

Sliding Doors

Your Honda is equipped with dual sliding doors. The doors on the LX model are manually operated. The EX model's doors are electrically-powered and can be operated with the remote transmitter, the door handles, or the switches on the dashboard.

Be sure all passengers are clear of the sliding doors before closing them.

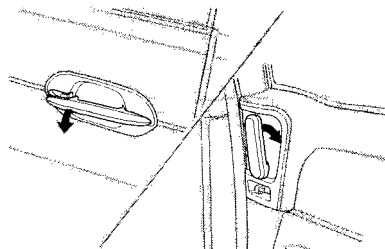
WARNING

Closing a manual or power sliding door while any part of a passenger is in the door's path can cause serious injury.

Make sure all passengers are clear of the doorway before closing a sliding door.

Manual Sliding Doors

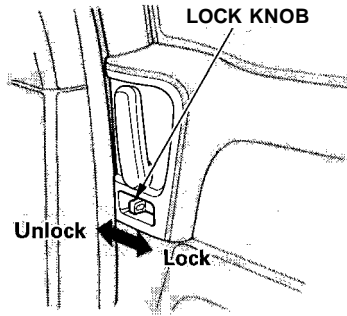
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INSIDE

On LX model

To open a manual sliding door, pull the inside or outside door handle and slide the door backward. It will latch in the fully-open position. To close the door, pull either handle and slide the door closed. Make sure the door is closed and latched securely before driving.



Each sliding door has a lock knob under the inside door handle. Slide the lock knob forward to unlock and backward to lock.

When you drive with children in your vehicle, use the childproof door locks. This will prevent children from opening the doors accidentally (see page 85).

To lock a sliding door when getting out of the vehicle, slide the lock knob backward and close the door. If you are parked on a hill, the doors may slide closed if they are not in the fully-open, latched position. You should hold the door to let passengers enter and exit safely.

Before refueling, make sure the driver's side sliding door is fully closed. When you release the fuel fill door with the handle, the sliding door automatically locks so it cannot be opened and interfere with the fuel fill door. After you close the fuel fill door, the sliding door does not automatically unlock; you must unlock it manually.

Important Safety Precaution

- When parking on an incline, make sure the manual doors are latched in the fully-open position before allowing passengers to enter or exit the vehicle. Do not pull the inside or outside door handles or the latch will open and the door will slam shut.

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Power Sliding Doors

On EX model

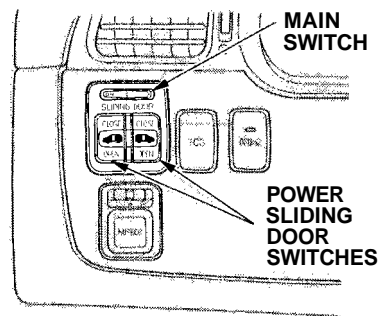
The sliding doors on your vehicle are electrically-powered. You can open or close each power sliding door with the switches on the dashboard, with the inside or outside door handles, or with the remote transmitter.

The power sliding doors operate with the ignition switch in any position. In addition:

- The shift lever must be in Park.
- The MAIN switch on the dashboard must be in the ON position.
- The sliding door you want to operate must be unlocked.
- To open the door with the inside handle, the childproof door lock on the door you want to operate must be unlocked (see page 85).

You should close each sliding door before you start driving.

Power Sliding Door Switches



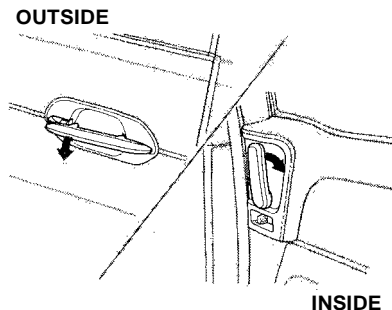
The dashboard switches to the left of the steering column allow you to open or close each sliding door. The left switch controls the sliding door on the left side and the right switch controls the sliding door on the right side.

To close a sliding door, push the top of the appropriate switch, then release it. To open the door, push and release the bottom of the switch.

The MAIN switch on the dashboard controls door operation. With the MAIN switch off, automatic operation with the power sliding door switches, the door handles, and the remote transmitter is disabled.

When the MAIN switch is off, you can operate each sliding door manually. To open or close a door, pull the inside or outside door handle and slide the door.

Operating with the Door Handles



With the sliding door fully-closed or fully-opened, pull the outside or inside door handle and release it. The sliding door will open or close automatically.

Operating with the Remote Transmitter

You can open or close the sliding doors with the remote transmitter. See page [82](#) for remote transmitter operation.

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Stopping Power Sliding Door Movement

To stop automatic operation:

- Push either side of the dashboard power sliding door switch for the moving door.
- Push the button on the remote transmitter for the moving door. If you push the same button a second time, the door reverses direction.

When you stop automatic operation with the dashboard switch or the remote transmitter, you will hear three beeps.

If you try to open a locked sliding door with the power sliding door switch or the remote transmitter, you will hear three beeps. Unlock the door, then try again.

If you shift out of Park while a door is opening, you will hear a continuous tone and the door will stop moving. If you keep driving with the door open, the tone continues until you stop and close the door.

If you shift out of Park while a door is closing, the door will close completely. You will hear a beep until the door is completely closed.

When parked on steep hills, the power sliding doors may not open or close as they do normally.

If a power sliding door runs into any obstacle while it is closing, the door will stop, and then reverse direction. You will hear three beeps.

Even with this safety feature, you should still check that all passengers and objects are away from the sliding doors before closing them as this feature stops working when the door is almost closed.

Before refueling, make sure the driver's side sliding door is fully closed. When you release the fuel fill door with the handle, the sliding door automatically locks so it cannot be opened and interfere with the fuel fill door. After you close the fuel fill door, the sliding door does not automatically unlock; you must unlock it manually.

When you drive with children in your vehicle, use the childproof door locks. This will prevent children from opening the doors accidentally (see page 85).

How to Reset the Power Sliding Doors

If your vehicle's battery is disconnected or goes dead while the sliding doors are open, the power sliding door system needs to be synchronized. After reconnecting the battery:

- Close each sliding door completely by hand; or
- Move the MAIN switch on the dashboard to the ON position. Push and hold the upper side of each door switch until each sliding door closes completely.

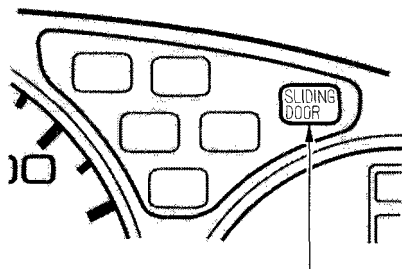
If the power sliding doors are closed, the system will reset itself automatically once the battery has been reconnected.

If the power sliding doors do not operate properly after resetting, have your vehicle checked by a Honda dealer.

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Power Sliding Door Indicator



POWER SLIDING DOOR INDICATOR

If the Power Sliding Door Indicator comes on and stays on, it indicates a problem in the system. Turn the MAIN switch off to turn off the indicator. You will have to open and close the doors manually. Have the system inspected by your Honda dealer as soon as possible.

Important Safety Precautions

- If you are parked on a steep downhill, make sure the MAIN switch is on. This allows the power assist to keep the doors from slamming shut.

If the MAIN switch is off, the door can slam shut and possibly injure someone.