconds. In that time, you will hear three clicks.



4. Within 5 seconds, **turn** the ignition switch to LOCK (0).



### Programmable Auto Door Lock/Unlock Settings

Below are the options you can choose. See *Auto Door Locking/Unlocking* in your owner's manual for instructions on programming these settings.

#### AUTO DOOR LOCK

##### Auto Lock



When you reach 10 mph



When you shift out of Park

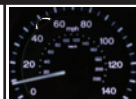
##### Turn off Auto Lock



Operate manually

#### AUTO DOOR UNLOCK

##### Auto Unlock (all doors)



When you turn the ignition OFF



When you shift into Park

##### Auto Unlock (only driver's door)



When you turn the ignition OFF



When you shift into Park

##### Turn off Auto Unlock



Operate manually













## INSTRUMENT PANEL INDICATORS

Briefly appear with each engine start. Red and amber indicators are most critical. Blue and green indicators are used for general information.



### Malfunction Indicators





If an indicator remains on, there may be a problem; see your dealer

 Charging system	 DRL (daytime running lights)
 BRAKE Low brake fluid, brake system	 ABS (anti-lock brake system)
 Low oil pressure	 Malfunction lamp (check engine light)
 SRS (supplemental restraint system)	 VSA (vehicle stability assist)
 TAIL GATE Power tailgate	 TPMS (tire pressure monitoring system)
 SLIDE DOOR Power sliding door*	 STARTER SYSTEM Starter system

\*EX only

### Condition Indicators

Action is needed by driver

 BRAKE Parking brake on: Release	 Seat belt reminder: Fasten seat belt(s)
 Door/Tailgate open: Close door(s)/tailgate	 Low fuel: Refill



Maintenance Minder™:  
**Make dealer appointment**



Low tire pressure:  
**Add air**

### On/Off Indicators



PASSENGER AIRBAG **OFF**  
(located on center panel)



Fuel economy **on**



SIDE AIRBAG **OFF**



Immobilizer  
Flashes: improperly coded key;  
**use correct key**



VSA **OFF**



Headlights **on**



CRUISE MAIN **on**



Turn signals/hazards **on**



CRUISE CONTROL **on**

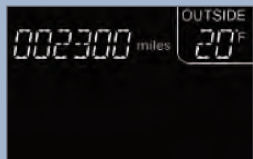
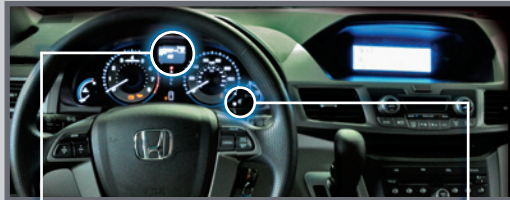


High beams **on**

## INFORMATION DISPLAY

Consists of several displays that provide you with useful information.

### Accessing the Information Display



When you start the engine, the display shows your last active selection from the previous drive cycle.



To toggle between the different displays, **press and release** the select/reset knob repeatedly.

### Information Displays

Odometer,  
Outside  
temperature\*



Fuel range,  
Instant fuel  
economy



Oil life



Trip meter,  
Average fuel  
economy



\*EX only

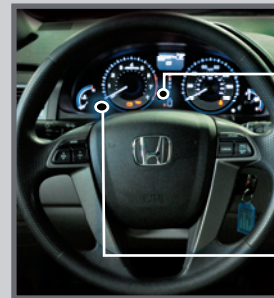
## TIRE PRESSURE MONITORING SYSTEM (TPMS)

Monitors the vehicle's tire pressures.

### How It Works



Each tire valve stem contains a TPMS sensor.



When the tire pressure drops significantly below recommended levels, the low tire pressure indicator comes on.

**TPMS**

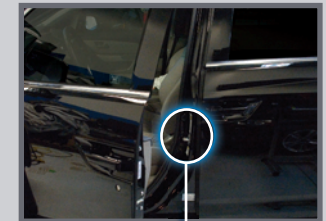
If the TPMS indicator appears, there may be a problem with the system. See your dealer.

### What to Do

1. **Visually inspect** the tires for damage.
2. **Use** a tire air pressure gauge to check which tire(s) have low pressure.



3. **Inflate** the tire(s), if necessary, to the recommended pressures listed on the label on the driver's doorjamb.

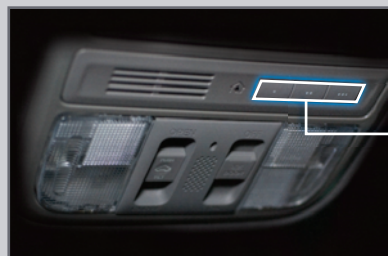




## HOMELINK® (EX ONLY)

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.

### Training a Button



**1** Position the remote transmitter you wish to link 1–3 inches from the HomeLink button you want to program.

**2** Press and hold the desired HomeLink button and the button on the remote transmitter.  
*Does the HomeLink indicator (LED) blink at a faster rate after about 10 seconds?*

NO

YES

**a** Press and hold the button on the remote and the HomeLink button at the same time. Then, while continuing to hold the HomeLink button, **press and release** the button on the remote every 2 seconds.  
*Does the LED blink at a faster rate within 20 seconds?*

NO

YES

**3** Press and hold the programmed HomeLink button for about a second.  
*Does the device (garage door opener) work?*

NO

YES

**4** Press and hold the HomeLink button again.

**Training complete**

HomeLink indicator flashes for 2 seconds, then remains on.

HomeLink LED remains on.

**a** The remote has a rolling code. Press the “learn” button on the remote-controlled device (e.g., garage door opener).

**b** Within 30 seconds, **press and hold** the programmed HomeLink button for 2 seconds.

**5** Press the programmed HomeLink button again; the remote-controlled device should operate.

If you have any problems programming HomeLink, see the owner’s manual included with the device you are trying to program, call HomeLink at (800) 355-3515, or visit [www.homelink.com](http://www.homelink.com).

## CD LIBRARY (EX ONLY)

Store up to 18 audio CDs in the system memory.

### Recording an Audio CD

**1. Insert** an audio CD.



**2.** The system asks if you want to record the CD to memory. **Select Yes or No.**



**3. Choose** the location to store the CD.

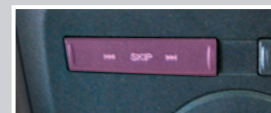


**4.** The CD records. If available, album information is displayed.



### Using the CD Library

**1. Press** the CDL button. The last album recorded begins playing.



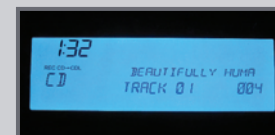
To change tracks, **press** the SKIP (⏮) or (⏭) button, or **rotate** the selector knob.

To change albums, **press** the CATEGORY (+) or (-) button.

**2.** To view the CD library, **press** LIST on the selector knob.



**3.** A list of recorded CDs appears. **Select** the album and track you want to hear.



## OWNER LINK

Owner Link allows you to explore features and technologies specific to your vehicle, schedule service appointments, obtain and update maintenance and service records, manage your financial services account, and access other useful information. Register at [www.owners.honda.com](http://www.owners.honda.com) to ensure that you continue to enjoy the experience of owning a Honda.

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**MEMBER LOGIN**

Registered with another Honda site?  
Log in with your username and password  
Note: Username and password are case sensitive.

Username:  Password:  [LOGIN](#)

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◆ = required field

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◆ first name ◆ last name

◆ username ◆ password (min. 6 char.) ◆ confirm password

◆ email address

◆ confirm email address

VIN or Hull Identification Number (VIN)

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## SAFETY REMINDER

Your vehicle is equipped with airbags. Airbags do not replace seat belts; they add to the protection offered by seat belts. Airbags can help protect you in some types of collisions, but they do not provide protection in all collisions.

Always make sure you and your passengers wear seat belts, and that young children are properly secured in a child seat or booster in the rear seat. Never place an infant seat in the front passenger's seat as the force of a deploying airbag can seriously injure an infant.

## FUEL RECOMMENDATION

- Only use unleaded gasoline of 87 octane or higher.
- Some gasoline in North America contains MMT, a manganese-based fuel additive. Prolonged and consistent use of gasoline containing MMT can deteriorate your vehicle's performance, fuel economy, and the emission control system. Always use MMT-free gasoline if available. Failures caused by use of gasoline containing MMT may not be covered under warranty.
- "TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline" meets a new gasoline standard jointly established by leading automotive manufacturers to meet the needs of today's advanced engines. In most cases, qualifying gasoline retailers will 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. This helps avoid build-up of deposits in your engine and emission control system. Because the level of detergency and harmful metallic additives (such as MMT) in gasoline vary in the market, Honda endorses the use of "TOP TIER Detergent Gasoline" where available to help maintain the performance and reliability of your vehicle. For more information, visit [www.toptiergas.com](http://www.toptiergas.com).
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