

# BLUETOOTH® HANDSFREELINK®

Learn how to operate the vehicle's hands-free calling system.

## Basic HFL Operation

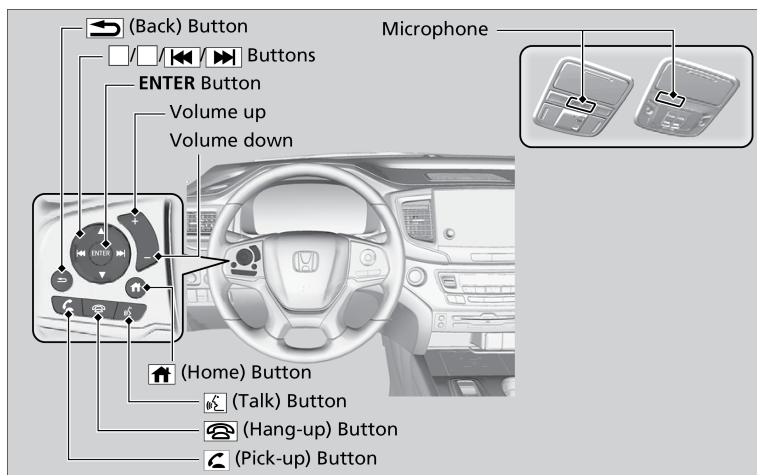
Make and receive phone calls using the vehicle's audio system, without handling your phone. Visit *handsfreelink.com* (US) to check phone compatibility. Canada customers can phone (855)-490-7351 for any *HandsFreeLink*® related inquiry.

To reduce the potential for driver distraction, certain manual functions may be inoperable or grayed out while the vehicle is moving. Voice commands are always available.

### ■ HFL Displays and Controls

Use the controls to enter information and make selections.

Models with Display Audio



**Pick-up button:** Press to go directly to the phone screen of the driver information interface, or to answer an incoming call.

**Hang-up button:** Press to end a call.

**Back button:** Press to go back to the previous screen, or cancel a command.

**Talk button:** Press to access Voice Portal.

**<</>> buttons:** Press to select an item displayed on the phone screen of the driver information interface.

**ENTER button:** Press to call a number listed in the selected item on the phone screen of the driver information interface.

**Home button:** Press to go back to the home screen of the driver information interface.

## ■ Talk Button Tips

When using the Talk button, wait for the beep before saying a command. The system recognizes commands listed in the Voice Command Index.

- When using the Talk button, wait until you hear a beep before speaking.
- To bypass the system prompts, simply press the Talk button again to say your command.
- Speak in a clear, natural voice.
- Reduce all background noise.
- Adjust the dashboard vents away from the microphone on the ceiling.

- Close the windows and moonroof\*1.

### Pairing a Phone

To use hands-free phone and streaming audio functions, you must first pair your phone to the system. This can only be done when the vehicle is stopped. If there is an active connection to Apple CarPlay (see Models with Display Audio - Apple CarPlay™) or Android Auto (see Android Auto™), pairing of additional Bluetooth-compatible devices is unavailable and Add Bluetooth Device is grayed out from the Bluetooth Device List screen.

#### ■ Pairing the First Phone

##### Models with Display Audio

Use the touchscreen to make and enter selections.

*\*1 - If equipped*

1. Press the Home button.
2. Select Phone.
3. Select Connect Phone.
4. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode, then select + Connect New Device.

HFL automatically searches for a Bluetooth® device.

5. Select your phone when it appears on the list.

If your phone still does not appear, search for Bluetooth® devices using your phone.

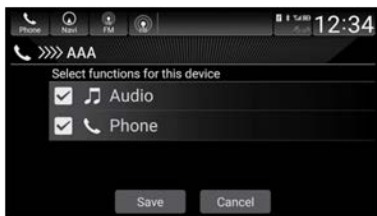
From your phone, search for HandsFreeLink®.

6. The system gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.

Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match.

This may vary by phone.

7. Select desired functions and then select Save.



## Making a Call

You can make calls by inputting any phone number, or by using the imported phonebook, call history, speed dial entries, or redial.

### ■ Dialing a Number

*Applicable laws may prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle.*

## Models with Display Audio

Enter a 10-digit phone number to call.

1. Go to the phone menu screen.
2. Select Keypad.
3. Select a number.

Use the keyboard on the touch screen for entering numbers.

4. Select Call.

Dialing starts automatically.



## ■ Using the Phonebook

When your phone is paired, its phonebook is automatically imported to the system.

This method is inoperable while the vehicle is moving.

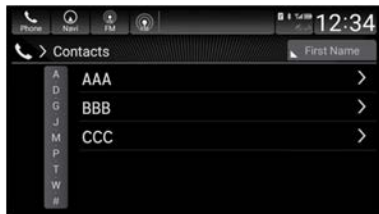
### Models with Display Audio

1. Go to the phone menu screen.
2. Select Contacts.
3. Select a name.

You can sort by First Name or Last Name. Select the icon on the upper right of the screen.

4. Select a number.

Dialing starts automatically.



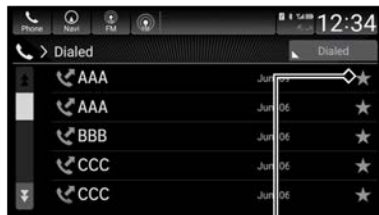
### ■ Storing Speed Dial Entries

Store up to 20 numbers for quick dialing. To store a speed dial number:

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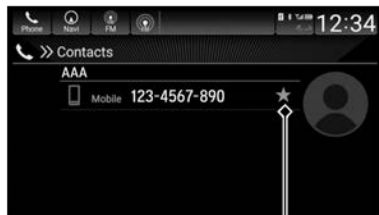
1. Go to the phone menu screen.

### Recent Calls Screen



Star Icon

2. Select the Recent Calls, Contacts, or Keypad screen.



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3. Select the star icon.

A notification appears on the screen if the Favorite Contact is successfully stored.

To remove the Favorite Contact, select the star icon again.

### Keypad Screen

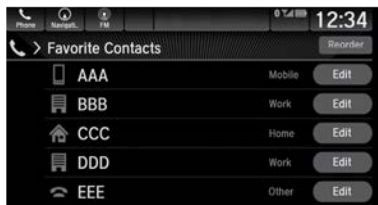


Star Icon

### ■ Using Speed Dial

#### Models with Display Audio

1. Go to the phone menu screen.
2. Select Favorite Contacts.  
You can change the order of speed dial entries by selecting Reorder.
3. Select a number.



### SMS Text Messaging and E-Mail<sup>\*1</sup>

HFL can display newly received text messages as well as the last 20 messages received on a linked cell phone. Each received message can be read aloud and replied to using a fixed common phrase. To use the text message function, it may be necessary to set up on your phone.

<sup>\*1</sup> - If equipped



# VOICE COMMAND INDEX

Learn about the available voice commands to help you operate the vehicle. The system recognizes only those commands shown here. Press the TALK button before you say a command.

## Voice Portal Commands

When you press the TALK button, the Voice Portal screen appears. Say one of the options, and follow the system prompts.

- Phone
- Audio
- Navigation\*<sup>2</sup>

## Phone Commands

The system accepts these commands on most screens.

- Call (name)
- Call (category)
- Call (phone number)

## Audio Commands\*<sup>1</sup>

The system accepts these commands on the dedicated screen for the voice recognition of the audio.

### FM Commands

- Tune to FM <87.7 - 107.9>

### AM Commands

- Tune to AM <530 - 1710>

### Sirius XM Commands\*<sup>1</sup>

- Channel <1-999>
- Channel <station name>

### USB/My Honda Music Commands

- Play Artist
- Play Album
- Play Genre
- Play Playlist
- Play Music
- Play Song

## Navigation Commands\*<sup>2</sup>

When you press the Talk button and say “Navigation,” you can say one of the options below. Follow the system prompts.

- Show/View map
- Go home
- Find address
- Stop route
- Detour
- Find city
- Recent Places
- Find intersection

*\*2 - Models with navigation only*  
*\*1 - If equipped*