Your Honda is equipped with dual power sliding doors. The doors on the EX and EX-L models 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 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.

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 98).

Make sure both sliding doors are closed before you start driving.

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, you will hear a beep until the power sliding door closes completely.

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Power Sliding Doors (EX, EX-L Models)

About the Main Switch

The MAIN switch on the dashboard controls electrical power to the sliding doors. During normal operation, leave the MAIN switch in the ON position.

When the MAIN switch is off, the electrical power is off and you will not be able to use the dashboard switches or the remote transmitter to open or close the power sliding doors.

Operating the Doors With the Dashboard 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.

When the MAIN switch is off, you must operate each sliding door manually. To open or close a door, pull the inside or outside door handle and slide the door. The door will be difficult to move; this is normal. Do not use force or try to move the door rapidly, you could damage the motor.
To open a door, make sure the door is unlocked. Then push and release the bottom of the switch. If you forget to unlock the door first, you will hear three beeps. Unlock the door and try again.

To close a sliding door, push and release the top of the appropriate switch.

To stop the power sliding door’s movement, push either the top or the bottom of the appropriate switch. The door will stop, and you will hear three beeps.

To start the door moving again, push the switch again: bottom to open, or top to close.

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**Operating the Doors With the Remote Transmitter**

You can open or close each sliding door with the remote transmitter. The right button controls the passenger’s side sliding door, and the left button controls the driver’s side sliding door.

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To open a sliding door, make sure the door is unlocked. Then press the appropriate button for at least two seconds. If you forget to unlock the door first, you will hear three beeps. Unlock the door and try again.

To close a sliding door, press the appropriate button for at least two seconds.

To stop the power sliding door’s movement, push the appropriate door button on the remote transmitter. The door will stop, and you will hear three beeps.

If you push the same button again, the door will reverse direction.

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Each power sliding door has an auto-reverse feature. If a door meets resistance while closing, it will beep three times and automatically reverse direction. However, the door may not immediately reverse direction (like some elevator doors), and the force of a closing door may cause bruising or discomfort. Always make sure passengers and any objects are well away from the power sliding doors before closing them.

With the sliding door fully-closed or fully-open, pull the outside or inside door handle, then release it.

Once the door begins to move, the door handles cannot be used to stop the door. If you need to stop the door for any reason, use the dashboard switches or the remote transmitter.

Each sliding door has a lock knob under the inside door handle. Slide the lock knob forward to unlock, and backward to lock the doors. You can also use the lock and unlock buttons on the remote transmitter.

When you drive with children in your vehicle, use the childproof door locks (see page 98). This will prevent children from opening the doors accidentally.

Also check that passengers, especially children, do not have their hands on the edge of the sliding door or on the door pillar. The auto-reverse feature stops working when the door is about to latch so the motor can pull the door shut.
If a person or object is in the way after the door begins to close, the door handles cannot be used to stop the door. To stop the door, use the dashboard switches or the remote transmitter.

**A Note About Refueling**
Before refueling, make sure the driver’s side sliding door is fully closed. When you release the fuel fill door, the driver’s side sliding door automatically locks so it cannot open and interfere with the fuel door. If a passenger attempts to unlock the door by cycling the lock knob several times, the door may unlock and can be opened.

If a passenger needs to get out of the vehicle while you are refueling, instruct that person to exit on the passenger’s side, not the driver’s side.

After you close the fuel fill door, the sliding door does not automatically unlock. You must unlock it manually.

**Parking Facing Downhill**
When parking facing downhill on a steep grade, the power sliding doors may not open or close as they do normally.

- Make sure the MAIN switch is in the ON position. 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.

- Make sure the power sliding doors are latched in the fully-open position, then hold the door open while allowing your passengers to enter or exit the vehicle. Do not pull the inside or outside door handle, or the latch will release and the door will close.

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How to Reset the Power Sliding Doors
If your vehicle’s battery is disconnected or goes dead while a sliding door is open, the power sliding door system needs to be reset. 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 top 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.

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. Have the system inspected by your Honda dealer as soon as possible.