2013 TSX Navigation Online Reference Manual

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Accessories Precautions

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

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

Important Safety Information

⚠ WARNING

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

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

Navigation Key

QRG Quick Reference Guide

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Home Book Table of Contents

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

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

Route guidance may conflict with street closures, road construction, detours, and out-of-date map data.

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

System Limitations P. 224

NOTICE

Clean the screen with a soft, damp cloth. You may use a mild cleaner intended for use on navigation screens.

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Overview—Functions at a Glance

Navigation

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

Store home addresses P.41

Register ***2*** home addresses.

Store contacts P.37

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

Enter destination P.68

Select your destination using ***12*** methods.

Select route P.92

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

Track route P.93

Follow your route in real-time with voice guidance.

Subscription service

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P.119

Bypass congestion and traffic incidents.

AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P.114

Access weather information.

Avoid certain areas P.122

Set streets and areas to detour around.

Add waypoints P.123

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

Audio

The advanced audio system provides clear, well-defined sound and makes the most of your music. Enjoy listening to a variety of audio sources, such as:

AM/FM Radio P.136
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Compact Disc P.145
Hard Disk Drive (HDD) P.149
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USB Flash Drive P.164
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AcuraLink®

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

AcuraLink Messages P.194

Display messages from Acura, tips, and other information.

Voice Control P.22

Use voice commands for safer system control while driving. You can operate all key functions of the navigation, audio, *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® and climate control systems.

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® P.174

Pair a compatible cell phone to receive incoming and make outgoing calls. You can operate the phone features without ever taking your hands off the wheel.

Other Features

Rearview Camera P.208

Helps you check for obstacles around the rear of your vehicle on the navigation screen when reversing.

System Controls

1. FM/AM Button P.136
2. Preset Buttons P.6
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23 **MODE Button** P171

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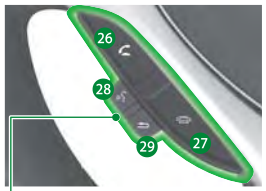


26 (Pick-Up) Button P188

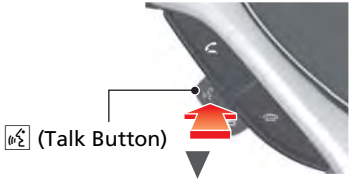
27 (Hang-Up) Button P188

28 (Talk) Button P5

29 (Back) Button

Voice Control Operation

1 Press and release the (Talk) button.



A helpful prompt asks what you would like to do. Press and release the (Talk) button again to bypass this prompt.

The icon is displayed and the system beeps when ready for a command. Press the (Back) button to cancel.

Available voice commands are highlighted on the screen.

2 Say a voice command.
Voice Comand Index P235

The audio system is muted during voice control mode.

Carefully read the usage note for the voice control. **Voice Control System** P22

Voice Help

This navigation system comes with Voice Help information, which tells you how to use the voice command functions.

Go to Voice Help for tips when using the voice command functions.

1 Press the INFO/PHONE button.

2 Rotate to select **Voice Help**.
Press .

Audio System

You can play music from a wide array of media sources. You can also control the audio system using voice commands.

Basic Operation

❶ Press the VOL (Volume/Power) knob to turn the audio system on/off.

❷ Select the audio source.

❸ Rotate the VOL (Volume/Power) knob to adjust the volume.

Audio Buttons

TITLE
Displays track title, artist, and other text information, if available.

♪/◁
Bass, treble, and balance settings.

1 to 6
Preset stations (FM/AM) and channels (XM).

SKIP
Finds stations with strong signal (FM/AM).
Skip to start/end of tracks, or press and hold to fast reverse/forward (Disc).

SCAN
Plays 10-second sample of each station (FM/AM), channel (XM), or track (Disc).
Press again to play the current selection.

A.SEL
Scans and automatically stores the strongest FM/AM station in each preset.

TUNE
Tunes to next frequency (FM/AM) or channel (XM).
Fast-reverse/forward.

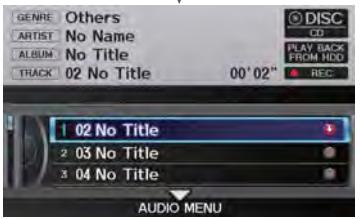
CATEGORY
Selects next category (XM) or next folder (WMA, MP3, AAC).

Loading a Disc

❶ Press the DISC/HDD button.

❷ Insert a disc into the disc slot.
The disc automatically starts playing.

❸ Press the AUDIO button to display the audio screen.



Select an audio source (e.g., FM/AM) to stop the disc.
Press the ⏏ (Eject) button to remove the disc. If you eject but do not remove the disc, the disc automatically reloads after a few seconds.

Audio Control Display

Press the AUDIO button to display the audio system on the navigation screen.

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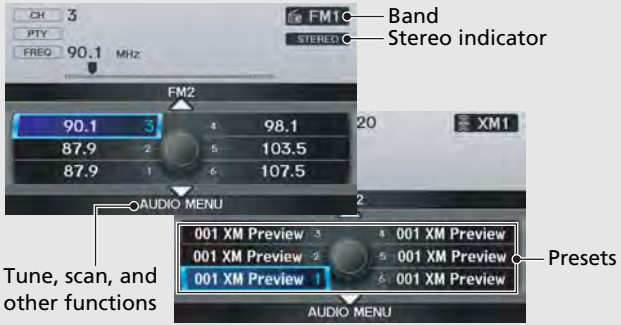

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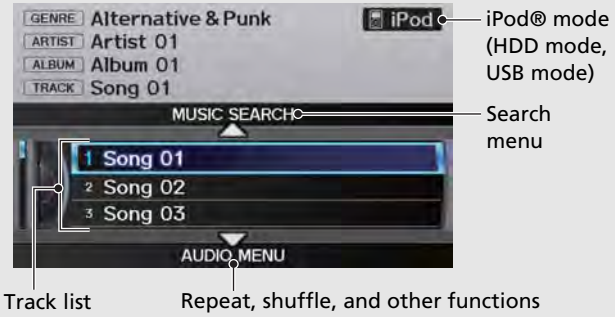

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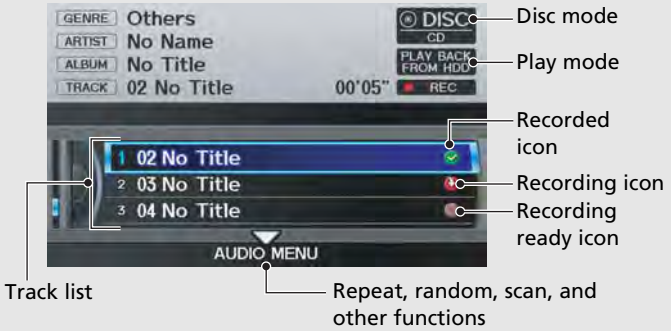

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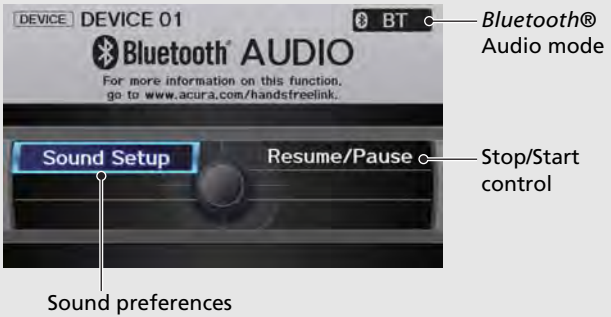


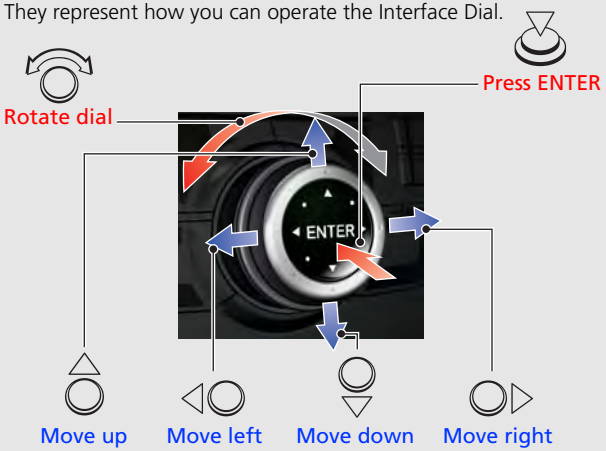
Interface Dial/ENTER Button Operation

Rotate dial

Changes scale
Map screens

Highlights menu options
Menu screens

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



Move
up down left right

Scrolls map (8 directions)
Menu screens

Selects labeled function
Menu screens

Press ENTER

Selects function
Selects map icon
Map screens

Selecting Icon

Selects highlighted option
Menu screens

How to Enter Information

You can enter information (e.g., city names, street names, personal names, and business names comprising letters, numbers, and symbols) when prompted on input screens by two different methods.

Using Voice Control

When you see in this manual, voice commands are available for that feature.

- Say the letter, number, or symbol (e.g., say *"A"*).
- Use spelling assist (e.g., say *"Alpha"* to enter the letter "A" or *"Hyphen"* to enter a hyphen).
- The system beeps if you say an unavailable (grayed out) letter or number.
- If a voice command is not recognized, a list is displayed with possible options.

On list screens:

- Say the number of the list item (e.g., say *"Five"* to select item 5).
- Say *"Up"* or *"Previous"* to scroll up one page.
- Say *"Down"* or *"Next"* to scroll down one page.

Using the Interface Dial

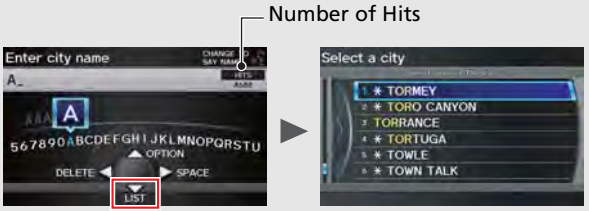
Rotate to highlight a character.

The # (pound symbol) or @ (at symbol) displays symbols.

- Move to select **OPTION** to display accented and upper/lower case characters.

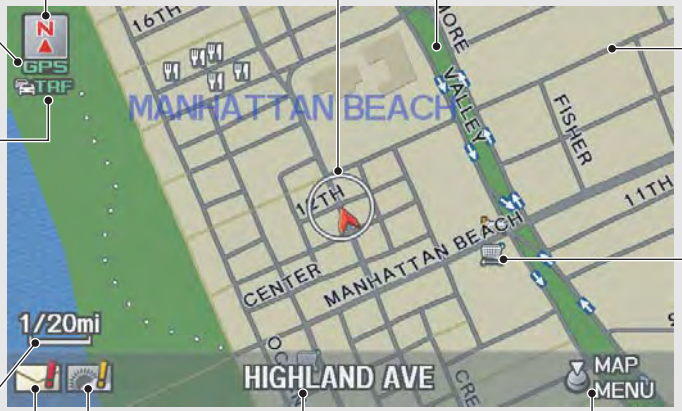
Press to enter the highlighted character.

- Move to select **SPACE** to enter a space character.
- Move to select **DELETE** to remove the last entered character.



On input search screens, the number of hits in the map database is displayed. Move to select **LIST** to display a list of possible entries.

Map Screen Legend



Map orientation P.108
- North up
- Heading up

GPS signal strength
- Best reception
- Good reception
- No icon: Poor/No reception

Traffic status indicator P.119
- Traffic information available
- Flow or incident data not available
- Traffic information not available
- Traffic information off or map scale too large
- No icon: Out of coverage area

Current map scale

Message icon P.194

Weather warning icon P.116

Current vehicle position P.109

Current street name

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Map scale P.111

Feature areas
- Park
- Hospital
- Shopping Mall
- Golf Course
- Airport/Business
- Water Area
- Cemetery
- University

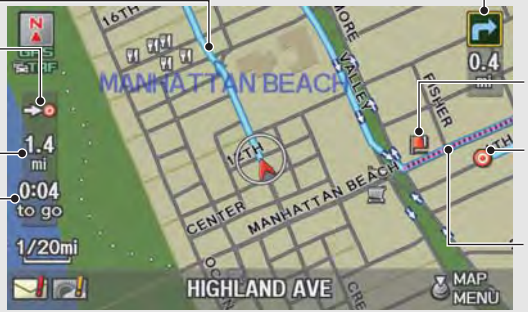
Streets
- Freeways
- State routes
- Verified streets
- Unverified streets
- One-way streets

Landmark icons P.106
- Acura dealer
- Honda dealer
- ATM
- School
- Parking lot
- Parking garage
- Grocery store
- Hotel/Lodging
- Gas station
- Hospital
- Post office
- Restaurant
- Freeway exit information

During Route Guidance

During route guidance, route information is displayed on the map screen and guidance screen.
Press the MAP/GUIDE button to toggle between the map and guidance screen.

Map Screen



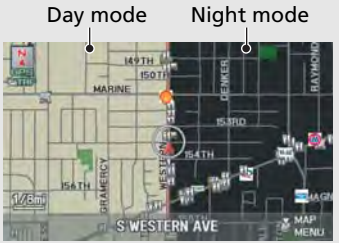
Guidance Screen

Map Menu

Contains map or routing options.

Day or Night Mode

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



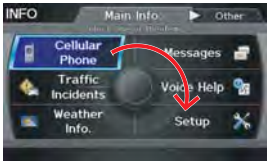
Navigation—Home Addresses and Going Home

The "Home" feature automatically routes you to your home address from any location simply by selecting Go Home 1 or 2, or saying "*Go Home.*" You can store two home addresses as **Home Address 1** and **Home Address 2**. P.41

Storing Your Home Address

1. Press the INFO/PHONE button.

2. Rotate to select **Setup**. Press.



3. Rotate to select **Personal Information**. Press.
4. Rotate to select **Home Address 1**. Press.
5. Rotate to select **Edit Name**. Press.

6. Enter a name.

7. Rotate to select **Edit Address**. Press.
8. Rotate to select **Address**. Press.
9. Enter an address.
10. Rotate to select **Edit Phone No**. Press.
11. Enter a phone number.

12. Move to select **OK**.

Going Home

1. Press the MENU button.

2. Rotate to select **Go Home 1**. Press.

Alternatively, you can say "*Go Home*" from any screen. Your home address is displayed on the Calculate Route screen.

3. Move to select **OK**.

- The following voice commands are available: say "*Go Home*," "*Go Home 1*," "*Go Home 2*."
- If you have two home addresses stored, saying "*Go Home*" will select **Home Address 1**.

Navigation—Entering a Destination

Enter your destination using one of several methods, then follow route guidance on the map or guidance screen to your destination. You can also perform these steps using voice control.

1. Press the MENU button.

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

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

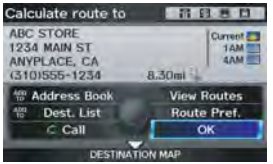
4. Enter the name of your destination street.

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

6. Enter the street number. Move to select **OK** when finished.

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

8. Rotate to select **OK**. Press. Route guidance to the destination begins.



- **Select View Routes**: Choose one of three routes.

- **Select Route Pref.**: Choose MAX or MIN for the four settings.

Navigation—Changing Route or Destination

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

Adding a Waypoint ("Pit Stop")

You can add up to four waypoints along your route. P.123

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select **Waypoint**. Press.

3. Rotate to select location and search method. Press.

- **SEARCH AROUND**: Search around a location.
- **SEARCH ALONG**: Search between two locations.

4. Select the icon category and location to add to the Destination List when prompted.
5. Move to select **OK**.

Changing Your Destination

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

- Say *"Find Nearest..."* P.128
  Searches for the nearest place/landmark on the map screen (e.g., *"Find nearest gas station"*).
- Say *"Go Home"* P.12
  Routes to your home address.
- Selecting an icon on the map P.129
  Scroll the map to position the cursor over a place/landmark icon or a new area on the map. Press twice.
- Entering a new destination P.130
  Press the MENU button. Move to select **Dest.MENU1/2** and enter a new destination.

Canceling Your Route

1. Press the MENU button.
2. Rotate to select **Cancel Route**. Press.

From the map screen:

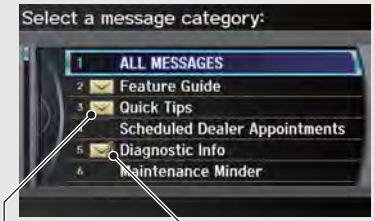
1. Press to select **Map Menu**.
2. Rotate to select **Cancel Route**. Press.

AcuraLink®

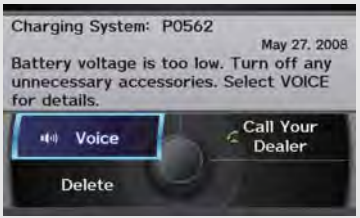
AcuraLink® Messages P.193

AcuraLink® provides a direct communication link between you and Acura. It sends and receives several kinds of messages through XM® Radio, including:

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



Example of an AcuraLink® Message



If you have linked your cell phone to the *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®, you can contact your Acura dealer from this screen.

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™

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

Traffic incident icons

- Congestion
- Accident/Incident
- Weather
- Construction
- Road Closed

Traffic flow indicator

- Heavy (0 – 27 mph)
- Moderate (27 – 52 mph)
- Free-flowing (52+ mph)

Traffic incident details

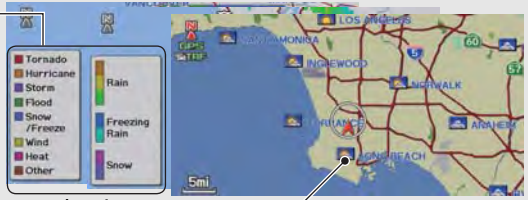
AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™

Displays continuously updated weather information and weather forecasts, and provides weather warnings along your route. P.114

Color index

- Tornado
- Hurricane
- Storm
- Flood
- Snow/Freeze
- Wind
- Heat
- Other

Rain / Freezing rain / Snow



Weather icons

- or Clear
- or Partly cloudy
- Cloudy
- Fog
- Rain
- Freezing rain
- Snow
- Possibility of lightning (e.g., rain and lightning)
- Possibility of high winds (e.g., rain and wind)

NOTE

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic and Weather are fee-based subscription services, with a complimentary 90-day trial upon first retail purchase.

Troubleshooting

For more Information P.209

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

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

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

A The "time to destination" is based on the posted road speed signs and your actual road speed to give you a better estimate of arrival time.

Q Why does my clock frequently change the time forward and backward by one hour?

A The clock setting is automatically updated based on your GPS location. If you normally drive between two time zones, the clock may keep adjusting the time. You can turn this feature off.

Clock Adjustment P. 58

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

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

Q How do I turn on the navigation system voice guidance?

A
1. Press the INFO/PHONE button. Rotate to select **Setup** and press . Check that **Volume** is not set to **OFF**.
2. Move to select **Other**, rotate to select **Basic Settings**, and press . Set **Voice Recognition Tutor** to **ON** if you want the system to provide confirmations and system prompts.

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

A Your vehicle comes with a card in the glove box that includes the 5-digit security code and serial number. You should keep this card in a safe place outside your vehicle. If you cannot find it, contact your dealer.

How to Use This Manual

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

Searching the Table of Contents

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Two types of Tables of Contents help you find your desired information.

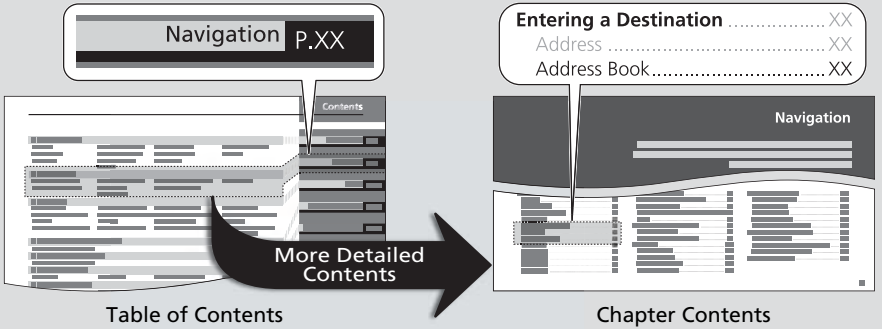

Table of Contents

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

Chapter Contents

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

Searching the Index

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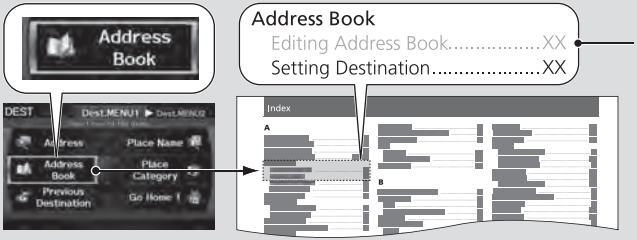
Menu items displayed on the navigation screen (e.g., Address Book) can be found individually in the Index.



Navigation Screen

Index

The Index consists of main terms and sub-entries. The sub-entries help you get to the desired page depending on what you are looking for.

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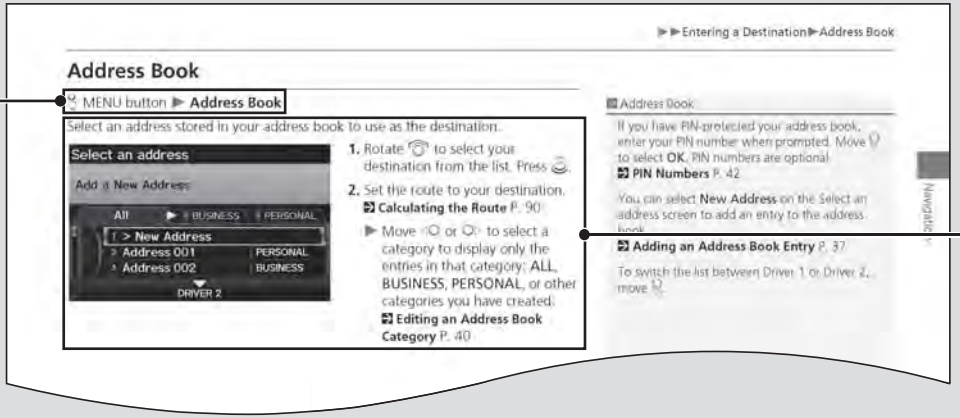


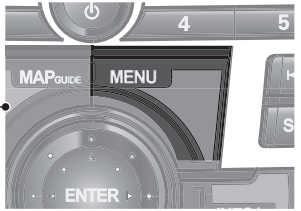
After following the menu tree, step-by-step instructions explain how to achieve the desired result.

Menu Tree

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

NOTE:
All menu options can also be activated with voice commands.

MENU button ▶ **Address Book**



Press the hard button on the system control panel.

Press the MENU button.

Select the menu option with the Interface Dial.

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

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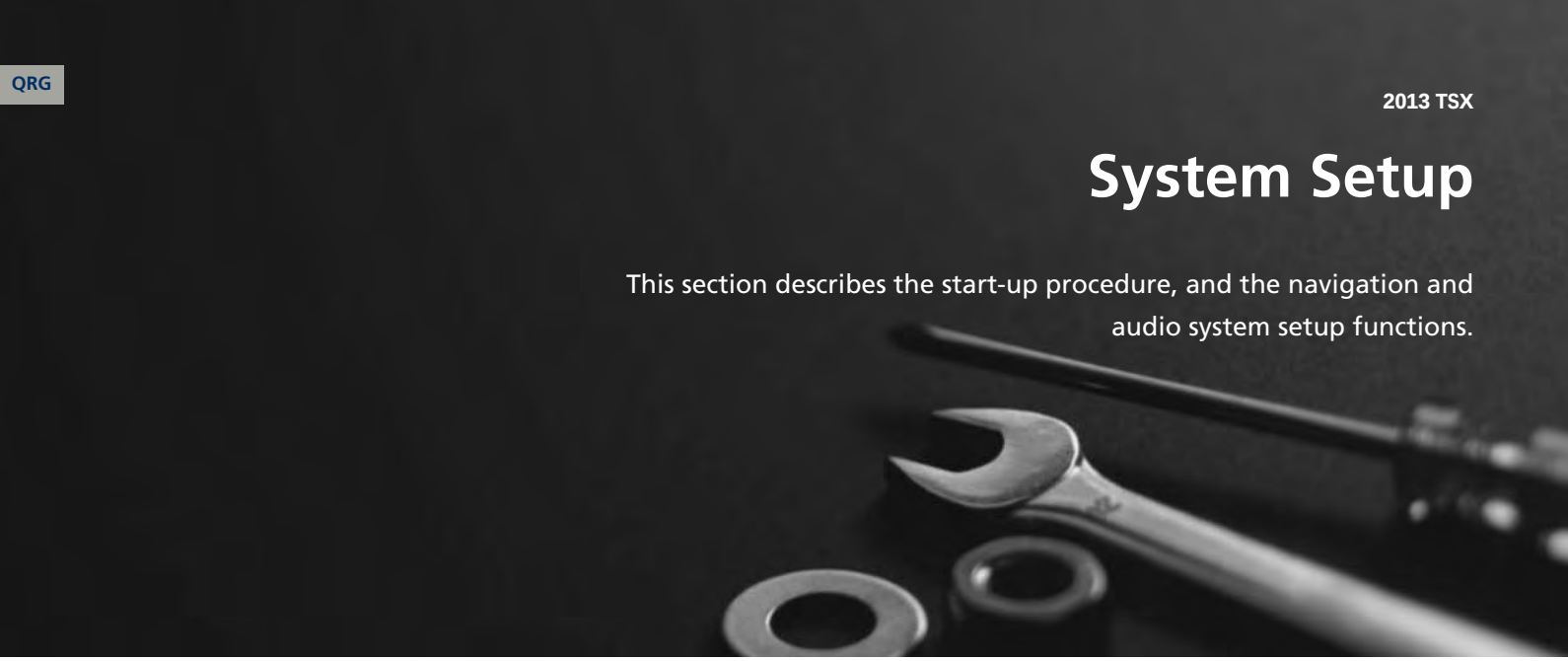
System Setup

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



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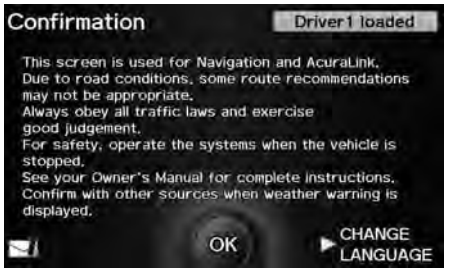
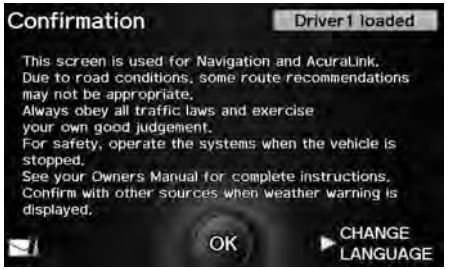
The navigation system starts automatically when you turn the ignition to ACCESSORY (I) or ON (II). At start-up, the following Confirmation screen is displayed.



1. Move ◯▷ to select **CHANGE LANGUAGE**.

▶ If you do not need to change the system language, proceed to step 3.

2. Rotate ◯ to change the system language. Press ◯.



3. Press ◯ to select **OK**.

▶ Your current position is displayed on the map screen.

▶ If you have set any calendar event reminders, they are displayed. Proceed to step 4.

Start-up

If the navigation system loses power at any time, you may be prompted for the 5-digit security code.

System Initialization P. 222

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

Message Icon

If you have any unread messages, the (message) icon is displayed at the bottom left side of the screen.

AcuraLink® Messages P. 194

You can change the system language at any time.

Language P. 31

"OK" on the Confirmation screen cannot be activated by voice. If you do not press ◯ within 30 seconds, the screen goes blank (or displays your wallpaper screen) and you cannot use voice commands. Press any navigation or voice control button to continue.

4. Rotate to select an option. Press .

▶ Your current position is displayed on the map screen.

The following options are available:

- **Remind Later:** Displays the reminder again next time you start the vehicle.
- **OK:** Turns the reminder off.

Start-up

You can set a calendar event reminder.
Calendar P. 200

Remind Later
You can skip the reminder by pressing the CANCEL button.

Your vehicle has a voice control system that allows hands-free operation of most of the navigation system functions. You can also control the audio and climate control system, and make and receive phone calls using *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®.

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

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

Voice Help P. 5

Command Input

If the system does not understand a command or you wait too long to give a command, it responds with "Pardon," "Please repeat," or "Would you say again."

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

Basic Settings P. 26

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

If the system responds with prompts such as "Please use the Interface Dial to…" or "Please choose an area with the Interface Dial," the system is asking for input that cannot be performed using the voice control system.

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

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

(Talk) Button

When you press the (Talk) button, a helpful prompt asks what you would like to do. Press and release the (Talk) button again to bypass this prompt and give a command.

Command Input

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

Voice Recognition

To achieve optimum voice recognition when using either the navigation voice control system or *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®:

- Make sure the correct screen is displayed for the voice command that you are using.
  Voice Commands P. 236
- Close the windows and moonroof.
- Adjust the dashboard and side vents so air does not blow onto the microphone on the ceiling.
- Speak clearly in a clear, natural speaking voice without pausing between words.
- Reduce any background noise if possible. The system may misinterpret your command if more than one person is speaking at the same time.
- Refer to the Voice Help tutorial.
  Voice Help P. 5

Voice Recognition

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

Display and Volume Settings

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup**

Use the Main Setup screen to adjust the display and volume.

1. Rotate to select an item. Press .
2. Rotate to make the adjustment. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Brightness:** Adjusts the screen's brightness.
- **Contrast:** Adjusts the screen's contrast.
- **Black Level:** Adjusts the screen's black level.
- **Volume:** Adjusts the navigation system volume level.

Display and Volume Settings

You can set separate daytime and nighttime settings for **Brightness**, **Contrast**, and **Black Level**. Adjust each setting when the display is in either daytime or nighttime mode.

You can set the display and volume settings using voice commands on the Setup screen.
Main Setup Screen Commands P. 242

Volume
If you set **Volume** to **OFF**, you will not hear route guidance or voice command confirmations. If you then select **Voice** in the Map Menu, you will hear route guidance at the default volume.

Interface Dial Feedback

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Interface Dial Feedback**

Set if and when the system reads aloud a selection made using the Interface Dial.

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

- **ON**: Always reads the selection.
- **AUTO** (factory default): Reads the selection only when the vehicle is moving.
- **OFF:** Disables the feature.

Interface Dial Feedback

You can use this feature to minimize the need to look at the screen while operating the Interface Dial.

You can set the interface dial feedback settings using voice commands on the Setup screen.
Main Setup Screen Commands P. 242

Basic Settings

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Basic Settings**

Set the map units to either miles or kilometers (km), and control the voice feedback from the navigation system.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Units**: Sets the map units to either miles (factory default) or kilometers (km).
- **Voice Recognition Tutor**: Turns the voice feedback feature on or off.
  ON (factory default): Provides voice control system confirmation or prompts.
  OFF: Disables the feature.
- **Verbal Reminder**: Turns the verbal reminders on or off.
  ON (factory default): Provides warning voice messages when:
  – Driving with the parking brake on
  – Driving without wearing the driver and/or passenger seat belt
  OFF: Disables the feature.

Color

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Color**

Choose the color of the navigation map and system menus.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Map Color**: Sets the color of the map screen.
  Map Color P. 28
- **Menu Color**: Sets the color of the menu screens.
  Menu Color P. 28

Map Color

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Color** ▶ **Map Color**

Set separate map colors for Day and Night modes.

1. Rotate to select **Day** or **Night**. Press.
2. Rotate to select a color for the map screen. Press.

Map Color

For Day mode
Set to **WHITE** (factory default is **BEIGE**) to obtain the best daytime display contrast.

For Night mode
Set to **BLACK** (factory default) to obtain the best nighttime display contrast.

Menu Color

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Color** ▶ **Menu Color**

Set separate menu colors for Day and Night modes.

1. Rotate to select **Day** or **Night**. Press.
2. Rotate to select a color for the menu screens. Press.

Menu Color

For Day mode
Set to **WHITE** (factory default) to obtain the best daytime display contrast.

For Night mode
Set to **BLACK** (factory default) to obtain the best nighttime display contrast.

Switching Display Mode Manually

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

1. Press the button.

▶ The Brightness bar is displayed for a few seconds.

2. Press the button again.

▶ Repeat the procedure to switch the display modes.

▶ Rotate to adjust the brightness. Press .

Switching Display Mode Manually

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

Day or Night Mode P. 11

Recommended Settings

- Select mid-range for the dash illumination.
- Select **WHITE** for the map Day display and **BLACK** for the map Night display.

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Illumination control	Priority	Operation
☀◗ button	1	Selects Day, Night, or Off display mode. This button has the highest priority and overrides all other display control adjustments listed below. **Remember**: Once you press this button, you assume full manual control of the display mode until the ignition is turned off.
Sunlight sensor (see your Owner's Manual for location)	2	If the sunlight sensor detects daylight and the headlights are turned on, the system automatically overrides the Night display and displays the Day display mode. **Remember**: If desired, use the ☀◗ button to override this automatic choice.
Dash illumination adjustment buttons (see your Owner's Manual for location)	3	When headlights are turned on, and you wish to have the Day display mode, adjust the illumination to the full brightness setting (beeps). **Remember**: Adjust the dash brightness back to mid-range to allow auto switching by sensing the headlights are on or off.
Headlights (Auto/On/Off)	4	When turned on, the display changes to Night display mode. The previous three controls listed above can "cancel" this function. **Remember**: Use the ☀◗ button, or adjust the dash illumination to full brightness, to set the display to your desired choice.
Screen color choice	N/A	The user can select the color of the screen that will be displayed for the Day and Night display modes described above. **Remember**: For best contrast, ensure that the map color is white for Day and black for Night.

Language

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Language**

Set the system language used on all screens. You can choose from three languages: **English**, **Français** (French), **Español** (Spanish).

Rotate to select the system language. Press .

Language

Voice confirmation of cities and streets only occurs when **English** is the system language.

When **Français** or **Español** is selected, some messages continue to be displayed in English.

Wallpaper

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Wallpaper**

Select, delete, and import wallpaper pictures for display on the screen.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Select a Picture for Wallpaper**: Sets the desired picture for the wallpaper.
  Selecting a Wallpaper Picture P. 33
- **Delete Pictures on HDD**: Deletes pictures on the Hard Disc Drive.
  Deleting Pictures from HDD P. 34
- **Import Pictures from USB**: Stores pictures on the Hard Disc Drive.
  Importing Pictures from USB P. 35

Selecting a Wallpaper Picture

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Wallpaper** ▶ **Select a Picture for Wallpaper**

1. Rotate to select a picture. Press .

▶ The picture is displayed on the screen.

▶ Alternatively, rotate to select **Disable Wallpaper** to disable the wallpaper picture setting.

2. Press to select **OK**.

Selecting a Wallpaper Picture

Two images are provided for the HDD as a factory default.

Deleting Pictures from HDD

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Wallpaper** ▶ **Delete Pictures on HDD**

Trash icon

1. Rotate to select a picture. Press .
   ▶ The picture is displayed on the screen.
2. Press to select **OK**.
   ▶ Repeat step 1 and 2 to delete other pictures.
   ▶ Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.
3. Move to select **OK**.
4. Rotate to select **Yes**. Press to delete the picture(s).

Deleting Pictures from HDD

If there are no pictures on the HDD, "No Entries Exist" is displayed.

You can only delete pictures when the vehicle is in Park.

You can only delete pictures that have been fully uploaded from a USB flash drive.

Importing Pictures from USB

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Wallpaper** ▶ **Import Pictures from USB**

1. Connect a USB flash drive containing pictures.
2. Rotate to select a picture to upload. Press .
   ▶ Repeat the procedure to upload more pictures.
3. Move to select **OK**.

Importing Pictures from USB

You can only import pictures when the vehicle is in Park.

You can connect a USB flash drive using the USB adapter cable in the console compartment.
Connecting a USB Flash Drive P. 164

You can only import pictures from the root directory. Pictures in folders cannot be imported.

The display size is a fixed 800 × 480 pixels. Smaller pictures are displayed against a black background. Larger pictures are scaled down without changing the aspect ratio.

Ten pictures (in BMP or JPEG format) can be saved to the HDD for Driver 1 and Driver 2 each.

Incompatible data formats or pictures greater than 6 MB cannot be uploaded.

Pictures with a file name longer than 211 characters cannot be uploaded.

If you attempt to upload a picture with the same name as an existing picture, a pop-up screen asks if you want to overwrite the existing picture file.

Personal Information

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information**

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

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Address Book**: Stores new addresses or edits your address book.
  Address Book P. 37
- **Home Address 1**: Sets or edits your home address.
  Home Addresses P. 41
- **Home Address 2**: Sets or edits another home address.
  Home Addresses P. 41
- **PIN Number**: Sets or changes your PIN number.
  PIN Numbers P. 42
- **Previous Destinations**: Deletes the destination history.
  Previous Destinations P. 43

Personal Information

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

Address Book

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Address Book**

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

Move ⌖ to change the user address book (**DRIVER 1** or **DRIVER 2**).

Move ◁⌖ or ⌖▷ to display only the addresses in the selected category.

Adding an Address Book Entry

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Address Book**

This section explains how to enter the name and address.

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

Address Book

The number of addresses is shared by the two address books. For example, if Driver 1 has 150 addresses, Driver 2 can only have 50.

If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Move ⌖ to select **OK**. PIN numbers are optional.
PIN Numbers P. 42

Any address book categories you create are also displayed on the Select an Address screen.
Selecting an Address Book Category P. 40

Adding an Address Book Entry

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

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2. Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

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

3. Rotate to select **Edit Name**. Press .

4. Enter a name or title. Move to select **OK**.

5. Rotate to select **Edit Address**. Press .

6. Rotate to select an item for specifying the address. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Current Position:** Select your current position.
- **Address:** Enter an address on the character input screen when prompted.
  Address P. 70
- **Previous Destinations:** Select a previous destination.
  Previous Destination P. 76
- **Place Name:** Enter the name of a place/landmark.
  Place Name P. 77
- **Place Category:** Select a category to search for a place/landmark (e.g., Banking, Lodging).
  Place Category P. 80
- **Place Phone Number:** Enter the phone number of a place/landmark.
  Place Phone Number P. 84

Editing an Address Book Entry

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Address Book**

1. Rotate ⟲ to select the address to edit. Press ⊙.
2. Enter the name, address, phone number, and category fields.
   Adding an Address Book Entry P. 37
3. Move ⊙ to select **OK**.

Adding an Address Book Entry

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

Editing an Address Book Entry

The entered contents are displayed on the Edit address screen.

Selecting an Address Book Category

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Address Book**

1. Rotate to select an address. Press.
2. Rotate to select **Edit Category**. Press.
3. Rotate to select **BUSINESS**, **PERSONAL**, or a category you created. Press.

Creating a New Category

1. Rotate to select **New Category**. Press.
2. Enter a name and select an icon when prompted.

▶ The created category is displayed in the list of categories.

Deleting or Editing a Category

1. Move to select **Edit**.
2. Rotate to select **Delete** or **Edit Category**. Press.
3. Delete an existing category, or change the name and icon.

Selecting an Address Book Category

You can have up to 100 categories (including "UNFILED"). These categories can be shared with Driver 1 and Driver 2. For example, if Driver 1 creates some categories, Driver 2 can also use them.

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

Category Icons
The following icons can be selected for a category:

Deleting an Address Book Entry

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Address Book**

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

Home Addresses

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Home Address 1** or **Home Address 2**

Set two home addresses that you frequently use.

1. Edit the name, address, and phone number the same way as an address in the address book.
Adding an Address Book Entry P. 37
2. Move to select **OK**.

Home Addresses

If you have PIN-protected your home addresses, enter your PIN when prompted. Move to select **OK**. PIN numbers are optional.
PIN Numbers P. 42

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

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

The home icon is shown on the map screen on the 1/20 and 1/8 mile scales.

PIN Numbers

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **PIN Number**

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

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

2. Rotate to select a digit to enter. Press . Repeat to enter a new 4-digit PIN.

3. Re-enter the new PIN, when prompted, to confirm the number you just entered.

▶ If you have not entered the same number both times, an "INCORRECT PIN" message is displayed. Enter your PIN again.

PIN Numbers

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

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

Go Home PIN
Go Home PINs are shared with Driver 1 and Driver 2. If either Driver 1 or Driver 2 sets a Go Home PIN, both of them need to enter the PIN when:

- selecting **Go Home** for a destination
- selecting **Home Address** for editing

If you want to stop using a PIN, move to select **DO NOT USE PIN**.

Previous Destinations

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Personal Information** ▶ **Previous Destinations**

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

1. Rotate to select the destination to delete. Press .

▶ Repeat the procedure as necessary.

▶ Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.

Trash icon

2. Move to select **OK** to delete the selected destinations.

Previous Destinations

The list of previous destinations is shared with Driver 1 and Driver 2. For example, if Driver 1 deletes some previous destinations, they are deleted for Driver 2 as well.

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

Music Search

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Music Search**

Use this feature to set up the music search abilities when using Song By Voice™ (SBV) commands.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Song By Voice**: Turns the feature on or off.
  Song By Voice™ (SBV) P. 45
- **Phonetic Modification**: Changes the phonetic (song name, artist name, etc.) so that they are more easily recognized through voice commands.
  Phonetic Modification P. 46

Song By Voice™ (SBV)

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Music Search** ▶ **Song By Voice**

Use SBV to search for and play music from your HDD or iPod® using voice commands. Use this setting to enable SBV.

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

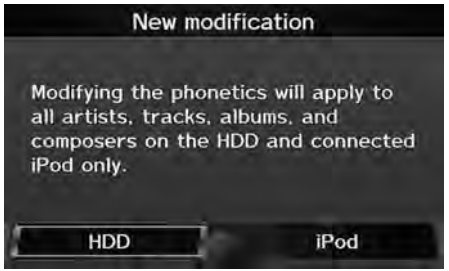
- **ON** (factory default): Song By Voice commands are available.
  Searching for Music Using Song By Voice™ (SBV) P. 163
- **OFF**: Disable the feature.

Phonetic Modification

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Music Search** ▶ **Phonetic Modification**

Add phonetic modifications of difficult or foreign words so that it is easier for SBV to recognize artists, songs, albums, and composers in voice commands when searching for music on the HDD or iPod®.

1. Rotate to select **New Modification**. Press .



2. Rotate to select the media source (**HDD** or **iPod**). Press .

Phonetic Modification

Phonetic Modification is grayed out when **Song By Voice** is set to **OFF**.

You can store up to 2,000 phonetic modification items.

SBV may not be able to recognize languages other than English. The Phonetic Modification feature is helpful in the following situations:

- The music information cannot be identified using Gracenote®.
- The phonetics are in languages other than English.

3. Rotate ⟲ to select the item to modify (e.g., **Artist**). Press ⊙.

4. Rotate ⟲ to select an entry (e.g., "No Name"). Press ⊙.

5. Rotate ⟲ to select **Edit**. Press ⊙.

- ▶ Rotate ⟲ to select **Play** to listen to the phonetic modification. Press ⊙.
- ▶ Rotate ⟲ to select **OK** and press ⊙ when finished.

6. Enter the phonetic spelling you wish to use (e.g., "Artist A") when prompted.

7. Move ⊙ to select **OK** to exit.

- ▶ The artist "No Name" is phonetically modified to "Artist A." When in SBV mode, you can use the voice command 🎙 *"Play Artist 'Artist A'"* to play songs by the artist "No Name."

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance**

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

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Rerouting**: Sets the route recalculation to automatic or manual mode.
  Rerouting P. 49
- **Unverified Area Routing**: Sets whether you use the route guidance in unverified areas.
  Unverified Area Routing P. 50
- **Traffic Rerouting**: Sets whether you use automatic recalculation based on traffic information.
  Traffic Rerouting P. 52
- **Edit Avoid Area**: Specifies areas to avoid when calculating a route.
  Edit Avoid Area P. 53
- **Edit Waypoint Search Area**: Sets the distance from the route to find waypoints.
  Edit Waypoint Search Area P. 55
- **Guidance Mode**: Sets whether to display only the map screen or a split map-guidance screen.
  Guidance Mode P. 103

- **Street Name Guidance**: Sets whether to read out the street names during voice guidance.
  Street Name Guidance P. 56
- **Guidance Screen Interruption**: Sets whether the guidance screen interrupts the audio screen display.
  Guidance Screen Interruption P. 57

Rerouting

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Rerouting**

Set whether route recalculation occurs automatically or manually during route guidance.

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

- **AUTOMATIC** (factory default): The system calculates a new route automatically when you deviate from the route. It is strongly recommended that you leave the system set to Automatic.
- **MANUAL**: Disables route recalculation. The system beeps and "Off Route" is displayed when you deviate from the route.

Rerouting

If you live in an area with poor mapping, you may wish to set **Rerouting** to **MANUAL** to avoid constant recalculation. You will need to select **Recalculation** manually to make the system recalculate your new route.

Unverified Area Routing

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Unverified Area Routing**

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

Rotate to select **ON** or **OFF**.
Press .

Differences	OFF (factory default)	ON
ON or OFF?	The driver wishes to manually navigate using the navigation map and choose the streets that lead to the destination.	The driver chooses to let the navigation system suggest possible routing, knowing that the guidance may not be accurate.
Route calculation	Route is usually longer, using verified roads whenever possible.	Route is shorter, but uses unverified (purple) streets that may not be accurate.
Route line	A blue dotted vector line is displayed on the map that continually points to your destination.	A blue-pink dashed route line highlights suggested unverified streets on the map while traveling to your destination.
Cautionary messages	Cautionary pop-up screens and voice announcements remind you to obey all traffic restrictions.	Cautionary pop-up screens and voice announcements remind you to exercise additional caution and obey all traffic restrictions.

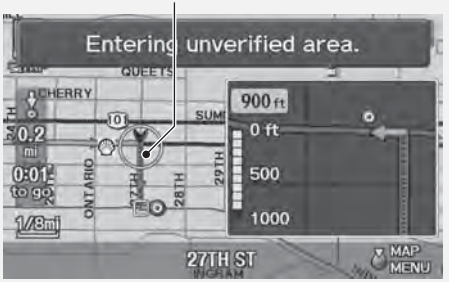
Unverified Area Routing

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

Unverified roads are shown only when viewing the map in the 1/20, 1/8 and 1/4 mile map scales.

Vector line (dotted)

Blue-pink route line



Differences	OFF (factory default)	ON
Guidance (map/voice)	There is no turn-by-turn map or voice guidance.	Voice guidance commands end with the phrase "if possible" to remind you to verify all traffic restrictions.
Directions list	A direction list is typically not available. However, depending on your route, directions are provided to help you reach the first available verified road.	A direction list is provided showing street names and turn symbols in pink.

Traffic Rerouting

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Traffic Rerouting**

A faster route can be calculated based on continuously updated traffic information.
Traffic Rerouting™ P. 119

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

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

Traffic Rerouting

Traffic Rerouting requires an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription.
AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P. 15
Subscribing to XM® Radio P. 144

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

Edit Avoid Area

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Edit Avoid Area**

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

1. Rotate to select **New Area** or an existing area to edit. Press.

2. Rotate to select **Edit Name** to label the area to avoid. Press.

3. Enter a name or title. Move to select **OK**.

4. Rotate to select **Edit Area** to define the area to avoid. Press.

The following options are available:

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

Edit Avoid Area

The avoid areas are shared with Driver 1 and Driver 2. For example, if Driver 1 specifies some avoid areas, Driver 2 can also use them for setting a route.

The maximum size of an "avoid area" is 1/2 square mile.

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

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

You can enter up to 25 characters for the name.

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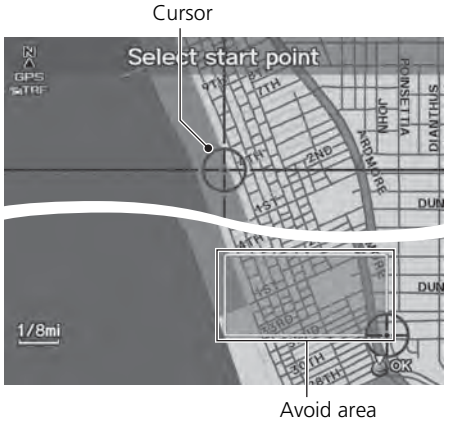
5. Rotate to select a method for specifying the area. Press .

The following options are available:

- **Address**: Specify the general area by entering an address.
  Address P. 70
- **Map Input**: Specify the general area by map input.
  Map Input P. 88



6. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired start point, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press to mark the start point.

▶ To redo the area selection, press the CANCEL button.

7. Scroll the map to "draw" the area. Press to mark the end point.

8. Press to select **OK**.

▶ The area you specify is displayed in the list of areas to avoid.

Edit Waypoint Search Area

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Edit Waypoint Search Area**

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

Adding Waypoints P. 123

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

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

The following items are available:

- **On Freeways**: 1, 2, 5, or 10 miles can be set. Factory default is 2 miles.
- **On Surface Street**: 1/2, 1, 2, or 5 miles can be set. Factory default is 1/2 mile.

Edit Waypoint Search Area

The search distance does not affect the search range used for the Find Nearest voice commands (e.g., say *"Find nearest gas station"*).

Street Name Guidance

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Street Name Guidance**

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

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

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

Street Name Guidance

Street Name Guidance is grayed out when the system language is not set to **English**.

Guidance Screen Interruption

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Routing & Guidance** ▶ **Guidance Screen Interruption**

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

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

- **ON**: The guidance screen interrupts the audio screen.
- **OFF** (factory default): Disables the feature.

Clock Adjustment

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Clock Adjustment**

Set the automatic adjustment of the system clock for daylight saving and international time zones.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Auto Daylight**: The navigation system automatically adjusts the clock ("spring ahead" or "fall back" by one hour) when a daylight saving time change occurs.
  ON (factory default): Adjusts the clock automatically.
  OFF: Disables the feature.
- **Auto Time Zone**: The navigation system automatically adjusts the clock when driving through different time zones.
  ON (factory default): Adjusts the clock automatically.
  OFF: Disables the feature.
- **ADJUST TIME**: Adjust the current time manually.
  Adjust Time P. 59
- **Reset**: Reset the clock settings to the factory default.
  Resetting the Clock Settings P. 59

Clock Adjustment

You can check the time and date from any screen using voice commands.
Global Commands P. 236

Auto Daylight
This function is not activated in areas that have not adopted daylight saving time, even if you have set **Auto Daylight** to **ON**.

Auto Time Zone
If you live and work in two different time zones, you may want to turn **Auto Time Zone** to **OFF**. When driving near a time zone boundary, the displayed time zone may fluctuate between the two zone times.

Adjust Time

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Clock Adjustment** ▶ **Adjust Time**

Adjust the current time (hours and minutes).

1. Move ◁ or ▷ to select **HOUR** or **MINUTE**
2. Rotate to adjust the value.
3. Move to select **OK**.

Resetting the Clock Settings

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Clock Adjustment** ▶ **Reset**

Reset the **Auto Daylight** and **Auto Time Zone** settings to the factory defaults.

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Vehicle**

Set the off-road tracking feature and correct the vehicle position displayed on the map.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Off-road Tracking**: Set whether to display the tracking dots on the map.
  Off-road Tracking P. 61
- **Correct Vehicle Position**: Adjust the position of the vehicle on the map.
  Correct Vehicle Position P. 62

Off-road Tracking

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Vehicle** ▶ **Off-road Tracking**

The navigation system displays white off-road tracking dots (“breadcrumbs”) on the map screen whenever you drive into an area approximately 1/2 mile away from a mapped road.

Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

- **ON**: The system displays the white tracking dots.
  Driving Off-road P. 96
- **OFF** (factory default): Disables the feature.

Off-road Tracking

To clear existing breadcrumbs, set **Off-road Tracking** to **OFF**, exit the Setup screen, and then set **Off-road Tracking** to **ON** again.

Correct Vehicle Position

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Vehicle** ▶ **Correct Vehicle Position**

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

1. Put the vehicle in Park.
2. Rotate to select **Correct Vehicle Position**. Press .
3. Scroll the map to position the arrowhead at your correct position. Press .
4. Rotate to position the arrowhead in the correct direction the vehicle is facing.
5. Press to select **OK**.

Correct Vehicle Position

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

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

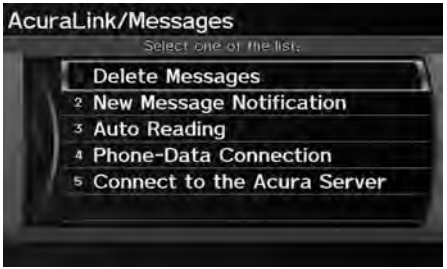
If you continually have to adjust the vehicle position, you may have problems with the GPS reception or there may be database errors.
System Limitations P. 224

AcuraLink/Messages

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **AcuraLink/Messages**

Set the preferences for receiving AcuraLink® messages.

AcuraLink® Messages P. 194



Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Delete Messages**: Deletes all messages by category except **Diagnostic Info** and **Recalls/Campaigns**.
- **New Message Notification**:
  ON (factory default): An envelope icon appears on the navigation screen.
  OFF: You will receive no new message notifications.
- **Auto Reading**:
  ON (factory default): The system automatically reads aloud a selected message.
  OFF: You can activate the function with the **Voice** option.
- **Phone-Data Connection**: Begins the process to connect to the Acura server.
- **Connect to the Acura Server**: There are two settings to choose from when you receive a **Diagnostic Info** message and select **Check Now**.
  Prompt (factory default): The system prompts you and then connects to the Acura server.
  Auto: The system automatically connects to the Acura server.

AcuraLink/Messages

For information on setting up the services available through AcuraLink®, visit *www.myacura.com*.

AcuraLink® uses XM® Radio, which is not available in Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico.

Delete Messages
Your dealer can delete Diagnostic Info and Recall/Campaign messages.

Phone-Data Connection/Connect to the Acura Server
These settings apply when you have a phone that comes with an active data plan and is paired to HFL.

Connect to the Acura Server
If you do not want to connect to the Acura server immediately, rotate to select **No** at the prompt.

Traffic and Weather Status

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Traffic & Weather Status**

Confirm the reception status of XM signal, traffic information data, or weather information data.

The meaning of the displayed messages is given in the following table:

Message	Status
Receiving	The system is receiving XM signal, traffic data, or weather data.
No signal	• The system cannot receive XM signal. • XM signal is received, but cannot receive traffic or weather data.
Expired	Activation has expired. Call XM at (800) 852-9696 to reactivate your traffic/weather subscription.
Loading	The system is searching for the signal or updating data.
Check Antenna	Antenna error
---	The system cannot receive traffic or weather data because XM Signal Reception status is "No signal" or "Check Antenna."

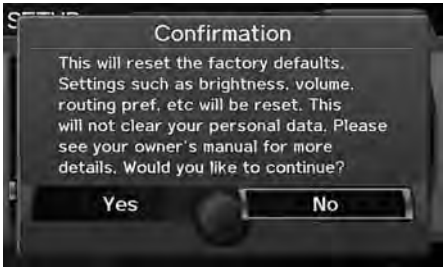
Traffic and Weather Status

This item may be grayed out when your vehicle is in Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico because XM® Radio is not available.

Reset Factory Default Settings

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Reset Factory Default**

Reset all the settings on the Setup screens and rearview camera brightness settings to their factory default.



Rotate to select **Yes**. Press to reset the settings.

Reset Factory Default Settings

The following settings are reset:

- Brightness, Contrast, Black Level, Volume, Interface Dial Feedback, Brightness (rearview camera)
- Basic Settings: Units, Voice Recognition Tutor
- Routing & Guidance: Rerouting, Unverified Area Routing, Traffic Rerouting, Edit Waypoint Search Area, Guidance Mode, Street Name Guidance, Guidance Screen Interruption
- Clock Adjustment: Auto Daylight, Auto Time Zone, Time
- Vehicle: Off-road Tracking
- Color: Map Color, Menu Color

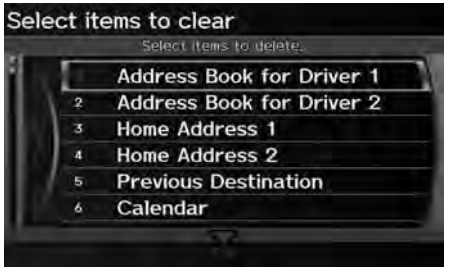
Messages are not deleted.

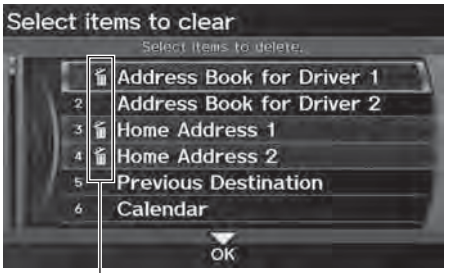
AcuraLink/Messages settings are not reset to their factory default settings.

Clear Personal Data

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Setup** ▶ **Other** ▶ **Clear Personal Data**

Delete uploaded data, calendar entries, address books, or stored destinations, or reset other settings to their factory defaults.





Trash icon

1. Rotate to select an item. Press.
   - ▶ Repeat the procedure to delete other items.
   - ▶ Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.
2. Move to select **OK**.
3. Rotate to select **Yes**. Press to delete the data.

Clear Personal Data

The following items can be deleted:

- Address book for Driver 1 and 2
- Home address 1 and 2
- Previous destination
- Calendar entries
- Avoid areas
- Music on HDD
- Cellular phone information (phonebook, dial/receive history, speed dial, registered phone, and pass key)
- Wallpapers

When the Address Book is deleted, all contents (except the Categories) are deleted.

When Cellular Phone Information is deleted, the imported phonebooks, speed dials, and voice tags are deleted.

If you have PIN-protected your address books or home addresses, enter your PIN when prompted. Move to select **OK**. PIN numbers are optional.

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Navigation

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

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MENU button

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

Rotate to select an item. Press .

▶Move to select **Dest. MENU 2** to display additional menu entries.

The following items are available:

- **Address**: Sets a destination by entering an address.
  Address P. 70
- **Address Book**: Sets a destination by selecting an address stored in your Address Book.
  Address Book P. 75
- **Previous Destination**: Sets a destination by selecting a previous destination.
  Previous Destination P. 76

Entering a Destination

"Display Menu", *"Display Navigation"*

If you press the MENU button when en route, the Route Menu screen is displayed.
Changing Your Route P. 121

Prior to departure, you can set areas along your route to avoid.
Avoiding Streets P. 122

- **Place Name**: Sets a destination by entering a place name.
  Place Name P. 77
- **Place Category**: Sets a destination by selecting a place/landmark.
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- **Place Phone No.**: Sets a destination by entering the phone number of a place/landmark.
  Place Phone Number P. 84
- **ZAGAT**: Sets a destination (restaurant) by using ZAGAT® SURVEY Rating information.
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- **Coordinate**: Sets a destination by entering latitude and longitude.
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- **Intersection**: Sets a destination (intersection) by entering two streets.
  Intersection P. 87
- **Map Input**: Sets a destination by scrolling through the map.
  Map Input P. 88
- **Go Home 1 or 2**: Sets your home address as a destination.
  Going Home P. 12

Address

MENU button ▶ **Address**

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

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **City**: Selects your destination city.
  Selecting a City P. 72
- **Street**: Selects your destination street.
  Selecting a Street P. 73
- **Change State**: Selects the state or province.
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- **ZIP code**: Enters the zip code to select the city.
  Selecting a City by Zip Code P. 71

Selecting the State or Province

MENU button ▶ **Address** ▶ **Change State**

Rotate to select a state from the list. Press .

Selecting the State or Province

Move ◁ to select **USA** for the American mainland, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. Move ▷ to select **Canada/AK** for Canada and Alaska.

Selecting a City by Zip Code

MENU button ▶ **Address** ▶ **ZIP code**

1. Enter the zip code of your destination.
2. Move to select **OK**.

Selecting a City by Zip Code

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

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

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

Selecting a Street P. 73

Selecting a City

MENU button ▶ **Address** ▶ **City**

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

1. Enter the name of a different city, or move to select **OK** for the current city.

▶ Move to select **List** to display a list of cities.

Selecting a City by Name

Vehicle position may not be displayed when:

- the automobile is traveling off-road.
- the vehicle position data cannot be updated.

You do not need to enter spaces or symbols (e.g., &, -, %). Partial matches are supported (e.g., "ANGELES" to find "LOS ANGELES").

Using Voice Command (English only)

Say "*City*" on the Find address by screen, and the following screen is displayed:

Say "*Current City*" to select your current location, or say the name of a different city.

Selecting a Street P. 73

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

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

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

▶ Next, you are prompted to enter a street name.
Selecting a Street P. 73

Selecting a Street

MENU button ▶ **Address** ▶ **Street**

1. Enter the name of your destination street.

▶ Do not enter the street type (e.g., street, road, avenue) or direction (e.g., north, south, east, west).

▶ Move to select **List** to display a list of streets.

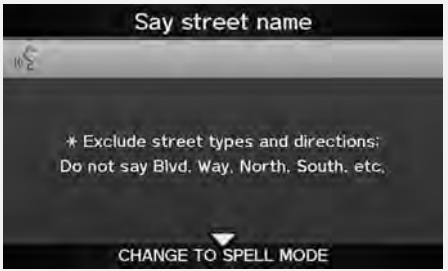
Selecting a City by Name

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

Selecting a Street

When entering the names of major freeways, you can use the following abbreviations. For interstates, use an "I" (e.g., I-10). For U.S. freeways, use "US" (e.g., US-18). For state freeways, use the two-character state designation (e.g., CA-101). For county roads, use the appropriate designation (e.g., G-2).

Using Voice Command (English only)
Say "*Street*" on the Find address by screen, and the following screen is displayed:



- Say the name of your destination street, and say the street number as a string of individual numbers.
- Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

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

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

3. Enter the street number. Move to select **OK**.

▶ Only valid street numbers can be entered.

4. Set the route to your destination.

Calculating the Route P. 90

Selecting a Street

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

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

Address Book

MENU button ▶ **Address Book**

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

1. Rotate to select your destination from the list. Press .

2. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

▶ Move or to display only the entries in a category: **All**, **BUSINESS**, **PERSONAL**, or other categories you have created.
Selecting an Address Book Category P. 40

Address Book

If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN when prompted. Move to select **OK**. PINs are optional.
PIN Numbers P. 42

You can select **New Address** on the Select an address screen to add an entry to the address book.
Adding an Address Book Entry P. 37

To switch the list between Driver 1 or Driver 2, move .

Previous Destination

MENU button ▶ **Previous Destination**

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

1. Rotate to select a destination from the list. Press .
2. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

Previous Destination

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

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

You can delete unwanted previous destinations from the list.
Previous Destinations P. 43

Place Name

MENU button ▶ **Place Name**

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

1. Enter a place name.
2. Move to select **LIST** to display a list of matching hits.
3. Rotate to select a place name from the list. Press .
   ▶ If the place name is in multiple categories, the categories are displayed when you select it.
   Place Name in Multiple Categories P. 78
4. Set the route to your destination.
   Calculating the Route P. 90

Place Name

This option is convenient if you know the exact name of a place.

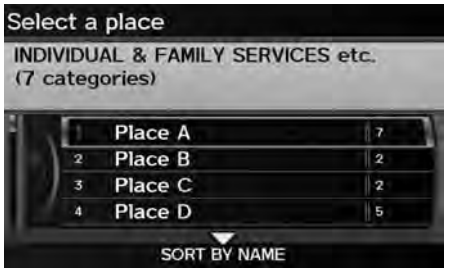
Move to select **OPTION** to enter symbols and accented letters, move to select **SPACE** to enter a space character, or move to select **DELETE** to remove the last character.

Once a name is entered and selected, move to select **SORT BY NAME** or **SORT BY DISTANCE**. Matching letters are in yellow.

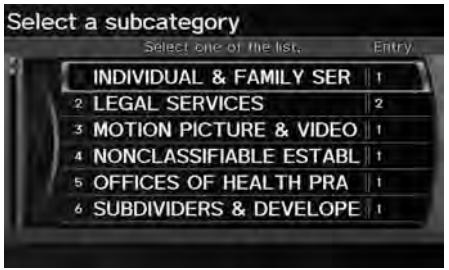
Restaurants with a Z icon have a ZAGAT® review. Move to select Z to view the complete ZAGAT® review.
ZAGAT P. 84

Place Name in Multiple Categories

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



1. Rotate to select a place name. Press .



2. Rotate to select a subcategory. Press .

Place Name in Multiple Categories

Move to select **SORT BY CITY** or **SORT BY DISTANCE**. Matching letters are in yellow.

3. Rotate to select a place.
   Press .
4. Set the route to your destination.
   Calculating the Route P. 90

Place Category

MENU button ▶ **Place Category**

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

1. Rotate to select a category. Press .

2. Rotate to select a subcategory. Press .

▶ Move ◁ or ▷ to change the main category.

List of Categories P. 246

Place Category

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

You can store up to 30 favorite subcategories. Move ▷ to select **Fav. Subcategory** to access your favorites.

Favorite Subcategories P. 82

Advanced helps you to search the subcategory. When you enter a keyword and select **LIST**, the list of appropriate subcategories is displayed.

3. Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Place Name**: Searches for a place in the subcategory by name. Enter a city name when prompted.
- **City Vicinity**: Searches for a place in the subcategory within a 20-mile radius of a specific city. Enter a city name and then a place name when prompted. Only the first 1,000 matching places/landmarks are displayed.
- **Sort by Distance to Travel**: Displays all the places in the subcategory sorted by distance from your current location. The closest place is displayed at the top.
- **Search by Keyword**: Searches for a place by keyword when you do not know the exact category. Select **Sort by Distance to Travel** for locations near your current location, or select **City Vicinity** for locations in a specific city. Enter a keyword when prompted. Move to select **LIST** to view a list of possible locations if one is not found automatically.

Place Category

Sort by Distance to Travel

For locations sorted by distance to travel, you can move to select **MORE** to increase the scope of the search. The number of locations increases to 100, 200, and up to 1000. When the number of locations is 100 or less, you can increase the scope to 500 miles, 1000 miles, or the entire U.S.

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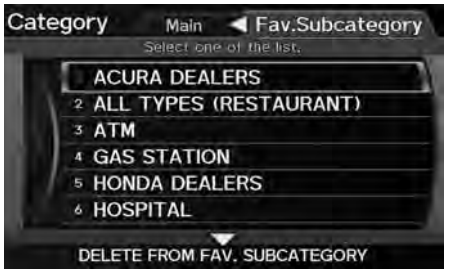
4. Rotate to select a place name from the list. Press .
5. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

Favorite Subcategories

MENU button ▶ **Place Category** ▶ **Fav. Subcategory**

Store up to 30 favorite subcategories.

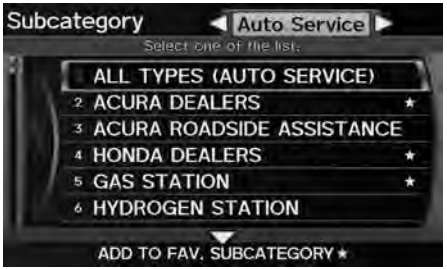


Place Category

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

Restaurants with a Z icon have a ZAGAT® review. To display only restaurants with a ZAGAT® review, select **Restaurant** > **All Types (Zagat Only)** or say *"Zagat"*.
Key to ZAGAT Ratings P. 206

■ To store a subcategory in favorites:



1. Rotate to select a subcategory on any subcategory screen.
2. Move to select **ADD TO FAV. SUBCATEGORY**.

■ To delete a subcategory from favorites:

1. Rotate to select a favorite subcategory on the Favorite Subcategory screen.
2. Move to select **DELETE FROM FAV. SUBCATEGORY**.

Favorite Subcategories

Stored categories
A subcategory stored in **Fav. Subcategory** has a star at the end of the line.

Deleting categories
You can also delete a favorite subcategory on any Subcategory screen. Rotate to select a favorite subcategory (which has a star at the end of line) and move to select **DELETE FROM FAV. SUBCATEGORY**.

Place Phone Number

MENU button ▶ **Dest. MENU 2** ▶ **Place Phone No.**

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

1. Enter the area code and phone number. Move to select **OK**.
2. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

Place Phone Number

All 10 digits must be entered.

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

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

ZAGAT

MENU button ▶ **Dest. MENU 2** ▶ **ZAGAT**

Find a restaurant by ZAGAT® SURVEY Rating information.

1. Select a metropolitan area, region, neighborhood, and restaurant type when prompted.

2. Rotate to select the sort method used to list the restaurants. Press .

The following options are available:

- **Food, Decor, Service**: Lists the restaurants by the rating value.
- **Cost**: Lists the restaurants by the average cost of a meal (including drink and tip).

3. Rotate to select a restaurant. Press .

▶ The ZAGAT® ratings are shown across the top of the screen.

▶ Move to select Z to view the rating information.

4. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

ZAGAT®

Selecting this sorting method will show you ZAGAT's highest-rated restaurants by the options, and not necessarily by distance from your current location.

You can move to select Z (or say *"ZAGAT List Number X,"* where X is the list item number) to view the complete ZAGAT® review.

- Press (or say *"Read List"*) to have the system read the ZAGAT® review.
- Move to select ? (or say *"Key to ZAGAT Rating"*) for details on the ratings and symbols.
Key to ZAGAT Ratings P. 206
- Scrolling through the review is disabled while the vehicle is moving.
- Move to select **OK** to set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

Coordinate

MENU button ▶ **Dest. MENU 2** ▶ **Coordinate**

Specify a location using latitude and longitude map coordinates.

1. Enter the latitude. Move to select **OK**.
2. Enter the longitude. Move to select **OK**.

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

4. Press again to display the route calculation menu.
   Calculating the Route P. 90
5. Rotate to select **Set as Dest.** Press .

Coordinate

Latitude and longitude must be entered up to the seconds' value.

A yellow box (shown at scales above 1/4 mile) denotes the area that can be viewed when you press on the current map.

Information icons are displayed at scales from 1 mile to 1/4 mile. Place/landmark icons are displayed at 1/8 mile or less. Roads are displayed at 1/4 mile or less.

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

Intersection

MENU button ▶ **Dest. MENU 2** ▶ **Intersection**

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

1. Rotate to select the intersection search method. Press .
2. Set the route to your destination.
Calculating the Route P. 90

The following options are available:

- **Street**: Selects the two intersecting streets. The city or cities that the streets are located in are displayed.
Selecting a Street P. 73
- **City**: Selects the city where the intersection is located. You are prompted to enter the name of the two intersecting streets.
Selecting a City P. 72
- **Change State**: Selects the state or province.
Selecting the State or Province P. 71

Intersection

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

If the intersection is outside the state you are currently in, Rotate to select **Change State**.
Selecting the State or Province P. 71

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

Map Input

MENU button ▶ **Dest. MENU 2** ▶ **Map Input**

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

You are prompted to define the map area to display.

1. Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Current Position**: Your current position is centered on the map.
- **City**: You are prompted to select the city.
  Selecting a City P. 72
- **State**: You are prompted to select the state.
  Selecting the State or Province P. 71
- **USA and Canada**: Your current position is displayed on a map of the country.

2. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired destination, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press ⊙.

▶ If the address is not the desired location, scroll the map to another location and try again.

3. Press ⊙ again to display the route calculation menu.

Calculating the Route P. 90

4. Rotate ⟲ to select **Set as Dest.** Press ⊙.

Map Input

A yellow box (shown at scales above 1/4 mile) denotes the area that can be viewed when you press ⊙ on the current map.

Information icons are displayed at scales from 1 mile to 1/4 mile. Place/landmark icons are displayed at 1/8 mile or less. Roads are displayed at 1/4 mile or less.

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

Selecting a Destination on the Map P. 129

Calculating the Route

This section describes how to calculate your route.

1. Rotate to select **OK**. Press.

▶ The system calculates and displays the route line on the map screen.

Route Line P. 94

The following options are available:

- **Route Pref.**: Changes the route preferences (calculating method).
  Changing the Route Preference P. 91
- **View Routes**: Displays three different routes.
  Viewing the Routes P. 92
- **DESTINATION MAP**: Move to select **DESTINATION MAP** to display a map of the destination.
  Viewing the Routes P. 92

2. Follow the route guidance to your destination.

Driving to Your Destination P. 93

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

Calculating the Route

The current route preferences are displayed as icons on the top right of the Calculate Route screen. The straight line distance (as the crow flies, not driving distance) and direction to the destination are shown together with weather information. You must have an AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ subscription to receive weather information.

AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P. 15
Subscribing to XM® Radio P. 144

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

Add to Address Book
You can add the destination address to the address book.
Adding an Address Book Entry P. 37

Add to Dest. List
You can add the address to the Destination List.
Editing the Destination List P. 127

Call
You can place a telephone call to the destination phone number.
Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® P. 174

Changing the Route Preference

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

1. Rotate to select an item. Press .
2. Rotate to select **MIN** or **MAX**. Press .
   ▶ Repeat step 1 and 2 as necessary.
3. More to select **OK**.

Changing the Route Preference

The calculated route may not be the route you would choose. For safety reasons, the system generally applies the following rules to your route:

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

If you select **MIN** or **MAX** of **ETC Roads** as your route preference, the system finds the route with as few electronic toll collection (ETC) gates as possible in MIN or as many ETC gates as possible in MAX.

Viewing the Routes

View three different routes to your destination.

Rotate to select a route. Press .

▶The travel distance and estimated travel time is displayed for each route.

▶The system calculates and displays the route line on the map screen.

Route Line P. 94

Viewing the Routes

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

Calculating the Route on the Destination Map

Calculate the route from the map of the destination address.

Rotate to select **Calculate the Route**. Press .

▶The system calculates and display the route line on the map screen.

Route Line P. 94

Calculating the Route on the Destination Map

"Display Destination Map" (when en route)

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

Viewing the Route

Map Screen

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

Map Screen Legend P. 10

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

Viewing the Route

"Display Map"

You can change the map scale using voice control commands (e.g., say "Display 2 mile scale").

Map Scale Commands P. 237

You can also change the map scale by rotating .

You can control the icons displayed on the map screen using voice control commands (e.g., say "Display post office").

Map Display Commands P. 236

You can obtain information about the route using voice control commands (e.g., say "How long to the destination?").

Route Commands P. 238

You can display the next guidance point on the map screen by saying "Display Map Guide" (when en route).

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

The map screen can be viewed in single-screen or split-screen mode.

Guidance Mode P. 103

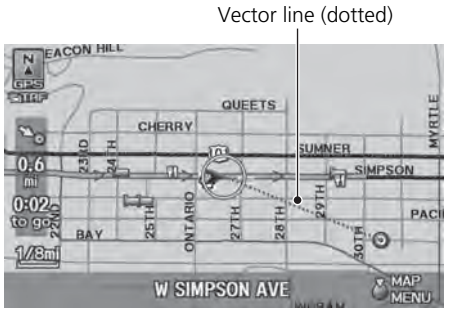
Guidance Screen

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

In single-screen mode, press the MAP/GUIDE button to switch between the map and guidance screens. In split-screen mode, press the MAP/GUIDE button to switch between the next guidance direction and a list of guidance directions.

Route Line

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



- If **Unverified Area Routing** is **OFF**, the route line uses verified streets only (when possible). A dotted "vector line" pointing directly towards your destination is also displayed.

Guidance Screen

A visual guide helps you check the guidance screen.

Guidance Screen P. 11

Route Line

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

Unverified Area Routing P. 50

You can always view the entire route by simply saying *"Display entire route."*

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

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P. 15

Blue-pink route line

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

Deviating From the Planned Route

If you momentarily leave the calculated route, the system automatically recalculates a route to the desired destination based on your current location and direction.
Rerouting P. 49

Deviating From the Planned Route

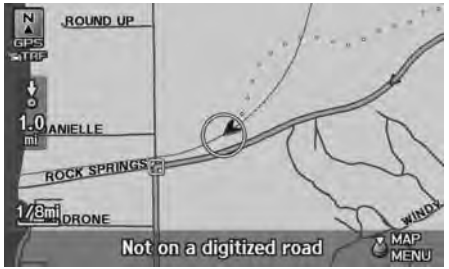
If **Rerouting** is set to **MANUAL** and you go off route, the system waits for you to manually initiate recalculation.
Rerouting P. 49

Rotate to select **Recalculation** and press .

Driving Off-road

If you leave all mapped (digitized) roads, the system automatically starts displaying a series of dots (breadcrumbs) to track the path you are taking. If needed, you can follow the dots back to the mapped road you originally left.

Off-road Tracking P. 61



Driving Off-road

A message "Not on a digitized road" may appear when you drive half a mile away from a mapped road.

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

Off-road tracking breadcrumbs are limited to approximately 150 miles. Breadcrumbs at the beginning of the trail are deleted if you exceed that distance.

Breadcrumbs are displayed only at 1/20, 1/8, 1/4, and 1/2 mile map scales.

Listening to Voice Guidance

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Voice**

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

Typically, you hear three prompts:

- 1/2 mile from the guidance point
- 1/4 mile from the guidance point
- Just before the guidance point

To replay voice guidance, rotate ☎ to select **Voice** in the Map Menu.

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

Listening to Voice Guidance

"Voice" (on the map screen)

You can turn voice guidance OFF if you prefer.
Display and Volume Settings P. 24

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

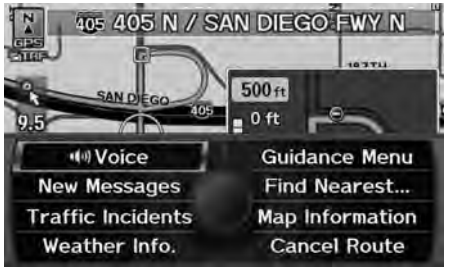
The timing of voice guidance varies depending on the type of road you are on and the distance to the next guidance point.

Displaying Map Menu

Use the Map Menu to control the icons displayed on the screen, and to display traffic information, weather information, and messages. You can also use the Map Menu to find locations or to cancel the route.

1. On the map screen, press ⊙ to select **MAP MENU** (if displayed).

▶ The Map Menu is displayed on the map screen.



2. Rotate ⊙ to select an item. Press ⊙.

The following items are available:

- **Voice:** Select to hear the voice guidance when en route.
  Listening to Voice Guidance P. 97
- **New Messages:** Indicates, when available, that there are new AcuraLink messages.
  AcuraLink® Messages P. 194

Map Menu

If you scroll the map while en route, press the MAP/GUIDE (or CANCEL/BACK) button to return to the current position map screen, then press ⊙ to select **MAP MENU**.

Traffic Incidents

You must have an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription to receive traffic information.

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Subscribing to XM® Radio P. 144

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

Map Scale and Functions P. 111

Weather Info.

You must have an AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ subscription to receive weather information.

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- **Traffic Incidents:** Displays a list of the traffic incidents around your current location or on your current route.
  Traffic Rerouting™ P. 119
- **Weather Info.:** Allows you to view the weather forecast, warning list, warning map, and radar image map.
  Weather Information P. 114
- **Guidance Menu:** Allows you to set or confirm the guidance points and freeway exits for your route.
  Guidance Menu P. 100
- **Find Nearest...:** Allows you to find the nearest place/landmark (e.g., nearest gas station) by specifying a category. You can then add the location to the list of destinations, set as a waypoint, or set as your destination.
  Changing Your Destination P. 128
- **Map Information:** Allows you to select the information icons to display on the map, change the orientation of the map, or display your current location.
  Map Information P. 105
- **Cancel Route:** Cancels your current route.
  Canceling the Route P. 122

Guidance Menu

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Guidance Menu**

Display the guidance points and freeway exits for your route, and set the display mode for the map and guidance screens.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

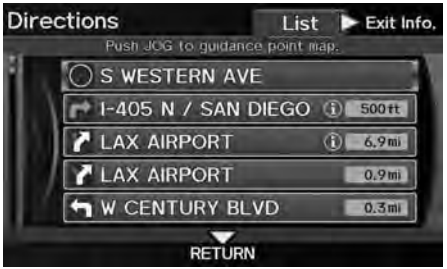
The following items are available:

- **Directions**: Displays a list of the guidance points.
  Directions P. 101
- **Exit Info.**: Displays a list of the freeway exits.
  Freeway Exit Information P. 102
- **Guidance Mode**: Selects the guidance display mode.
  Guidance Mode P. 103

Directions

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Guidance Menu** ▶ **Directions**

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



1. Rotate to select a guidance point from the list. Press .

▶ The system displays a map of the guidance point.

2. Press to select **RETURN** or press the CANCEL (BACK) button to return to the previous screen.

Directions

Guidance points with exit information are indicated by a (freeway exit information) icon. Move to select **Exit Info** to display the exit information.

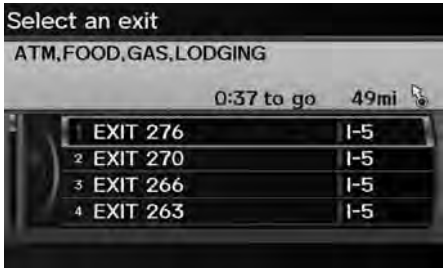
Freeway Exit Information P. 102

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

Freeway Exit Information

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Guidance Menu** ▶ **Exit Info.**

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



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

2. Rotate to select a list item. Press.

▶ Move ◁ or ▷ to display information for different exits.

▶ The location is displayed on the Calculate Route screen.

Calculating the Route P. 90

Freeway Exit Information

"Display Freeway Exit Information"

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

Icons are displayed only at 1/4, 1/2, or 1 mile scale.

Showing Icons on the Map P. 106

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

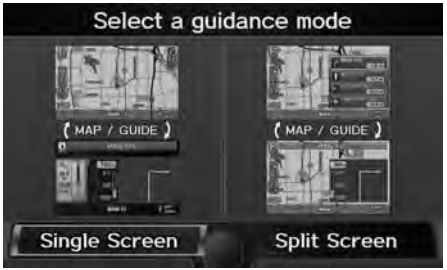
OPEN MAP

Move to select **OPEN MAP** to display a map of the exit.

Guidance Mode

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Guidance Menu** ▶ **Guidance Mode**

Select the display mode during route guidance: single-screen mode (default) or split-screen mode.



Rotate to select an option.
Press .

The following options are available:

- **Single Screen:** Displays the map and guidance screens on separate screens.

Map screen

Press the MAP/GUIDE button

Guidance screen

Guidance Mode

The guidance mode can also be selected from the System Setup menu.

Routing & Guidance P. 48

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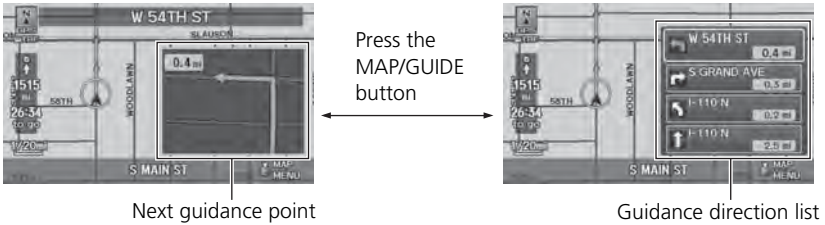
- **Split Screen:** Displays the map and guidance information simultaneously on the map screen.



Guidance Mode

Next guidance point
The next guidance point (the pop-up window) is displayed on the map screen as you approach a guidance point in the single-screen mode.

Map Information

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Map Information**

Select the landmark icons to display on the map, change the orientation of the map, display your current location, and learn the meaning of the icons, colors, and symbols displayed on the map.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Show Icon on Map:** Selects the icons to display on the map.
  Showing Icons on the Map P. 106
- **North-up/Heading-up:** Selects the map orientation (**North-up** or **Heading-up**).
  Map Orientation P. 108
- **Current Location:** Displays and saves your current location.
  Current Location P. 109
- **Map Legend:** Displays an overview of the map features.
  Map Legend P. 110

Showing Icons on the Map

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Map Information** ▶ **Show Icon on Map**

The icon bar along the bottom of the screen allows you to select the icons that are displayed on the map.

Rotate to select an icon in the icon bar. Press .

▶Pressing toggles the icon display on or off.

▶Repeat the procedure as necessary.

The following options are available:

- **Icon check boxes**: Displays or hides the traffic, weather, and landmark icons.
  Map Screen Legend P. 10
  AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P. 15
  AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P. 15
- **ALL OFF**: Hides all icons.
- **ICON OPTION**: Fine-tunes the icon display. Move .
  Fine-tuning the Icons P. 107

Showing Icons on the Map

You can display or hide the icons using voice commands on the map screen (e.g., say *"Display hospital"*).

Map Display Commands P. 236

■ Fine-tuning the Icons

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

1. Rotate to select an icon category from the list (e.g., **Other Icons**). Press .

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

▶ Pressing toggles the icon display on or off.

▶ Repeat the procedure as necessary.

3. Move to select **OK**.

Fine-tuning the Icons

To display the "Other Icons," be sure to turn on **OTHER ICON** in the icon bar.

Map Orientation

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Map Information**

Select the map orientation.

Rotate to select **North-up** or **Heading-up**. Press .

▶The system changes the map orientation and displays the map screen.

The following options are available:

- **North-up**: Displays the map with North always pointing up.
- **Heading-up**: Displays the map so that the direction you are traveling is always pointing up.

Map Orientation

"Display Heading-up" (from map screen), *"Display North-up"* (from map screen)

The red arrow in the symbol always points North. On scales greater than 1 mile, North-up mode is always used.

Current Location

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Map Information** ▶ **Current Location**

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

To save your current location in the address book:

1. Rotate to select **Save**. Press.

2. Edit the name, phone number, and category.
Address Book P. 37

3. Move to select **OK**.

Current Location

"Display Current Location" (on map screen)

You can also save the current location by saying *"Register the Current Location"*.

If you have PIN-protected your address book, enter your PIN number when prompted. Move to select **OK**. PIN numbers are optional.
PIN Numbers P. 42

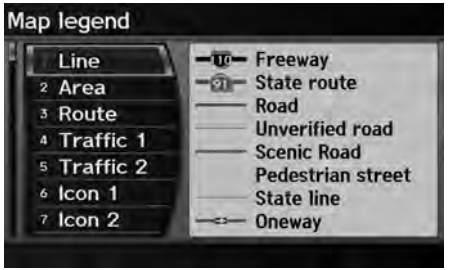
The elevation is not displayed if the system is receiving insufficient GPS information. When elevation is displayed, it may differ with roadside elevation signs by ±100 feet or more.

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

Map Legend

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Map Information** ▶ **Map Legend**

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



Rotate to select an item.

▶The system displays the map legend.

Map Legend

A visual guide helps you see the map legend.

Map Screen Legend P. 10
AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P. 15
AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P. 15

Map Scale and Functions

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

Function	page	Map Scale (top: mile, bottom: metric)											
		1/20	1/8	1/4	1/2	1	2	5	15	50	150	350	1000
		80	200	400	800	1.6	3	8	24	80	240	560	1600
Icon display													
Landmark icon	10	✔	✔										
Exit info.	10			✔	✔	✔							
One-way traffic	10	✔											
Waypoint "flag"	11	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Traffic incident	15	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔					
Weather info.	15	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Map orientation													
Heading-up	108	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔							
North-up	108	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Others													
Off-road tracking dots	96	✔	✔	✔	✔								
Unverified road	10	✔	✔	✔									
Map features	10	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	
Avoid areas	53	✔	✔	✔									
Traffic speed	15	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔					

Map Scale and Functions

You can change the map scale using voice commands on the map screen (e.g., say "*Display 2 mile scale*").

Map Scale Commands P. 237

You can change between miles or kilometers.

Basic Settings P. 26

Map Icons and Functions

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

■ Landmark icon

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

Map Icons and Functions

You can display or hide the icons using voice commands on the map screen (e.g., say "*Display hospital*").
Map Display Commands P. 236

Some icons, like police stations, are not shown, but you can still locate the nearest one with the Find Nearest voice command (e.g., say "*Find nearest police station*").
Find Place Commands P. 237

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

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

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

■ Traffic icon

Type	Icon display control	Icon selectable	Icon searchable
Traffic speed	Yes	No	No
Traffic incident	Yes	No	Yes

■ Weather icon

Type	Icon display control	Icon selectable	Icon searchable
Weather info.	Yes	No	No

Traffic Incident

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

When you press to select the traffic incident icon, you can view a pop-up message describing the incident in detail.

Weather Information

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Weather Info.**

View the weather forecast, warning list, warning map, and radar image map.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Weather Forecast**: Displays the weather forecast.
  Weather Forecast P. 115
- **Warning List Sorted by Distance**: Displays a list of weather warnings.
  Warning List P. 116
- **Warning Map**: Displays a color-coded weather warning map.
  Warning Map P. 117
- **Radar Map**: Displays a color-coded weather radar image map.
  Radar Map P. 118

Weather Information

This feature requires an AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ subscription.
Subscribing to XM® Radio P. 144

You can also display the weather information menu from the INFO screen. Press the INFO/PHONE button. Rotate to select **Weather Info**. and press .

You can display weather and related information on the map screen using voice commands.
Map Display Commands P. 236

AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ is a fee-based subscription service available after a complimentary 90-day trial period. You must purchase the subscription if you want to continue receiving weather information after the trial.

Weather information is updated automatically every one minute.
Traffic and Weather Status P. 64

Weather Forecast

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Weather Info.** ▶ **Weather Forecast**

View the weather forecast for your current position or a city you select.

1. Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Current Position**: Displays the weather forecast for your current position.
- **City Vicinity**: Displays the weather forecast for the selected city. You are prompted to select the city.

Selecting a City P. 72

2. Move ◁ or ▷ to select **1day** or **3day** to display the 1-day or 3-day forecast for the location.

Weather Forecast

When the GPS signal or weather information cannot be received, "NA" or "No Data" is displayed.

You can access the same weather information by selecting the weather icon for a city on the map screen.

Warning List

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Weather Info.** ▶ **Warning List Sorted by Distance**

View a list of all weather warnings for a given location or route (U.S. only).

1. Rotate to select a warning. Press .
   - ▶ Move ◁ or ▷ to select **All US**, **Within 500mi**, or **On Route** to specify the warnings to display.
   - ▶ The system displays the detailed information.
2. Press to listen to the weather warning.

Warning List

A warning icon in the list indicates that your vehicle is in the warning area or that the calculated route runs through the area.

The "On Route" tab is available only when you are following route guidance.

You can also say "*Read List*" to listen to the weather warning information.

Warning Map

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Weather Info.** ▶ **Warning Map**

View a color-coded weather warning map. Each color corresponds to a different type of warning.

1. Scroll the map to position the cursor over a colored area, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press .

▶ The system displays the detailed information.

2. Press to listen to the weather warning.

Warning Map

You can change the map scale to 50, 150, or 350 miles.

Moving the cursor does not display the detailed information.

You can also say *"Read List"* to listen to the weather warning information.

A visual guide helps you see a weather warning map.

AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P. 15

Radar Map

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Weather Info.** ▶ **Radar Map**

View a weather radar image map displaying rain and snow systems.

Scroll the map to view weather information, adjusting the map scale as necessary.

Radar Map

You can change the map scale to 50, 150, or 350 miles.

Moving the cursor does not display the detailed information.

A visual guide helps you see a weather radar image map.

AcuraLink Real-Time Weather™ P. 15

Traffic Rerouting™

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

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ P. 15
Traffic Rerouting P. 52

Traffic Rerouting™ Manually

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Traffic Incidents**

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

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

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Traffic Rerouting

This feature requires an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription.
Subscribing to XM® Radio P. 144

AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ is a fee-based subscription service available after a complimentary 90-day trial period. You must purchase the subscription if you want to continue receiving the traffic information after the trial.

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

Traffic information is updated automatically every one minute.
Traffic and Weather Status P. 64

Traffic Rerouting™ Manually

"Display traffic incidents", *"Display traffic list"*

You can also display the traffic incidents from the INFO screen.

You can display traffic incidents and related information on the map screen using voice commands.
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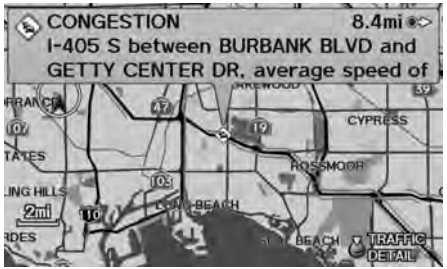
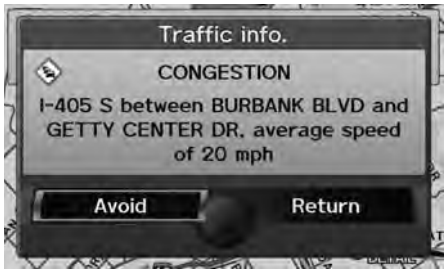


2. Press to select **TRAFFIC DETAIL**.



3. Rotate to select **Avoid**. Press .

▶ Repeat step 1 to 3 as necessary.

4. Move to select **REROUTE**.

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

Traffic Rerouting™ Manually

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

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

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

You can also detour around a traffic incident manually if you encounter an unexpected obstacle or do not have an AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ subscription.

Taking a Detour P. 122

MENU button (when en route)

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

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Cancel Route**: Cancels the route guidance.
  Canceling the Route P. 122
- **Detour**: Calculates a detour route.
  Taking a Detour P. 122
- **Avoid Streets**: Avoids streets along your route.
  Avoiding Streets P. 122
- **Change Route Preference**: Changes the route preferences (calculating method).
  Changing the Route Preference P. 91
- **Waypoint**: Sets waypoints along your route.
  Adding Waypoints from the Route Menu P. 124
- **Destination List**: Shows a list of waypoints. You can delete waypoints or edit the order of them.
  Editing the Destination List P. 127

Changing Your Route

"Display Menu", *"Display Navigation"* (when en route)

If you press the MENU button when not en route, the Destination Menu screen is displayed.
Entering a Destination P. 68

Canceling the Route

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Cancel Route**

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

Taking a Detour

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Detour**

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

Avoiding Streets

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Avoid Streets**

Select a street or streets along your route to avoid.

1. Rotate to select the street you want to avoid. Press .
   - ▶ Repeat the procedure to avoid other streets.
   - ▶ Streets to be avoided are indicated with a trash icon.

Canceling the Route

You can also cancel your route from the Map Menu.
Map Menu P. 98

Taking a Detour

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

Avoiding Streets

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

You cannot choose specific streets you want to use, only those to avoid. However, you can select intersections or waypoints (places/landmarks) that the system will use in your route.
Adding Waypoints P. 123

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

2. Move ⊙ to select **OK**.

▶ The system calculates a new route.

Adding Waypoints

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

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

Adding Waypoints

Waypoints allow you to stop for gas or food, for example, and then continue on to your destination.

Press the MAP/GUIDE button to return to the map screen without adding a waypoint at any time.

The search corridor used for adding waypoints can be adjusted.
Edit Waypoint Search Area P. 55

You can delete waypoints or edit the order of waypoints in the destination list.
Editing the Destination List P. 127

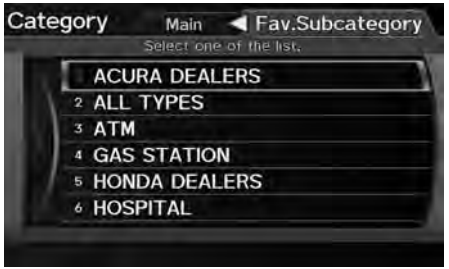
Adding Waypoints from the Route Menu

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Waypoint**

1. Rotate to select a search method and location to add a waypoint. Press .

The following options are available:

- **SEARCH AROUND:** Searches in a spiral pattern around the location you select.
- **SEARCH ALONG**: Searches within a "corridor" on either side of the locations you select.



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

Adding Waypoints

Search method

"Search around" method

"Search along" method

3. Rotate to select a place. Press .

▶ The waypoint is added to the Destination List.

4. Move to select **OK**.

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

■ Adding Waypoints from the Calculate Route Screen

1. Rotate to select **ADD TO Dest. List**. Press .

2. Rotate to select a location in the Destination List. Press .

3. Move to select **OK**.

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

Editing the Destination List

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Destination List**

Delete or edit the order of waypoints.

1. Move ○▷ to select **Edit**.

▶ Move ◁○ to select **Map** to display the destination and waypoints on the map screen.

2. Rotate ⟳ to select an item. Press ⊙.

3. Move ↕ to select **OK**.

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

The following options are available:

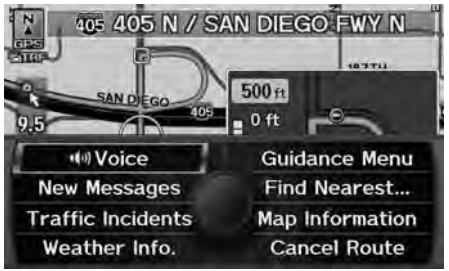
- **Delete**: Rotate ⟳ to select a list item to delete. Press ⊙.
- **Edit Order**: Rotate ⟳ to select a list item to move, press ⊙, rotate ⟳ to select a new location, and press ⊙ again.

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

Find Nearest Place

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **Find Nearest...**

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



1. Rotate to select **Find Nearest...**. Press.
2. Rotate to select a category type. Press.
3. Rotate to select a place. Press.
4. Rotate to set the place as a destination or add to the destination list. Press.

▶ The system calculates the route.
Calculating the Route P. 90

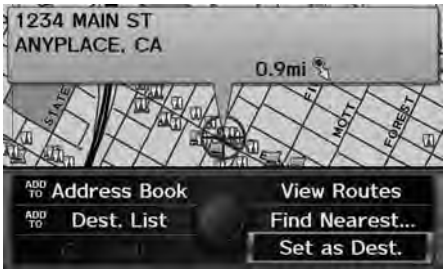
Find Nearest Point of Interest

"Find Nearest..." (on map screen)

The Find Nearest voice command is the fastest method of specifying a place/landmark as your destination. Many kinds of place/landmark can be found.
Find Place Commands P. 237

Selecting a Destination on the Map

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



1. Scroll the map to position the cursor over your desired destination, adjusting the map scale as necessary. Press ⟲.

▶ If the address displayed is not the desired location, press the CANCEL/BACK button and repeat the procedure.

2. Rotate ⟲ to select **OK** or **Set as Dest.** (depending on the screen displayed). Press ⟲.

Calculating the Route P. 90

Selecting a Destination on the Map

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

- Rotate ⟲ to select an item. Press ⟲.
- If you select **Map Icon**, rotate ⟲ to select a place and press ⟲.

3. Rotate ⟲ to select an option. Press ⊙.

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

The following options are available:

- **Set as New Destination**: Sets the location as your new destination.
- **Add to Dest. List**: Sets the location as a new waypoint.

Entering a New Destination

MENU button (when en route) ▶ **Dest. MENU 1** or **Dest. MENU 2**

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

1. Enter a new destination.
Entering a Destination P. 68

▶ After entering a new destination, the address is displayed on the Calculate Route screen.

2. Rotate ⟲ to select **OK**. Press ⊙.

Entering a New Destination

"Display Menu", *"Display Navigation"*

3. Rotate to select an option. Press .

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

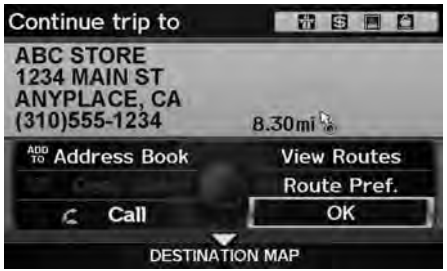
The following options are available:

- **Set as New Destination**: Sets the location as your new destination.
- **Add to Dest. List**: Sets the location as a new waypoint.

Resuming Your Trip

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

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



Rotate to select **OK**. Press.

▶You can continue on the same route.

- **Route Pref.**: Changes the route preferences (calculating method).
  Changing the Route Preference P. 91
- **View Routes**: Displays three different routes.
  Viewing the Routes P. 92
- **DESTINATION MAP**: Move to select **DESTINATION MAP** to display a map of the destination.
  Viewing the Routes P. 92

Continuing Your Trip

The Continue Trip screen has the same options as when you calculate a route.
Calculating the Route P. 90

To cancel your destination, press the CANCEL/BACK button.

Add to Address Book
You can add the destination address to the address book.
Adding an Address Book Entry P. 37

Add to Dest. List
You can add the address to the Destination List.
Editing the Destination List P. 127

Call
You can place a phone call to the destination phone number.
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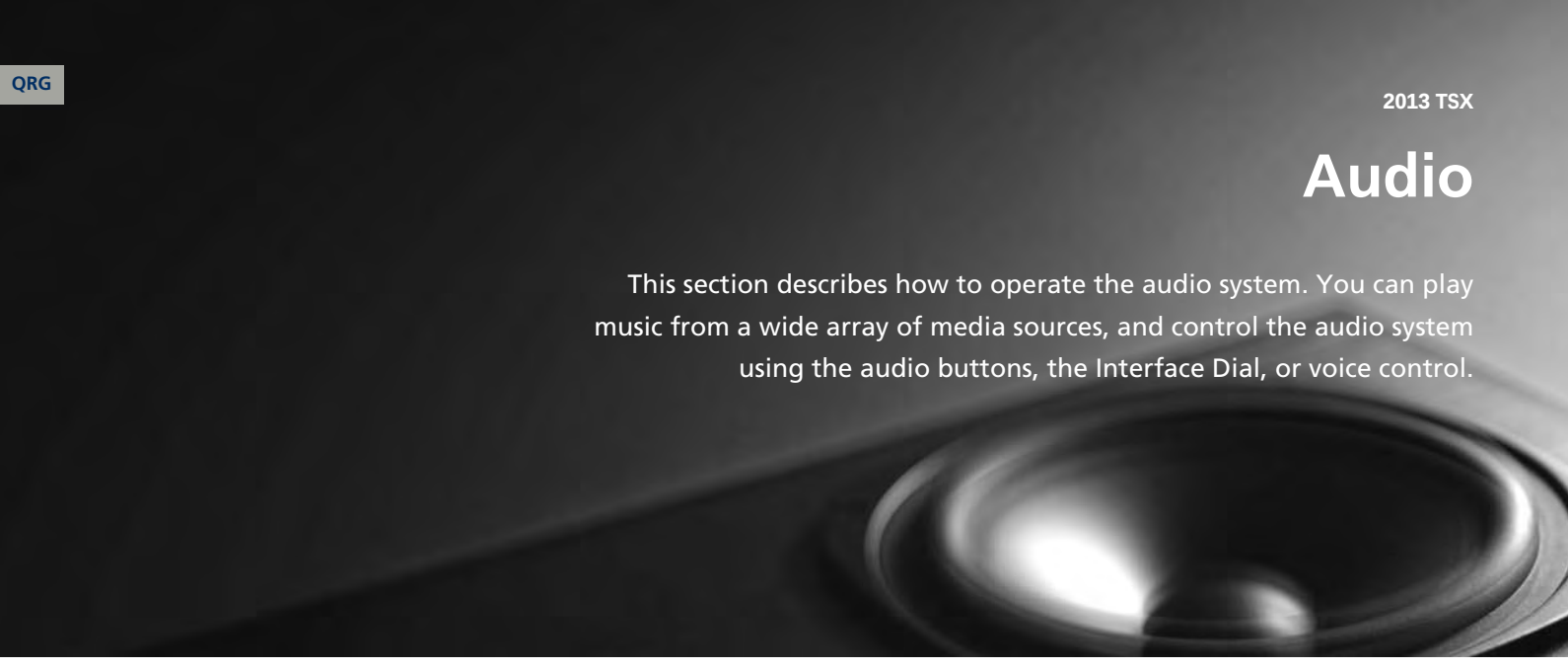
Audio

This section describes how to operate the audio system. You can play music from a wide array of media sources, and control the audio system using the audio buttons, the Interface Dial, or voice control.



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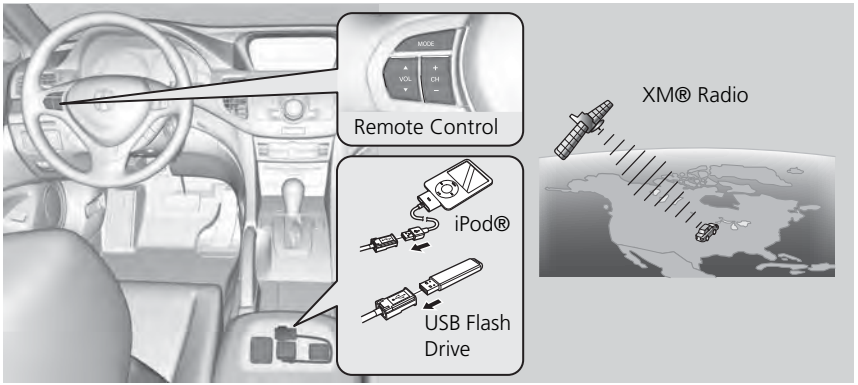
About Your Audio System

The audio system features FM/AM radio and XM® Radio. It can also play audio discs, WMA/MP3/AAC tracks, iPods®, USB flash drives, and *Bluetooth*® devices.

The audio system is operable from the buttons and switches on the panel, or the remote controls on the steering wheel.

The radio theft protection feature activates if the audio system is disconnected from electric power. You need to enter a radio code that comes with your vehicle to reactivate the disabled system.



About Your Audio System

XM® Radio is available on a subscription basis only. For more information on XM® Radio, contact your dealer.

XM® Radio Service P. 144

XM® Radio is available in the United States and Canada, except Hawaii, Alaska, and Puerto Rico.

XM is a registered trademark of Sirius XM® Radio, Inc.

Video CDs, DVDs, and 3-inch (8-cm) mini discs are not supported.

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You can operate the audio system by voice commands.

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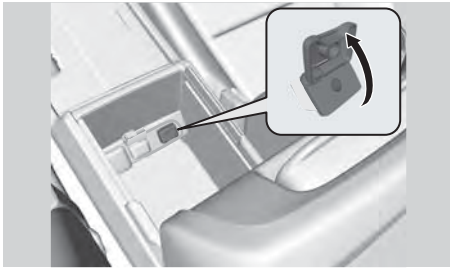
MP3 and AAC are standard audio compression formats. WMA is an audio compression format developed by Microsoft Corporation.

Plays Windows Media™

Auxiliary Input Jack

Use the jack in the console compartment 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.

Auxiliary Input Jack

To switch the mode, press any of the other audio mode buttons. You can return to the AUX mode by pressing the AUX button.

You cannot use the auxiliary input jack if you replace the audio system.

Audio System Theft Protection

The audio system is disabled when it is disconnected from the power source (e.g., when the battery is disconnected or goes dead.)

■ Entering the Audio Security Code

"ENTER CODE" appears on the display when the power is reconnected.

1. Turn on the audio system.
2. Enter the audio security code using the preset buttons. If you enter an incorrect digit, continue to the last digit, then try again. If you do not enter the code correctly after 10 tries, you need to visit a dealer to have the system reset.

Audio System Theft Protection

Find the audio system's security code and serial number on the radio code card.
Do not store the card in your vehicle. If you lose the radio code card, you must obtain the information from a dealer.

Selecting FM/AM Mode

1. Press the FM/AM button.

▶ Press the FM/AM button again, if necessary, to select the frequency band (AM, FM1, FM2).

2. Select a station using the buttons (Preset, SCAN) or bars (SKIP, TUNE).

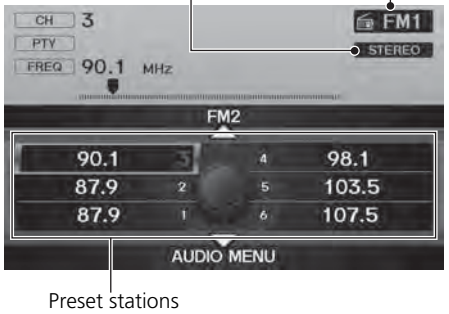
▶ On the FM bands, you can also use the CATEGORY bar and TITLE button to select a station provided by the Radio Data System (RDS).

▶ The band and frequency are displayed on the display.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in FM/AM mode)

Control the audio system through the navigation screen.



1. Move to select a frequency band (**AM**, **FM1**, or **FM2**).

2. Rotate to select a preset station. Press .

▶ Press and hold until a beep sounds to store the current station in a preset button.

▶ Move to select **AUDIO MENU**.

Audio Menu P. 137

Playing FM/AM Radio

"Display audio screen"

You can control the radio using voice control commands.

Radio Commands P. 239

A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.

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The ST indicator comes on the display for stereo FM broadcasts. Stereo reproduction in AM is not available.

The radio can receive the complete AM and FM bands:

AM band: 530 to 1710 kHz
FM band: 87.7 to 107.9 MHz

You can store six AM stations and 12 FM stations in the preset buttons. FM1 and FM2 let you store six stations each.

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in FM/AM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- **Read Radio Text**: Displays the text information broadcast by the current RDS station.
  Radio Text Display P. 139
- **RDS Search**: Searches for programs by RDS category.
  Searching for Programs by RDS Category P. 138
- **Scan**: Scans for stations with a strong signal in the current band and plays a 10-second sample. Select **Scan** again to stop scanning and play the current selection.
- **A.SEL (Auto Select)**: When set to **ON**, scans and automatically stores up to six AM stations and 12 FM stations with a strong signal in the preset buttons.
- **Tune**: Tunes the radio to the frequency you select. Rotate to select a frequency.

Audio Menu

The A.SEL indicator comes on the display when **A.SEL** is **ON**. If you do not like the stations Auto Select has stored, you can change the frequencies stored in the preset buttons manually. Set **A.SEL** to **OFF** to restore the previous preset button settings.

Radio Data System (RDS)

Provides text data information related to your selected RDS capable FM station.

RDS Info Display

Press the TITLE button to turn RDS information on or off. When set to ON, the name of the FM station is displayed on the display. When set to OFF, the frequency of the station is displayed.

Searching for Programs by RDS Category

AUDIO button (in FM/AM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **RDS Search**

Search for FM stations with a strong signal that are broadcasting the selected RDS category information.

1. Move ◁○ or ○▷ to select a search method (**Seek Up**, **Seek Down**, **Scan**).
2. Rotate ⟲ to select a category. Press ⊙.
   - ▶ Scanning for stations in that category begins.
   - ▶ If there are no RDS-capable stations in the area, "NOTHING" briefly appears on the display.

RDS Info Display

RDS information is displayed on the audio screen, if available.

Radio Text Display

AUDIO button (in FM/AM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Read Radio Text**

Display the radio text information of the selected RDS station.

Radio Text Display

The RDS indicator comes on the display when the selected RDS station is broadcasting text data.

Selecting XM Mode

1. Press the XM button.
   ▶ Press the XM button again, if necessary, to select the band (XM1, XM2).
2. Select a channel using the buttons (Preset, SCAN, TITLE) and the bars (SKIP, TUNE, CATEGORY).
   ▶ The band and channel are displayed on the display.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in XM mode)

Control the audio system through the navigation screen.

1. Move ◯ to select the channel band (**XM1**, **XM2**).
2. Rotate ◯ to select a preset channel. Press ◯.
   ▶ Press and hold ◯ until a beep sounds to store the current channel in a preset button.
   ▶ Move ◯ to select **AUDIO MENU**.
   Audio Menu P. 141

Playing XM® Radio

"Display audio screen"

You can control the radio using voice control commands.
Radio Commands P. 239

A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.
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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 XM® Radio does not broadcast all the data fields (artist name, title). This does not indicate a problem with your audio system.

You can store 12 XM stations in the preset buttons. XM1 and XM2 let you store six stations each.

XM® Radio display messages will be displayed on the audio screen.
XM® Radio Display Messages P. 144

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in XM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Note**: Records a 10-second sound file from the current channel.
  Note Function P. 142
- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- **Tune**: Tunes to the channel you select. Rotate to select a channel.
- **Mode**: Sets **CH** (channel mode) or **CAT** (category mode) scan mode.
- **Channel List**: Displays the list of available channels. Scroll the list to select a channel.
- **Channel Scan**: Scans for channels with a strong signal in the current band and plays a 10-second sample. Select **Channel Scan** again to stop scanning and play the current selection.
- **Category Scan**: Scans for channels with a strong signal in the selected category in the current band and plays a 10-second sample. Select **Category Scan** again to stop scanning and play the current selection.

Note Function

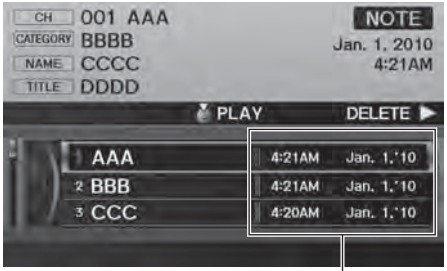
Record a 10-second sound file from the current channel that contains the channel, category, name, and title information.

Recording a Sound File

1. When tuned to the channel you want to record, press and hold the XM button for a few seconds to start recording.
2. Press the XM button again to stop the recording if less than 10 seconds have elapsed.

Replaying a Sound File

AUDIO button (in XM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Note**



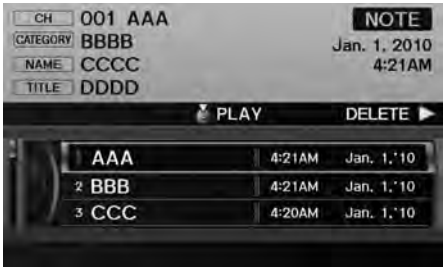
Rotate to select a sound file. Press to select **PLAY**.

Recording a Note

The system can store up to 30 sound files. Each time you add a new recording, the oldest one is deleted.

Deleting a Sound File

AUDIO button (in XM mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Note**



1. Rotate to select a sound file.

2. Move to select **DELETE**.

3. Rotate to select **Delete All** or **Delete Selected Item**. Press .

XM® Radio Service

Subscribing to XM® Radio

1. You need your radio ID ready before registering for subscription.

▶ To see the ID in the display, press the ▶| (TUNE) bar while in XM mode until "0" appears in the center display.

2. Have your radio ID and credit card number ready, and either call XM or visit the XM website to subscribe.

Receiving XM® Radio

Press the XM button 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.

XM® Radio Display Messages

LOADING: XM is loading the audio or program information.

OFF AIR: The channel is not currently broadcasting.

UPDATING: The encryption code is being updated. Channels 0 and 1 still work normally.

NO SIGNAL: The signal is too weak in the current location.

--------: No such channel exists, the channel is not part of your subscription, or the artist or title information is not available.

CHECK ANTENNA: There is a problem with the XM antenna. Contact a dealer.

Subscribing to XM® Radio

Contact Information for XM® Radio:

U.S.: XM® Radio at *www.siriusxm.com*, or (800) 852-9696

Canada: XM Canada at *www.xmradio.ca*, or (877) 209-0079

Receiving XM® Radio

The XM 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 are carried on the roof rack

Selecting Disc Mode

1. Press the DISC/HDD button to play a CD or other disc.

2. Insert a disc into the disc slot.

▶ The disc automatically begins playing.

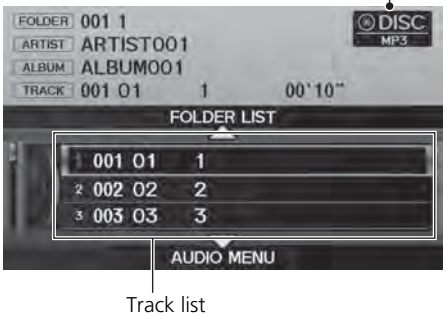
3. Select a track using the buttons (TITLE, SCAN) and the bars (SKIP, TUNE, CATEGORY).

▶ The track number and elapsed time are displayed on the display. Title information for audio CDs is displayed if found in the Gracenote® Album Info (Gracenote® Media Database) stored on the built-in hard disc drive (HDD). Text information stored on MP3/WMA/AAC discs is also displayed.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in DISC mode)

Control the audio system through the navigation screen.



Rotate to select a track. Press.

▶Move to select **FOLDER LIST** to display the list of folders on MP3/ WMA/AAC discs having a folder structure.

Playing MP3/WMA/AAC Discs P. 147

▶Move to select **AUDIO MENU** to display the Audio Menu.

Audio Menu P. 146

Recording a Note

"Display audio screen"

You can control the disc using voice control commands.

Disc Commands P. 240

A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.

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Do not use discs with adhesive labels. The label can cause the disc to jam in the unit.

WMA tracks protected by digital rights management (DRM) cannot be played. The audio system displays UNSUPPORTED, then skips to the next track.

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the display.

Error Messages P. 217

If you eject the disc but do not remove it from the slot, the system reloads the disc automatically after several seconds.

Pausing a Disc

Press the preset 1 button. To resume playing the disc, press the button again.

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in DISC mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press.

The following items are available, depending on the type of disc:

- **Rec to HDD**: Records a music CD onto the HDD for playback using HDD Audio.
  Recording a Music CD to HDD P. 152
- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- **HDD Setup**: Displays menu for setting HDD preferences for recording music CDs and for updating Gracenote® information.
  Recording a Music CD to HDD P. 152
  Updating Gracenote® Album Info P. 158
- **Repeat**:
  : Repeats the current track.
  : Repeats all tracks in the current folder.
- **Random**:
  : Plays all tracks on the current disc in random order.
  : Plays all tracks in the current folder in random order.

Repeat, Random, and Scan Play

1. Rotate to select **Repeat**, **Random**, or **Scan**. Press.
2. Rotate to select an option. Press.

- Scan:
  : Scans all tracks on the disc (or in the selected folder) in the order they were recorded (stored) and plays a 10-second sample. Select **OFF** to stop scanning and play the current selection.
  : Scans the first track in each folder on the disc and plays a 10-second sample. Select **OFF** to stop scanning and play the current selection.

Playing MP3/WMA/AAC Discs

AUDIO button (in DISC mode) ▶ **FOLDER LIST**

Change the folder on MP3/WMA/AAC discs that have tracks stored in a folder structure.

1. Rotate to select a folder. Press .
2. Rotate to select a track. Press .

▶The system displays the track list and begins playing the selected track.

Playing MP3/WMA/AAC Discs

Folder List

- Any tracks not in a folder are automatically added to a "ROOT" folder, which is displayed at the top of the Folder List.
- If the root folder has additional folders in a lower layer, they are listed on the screen.

Recommended Discs

- 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 discs.
- Use DVD-R/RW discs that meet DVD verification standards.

The disc packages or jackets should have one of these symbols.

Also includes:

■ Recording to HDD

- Only standard CD-DA (44.1 kHz, 16 bit stereo PCM digital sound data) discs can be recorded to HDD.
- Digital music tracks, such as MP3, WMA, AAC etc., in CD-R or DVD-R cannot be copied to HDD. Likewise, digital music tracks recorded to HDD cannot be copied to CD-R and DVD-R.

■ Discs with MP3, WMA, or AAC Tracks

- Some software files may not allow for audio play or text data display.
- Some versions of MP3, WMA, or AAC formats may be unsupported. If an unsupported track is found, the audio unit displays UNSUPPORTED, and then skips to the next track.

Recommended Discs

A Dual-disc cannot play on this audio unit. If recorded under certain conditions, a CD-R or CD-RW may not play either.

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Playing Hard Disc Drive (HDD) Audio

The Hard Disc Drive (HDD) Audio function plays tracks from music CDs that have been recorded onto the built-in HDD. You can arrange the tracks in playlists or play the tracks using various search methods.

Selecting HDD Mode

1. Press the DISC/HDD button to play tracks stored on the HDD.

2. Select a track by genre, artist, album, recording (ripping) date, playlist, or track list.

▶ The track number and elapsed time are displayed on the display. Title information is displayed if found in the Gracenote® Album Info (Gracenote® Media Database) stored on the HDD.

▶ The HDD has two types of playlists: original playlists and user playlists. An original playlist is automatically created for each album when a music CD is recorded. You can customize up to six user playlists provided on the HDD by adding tracks from your original playlists.

Playing Hard Disc Drive (HDD) Audio

"Display audio screen"

You can control the HDD audio using voice control commands.
HDD Commands P. 240

A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.
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Music tracks recorded on HDD cannot be recorded onto CDs or other devices.

Tracks are recorded at four times the playback speed using ultra-efficient compression technology; therefore, sound quality may vary slightly from the original.

If the HDD is ever replaced, all music data is lost and cannot be recovered.

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the display.
Error Messages P. 217

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in HDD mode)

Control the audio screen through the navigation system.

Rotate to select a track. Press.

▶Move or to select **ALBUM-** or **ALBUM+** to change albums.

▶Move to select **MUSIC SEARCH** to display the Music Search Menu.
Searching for Music P. 154

▶Move to select **AUDIO MENU**.
Audio Menu P. 150

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in HDD mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press.

Repeat, Random, and Scan Play

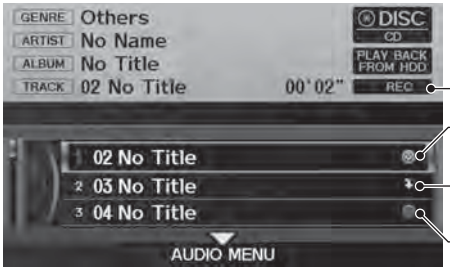
1. Rotate to select **Repeat**, **Random**, or **Scan**. Press.
2. Rotate to select an option. Press.

The following items are available:

- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- **Add to Playlist**: Adds the current track to a user playlist.
  Adding a Track to a User Playlist P. 155
- **Edit Music Info.**: Edits artist name, playlist name, track name, genre, and track order in playlists. You can also delete tracks and playlists.
  Editing a Playlist P. 155
- **Get Music Info.**: Gets the original title information for a track in a user playlist from an original playlist.
  Displaying Music Information P. 157
- **Repeat**
  : Repeats the current track.
- **Random**
  : Plays all tracks on the HDD in random order.
- **Scan**
  : Scans all tracks on the HDD in the order they were recorded and plays a 10-second sample. Select **OFF** to stop scanning and play the current selection.
- **HDD Setup**: Displays menu for setting preferences for recording music CDs and updating Gracenote® information.
  Recording a Music CD to HDD P. 152
  Updating Gracenote® Album Info P. 158

Recording a Music CD to HDD

The songs on music CDs are automatically recorded (ripped) by factory default to the HDD the first time you play each disc. You can then play the songs directly from the HDD.



Stopping Recording

1. Move to select **AUDIO MENU**.

2. Rotate to select **Cancel Rec to HDD**. Press .

Recording a Music CD to HDD

You can add tracks to user playlists, where you can mix and match tracks from other CDs recorded on the HDD.

Adding a Track to a User Playlist P. 155
Editing a Playlist P. 155

If you stop the engine or the power system is turned off while recording a CD, there may be pauses between songs when you play back from the HDD.

Repeat, random, and scan functions are not available during recording.

You can play music from other sources (e.g., XM, HDD, etc.) while recording.

Please note that there is no compensation offered in the case of unsuccessful recording of audio data or the loss of audio data due to any cause whatsoever.

Clearing the HDD

Any music tracks stored on the HDD can be deleted. Select **Music on HDD** in the Clear Personal Data menu.

Clear Personal Data P. 66

Recording a CD Manually

AUDIO button (in DISC or HDD mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **HDD Setup**

1. Rotate to select **CD Recording**. Press.
2. Rotate to select **MANUAL**. Press.
3. Move to select **RETURN**.

4. Rotate to select **Rec to HDD**. Press.
   ▶ During recording, rotate to select **Cancel Rec to HDD**. Press to cancel.

Searching for Music

AUDIO button (in HDD mode) ▶ **MUSIC SEARCH**

Search for music recorded to HDD using six different methods.

1. Rotate to select a search category. Press .

2. Rotate to select an item. Press .

▶ Move or to select alphabetical tabs on some screens.

▶ The first track begins playing.

Searching for Music

Albums, **Artists**, and **Tracks** display lists in alphabetical order. **Ripped Date** displays albums in chronological order.

You can also search for music on the HDD through voice commands using SBV.

Searching for Music Using Song By Voice™ (SBV) P. 163

RANDOM ALL TRACKS

Move to select **RANDOM ALL TRACKS** to shuffle the playback of all tracks that have been recorded to HDD.

Adding a Track to a User Playlist

AUDIO button (in HDD mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Add to Playlist**

Add a track from any playlist to one of the six user playlists.

Rotate to select a playlist.
Press .

▶The track is added to the end of the playlist.

Adding a Track to a User Playlist

The maximum number of songs in each of the six user playlists is 999. Adding new songs overwrites the oldest songs.

Adding a track from a user playlist into the same user playlist will cause the track to appear twice in the playlist.

Editing a Playlist

AUDIO button (in HDD mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Edit Music Info.**

Change the playlist name, track title, artist name, genre, and track order of the current playlist. You can also delete tracks, playlists, and albums.

Rotate to select an item. Press .

Editing a Playlist

Deleting an album (original playlist) also deletes the album tracks you have stored in any user playlists.

Deleting a user playlist or deleting all tracks from a user playlist does not remove the playlist folder. The folder retains the playlist name and artist information.

The following items are available, depending on the type of playlist:

- **Edit Artist Name**: Enter a new artist name. Move to select **OK** when finished. Then, select whether to apply the new artist name to the album (playlist) and all tracks, the current track only, all tracks, or the album (playlist) only.
- **Edit Playlist Name (user playlists)**: Enter a new playlist name. Move to select **OK** when finished.
- **Edit Album Name (original playlists)**: Enter a new album name. Move to select **OK** when finished.
- **Edit Track Name**: Enter a new track name. Move to select OK when finished.
- **Edit Genre:** Select a new genre. Then select the original playlist to apply the genre.
- **Edit Track Order (user playlists)**: Select the track to move, and then select the new location. Repeat to move more than one track. Move to select **OK** when finished.
- **Delete Playlist**: Deletes the user playlist. Rotate to select **Yes** at the confirmation prompt to delete the playlist.
- **Delete Album**: Deletes the original playlist. Rotate to select **Yes** at the confirmation prompt to delete the album.
- **Delete Track**: Deletes the current track. Rotate to select **Yes** at the confirmation prompt to delete the current track.

Displaying Music Information

AUDIO button (in HDD mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Get Music Info.**

Display the music information (album name, artist name, genre) for an album (original playlist).

▶Gracenote® searches for the information of the currently selected album (original playlist).

Rotate to select an album.
Press .
▶The information is displayed.

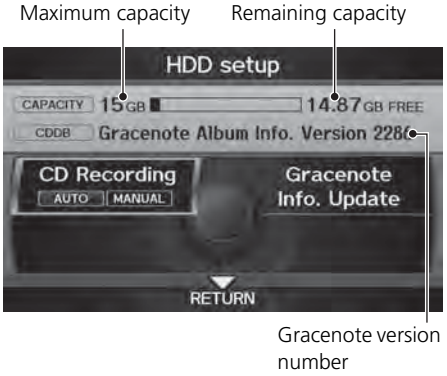
Displaying Music Information

The maximum number of original playlists is 999 with a maximum of 99 songs in each playlist. Each album CD counts as an original playlist.

Updating Gracenote® Album Info

AUDIO button (in HDD or DISC mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **HDD Setup**

Update the Gracenote® Album Info (Gracenote® Media Database) that is included with the navigation system.



1. Insert the update disc into the disc slot or connect the USB flash drive that includes the update.
2. Rotate to select **Gracenote Info. Update**. Press.
3. Rotate to select **USB** or **Disc** update source media. Press.

4. Rotate to select **Yes** on the confirmation screen. Press.
   ▶ The system updates the Gracenote information.
5. Rotate to select **OK** on the confirmation screen. Press.

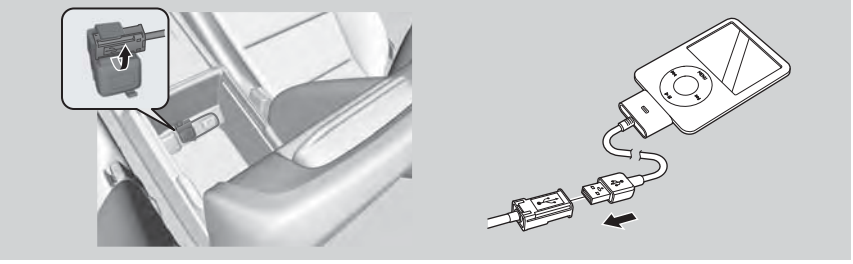
Updating Gracenote® Album Info

To acquire updated files:

- Consult your dealer.
- U.S.: Visit *www.acura.com*.
- Canada: Visit *www.acura.ca*.

Once you perform an update, any information you edited before will be overwritten or erased.

Connecting an iPod®



1. Unclip the USB connector and loosen the adapter cable.

2. Install the iPod® dock connector to the USB connector.

Model Compatibility

Model
iPod (5th generation)
iPod classic 80GB/160GB (launch in 2007)
iPod classic 120GB (launch in 2008)
iPod nano
iPod touch

Connecting an iPod®

- Do not leave the iPod® in the vehicle. Direct sunlight and high temperatures may damage it.
- Do not use an extension cable with the USB adapter cable.
- Do not connect your iPod® using a hub.
- Do not use a device such as a card reader or hard disk drive, as the device or your tracks may be damaged.
- We recommend backing up your data before using the device in your vehicle.
- Displayed messages may vary depending on the device model and software version.

Your audio system may not work with all software versions of these devices.

If the audio system does not recognize your iPod®, try reconnecting it a few times or reboot the device.

Selecting iPod® Mode

1. Connect the iPod® to the USB adapter cable in the console compartment.

2. Press the AUX button until you get to iPod® mode.

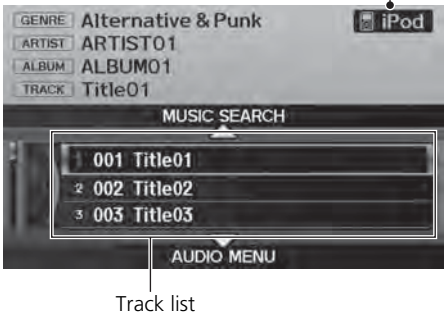
3. Select a track using the iPod® menu on the screen.

▶ The current track number and total number of tracks are displayed on the display.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in iPod® mode)

Control the audio screen through the navigation system.



Rotate to select a track. Press.

▶Move to select **MUSIC SEARCH** to change songs in the track list.
Searching for Music P. 162

▶Move to select **AUDIO MENU**.
Audio Menu P. 161

Playing an iPod®

"Display audio screen"

You can control the iPod® using voice control commands.
iPod® Commands P. 241

A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.
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Available operating functions vary on models or 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 display.
Error Messages P. 217

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in iPod® mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Sound Setup:** Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- Repeat
  : Repeats the current track.
- Shuffle:
  : Plays all tracks in the track list in random order.
  : Plays all tracks in the track list in random order by albums. Each song in an album is played in the right order and only the order of albums is randomized.

Repeat and Shuffle Play

1. Rotate to select **Repeat** or **Shuffle**. Press .
2. Rotate to select an option. Press .

Searching for Music

AUDIO button (in iPod® mode) ▶ **MUSIC SEARCH**

Search for music using the iPod® menu.

1. Rotate to select a search category. Press .

2. Rotate to select an item. Press Press .

▶ The selection begins playing.

Searching for Music

The order of the track list displayed if you select "All" on the iPod® menu varies depending on the iPod® model and software.

You can also search for music on the iPod® through voice commands using SBV.

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SHUFFLE ALL TRACKS

Move to select **SHUFFLE ALL TRACKS** to shuffle the playback of all tracks on the iPod®.

Searching for Music Using Song By Voice™ (SBV)

Use Song By Voice™ (SBV) to search for and play music from your HDD or iPod® device using voice commands.

1. Set **Song By Voice** to **ON** in the system setup.
   Song By Voice™ (SBV) P. 45
2. Say "*Hard Disc Drive Search*" or "*iPod Search*" to activate the SBV feature for the HDD or iPod®.
   ▶ The SBV commands that you can use are displayed on the screen.
3. Say a command.
   ▶ Example 1: Say "*List Artist 'Artist A'*" to view a list of songs by that artist. Select the desired song to start playing.
   ▶ Example 2: Say "*Play Artist 'Artist A'*" to start playing songs by that artist.
4. To cancel SBV mode, press the CANCEL (BACK) button on the steering wheel or any button on the navigation system interface. The selected song continues playing.

Searching for Music Using Song By Voice™ (SBV)

The SBV voice commands give you more control over the music than the regular iPod® and HDD voice commands.
Song By Voice™ Commands P. 241

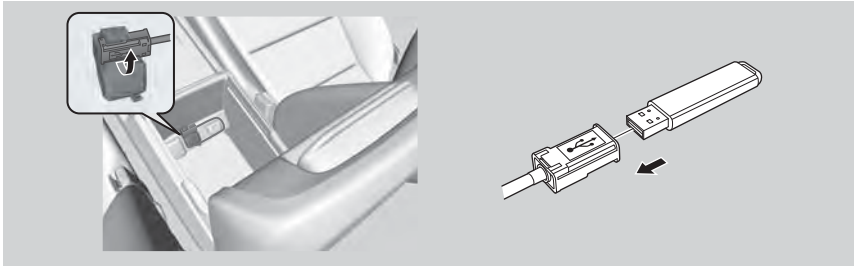
You can add phonetic modifications of difficult words so that it is easier for SBV to recognize artists, songs, albums, and composers in voice commands.
Phonetic Modification P. 46

SBV may not be able to recognize languages other than English for the artist name, song title, album title, and composers.

Once you have canceled this mode, you need to say "*Hard Disc Drive Search*" or "*iPod Search*" again to re-activate this mode.

Playing a USB Flash Drive

Connecting a USB Flash Drive



1. Unclip the USB connector and loosen the adapter cable.

2. Install the USB flash drive to the USB connector.

USB Flash Drives

Use a recommended USB flash drive of 256 MB or higher.

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.

Connecting a USB Flash Drive

- Do not leave the USB flash drive in the vehicle. Direct sunlight and high temperatures may damage it.
- Do not use an extension cable with the USB adapter cable.
- Do not connect your 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 tracks may be damaged.
- We recommend backing up your data before using the device in your vehicle.

USB Flash Drives

Digital music tracks, such as MP3, WMA, AAC etc., in USB flash drives cannot be copied to HDD. Likewise, digital music tracks recorded to HDD cannot be copied to USB flash drives.

Selecting USB Mode

1. Connect the USB flash drive to the USB adapter cable in the console compartment.
2. Press the AUX button until you get to USB mode.
3. Select a track using skip, scan, folder list, or track list.

▶ The current track number and folder number are displayed on the display.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in USB mode)

Control the audio screen through the navigation system.

Rotate to select a track. Press .

▶Move to select **FOLDER LIST** to display the folder list.

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▶Move to select **AUDIO MENU**.

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Playing a USB Flash Drive

"Display audio screen"

You can control the audio system using voice control commands.

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A visual guide helps you operate the audio system.

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Tracks on the USB flash drive are played in their stored order. This order may be different from the order displayed on your PC or device.

The audio system displays UNPLAYABLE FILE, and then skips to the next track when the following tracks are played:

- Tracks in WMA format protected by digital rights management (DRM)
- Tracks in unsupported format

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the display.

Error Messages P. 217

Audio Menu

AUDIO button (in USB mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
  Adjusting the Sound P. 170
- **Repeat**:
  : Repeats the current track.
  : Repeats all tracks in the current folder.
- **Random**:
  : Plays all tracks on the USB flash drive in random order.
  : Plays all trakcs in the current folder in random order.
- **Scan**:
  : Scans all tracks in the current folder in the order they were stored and plays a 10-second sample. Select **OFF** to stop scanning and play the current selection.
  : Scans the first track in each folder on the USB flash drive and plays a 10-second sample. Select **OFF** to stop scanning and play the current selection.

Repeat, Random, and Scan Play

1. Rotate to select **Repeat**, **Random**, or **Scan**. Press .
2. Rotate to select an option. Press .

Playing Tracks in Folders

AUDIO button (in USB mode) ▶ **FOLDER LIST**

Change the folder if the tracks are stored in a folder structure.

1. Rotate to select a folder. Press .
2. Rotate to select a track. Press .

▶The display returns to the track list menu and the selected track.

Playing Tracks in Folders

Folder List

- Any music tracks not in a folder are automatically added to a "ROOT" folder, which is displayed at the top of the Folder List.
- If the root folder has additional folders in a lower layer, they are listed on the screen.

RANDOM ALL TRACKS

Move to select **RANDOM ALL TRACKS** to shuffle the playback of all tracks on the USB flash drive.

Your audio system allows you to listen to music tracks stored on your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone.

This function is available when the phone is linked to the vehicle's *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) system.
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Selecting *Bluetooth*® Audio Mode

1. Make sure that your phone is on, paired, and linked to HFL.
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2. Press the AUX button to select *Bluetooth*® Audio mode.

► A *Bluetooth*® message and icon are displayed on the display and screen.

3. If necessary, follow the cell phone operating instructions for playing audio tracks.

Check the following if the phone is not recognized:

- Another HFL-compatible phone, which is not compatible for *Bluetooth*® Audio, is already connected.

Playing *Bluetooth*® Audio

"Display audio screen"

You can control the audio system using voice control commands.
Bluetooth® Audio Commands P. 241

Not all *Bluetooth*-enabled phones with streaming audio capabilities are compatible. To check if your phone is compatible:

- Call HandsFreeLink customer support at (888) 528-7876.
- U.S.: Visit *www.acura.com/handsfreelink*.
- Canada: Visit *www.handsfreelink.ca*.

In some states, it may be illegal to perform some data device functions while driving.

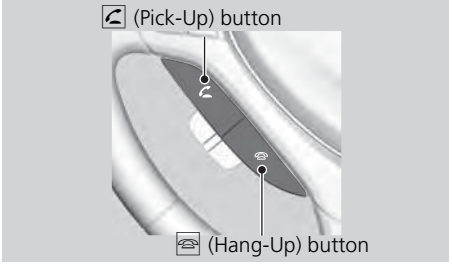
Only one phone can be used with HFL at a time. When there are more than two paired phones in the vehicle, a first paired phone the system finds will be automatically linked.

Pressing the TITLE button switches the center display between the *Bluetooth*® Audio message and the device name.

If more than one phone is paired to the HFL system, there may be a delay before the system begins to play.

A "NO CONNECT" message may be displayed if:
- The phone is not linked to HFL.
- The phone is not turned on.
- The phone is not in the vehicle.
- An incompatible phone is connected.

Switching to HFL Mode



1. If you receive a call when *Bluetooth*® Audio is playing, press the (Pick-Up) button on the steering wheel to answer the call.
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2. After ending the call, press the (Hang-Up) button to return to *Bluetooth*® Audio mode.

Switching to HFL Mode

If you receive a call while *Bluetooth*® Audio is in pause mode, the song will resume after the call has ended.

Audio Screen Control

AUDIO button (in BT mode) ▶ **AUDIO MENU**

Control the audio screen through the navigation system.

Bluetooth® Audio mode

Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Sound Setup**: Displays the sound preferences screen.
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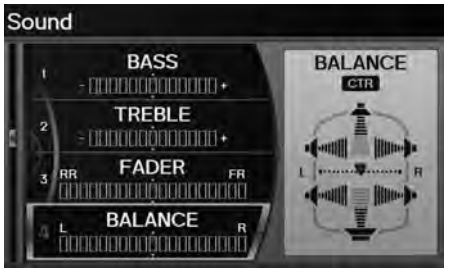
- **Resume/Pause**: Resumes/pauses play.

Audio Screen Control

The pause function may not be available on some devices.

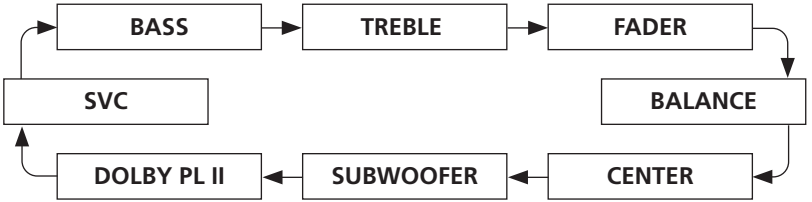
AUDIO button ▶ **AUDIO MENU** ▶ **Sound Setup**

Adjust the sound bass, treble, fader, and balance. You can also adjust the strength of the sound coming from the center and subwoofer speakers. In addition, you can set Dolby PL (ProLogic) II and Speed-sensitive Volume Compensation (SVC).



1. Rotate to select the sound mode to adjust. Press.
2. Rotate to adjust the desired level. Press.
   ▶ The display returns to the audio screen after a few seconds.

You can also use the ♪/🔇 (Sound) button to adjust the sound. Press the ♪/🔇 button repeatedly to cycle through the edit modes, displayed on the display. Rotate the VOL ⏻ knob to adjust the setting.



Adjusting the Sound

You can check the level on the navigation screen or on the display. When the level reaches the center, you will see "C" in the display.

Fader adjusts the front-to-back strength, while balance adjusts the side-to-side strength. If the fader adjustment is set to the maximum front level, the subwoofer is turned off. If the fader is set to the maximum rear level, the center speaker is off.

Dolby PL II signal processing creates multi-channel surround sound from 2-channel stereo audio sources. Dolby ProLogic II is available only in DISC (CD-DA, MP3, WMA, AAC), XM® Radio, AUX (USB, iPod®, AUX, *Bluetooth*® Audio), and HDD modes.

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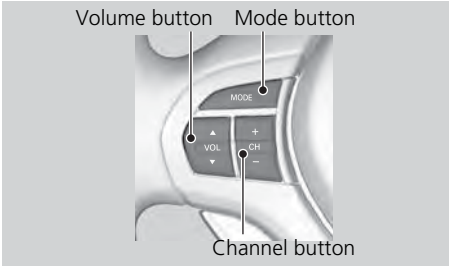
The **SVC** has four modes: **OFF**, **LOW**, **MID**, and **HIGH**. SVC adjusts the volume level based on the vehicle speed. The faster you go, the audio volume increases. As you slow down, the audio volume decreases. If you feel the sound is too loud, choose **LOW**, and vice versa.

Steering Wheel Controls

Control basic audio system functions using the controls mounted on the steering wheel.



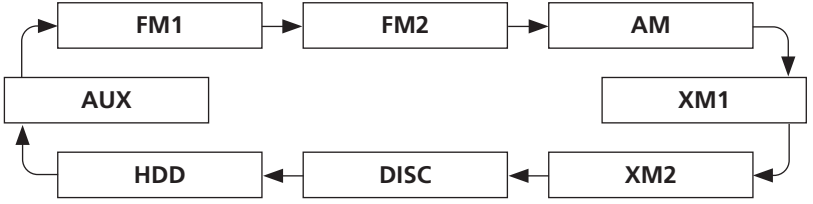
VOL (Volume) Button

Adjusts the volume.

- Press the ▲ (Volume) button to increase the volume.
- Press the ▼ (Volume) button to decrease the volume.

MODE Button

Changes the audio source mode. Press to cycle through all currently connected media sources.



MODE Button

DISC mode appears only when a disc is loaded.

When in AUX mode, the following are operable from the remote audio controls:

- iPod®/USB flash drive connected to the USB adapter cable
- Audio unit plugged into the auxiliary input jack
- *Bluetooth*® Audio (not all phones support this function)

CH (Channel) Button

FM/AM, XM

- Press the + (Channel) button to change to the next preset station (channel).
- Press the − (Channel) button to go to the previous preset station (channel).
- FM/AM: Press and hold for one second to scan for a station with a strong signal.
- XM: Press and hold for one second to go to the next/previous channel in the current category.

DISC, HDD, iPod®, USB, *Bluetooth*® Audio (on some phones)

- Press the + button to skip to the end of the current track.
- Press the − button to skip to the beginning of the current track. Press the − button again to go to the beginning of the previous track.
- Press and hold to skip forward/backward to the first track of the next folder.

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®

This section describes how to operate *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®. You can place and receive phone calls using your vehicle's audio system without handling your cell phone.

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INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone**

Rotate to select an item. Press.

The following items are available:

- **PHONE SETUP**: Move to set up the HFL features.
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  Setting Up Speed Dialing P. 182
- **Call History**: Displays the call history.
  Using Call History P. 187
- **Phonebook**: Displays the phonebook.
  Using the Phonebook P. 186
- **Dial**: Makes a call by entering the phone number.
  Entering a Phone Number P. 186
- **More Speed Dial**: Displays more speed dial entries stored in the system.
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- **Speed Dial 1-4**: Makes a call to stored speed dial entries.
  Using Speed Dial P. 187
- **User name**: Move or to change users.

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®

You can use this feature by voice.
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To use HFL, you need a *Bluetooth*-compatible cell phone. For a list of compatible phones, pairing procedures, and special feature capabilities:

- Call HandsFreeLink customer support at (888) 528-7876.
- U.S.: Visit *www.acura.com/handsfreelink*.
- Canada: Visit *www.handsfreelink*.ca.

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 (Talk) button before giving a command. Speak clearly and naturally after a beep.
  Voice Control Operation P. 5
- If the microphone picks up voices other than yours, the command may be misinterpreted.
- When HFL is in use, navigation voice commands cannot be recognized.
- To change the volume level, use the audio system's volume knob or the remote audio controls.

Help Features

Say "*Hands-free help*" or "*Help*" any time to get help or hear a list of commands.

Voice Help P. 5

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®

Bluetooth® Wireless Technology

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HFL Limitations

An incoming call on HFL will interrupt *Bluetooth*® Audio when it is playing. Audio will resume when the call is ended. In addition, you cannot use HFL while using AcuraLink®.

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Pairing a Phone

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone**

When no *Bluetooth*-compatible phone is paired, the following screen appears:

1. Rotate to select **Yes**. Press .
2. Put your cell phone in "Discovery" or "Search" mode, and search for a *Bluetooth* Device.
   ▶ Refer to your phone manual for instructions on searching for a *Bluetooth* Device.
   ▶ HFL gives you a 4-digit pass-key that you will need to enter on your phone.
3. Enter the 4-digit pass-key when prompted to complete the pairing process.

Pairing a Phone

Your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone must be paired to HFL before you can make and receive hands-free calls.

The maximum range between your phone and vehicle is about 30 feet (10 meters).

Phone Pairing Tips

- You cannot pair your phone while the vehicle is moving.
- Your phone must be in discovery or search mode when pairing the phone. Refer to your phone's manual.
- Up to six phones can be paired.
- Your phone's battery may drain faster when it is paired to HFL.
- If your phone is not ready for pairing or not found by the system within three minutes, the system will time out and returns to idle.
- The default pass-key "0000" is used until you change the setting.

Pass-Key

You can change the pass-key setting.

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Delete a Phone

You can delete the paired phone.

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Pairing from Phone Setup

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

Use the Phone setup screen to pair an additional *Bluetooth*-compatible phone.

1. Rotate to select **Setup Bluetooth Phone**. Press .
2. Rotate to select **Pair Phone**. Press .
   ▶ HFL gives you a 4-digit pass-key that you will need to enter on your phone.
3. Put your cell phone in "Discovery" or "Search" mode, and search for a *Bluetooth* device.
   ▶ Refer to your phone manual for instructions on searching for a *Bluetooth* device.
4. Enter the 4-digit pass-key when prompted to complete the pairing process.

Pairing from Phone Setup

You can use this feature by voice.
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If a prompt appears asking to connect to a phone, select "No" and proceed with step 1.

Changing the Pass-key

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP** ▶ **Setup Bluetooth Phone**

1. Rotate to select **Pass-Key**. Press.

2. Rotate to select an item. Press.

The following items are available:

- **Random**: Uses a randomly generated pass-key.
- **Fixed**: Create your own pass-key.

3. Move ◁○ to select **DELETE** to remove the current pass-key.

4. Enter a new pass-key. Move ○ to select **OK**.

■ Deleting a Paired Phone

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP** ▶ **Setup Bluetooth Phone**

1. Rotate ○ to select **Delete a Phone**. Press ○.

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2. Rotate to select a phone to delete. Press.

▶ The *Bluetooth*® icon indicates the currently linked phone.

▶ Items to be deleted are indicated with a trash icon.

3. Move to select **OK**.

4. Rotate to select **Yes**. Press to delete the device(s).

Changing the Currently Paired Phone

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

1. Rotate to select **Search a Next Connected Phone**. Press.

▶ HFL disconnects the linked phone and starts searching for another paired phone. If no other paired phone is found, HFL automatically links the previous phone.

2. Press to select **OK**.

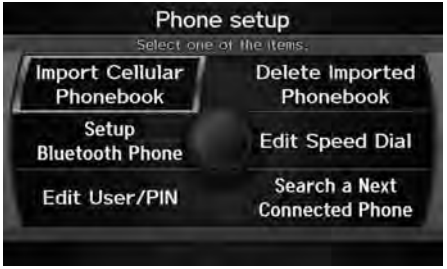
Changing the Currently Paired Phone

If no other phones are found or paired when trying to switch to another phone, HFL will inform you that the original phone is linked again.

Importing Phonebook Data

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

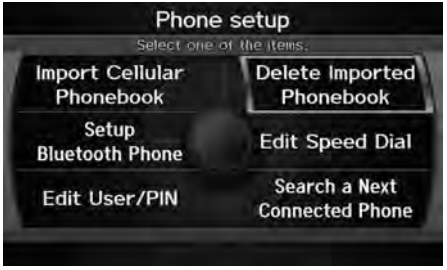
Import cellular phonebook data into the system.



1. Rotate to select **Import Cellular Phonebook**. Press .
   ▶ The system automatically starts importing the phonebook.
2. Press to select **OK**.

Deleting an Imported Phonebook

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**



1. Rotate to select **Delete Imported Phonebook**. Press .
   ▶ The phonebook for the currently connected phone will be deleted.
2. Rotate to select **Yes**. Press .
3. Press to select **OK**.

Importing Phonebook Data

You can use this feature by voice.
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Up to 10,000 numbers for 1,000 names can be imported. Up to three icons are displayed for each phonebook entry. If there are more than three numbers for an entry, "…" is displayed.

	Preference		Fax
	Home		Car
	Mobile		Voice
	Work		Other
	Pager		

This feature is not available on all phones.

Setting Up Speed Dialing

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

Create speed dial entries with voice tags for easy calling.

1. Rotate to select **Edit Speed Dial**. Press.
2. Rotate to select **Register Speed Dial**. Press.
3. Rotate to select a location in the speed dial list. Press.

4. Rotate to select a number entry method. Press.
5. Follow the prompt to enter a voice tag.

The following options are available:

- **Phonebook:** Adds a number from the imported phonebook.
- **Call History:** Adds a number from the last 30 numbers.
- **Dial:** Enters a number manually.

Setting Up Speed Dialing

You can use this feature by voice.
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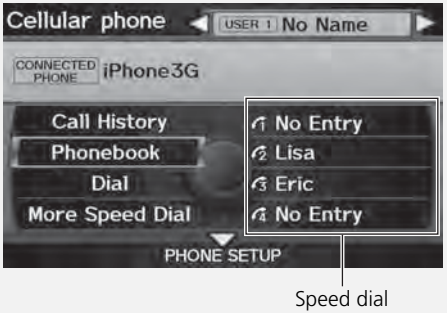
Up to 20 speed dial entries can be stored per user. The first four entries are displayed on the Cellular Phone screen.



Speed dial

You can select a "No Entry" field directly from the Cellular Phone screen to store a speed dial number.

Registering a Voice Tag to a Speed Dial Entry

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

1. Rotate to select **Edit Speed Dial**. Press.

2. Rotate to select **Register Voice Tag**. Press.

3. Rotate to select a speed dial entry. Press.

Registering a Voice Tag to a Speed Dial Entry

Voice tags allow you to call speed dial entries from any screen by saying *"Dial by voice tag"* and the voice tag, followed by *"Dial."*

- Avoid using duplicate voice tags.
- Avoid using "Home" as a voice tag.
- It is easier for HFL to recognize a longer name (e.g., "John Smith" instead of "John").

Deleting a Voice Tag

1. Rotate to select **Delete Voice Tag**. Press.
2. Rotate to select the number you want to delete the voice tag for. Move to select **OK**.

Deleting a Speed Dial Entry

1. Rotate to select **Delete Speed Dial**. Press.
2. Rotate to select the entry you want to delete. Move to select **OK**.

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4. Follow the prompt to enter a voice tag.

Editing User Name and PIN

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **PHONE SETUP**

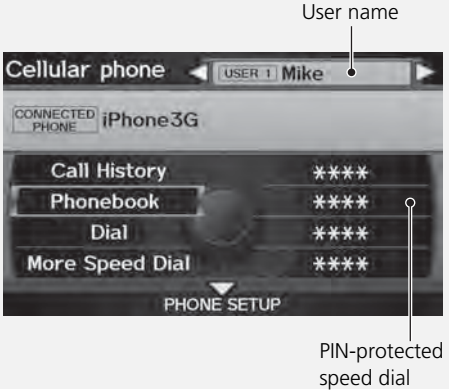
Edit the user name of a paired phone, and protect the phonebook and speed dial entries with a PIN number.

1. Rotate to select **Edit User/PIN**. Press .

Editing User Name and PIN

You can use this feature by voice.
HFL Menus P. 189

You can name up to six HFL users. Each can be PIN protected, and have their own phonebook, speed dial entries, and call history.



2. Rotate to select an item. Press .

The following items are available:

- **Name:** Enter a name.
- **PIN:** Enter a 4-digit PIN. Re-enter to confirm. You can select **DO NOT USE PIN** to remove a PIN number.
- **Delete:** Deletes the user name and the user's call history and phonebook.

Making a Call

Make calls by entering a number or using the imported phonebook, call history, or speed dial entries.

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Making a Call

You can use this feature by voice.
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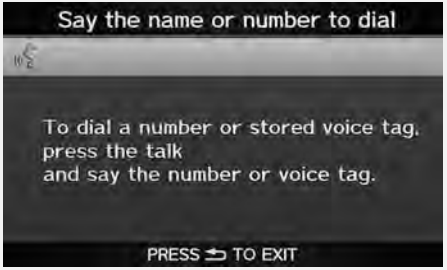
When you say "*Dial by number*" or "*Dial by voice tag*" on any screen, the following screen appears:



Say the phone number or the voice tag (e.g., "*John Smith*"), followed by "*Dial.*"
Registering a Voice Tag to a Speed Dial Entry P. 183

HFL allows you to talk for up to 30 minutes after you remove the key from the ignition. This may drain the vehicle's battery.

Only one phone can be used with HFL at a time. When there are more than two paired phones in the vehicle, a first paired phone the system finds will be automatically linked.

Using the Phonebook

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **Phonebook**

1. Rotate to select a name. Press .
   - ▶ Move ◁ or ▷ to select alphabetical tabs to display the entries in the group.
   - ▶ Alternatively, move to select **SEARCH PHONEBOOK**. Enter the first few letters to search for an entry.
2. Rotate to select a number. Press to begin dialing.

Entering a Phone Number

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **Dial**

1. Enter a phone number.
2. Move to select **DIAL** to begin dialing.

Using the Phonebook

You must first import a phonebook before using it to make calls.

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Entering a Phone Number

A command that consists of several words can be spoken together.

For example, say "*123-456-7890*" at once.

Using Call History

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Cellular Phone** ▶ **Call History**

Rotate to select a call. Press to begin dialing.

▶Move or to select **All**, **Dial**, **Receive**, **Missed** to view the call history by category.

Using Call History

The call history only shows the last 30 calls made from HFL, not your phone.

Moving to select **DELETE ALL** allows you to delete all call history. Rotate to select **Yes** on the confirmation screen. Press .

Using Speed Dial

From the Cellular Phone screen: Rotate to select one of the four speed dial numbers. Press to begin dialing.

From the Speed Dial list screen: Rotate to select **More Speed Dial**. Press . Rotate to select a number. Press to begin dialing.

Using Speed Dial

To make a call using speed dial, you need to create speed dial entries.

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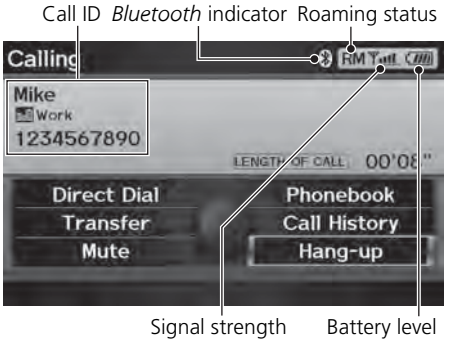
Receiving a Call

1. Press the (Pick-Up) button to answer a call and display the Calling screen.
   ▶ "HANDSFREELINK" is also displayed on the display.



2. Press the (Hang-Up) button to terminate the call.

The following options are available during a call:

- **Direct Dial** (available on some phones): Allows you to send numbers or names during a call. This is useful when you call an automated phone system.
- **Transfer**: Allows you to transfer a call from HFL to your phone, or from your phone to HFL.
- **Mute**: Allows you to mute your voice.

Receiving a Call

An incoming call notification appears on the screen, and you hear an audible ring tone.

If your phone has Call Waiting, press the button to put the original call on hold and answer the incoming call. To return to the original call, press the button again. If you want to hang up the original call and answer the new call, press the button.

To change the volume level of HFL, use the audio system volume knob or the steering wheel volume controls.

Some phones may send battery, signal strength, and roaming status information to the screen.

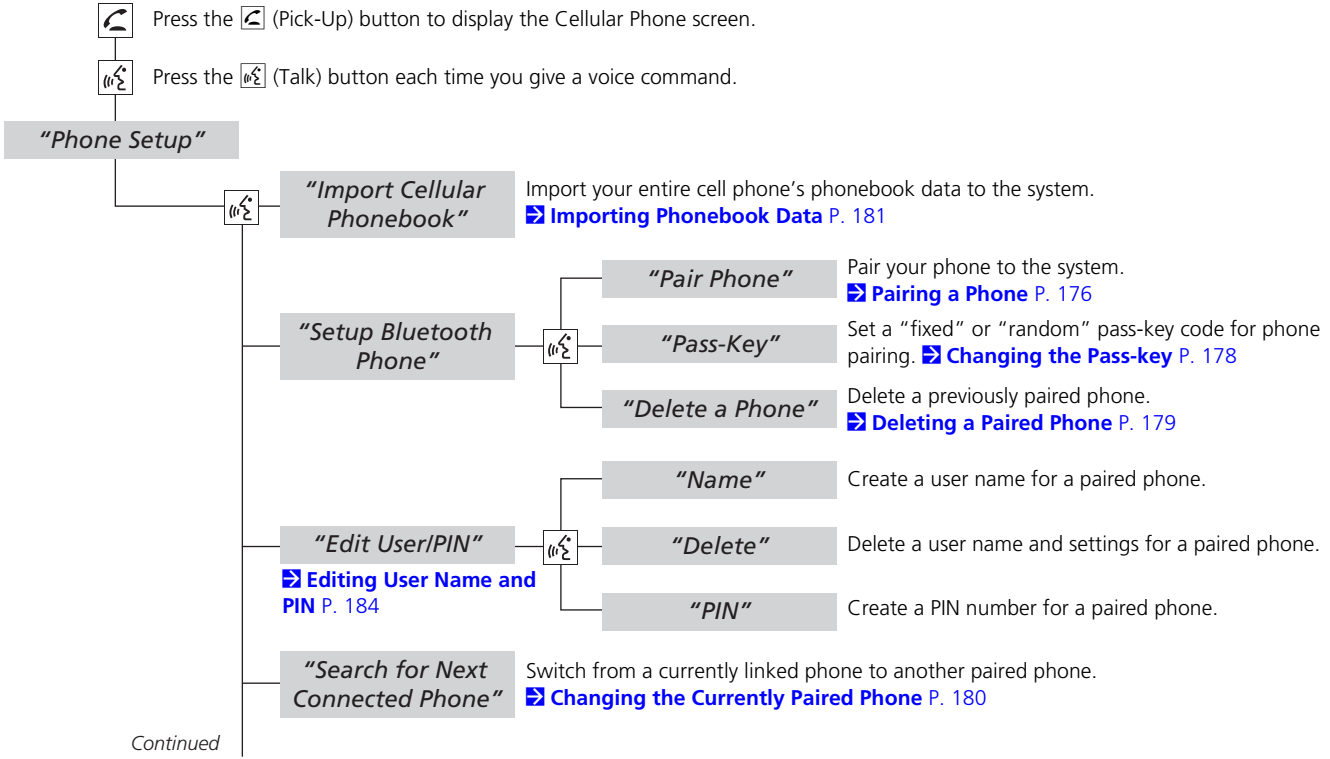
HFL Menus

Use HFL when the vehicle's ignition is in the ACCESSORY (I) or ON (II) position.

You can operate HFL by voice when on the Cellular Phone screen. Below is the flow chart showing available voice commands.

HFL Menus

To use HFL, you must first pair your *Bluetooth*-compatible cell phone to the system while the vehicle is parked.



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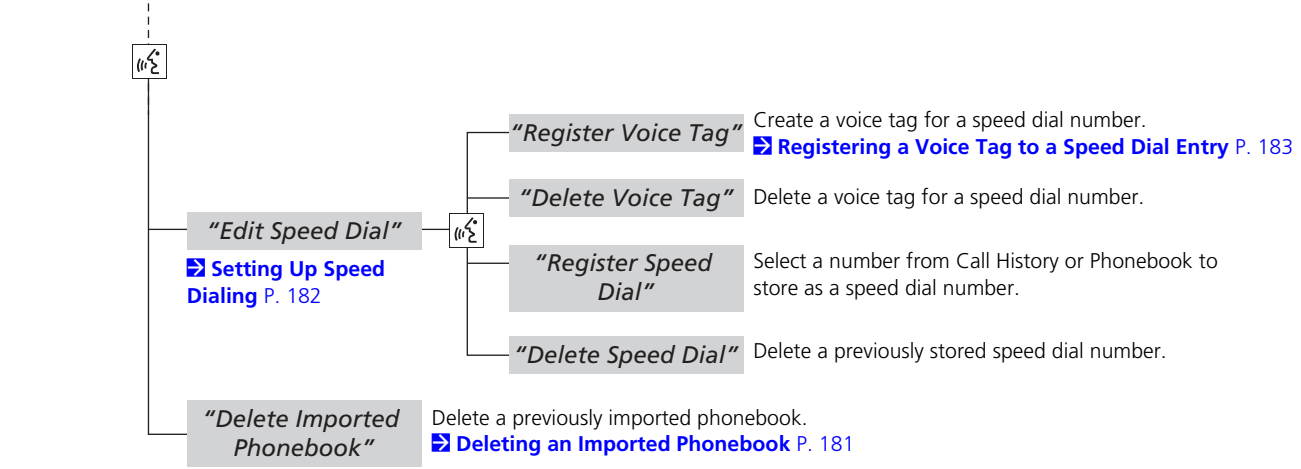

Press the (Pick-Up) button to display the Cellular Phone screen.

Press the (Talk) button each time you give a voice command.

"Call History"
Display the last 30 incoming, outgoing, or missed calls.
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"Phonebook"
Display the paired phone's previously imported phonebook (or import a new one).
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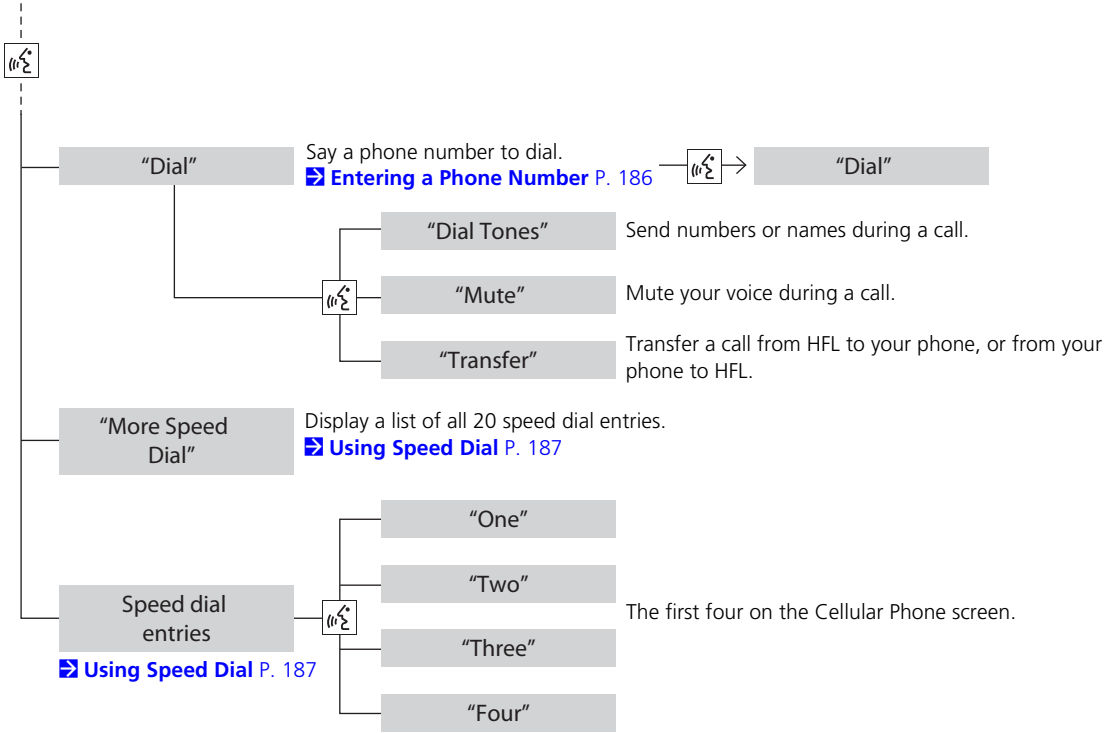
"Dial"
Say a phone number to dial.
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"Dial Tones"
Send numbers or names during a call.
"Mute"
Mute your voice during a call.
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Transfer a call from HFL to your phone, or from your phone to HFL.
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Display a list of all 20 speed dial entries.
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Speed dial entries
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"One"
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"Three"
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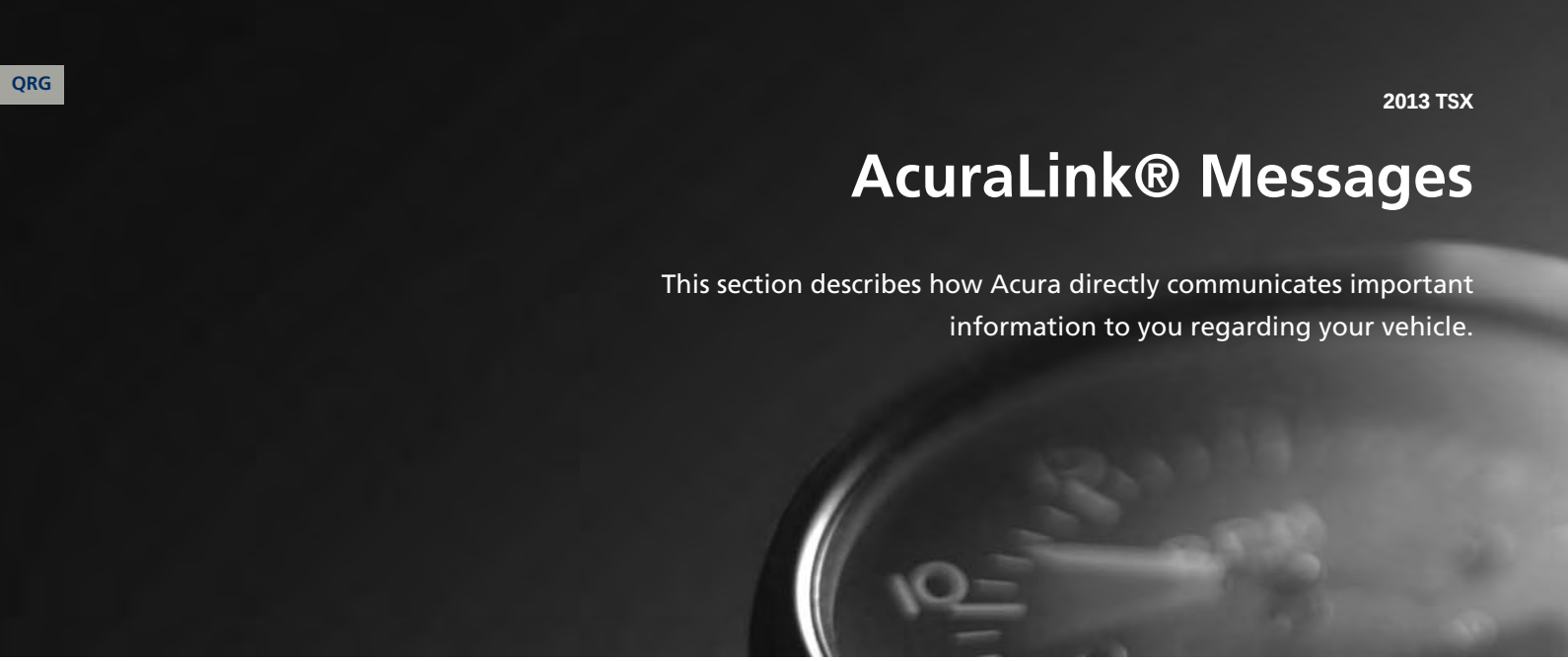
The first four on the Cellular Phone screen.

AcuraLink® Messages

This section describes how Acura directly communicates important information to you regarding your vehicle.



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AcuraLink® provides a direct communication link between your vehicle and Acura. Working through XM® Radio, AcuraLink works in conjunction with your vehicle's navigation system, *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® (HFL), and audio system to send and receive messages.

Reading Messages

An envelope icon appears at the bottom left of the navigation screen when there is a new message.

New Messages

ENTER button (on map) ▶ **New Messages**

Rotate to select a message.
Press .

AcuraLink® Messages

To use some AcuraLink functions:

- Registration at the My Acura website (*www.owners.acura.com*) is required for some settings. If you do not have internet access, call Acura Client Services at (800) 382-2238. You can also set your AcuraLink preference for what types of messages you want to receive.
- A *Bluetooth*-compatible cell phone needs to be paired to *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®.
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- Setting up the Phone-Data Connection is required for access to the AcuraLink server.
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Reading Messages

Messages may not appear immediately after your vehicle purchase. It can take several days for your dealer to register your vehicle's ID.

New messages are at the top of the list.

Important messages are identified by an exclamation mark on the envelope icon.

All Messages

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Messages**

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

All Messages

An unread message has a closed envelope icon next to it. The icon disappears once you read the message.

Message Categories

There are six message categories in AcuraLink.

- **Feature Guide**: Appears each day to help you understand the vehicle features for the first 90 days of ownership.
- **Quick Tips**: Supplements your Owner's Manual with updated vehicle information.
- **Scheduled Dealer Appointments**: An appointment made through the Acura server or My Acura website can be rescheduled or canceled from this option.
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Message Categories

Message categories can be added, revised, or deleted through broadcast messages from Acura.

You can call your dealer, find the nearest dealer, or schedule appointments from the message options in **Maintenance Minder**, **Recalls/ Campaigns**, and **Diagnostic Info.**
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Retaining your current phone number makes it possible for Acura to inform you about recalls and campaigns. Please keep your information updated through My Acura, or by calling your dealer.

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- **Diagnostic Info**: Provides information about the cause for a warning indicator or multi-information message. Rotate to select **Check Later** or **Check Now**. If you choose to check the information now, AcuraLink lets you know whether you should see your dealer immediately or later in accordance with the level of severity. Call your dealer or find the nearest dealer. (If your navigation system is still at the start-up disclaimer screen, select **OK** before checking the information.)
- **Maintenance Minder**: Tells you exactly which maintenance item is due along with the multi-information message.
- **Recalls/Campaigns**: Reminds you of a recall or important safety information. You should also be notified by mail.

Message Options

When a message is displayed, you may select some of the following options:

The following options are available:

- **Voice**: Reads the message aloud. Select **Stop Reading** to stop.
- **Delete**: Display the message you want to delete before rotating to select this option. Press to complete the deletion.
- **Call**: Dials a number displayed in the message via HFL.

Message Options

The options available vary depending on the category of the message.

You can delete all messages in a category simultaneously.
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Only your dealer can delete Diagnostic Info and Recall/Campaign messages.

- **Find Acura Dlr**: Searches for the nearest Acura dealer.
- **Call Your Dealer**: Calls your Acura dealer using HFL.
- **Diagnostic Info**: Updates, if any, the current diagnostic message by connecting to the Acura server using HFL.
- **Schedule Dealer Appt.**: Automatically sets an appointment date at your dealer.

Dealer Appointments

Schedule a dealer appointment for Maintenance Minder and Recalls/Campaigns messages. You can reschedule or cancel a dealer appointment from the Scheduled Dealer Appointments option.

Scheduling an Appointment

1. Display a Maintenance Minder, Recalls/Campaigns, or Scheduled Dealer Appointments message.
2. Rotate to select **Schedule Dealer Appt.** or **Reschedule Appointment** (depending on the screen). Press .
   ▶ A proposed date and time are displayed.
3. Rotate to select **Confirm Appointment**. Press to accept the proposed appointment.
4. Press to select **OK** when the appointment is confirmed.

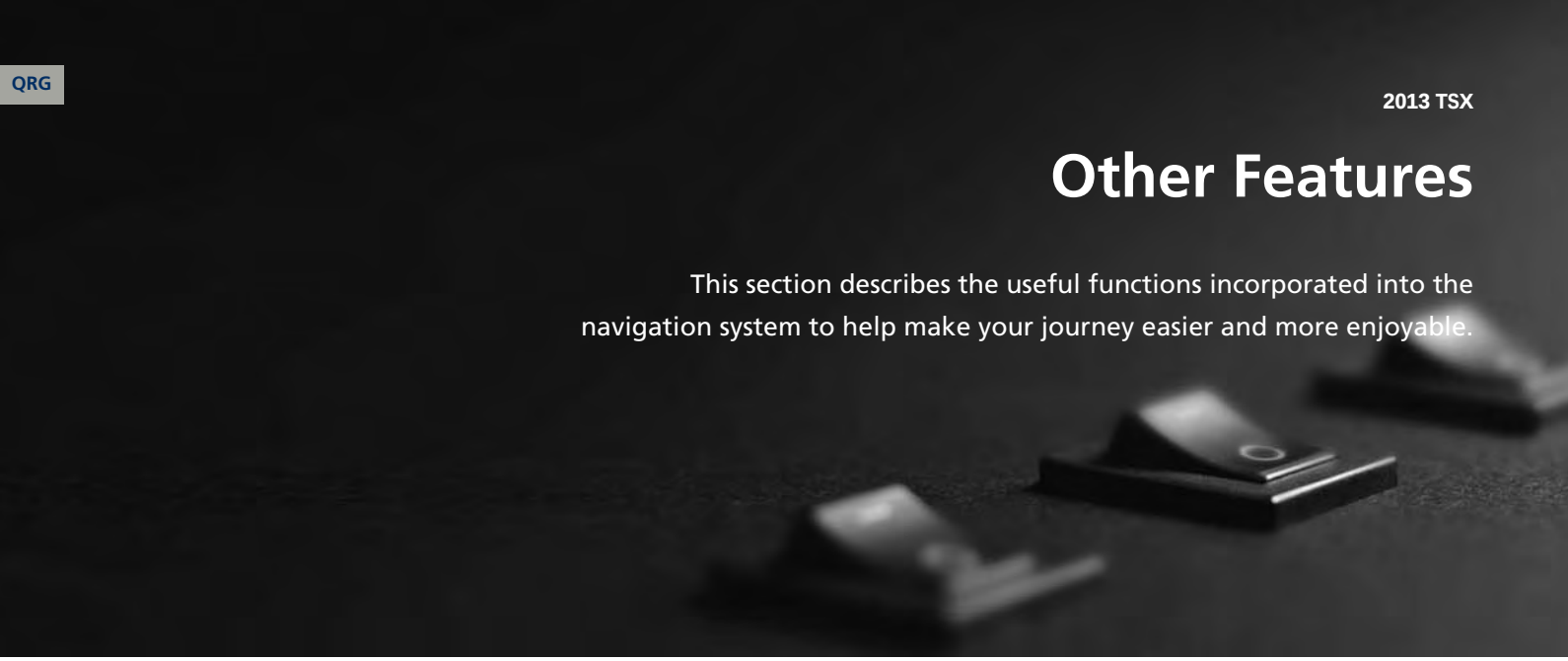
Dealer Appointments

You can automatically schedule dealer appointments when regular maintenance is due. To use the Automated Appointment function, visit the My Acura website at *www.owners.acura.com* and set the required option. A reminder message will be sent as the date for the dealer appointment approaches. A reminder message will also be sent if you schedule an appointment online using My Acura's Schedule Service Appointment function.

If you are not satisfied with the proposed appointment date and time, call your dealer directly.

Other Features

This section describes the useful functions incorporated into the navigation system to help make your journey easier and more enjoyable.



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INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Calendar**

Enter events and display reminders each time you start your vehicle.

1. Rotate to select the day. Press.

2. Rotate to select an item. Press.

The following items are available:

- **Edit Date**: Moves the calendar entry to a new date. The display automatically returns to the Schedule screen.
- **Edit Title**: Enter the name of your event. Move to select **OK** to return to the Schedule screen.
- **Edit Message**: Enter a message for your event. You can enter a message on two lines using to change between lines. Move to select **OK** to return to the Schedule screen.

Calendar

You can select the day of the month on the calendar using voice commands (e.g., say *"Five"* to select the 5th).

Move or to scroll through the months of the year.

Only one event entry can be stored for each date. Dates with an icon indicate there is a scheduled entry for that date.

A maximum of 50 entries can be stored in the calendar.

Entries may be stored in the calendar for 10 years.

Active calendar entries are displayed when you start your vehicle after you select **OK** on the Start Confirmation screen.

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- **Message Icon**: Select an icon from the list to help identify the type of message. The message icon you choose will be displayed alongside the specified date on the Calendar screen.
- **Reminder**: Sets whether event reminders are displayed each time you start your vehicle.
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- **Delete**: Deletes the event. Select **Yes** on the confirmation screen to remove the event from the calendar.

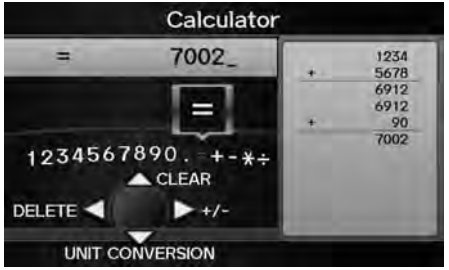
Calendar

Message Icons
The following icons can be selected:

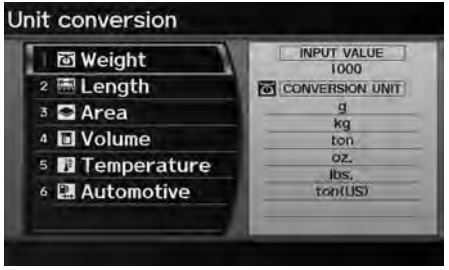
	Schedule		Time		Call
	Restaurant		Others		

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Calculator**

Use the calculator to make basic calculations and to convert measurement units.



Unit Conversion

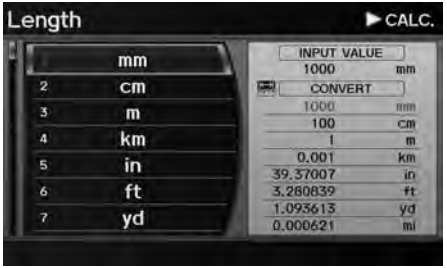


1. Enter a numeric value to convert (e.g., 1000).
2. Move to select **UNIT CONVERSION**.
3. Rotate to select the type of unit to convert (e.g., **Length**). Press .

Unit Conversion

If you do not enter a value to convert, only "Temperature" units are selectable.

Conversions using negative values may produce meaningless or physically impossible values.



4. Rotate ⟲ to select the base unit to convert from (e.g., **mm**).

▶ The conversion into other units is displayed on the right (e.g., 1000 mm is 39.37 inches).

5. Move ⟲▷ to select **CALC.** to return to the Calculator screen.

Scenic Road Information

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Scenic Road Information**

View a list of scenic roads for each state (U.S. only).

1. Rotate to select a state. Press.
2. Rotate to select a scenic road. Press.
3. Rotate to set the place as a destination or add to the destination list. Press.

Scenic Road Information

If you select a scenic road that runs through multiple states, only the portion of the road in the selected state is displayed. You can also set the scenic road as a destination or waypoint.

System/Device Information

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **System/Device Information**

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

System/Device Information

You will need this information when ordering an update DVD.

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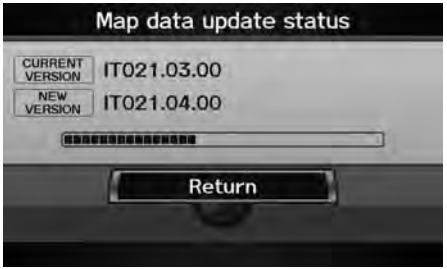
Map Data Update Status

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Map Data Update Status**

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



Map Data Update Status

This operation is only available during a database update.

Roadside Assassistance

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Roadside Assistance**

Acura Roadside Assistance is provided as a service to Acura clients. Use this feature to call for assistance when a *Bluetooth*-compatible phone is paired to *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink®.

1. Rotate to select the country. Press .

▶ The phone number for Roadside Assistance and your vehicle position information are displayed.

Roadside Assistance

Your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone must be paired to use this feature.

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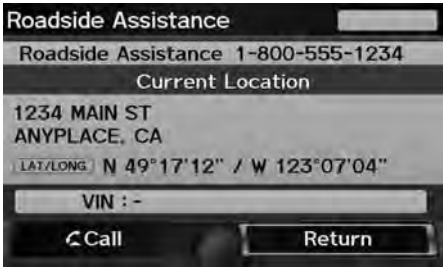

2. Rotate to select **Call**. Press to begin dialing.

Key to ZAGAT Ratings

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Key to ZAGAT Rating**

The ZAGAT® survey for some restaurants is included in the database and displayed when entering a restaurant as a destination. You can view an explanation of the data displayed for the surveyed restaurants.

Rotate to scroll the complete ratings description.

Key to ZAGAT Ratings

Food, Decor, and Service categories are rated using numbered values (e.g., 0-9, 10-15).

Cost is the average cost of a meal, including drink and tip (VE: Very Expensive, E: Expensive, M: Moderate, I: Inexpensive).

Symbols, if displayed, indicate additional information:

S open on Sunday

M open on Monday

L open for lunch

serving after 11 PM

no credit card accepted

Show Wallpaper

INFO/PHONE button ▶ **Other** ▶ **Show Wallpaper**

View the picture currently set as the wallpaper.

Press ⟲ to select **RETURN** to return to the previous screen.

Show Wallpaper

You can change the wallpaper picture.

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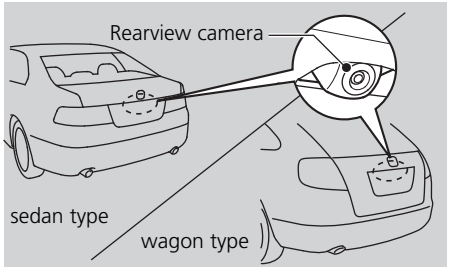
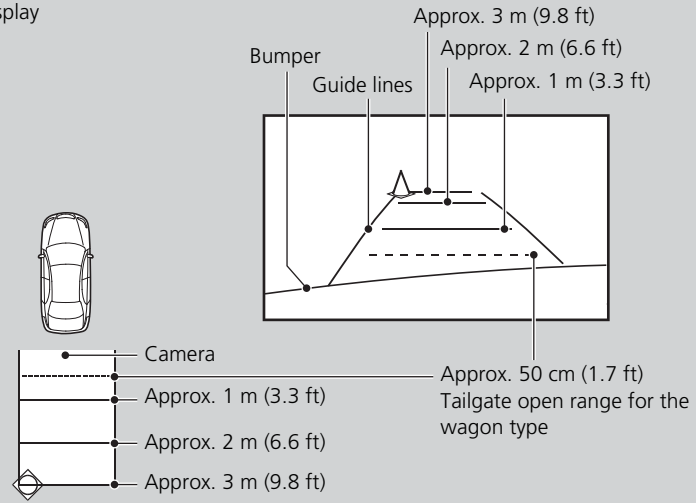
Your vehicle is equipped with a rearview camera. When you shift into Reverse, the rear view is displayed on the navigation system screen. The edge of the bumper and parking guide lines are also displayed.



To turn the guide lines on or off, press and hold the CANCEL button for about three seconds.

Rotate to adjust the brightness of the rearview camera.

Screen display



Rearview Camera

Always keep the camera lens clean and unobstructed. The rearview camera has a lens that makes distances appear different than they actually are. Always take care when reversing, and look behind you for obstacles.

Navigation controls are disabled when in Reverse.

Adjusting the brightness for the rearview camera display does not affect the brightness for the navigation screen.

If you turn the guide lines off, they remain off until you turn them back on.

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Map, Voice, Entering Destinations

Problem	Solution
The Startup Confirmation screen is displayed every time I start the car.	This is normal. The Startup Confirmation screen reminds you and your guest drivers to always operate the navigation system in a safe manner. If you do not select "OK" at startup, voice commands will not work.
The navigation system reboots by itself (returns to the opening screen).	A reboot can be caused by extreme temperatures or shock from bumpy roads, and does not necessarily indicate a problem. If this happens frequently, please see your dealer.
How do I specify a destination when an entered city or street could not be found?	• Try entering the street first. Some cities are lumped in with a major metro area. In rural "unverified" areas or new subdivisions, streets may be missing or only partially numbered. • Try selecting the destination directly from the map. **Map Input** P. 88
Why do some letters become grayed out when I enter an address?	As you enter each letter in an address or a place/landmark, the navigation system looks in the database to see what letters are possible and grays out letters that do not apply.
How do I delete Personal Addresses, Previous Destinations, or the Home Address?	**1.** Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Personal Information** to display the types of information. **2.** Select the type of address to delete. **3.** Select **Delete**.
I cannot hear the navigation system voice.	**1.** Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** and check that **Volume** is not set to **OFF**. **Display and Volume Settings** P. 24 **2.** Select **Other** > **Basic Settings** and set **Voice Recognition Tutor** to **ON**. **Basic Settings** P. 26
The voice control system is having difficulty recognizing my voice commands.	• Check that the vents are not blowing air onto the microphone on the ceiling, the vehicle is as quiet as possible, and you are using the correct command when speaking. **Voice Recognition** P. 23 • Say "*Help*" on any screen to see a list of the applicable voice commands.

Problem	Solution
The navigation system pronunciation of street names in the guidance command or destination address sounds strange.	The basic guidance phrases use a studio-recorded voice, but street names are pronounced using a machine-generated voice. Consequently, the name may be mispronounced or sound strange at times.
The screen is bright when I drive at night.	**1.** Check that the nighttime dashboard brightness control is not set to maximum. **2.** Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Color** > **Map Color**. Set the Night color to Black for the best contrast. **Switching Display Mode Manually** P. 29
The screen is dark when I drive during the day.	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Color** > **Map Color**. Set the Day color to White for the best contrast. **Switching Display Mode Manually** P. 29
How do I change or remove my PIN?	**1.** Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Personal Information** > **PIN Numer** > **GO Home 1 PIN** or **GO Home 2 PIN** or **Address Book PIN**. **2.** Enter your existing PIN. You then have the choice to change or remove the PIN. **PIN Numbers** P. 42
I have forgotten my PIN. How do I reset the PIN for Home or the PIN for personal addresses (DRIVER 1 or DRIVER 2)?	Your dealer must reset the PIN for you.
Why is CALL grayed out on the Calculate Route screen?	Your phone is not paired to *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® or, if paired, your phone is in use.

Traffic

Problem	Solution
AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic™ information could not be received or is not displayed properly.	• Check the traffic icon is displayed and enabled on the icon bar. • Your XM traffic subscription may have expired. Check your subscription. Call XM at (800) 852-9696 and verify your account status. If your subscription has lapsed, you may need to request a "rapid refresh." After XM refreshes your account status, leave the vehicle running outside for 30 minutes to receive the refresh. **Traffic and Weather Status** P. 64 • There may be a temporary technical problem in your metropolitan area. Call Acura Client Services to see if there is an outage. **Acura Client Services Contact Information** P. 226 • If the situation persists, see your Acura dealer for assistance. • AcuraLink relies on a satellite signal and is not available in Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico.
The navigation system sometimes provides a detour route when I am driving a route on the freeway.	If **Traffic Rerouting** is set to **ON**, the navigation system provides a detour route to your destination only if it can find a significantly faster route than the original one. **Traffic Rerouting** P. 52
The navigation system routes me to an exit and an alternate freeway with unknown flow speeds or surface streets.	The navigation system predicts which route should be faster based on freeway congestion along your route. Use your own experience to determine whether the alternate route would be faster.
How can I ignore the detour route and return to the original route?	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Routing & Guidance**, and set **Traffic Rerouting** to **OFF**. **Traffic Rerouting** P. 52

Guidance, Routing

Problem	Solution
The navigation system does not route me the same way I would go or the same way as other mapping systems.	The navigation system attempts to generate the optimal route. You can change the route preferences used when calculating a route. **Changing the Route Preference** P. 91
The navigation system wants to route me around potential traffic problems. How do I stop these pop-up messages?	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Routing & Guidance**, and set **Traffic Rerouting** to **OFF**. **Traffic Rerouting** P. 52
The street I'm on is not shown on the map screen.	The mapping database is constantly undergoing revision. You can access the most recent information on the internet. **Map Coverage** P. 227
The vehicle position icon is not following the road and the "GPS icon" text in the upper left hand corner of the screen is white or missing.	• Check that the GPS antenna (located in the dashboard) is not blocked. For best reception, remove items from the dashboard, such as radar detectors, cell phones, or loose articles. • Metallic tinting or other aftermarket devices can interfere with the GPS reception. Please consult your dealer. **GPS System** P. 224
The blue highlighted route and voice guidance stopped or turned into a blue/pink dashed line before I got to my destination.	Your route has entered an unverified area. **Unverified Area Routing** P. 50
How do I stop the map from rotating as I drive along?	Press the MAP/GUIDE button. Select **Map Information** > **North-up**, or say "*Display north-up*" to change the map orientation.
Sometimes, I cannot select between the North-up and Heading-up map orientations.	The Heading-up map orientation can only be shown in the lower scales (1/20 - 1 mile scales). **Map Scale and Functions** P. 111
The "time to destination" display sometimes increases even though I am getting closer to my destination.	If your speed reduces due to slower traffic, the navigation system updates the "time to destination" based on your actual road speed to give you a better estimate of arrival time.

Problem	Solution
The vehicle position icon on the map “lags” a short distance behind, especially when I arrive at an intersection.	This is normal. The navigation system is unaware of the width of intersections. Large differences in vehicle position can indicate a temporary loss of the GPS signal. **GPS System** P. 224
The screen is showing white dots as I drive along.	These dots are called “breadcrumbs.” These are displayed if **Off-road Tracking** is set to **ON** and you drive more than 1/2 mile off mapped roads. **Off-road Tracking** P. 61
How do I remove the white dots (“breadcrumbs”) from my screen?	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Vehicle**, and set **Off-road Tracking** to **OFF**, then return to the map. **Off-road Tracking** P. 61
A road that I selected to avoid is being used when routing.	When you “draw” your area to avoid, make sure to select sections of roads that include at least one intersection. **Avoiding Streets** P. 122
My elevation (shown when I display the current position) seems to fluctuate even though my elevation has not changed.	This is normal. The elevation can vary ±100 feet due to GPS calculation errors. **GPS System** P. 224
My elevation is missing on the “current position” screen.	The elevation is only displayed if the GPS antenna can receive signals from at least four satellites. Try moving the vehicle into an open area. The elevation is also not displayed if the calculated elevation is zero or below sea level.

Update DVD, Coverage, Map Errors

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Problem	Solution
My city is not part of a fully verified detailed coverage area.	The mapping database is constantly undergoing revision. You can access the most recent information on the internet. **Map Coverage** P. 227
Does the navigation system work outside North America?	The navigation system contains maps for the 50 U.S. states, Canada, and Puerto Rico. The navigation system will not work in Mexico or other countries. **Map Coverage** P. 227
Can I play video DVDs in my navigation system?	No. The navigation system is designed only to read music discs and the update DVD provided with your vehicle. The navigation system cannot read other mapping databases or video DVDs. If you experience any problems that you cannot resolve, please contact your dealer.
How do I report errors I find in the database?	Minor errors are bound to occur in a large database. If you encounter major errors, see **Reporting Errors** P. 226

Display, Accessories

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

Rear Camera

Problem	Solution
When I shift gears, the rear camera image display is delayed.	This is normal. When shifting into or out of Reverse, you may experience a delay while the screen image switches between the navigation screen and the rear camera image.
The rear camera image is too dark or too bright. How do I adjust the brightness?	While the camera image is displayed, rotate the Interface Dial to adjust the brightness. This adjustment does not affect the navigation screen brightness settings.

Miscellaneous Questions

Problem	Solution
My clock frequently changes forward and backward by one hour.	The clock setting is automatically updated based on your GPS location. If you live and work on the boundary between two time zones, you can turn off this feature. **Clock Adjustment** P. 58
The clock changes even when I am not driving near a time zone boundary.	The time zone boundaries are only approximated in the navigation system. Depending on the geography of the time zone boundary, the switch to a different zone can be erratic. **Clock Adjustment** P. 58
My state does not observe daylight saving time. How do I turn off this feature?	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Clock Adjustment**, and set **Auto Daylight** to **OFF**. **Clock Adjustment** P. 58
Daylight saving time has started, but the navigation system did not change time even though Auto Daylight is set to ON.	The automatic daylight saving time feature does not work in regions where the daylight saving time system has not been adopted.
The navigation system automatic daylight time feature is not switching the navigation system clock on the correct dates.	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Clock Adjustment**, and set **Auto Daylight** to **ON**. Note that the automatic daylight saving time feature does not work in regions where the daylight saving time system has not been adopted. **Clock Adjustment** P. 58
The navigation system clock switched by one hour for no apparent reason.	You may be driving near a time zone boundary. **Clock Adjustment** P. 58
My battery was disconnected or went dead, and the navigation system is asking for a code.	Your vehicle comes with a card that included the 5-digit security code and serial number. You should keep this card in a safe place outside your vehicle. If you cannot find it, see your dealer.
How do I change the interface language?	Press the INFO/PHONE button. Select **Setup** > **Other** > **Language**, and set the language to **English**, **Français**, or **Español**.

Navigation System

Error Message	Solution
Display temp is too high. System will shut down until display cools down.	This message appears briefly when the display temperature is too high. The navigation system turns off until the display cools down. The system turns back on automatically when the display cools down.
HDD access error. System reset.	The navigation system has difficulty reading the HDD when the temperature is below approximately -22°F. The navigation system starts up automatically when the display warms up.
Route has not been completed. Please try again from a different location.	This message appears when you are on a route to or from a new area that is not in the database. Try planning a different route to or from a different location. If the error persists, or is shown for a wide area, see your dealer.
Destination is not in this database version. Please set from map.	The destination was not found in the database. Try another destination nearby, or select the destination from the map using the Interface Dial. If the error persists, or is shown for a wide area, see your dealer.

Disc Player

Error Message	Cause	Solution
BAD DISC PLEASE CHECK OWNERS MANUAL	Servo error	• 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. **Recommended Discs** P. 148 • 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 your dealer. Do not try to force the disc out of the player.
BAD DISC PLEASE CHECK OWNERS MANUAL PUSH EJECT	Mechanical error	
MECH ERROR	Mechanical error	
CHECK DISC	Focus error Disc violates copyright Disc not supported	
CHECK DISC LOAD	Load error	
UNSUPPORTED	Track format not supported	• Current track will be skipped. The next supported track plays automatically.
HEAT ERROR	High temperature	• Turn the audio system off and allow the player to cool down until the error message is cleared.

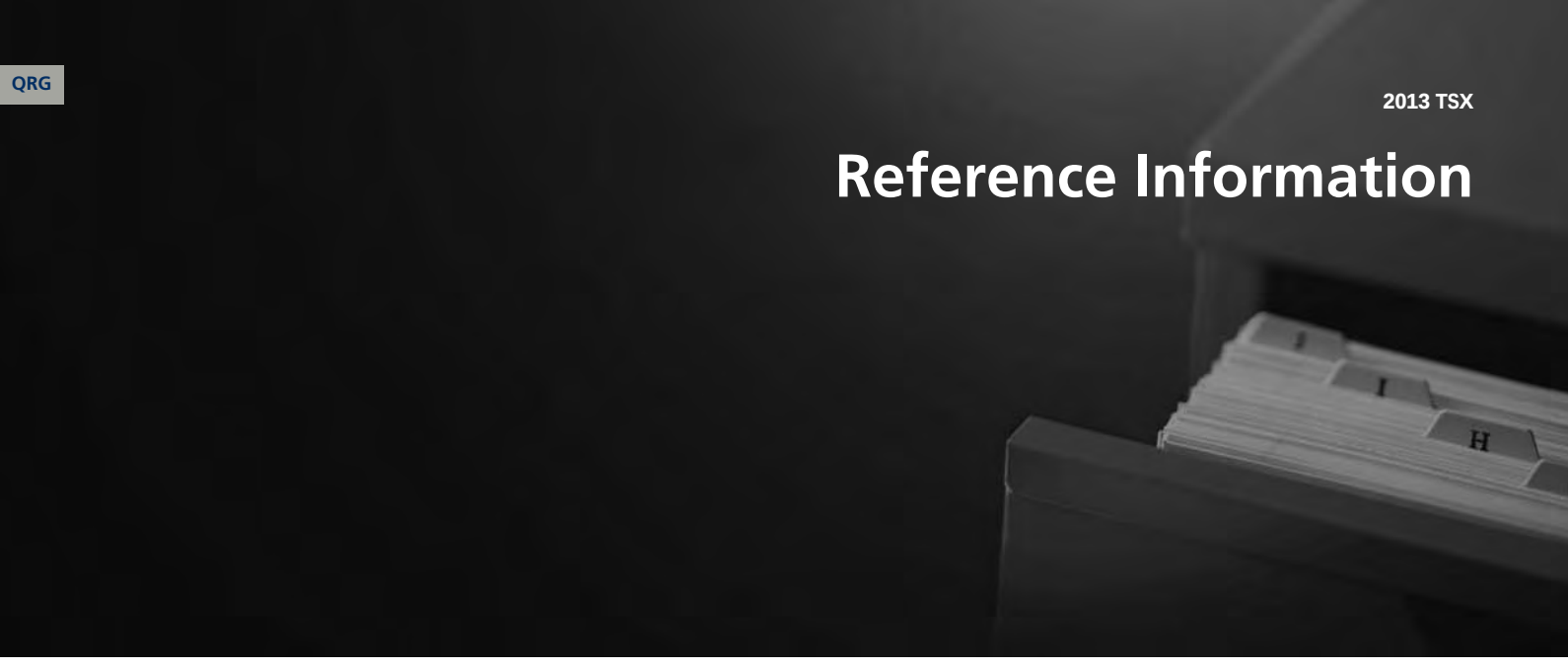
iPod®

Error Message	Cause	Solution
UNSUPPORTED	Appears when an unsupported iPod® is connected.	Update the iPod® software to the latest version.
CONNECT RETRY	Appears when the iPod® cannot be authenticated.	Reconnect the iPod®.
NO SONG	Appears when there are no tracks in the iPod®.	Store tracks in the iPod®.

USB Flash Drive

Error Message	Cause	Solution
FILE ERROR	The system cannot read the track(s).	Check the tracks in the USB flash drive. There is a possibility that the tracks have been damaged.
UNSUPPORTED	Appears when an unsupported device is connected.	If it appears when a supported device is connected, reconnect the device.
UNPLAYABLE FILE	Appears when the tracks in the USB flash drive are DRM or an unsupported format.	This error message appears for about 3 seconds, then plays the next song.
NO SONG	Appears when the USB flash drive is empty or there are no tracks in MP3, WMA, or AAC format in the drive.	Save tracks in MP3, WMA, or AAC format in the USB flash drive.
BAD USB DEVICE PLEASE CHECK OWNER'S MANUAL	Appears when the overcurrent protection feature of the system stops supplying power to USB because an incompatible device is connected.	Disconnect the device. Turn the audio system off, and turn it on again. Do not reconnect the device that caused the error.
ERROR	Appears when the Internal USB ROM error occurs.	Try a different USB flash drive.

Reference Information



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

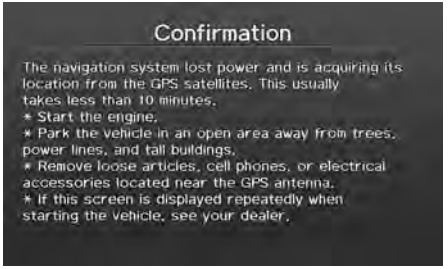
Entering the Security Code

When you purchased the vehicle, you should have received a card with the navigation system security code and serial number. Keep this card in a safe place. If you lose the card, you must obtain the security code from your dealer.

1. Press the VOLUME button to activate the audio system.
2. Enter the 5-digit security code when prompted using the radio preset buttons.

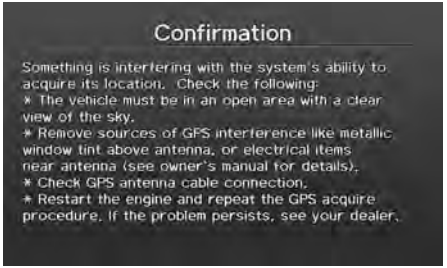
Acquiring GPS Information

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



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

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



If you are experiencing GPS reception problems:

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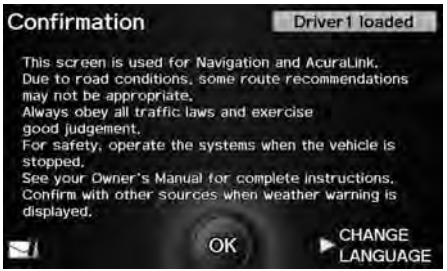
Startup Confirmation Screen

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



Map Matching

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

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

GPS System

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

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

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

Address Calculation

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

Database

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Resolving Problems

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

- For navigation system issues:
  Troubleshooting P. 210
  There are also FAQs available online at *www.acuranavi.com*.
- For questions regarding HandsFreeLink, audio, or other systems that interact with the navigation system:
  Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® P. 174
- For traffic-related issues:
  Traffic P. 212
- For reporting issues with the database or places/landmarks:
  Reporting Errors P. 226
- Call Acura Client Services.
  Acura Client Services Contact Information P. 226

Reporting Errors

You can help to improve database accuracy by reporting any errors you encounter.

- Report errors in freeways and main "verified" roads shown in black on the map at *http://mapreporter.navteq.com/dur-web-external/*.
- Please do not report errors in purple "unverified" roads. Maps for these areas are provided for reference only.
  Unverified Area Routing P. 50
- Please do not report errors in places/landmarks, such as changes in business names. Information about points of interest are constantly being updated. An updated database is available for purchase, usually in the fall of each year.
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- For vehicle position icon errors, screen error messages, or other GPS-related errors:
  Troubleshooting P. 210
  System Limitations P. 224

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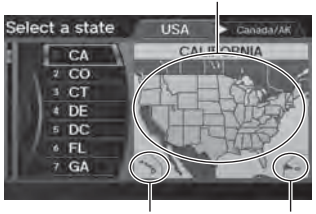
Visiting Your Dealer

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

Map Coverage

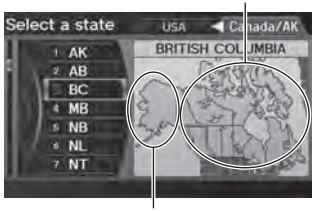
The navigation system provides map coverage for the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico. The map coverage consists of accurately mapped (verified) metropolitan areas and a less accurate (unverified) rural database. Note that unverified areas are constantly being reviewed and converted to verified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

Contiguous United States



Hawaii Puerto Rico

Canada



Alaska

Map coverage update information is available from Acura Client Services or online at *www.acuranavi.com*.

To find navigation system update information:

1. Visit *www.acuranavi.com*.
2. Enter your vehicle model and model year.
3. Click Map Coverage to display a list of verified coverage areas on the most recent update DVD.
4. Click Map Coverage Details to display a PDF document with a full listing of all coverage areas.

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Obtaining a Navigation Update DVD

Acura is continually expanding the scope of the navigation system. Navigation system software upgrades may be made available periodically, usually in the fall of each year.

To purchase an updated DVD:

1. Obtain your vehicle's VIN number and the System/Device Information.
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2. Call the Acura Navigation Disc Fulfilment Center at (888) 549-3798, or order online at *www.acuranavi.com*.

Update DVDs are not available from your dealer. However, the dealer may assist you in obtaining an update DVD for you out of courtesy. There is no program for free DVD updates.

Traffic Information

Continuously updated traffic information is available in major metropolitan areas across the 48 contiguous states and some cities in Canada. A list of coverage areas is available online.

To find traffic information:

1. Visit *www.acura.com/realtimetraffic*.

2. Select Real-Time Traffic on the TL.

3. Click AcuraLink Real-Time Traffic.

Operation in Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico

XM® Radio

Navigation-equipped vehicles delivered to Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico are equipped with XM hardware, but XM broadcasting is not available. There are certain functions that rely on XM satellite signal coverage which are not available, including but not limited to AcuraLink and traffic/weather-related services.
Unavailable menu options will appear gray on the LCD display.

Map Coverage

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

Address and Place Entry Screens

Entering a destination address or place/landmark on another island may result in a screen caution message. This is because there are no ferry routes between islands in the database.

Puerto Rico

If Street Name Guidance is set to ON, the street names will not be read out by voice guidance. This may change in a future data update.

Shipping a Vehicle to the U.S. Mainland

To receive XM audio, traffic, or weather information, you must call XM and set up an account at (800) 852-9696.

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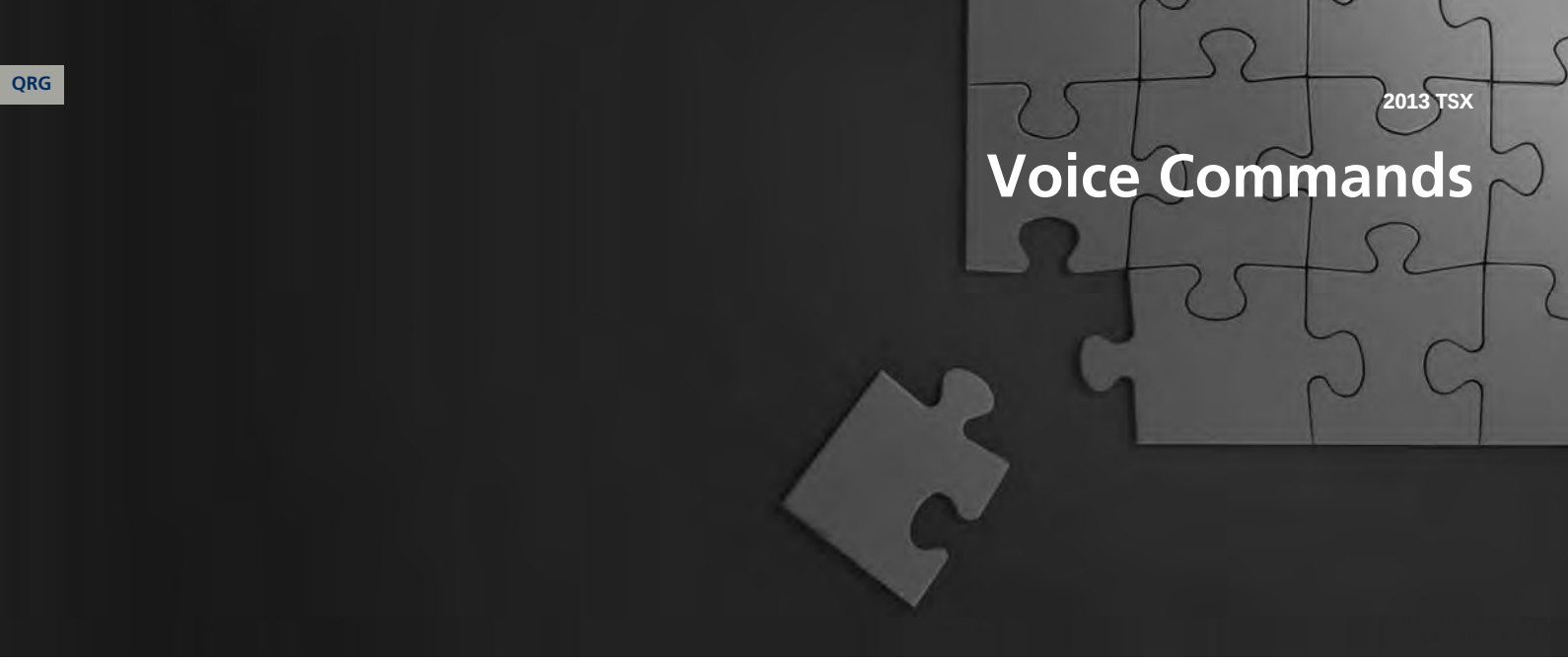
2) The FCC requires the user to be notified that any changes or modifications made to this device that are not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance may void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

3) This product emits radio frequency energy, but the radiated output power of this device is far below the FCC and IC radio frequency exposure limits. This equipment complies with FCC and IC RF radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. Nevertheless, the device should be used in such a manner that the potential for human contact with the antenna during normal operation is minimized.



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Global Commands

The system accepts these commands on any screen.

Help (displays commands for current screen)

Display map (equivalent to MAP)

Display menu (equivalent to MENU)

Display information (equivalent to INFO)

Display audio screen (equivalent to AUDIO)

Back (returns to previous screen)

Cancel (equivalent to CANCEL)

What is today's date?

What time is it?

Navigation Commands

The system accepts these commands on a map/guidance screen.

General Commands

Display menu (if en route, displays the Route screen)

Display navigation (if en route, displays the Route screen)

Display map

Display map guide (when en route, shows the next guidance point)

Display information (or Information)

Display audio screen

Cancel

Backward (or Back)

What time is it?

What is today's date?

Help (reads list of General and Map Display Commands)

Map Display Commands

Display current location (shows current latitude, longitude, and elevation)

Display/Hide (specify icon type):

ATM
gas station
restaurant
post office
grocery store
lodging (hotel, motel)
parking garage
parking lot
school
hospital
freeway exit information
traffic
traffic speeds
traffic icons
traffic incidents
weather
weather icons

Go home 1

Go home 2

Messages

Register the current location (stores current location in the Address Book)

Map Scale Commands

Display north up

Display heading up

Display zoom in

Display zoom out

Display (specify scale):
- *1/20 mile (80 m) scale*
- *1/8 mile (200 m) scale*
- *1/4 mile (400 m) scale*
- *1/2 mile (800 m) scale*
- *1 mile (1600 m) scale*
- *2 mile (3 km) scale*
- *5 mile (8 km) scale*
- *15 mile (24 km) scale*
- *50 mile (80 km) scale*
- *150 mile (240 km) scale*
- *350 mile (560 km) scale*
- *1000 mile (1600 km) scale*

Max zoom in

Max zoom out

Find Place Commands

Find nearest (specify place):
- *Auto service center*
- *ACURA dealers*
- *HONDA dealers*
- *Gas station*
- *Hydrogen station*
- *Auto parts & electronics shop*
- *Auto repair & maintenance shop*
- *Car wash & detailing shop*
- *Motorcycle dealers*
- *Other car dealers*
- *Roadside assistance*
- *Banking center*
- *ATM*
- *Bank*
- *Check cashing*
- *Currency exchange*
- *Community*
- *Business*
- *City hall*
- *Civic center*
- *Convention center*
- *Court house*
- *Higher education*
- *Library*
- *Post office*
- *School*
- *Emergency room*
- *Hospital*
- *Police station*
- *Veterinarian*
- *Lodging*
- *Bed & breakfast*
- *Hotel*
- *Resort*
- *Leisure center*
- *Amusement park*
- *Golf course*
- *Historical monument*
- *Marina*
- *Movie theater*
- *Museum*
- *Park*
- *Performing arts*
- *Sports complex*
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- *Fast food restaurant*

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Ferry terminal
Named place
Park & ride
Parking garage
Parking lot
Rental car agency
Rest area
Ski area
Tourist information
Train station
Travel agency
Truck stop

Route Commands

The system accepts these commands when a route is set.

*How long to the destination?**
*How far to the destination?**
Display destination map
Display entire route

* These commands are not available if you scroll through the map while en route to a destination.

Climate Control Commands

The system accepts these commands on most screens.

Climate control automatic (maintains selected temperature)
Climate control off
*Air conditioner on**
*Air conditioner off**
*Climate control defrost on**
*Climate control defrost off**
*Rear defrost on**
*Rear defrost off**
Climate control fresh air
Climate control recirculate
Climate control vent
Climate control bi-level (vent and floor)
Climate control floor
Climate control floor and defrost
Fan speed up
Fan speed down

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

Fan speed # (#: 1 to 7)

Temperature # degrees (#: 57 to 87 °F)

Driver temperature # degrees (#: 57 to 87 °F)

Passenger temperature # degrees (#: 57 to 87 °F)

Temperature up

Temperature down

Temperature max hot

Temperature max cold

Driver temperature max hot

Driver temperature max cold

Climate control sync on

Climate control sync off

Front climate control automatic

Front climate control off

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

Audio Commands

The system accepts these commands on most screens.

Radio Commands

*Audio on**

*Audio off**

*Radio on**

*Radio off**

Radio select FM1

Radio select FM2

Radio select AM

Radio tune to # FM (#: frequency, e.g., 95.5)

Radio tune to # AM (#: frequency, e.g., 1020)

Radio seek up

Radio seek down

Radio next station

Radio preset # (#: 1 to 6)

Radio FM preset # (#: 1 to 6)

Radio FM1 preset # (#: 1 to 6)

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

Radio FM2 preset # (#: 1 to 6)

Radio AM preset # (#: 1 to 6)

*Radio auto select**

*Radio scan**

Radio select XM1

Radio select XM2

XM channel # (#: 1 to 255)

XM channel up

XM channel down

XM category up

XM category down

XM preset # (#: 1 to 6)

XM1 preset # (#: 1 to 6)

XM2 preset # (#: 1 to 6)

*XM scan**

*XM category scan**

*XM channel scan**

XM category mode

XM channel mode

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

NOTE:

Radio volume levels cannot be controlled using voice control.

Disc Commands

DISC play

DISC play track # (#: 1 to 30)

DISC skip forward

DISC skip back

*DISC track random**

*DISC track repeat**

*DISC track scan**

DISC folder up

DISC folder down

*DISC folder random**

*DISC folder repeat**

*DISC folder scan**

DISC normal play (cancels random, repeat, or scan play mode, resumes normal play mode)

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

HDD Commands

HDD play

HDD search (activates Song By Voice™)

HDD skip forward

HDD skip back

*HDD album up**1

*HDD album down**1

*HDD genre up**1

*HDD genre down**1

*HDD artist up**1

*HDD artist down**1

HDD track up

HDD track down

*HDD playlist up**1

*HDD playlist down**1

*HDD track random**2

*HDD track repeat**2

*HDD track scan**1

*1. These commands are available only in the corresponding playback mode. For example, "Artist" commands are available only in "Artist" mode.

*2. These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

HDD normal play (cancels random, repeat, or scan play mode, resumes normal play mode)

What/Who am I listening to?

Who is this?

What's playing?

Who's playing?

What album is this?

USB Commands

USB play

USB play track # (#: 1 to 30)

USB skip forward

USB skip back

*USB track random**

*USB track repeat**

*USB track scan**

USB folder up

USB folder down

*USB folder random**

*USB folder repeat**

*USB folder scan**

USB normal play (cancels random, repeat, or scan play mode, resumes normal play mode)

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

iPod® Commands

iPod play

iPod search (activates Song By Voice™)

iPod skip forward

iPod skip back

*iPod track shuffle**

*iPod album shuffle**

*iPod track repeat**

iPod normal play (cancels repeat or shuffle play mode, resumes normal play mode)

What/Who am I listening to?

Who is this?

What's playing?

Who's playing?

What album is this?

* These commands toggle the function on and off, so the command may not match your intended action.

Bluetooth® Audio Commands

Bluetooth audio play

Bluetooth audio skip forward

Bluetooth audio skip back

Bluetooth audio pause

Bluetooth audio resume

NOTE:
Bluetooth® Audio commands may not work on some phones or Bluetooth® audio devices.

AUX Commands

AUX play (or Auxiliary play)

Song By Voice™ Commands

iPod search (activates Song By Voice™)

HDD search (activates Song By Voice™)

List album (specify album)

List artist (specify artist)

List composer (specify composer)

List genre (specify genre)

List playlist (specify playlist)

Play album (specify album)

Play artist (specify artist)

Play composer (specify composer)

Play genre (specify genre)

Play playlist (specify playlist)

Play song (specify song)

What/Who am I listening to?

Who is this?

What's playing?

Who's playing?

What album is this?

NOTE:
Song By Voice™ commands are available for tracks stored on the HDD or iPod®.

Cellular Phone Commands

The system accepts these commands only on the Cellular Phone screen.

Dial #

Call (voice tag)

Call history

Phonebook

More speed dial

Phone setup

These commands can be made from any screen.

Dial/call by number

Dial/call by voice tag

Main Setup Screen Commands

The system accepts these commands on the Main Setup screen.

Brightness up
Brightness down
Brightness minimum/min.
Brightness maximum/max.
Contrast up
Contrast down
Contrast minimum/min.
Contrast maximum/max.
Black level up
Black level down
Black level minimum/min.
Black level maximum/max.
Volume up
Volume down
Volume minimum/min.
Volume maximum/max.
Volume off
Interface dial feedback off
Interface dial feedback auto
Interface dial feedback on

On-Screen Commands

The system accepts these commands on any screen. There are over 100 on-screen commands. Say what is written on the screen to activate that selection. For lists, you can say the list item number to select that item.

Next (or Down)

Previous (or Up)

Return

OK (excluding Startup Confirmation screen)

Delete

Spelling Assistance

The voice control system can also recognize phonetic alphabet input for numbers, letters, accented letters, punctuation marks, and symbols.

NOTE:
When selecting letters using the voice control system, a confirmation box may pop up to confirm the entry.

Numbers

Say …	Say … or *Number …*
1	One
2	Two
3	Three
4	Four
5	Five
6	Six
7	Seven
8	Eight
9	Nine
0	Zero

Letters

Say …	Or say…
A	Alpha/Apple
B	Bravo/Boy
C	Charlie
D	Delta/Dog
E	Echo/Edward
F	Foxtrot/Frank
G	Golf/George
H	Hotel/Henry
I	India/Igloo
J	Juliet/John
K	Kilo/King
L	Lima/Larry
M	Mike/Mary
N	November/Nancy
O	Oscar
P	Papa/Paul
Q	Quebec/Queen
R	Romeo/Robert
S	Sierra/Sam
T	Tango/Tom
U	Uniform/Uncle
V	Victor
W	Whiskey/William
X	X-ray
Y	Yankee/Yellow
Z	Zulu/Zebra

Accented Letters

Say …	Say … or *Symbol …*
À	A grave
Â	A circumflex
Ä	A umlaut
Ç	C cedilla
È	E grave
É	E acute
Ê	E circumflex
Ë	E umlaut
Ì	I grave
Î	I circumflex
Ï	I umlaut
Ô	O circumflex
Ù	U grave

Say …	Say … or *Symbol …*
Û	U circumflex
Ü	U umlaut

Punctuation Marks

Say …	Say … or *Symbol …*
@	At sign
^	Caret
*	Asterisk
_	Underscore
`	Back quote
,	Comma
.	Dot
?	Question mark
:	Colon
;	Semicolon
+	Plus

Symbols

Say …	Say … or *Symbol …*
-	Hyphen
!	Exclamation point
"	Double quote
#	Pound
$	Dollar
%	Percent
&	Ampersand
'	Apostrophe
(	Open parenthesis
)	Close parenthesis
~	Tilde
/	Slash
<	Less than

Say …	Say … or *Symbol …*
>	Greater than
{	Open brace
}	Close brace
⏎	Enter

List of Categories

Auto Service	
Acura Dealers*	Auto Repair & Maintenance
Acura Roadside Assistance	Car Wash & Detailing
Honda Dealers*	Motorcycle Dealers
Gas Station*	Other Car Dealers
Hydrogen Station	Roadside Assistance
Auto Parts & Electronics	

Banking	
ATM*	Check Cashing/Money Transfer
Bank	Currency Exchange

Community	
Business	Higher Education
City Hall	Library
Civic/Community Center	Post Office
Convention/Exhibition Center	School
Court House	

Emergency	
Acura Roadside Assistance	Roadside Assistance
Hospital*	Veterinarian
Police Station	

Lodging	
Bed & Breakfast	Resort
Hotel/Motel	

Leisure	
Amusement Park	Museum
Golf Course	Park/Recreation Area
Historical Monument	Performing Arts
Marina	Sports Complex
Movie Theater	Tourist Attraction

Restaurant	
All Types*	Indian
All Types (Zagat Only)	Italian
American	Japanese
Californian	Korean
Chinese	Mexican
Cafe/Coffee Shop	Pizza
Continental	Seafood
Fast Food	Thai
French	Vegetarian
German	Vietnamese
Greek	Other

Shopping	
All Shopping*	Office Supplies/Electronics
Accessories/Jewelry	Pharmacy/Drug Store
Auto Parts & Electronics	Pet Food/Supplies
Books/Music/Video	Sewing/Linen
Clothing	Shoes/Bags
Groceries	Sporting Goods
Home Improvement	Toys/Arts/Crafts
Mall/Department Store	

Travel	
Airport	Parking Lot
Automobile Club	Rental Car Agency
Bed & Breakfast	Resort
Bus Station	Rest Area
Camping	Ski Area
Commuter Rail Station	Tourist Attraction
Ferry Terminal	Tourist Information
Hotel/Motel	Train Station
Named Place	Travel Agency
Park & Ride	Truck Stop/Plaza
Parking Garage/House	

* Stored in "Fav. Subcategory" by factory default.

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