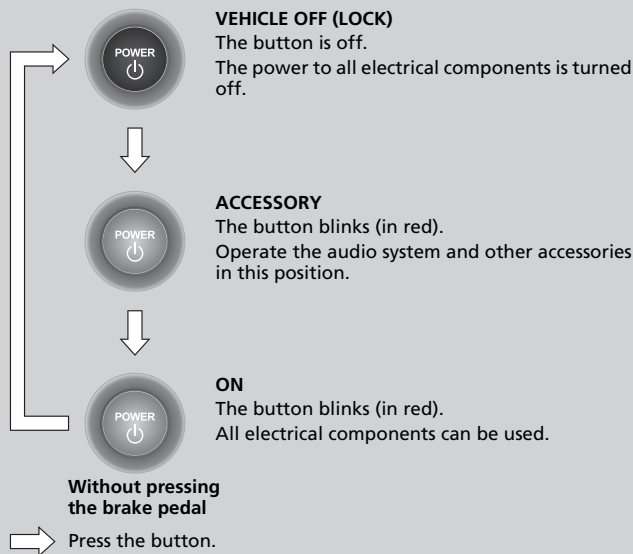


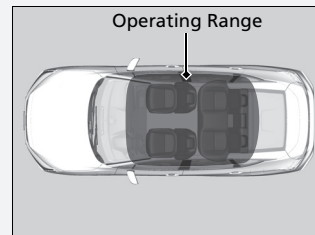
POWER Button

Changing the Power Mode



POWER Button

POWER Button Operating Range



You can start the power system when the smart entry remote is inside the vehicle.

The power system may also start if the smart entry remote is close to the door or window, even if it is outside the vehicle.

ON mode:

The **POWER** button is on (in red), if the power system is on.

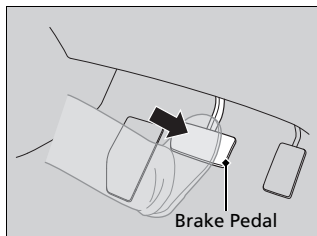
If the battery of the smart entry remote is getting low, the power system may not start when you press the **POWER** button. If the power system does not start, refer to the following link.

Do not leave the power mode in ACCESSORY or ON when you get out.

Turning on the Power



1. Make sure the parking brake is applied.



2. Depress the brake pedal.

When Driving

When you set the power mode to ON, you may feel as if the brake pedal is sinking down. This is normal.

Turning on the Power

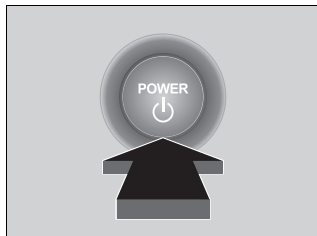
Keep your foot firmly on the brake pedal when starting the power system.

The engine is harder to start in cold weather and in thinner air found at altitudes above 8,000 feet (2,400 meters).

When turning on the power system in cold weather, turn off all electrical accessories such as the lights, climate control system, and rear defogger in order to reduce 12-volt battery drain.

U.S. models

If the temperature of the High Voltage battery drops below approximately -22°F (-30°C), the power system will not start, the High Voltage battery will not operate and, as a result, the vehicle will not start. Store the vehicle in a garage or take another measure to insure that temperature of the High Voltage battery does not fall below this temperature. If necessary, consult an authorized Honda Clarity Plug-In Hybrid dealer.



3. Without depressing the accelerator pedal, press the **POWER** button while depressing the brake pedal.
4. Check the **READY** indicator.
 - ▶ Keep depressing the brake pedal until the **READY** indicator comes on.
 - ▶ The **READY** indicator comes on when the power system is on and you can start driving.
 - ▶ If the outside temperature is extremely low, you cannot drive until conditions are improved. In this case, the **READY** indicator does not come on and a warning message appears on the driver information interface.
 - ▶ If the High Voltage battery is fully charged, the gasoline engine may not start.
 - ▶ If the High Voltage battery charge level is low, the gasoline engine starts.

▶▶ Turning on the Power

Canadian models

If the temperature of the High Voltage battery drops to approximately -22°F (-30°C) or below, the power system will not start. Wait for the High Voltage battery to warm up or move the vehicle to a warmer location. Note plugging the vehicle in will not help in this case.

Store the vehicle in a garage or take another measure to insure that temperature of the High Voltage battery does not fall below this temperature. If necessary, consult an authorized Honda Clarity Plug-In Hybrid dealer.

If the exhaust system sounds abnormal or you can smell exhaust gas inside the vehicle, have your vehicle checked by an authorized Honda Clarity Plug-In Hybrid dealer. There may be a problem with the engine or exhaust system.