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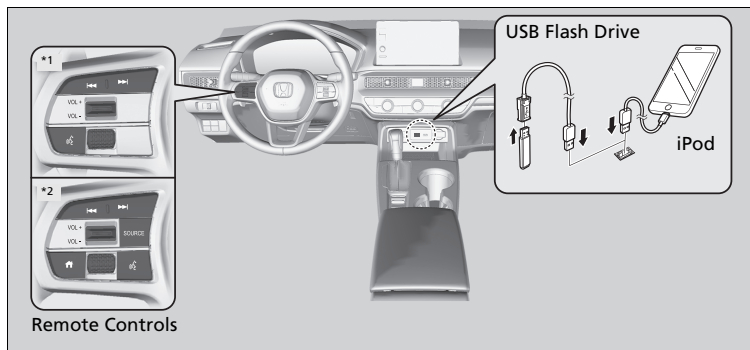
The audio system features AM/FM radio and SiriusXM® Radio service*. It can also play USB flash drives, iPod, iPhone and *Bluetooth*® devices.

You can operate the audio system from the buttons and switches on the panel, the remote controls on the steering wheel, or the icons on the touchscreen interface.

USB Flash Drive

iPod

Remote Controls

*1: Models with Display Audio
*2: Models with color audio system

* Not available on all models

>> About Your Audio System

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Features

USB Port(s)

On the front panel

Models with color audio system

Models with Display Audio
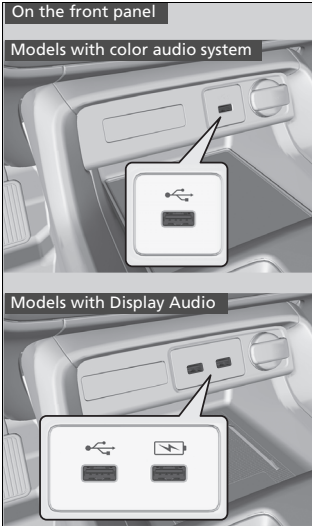
■ On the front panel ( )

The USB port (2.5A) is for charging devices, playing audio files and connecting compatible phones with Apple CarPlay or Android Auto.

▶ To prevent any potential issues, be sure to use an Apple MFi Certified Lightning Connector for Apple CarPlay, and for Android Auto, the USB cables should be certified by USB-IF to be compliant with USB 2.0 Standard.

■ On the front panel ( )*

The USB port (2.5A) is only for charging devices.

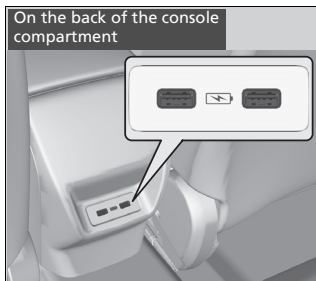▶ You cannot play music even if you have connected music players to it.

≫USB Port(s)

- Do not leave the iPod or USB flash drive in the vehicle. Direct sunlight and high temperatures may damage it.
- We recommend that you use a USB cable if you are attaching a USB flash drive to the USB port.
- Do not connect the iPod or 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 files 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.

USB charge

The USB port can supply up to 2.5A of power. It does not output 2.5A unless requested by the device.
For amperage details, read the operating manual of the device that needs to be charged.

Under certain conditions, a device connected to the port may generate noise to the radio station you are listening to.

Features

* Not available on all models

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On the back of the console compartment

■ On the back of the console compartment*

The USB ports (2.5A) are only for charging devices.

▶ You cannot play music even if you have connected music players to them.

Features

* Not available on all models

Audio System Theft Protection

The audio system is disabled when it is disconnected from the power source, such as when the battery is disconnected or goes dead. In certain conditions, the system may display a code entry screen. If this occurs, reactivate the audio system.

■ Reactivating the audio system

1. Set the power mode to ON.
2. Turn on the audio system.
3. Press and hold the **VOL/ ⏻ AUDIO** (Volume/Power) knob for more than two seconds.
▶ The audio system is reactivated when the audio control unit establishes a connection with the vehicle control unit. If the control unit fails to recognize the audio unit, you must go to a dealer and have the audio unit checked.

Features

Audio Remote Controls

Models with color audio system

Allow you to operate the audio system while driving. The information is shown on the driver information interface.

|◄◄|/|►►| (Seek/Skip) Buttons

VOL+/VOL−
(Volume) Switch
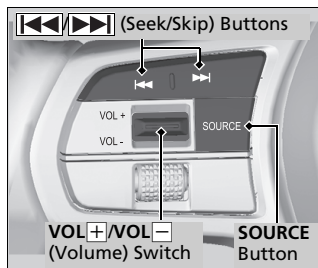
SOURCE
Button

SOURCE Button
Cycles through the audio modes as follows:
FM➔AM➔USB/iPod/Apple CarPlay/
Android Auto➔*Bluetooth*® Audio

VOL+/VOL− (Volume) Switch
Press Up: To increase the volume.
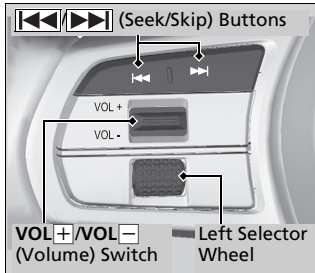**Press Down:** To decrease the volume.

>> Audio Remote Controls

Some modes appear only when an appropriate device or medium is used.

Depending on the *Bluetooth*® device you connect, some functions may not be available.

|◄◄|/|►►| (Seek/Skip) Buttons
• When listening to the radio
  Press |►►|: To select the next preset radio station.
  Press |◄◄|: To select the previous preset radio station.
  Press and hold |►►|: To select the next strong station.
  Press and hold |◄◄|: To select the previous strong station.
• When listening to an iPod, USB flash drive, *Bluetooth*® Audio, or Smartphone Connection
  Press |►►|: To skip to the next song.
  Press |◄◄|: To go back to the beginning of the current or previous song.
• When listening to a USB flash drive or *Bluetooth*® Audio
  Press and hold |►►|: To skip to the next folder/group.
  Press and hold |◄◄|: To go back to the previous folder/group.

Features

Models with Display Audio

Allow you to operate the audio system while driving. The information is shown on the driver information interface.

I◀◀/▶▶I (Seek/Skip) Buttons

VOL + / VOL - (Volume) Switch

Left Selector Wheel

VOL□/VOL□ (Volume) Switch
Press Up: To increase the volume.
Press Down: To decrease the volume.
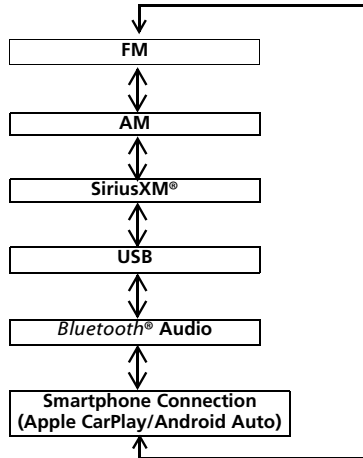
I◀◀/▶▶I (Seek/Skip) Buttons
- When listening to the radio
  Press ▶▶I: To select the next preset radio station.
  Press I◀◀: To select the previous preset radio station.
  Press and hold ▶▶I: To select the next strong station.
  Press and hold I◀◀: To select the previous strong station.
- When listening to an iPod, USB flash drive, *Bluetooth*® Audio, or Smartphone Connection
  Press ▶▶I: To skip to the next song.
  Press I◀◀: To go back to the beginning of the current or previous song.
- When listening to a USB flash drive
  Press and hold ▶▶I: To skip to the next folder.
 **Press and hold I◀◀:** To go back to the previous folder.

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Left Selector Wheel
Roll up or down:

To cycle through the audio modes, roll up or down and then press the left selector wheel:

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                  ▼                       │
      ┌───────────────────────┐          │
      │         FM            │          │
      └───────────────────────┘          │
                  ↕                       │
      ┌───────────────────────┐          │
      │         AM            │          │
      └───────────────────────┘          │
                  ↕                       │
      ┌───────────────────────┐          │
      │       SiriusXM®       │          │
      └───────────────────────┘          │
                  ↕                       │
      ┌───────────────────────┐          │
      │         USB           │          │
      └───────────────────────┘          │
                  ↕                       │
      ┌───────────────────────┐          │
      │   Bluetooth® Audio    │          │
      └───────────────────────┘          │
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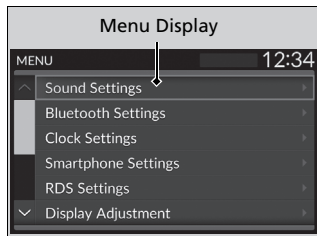
Features

Models with color audio system

To use the audio system, the power mode must be in ACCESSORY or ON.

Selector Knob

(Back) Button
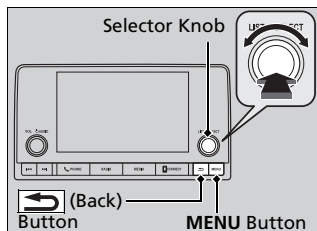
MENU Button

Use the selector knob or **MENU** button to access some audio functions.

Press 👆 to switch between the normal and extended display for some functions.

Menu Display

MENU   12:34
Sound Settings
Bluetooth Settings
Clock Settings
Smartphone Settings
RDS Settings
Display Adjustment

Selector knob: Rotate left or right to scroll through the available choices. Press 👆 to set your selection.
MENU button: Press to display the menu screen.
(Back) button: Press to go back to the previous display.

▶Audio System Basic Operation

These indications are used to show how to operate the selector knob.

Rotate ⟳ to select.
Press 👆 to enter.

Menu Items
▷ **Adjust Clock** P. 154
▷ **Adjusting the Sound** P. 238
▷ **Display Setup** P. 239
▷ **Customized Features** P. 355

Press the buttons on the steering wheel to change any audio setting.
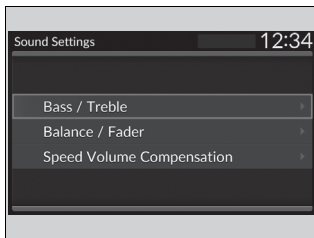▷ **Audio Remote Controls** P. 234

Touchscreen operation
- Use simple gestures - including touching, swiping and scrolling - to operate certain audio functions.
- Some items may be grayed out during driving to reduce the potential for distraction.
- You can select them when the vehicle is stopped.
- Wearing gloves may limit or prevent touchscreen response.

You can change the touchscreen sensitivity setting.
▷ **Customized Features** P. 355

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Adjusting the Sound

Sound Settings   12:34

Bass / Treble
Balance / Fader
Speed Volume Compensation

Bass / Treble   12:34

Bass   −   +
Midrange   −   +
Treble   −   +

1. Select an audio source.
2. Press the **MENU** button.
3. Select **Sound Settings**.

Select an item from the following choices:
• **Bass / Treble:** Bass, Midrange, Treble
• **Balance / Fader:** Balance, Fader
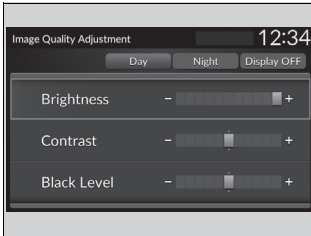• **Speed Volume Compensation:** Speed Volume Compensation (SVC)
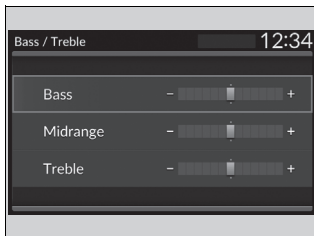
≫Adjusting the Sound

The SVC adjusts the volume level based on the vehicle speed. As you go faster, audio volume increases. As you slow down, audio volume decreases.

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Display Setup

You can set the screen brightness separately for Day and Night modes.

■ Changing the Screen Brightness

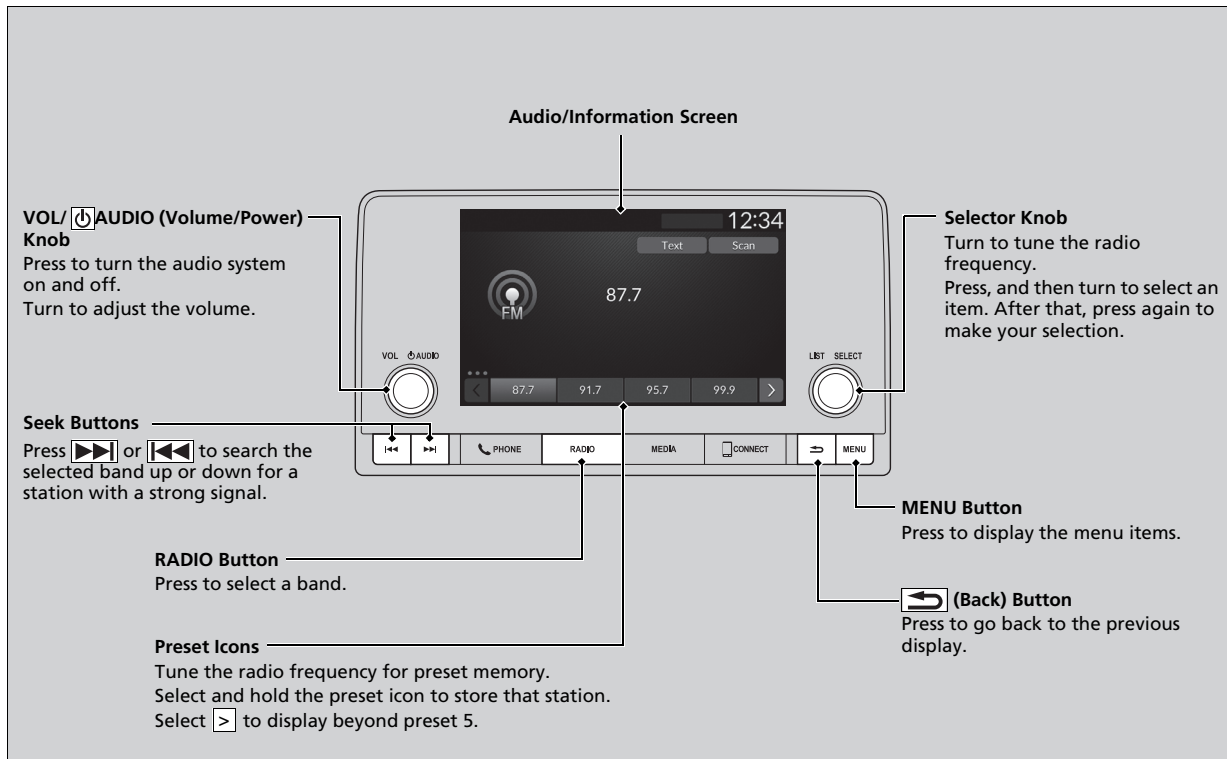| Image Quality Adjustment			12:34
	Day	Night	Display OFF
Brightness	− ▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▓▢ +		
Contrast	− ▓▓▓▢ ▓▓▓ +		
Black Level	− ▓▓▓▢ ▓▓▓ +		

1. Press the **MENU** button.
2. Select **Display Adjustment**.
3. Select **Day** or **Night**.
4. Select the setting you want.

>> Changing the Screen Brightness

You can change the **Contrast** and **Black Level** settings in the same manner.

You can adjust the settings by sliding or tapping on the bar.

Features

Playing AM/FM Radio

Audio/Information Screen

VOL/ ⏻ AUDIO (Volume/Power) Knob
Press to turn the audio system on and off.
Turn to adjust the volume.

Selector Knob
Turn to tune the radio frequency.
Press, and then turn to select an item. After that, press again to make your selection.

12:34

Text   Scan

FM   87.7

87.7   91.7   95.7   99.9

VOL ⏻AUDIO   LIST SELECT

◄◄   ►►   ☏ PHONE   RADIO   MEDIA   ☐ CONNECT   ⇆   MENU

Seek Buttons
Press ►►| or |◄◄ to search the selected band up or down for a station with a strong signal.

RADIO Button
Press to select a band.

Preset Icons
Tune the radio frequency for preset memory.
Select and hold the preset icon to store that station.
Select > to display beyond preset 5.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

⇆ (Back) Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

Features

■ Radio Data System (RDS)

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

■ To find an RDS station from Station List

1. Press 💿 while listening to an FM station.
2. Select the station.

■ Update List

Updates your available station list at any time.
1. Press 💿 while listening to an FM station.
2. Select **Refresh**.

■ Radio text

Displays the radio text information of the selected RDS station.
1. Select **Text**.

■ Scan

Samples each of the strongest stations on the selected band for 10 seconds.
1. Select **Scan**.

To turn off scan, select **Stop** or press the 🔙 button.

▶Playing AM/FM Radio

Stereo reproduction in AM is not available.

You can store 12 AM stations and 12 FM stations into the preset memory.

Switching the Audio Mode
Press the **SOURCE** button on the steering wheel.
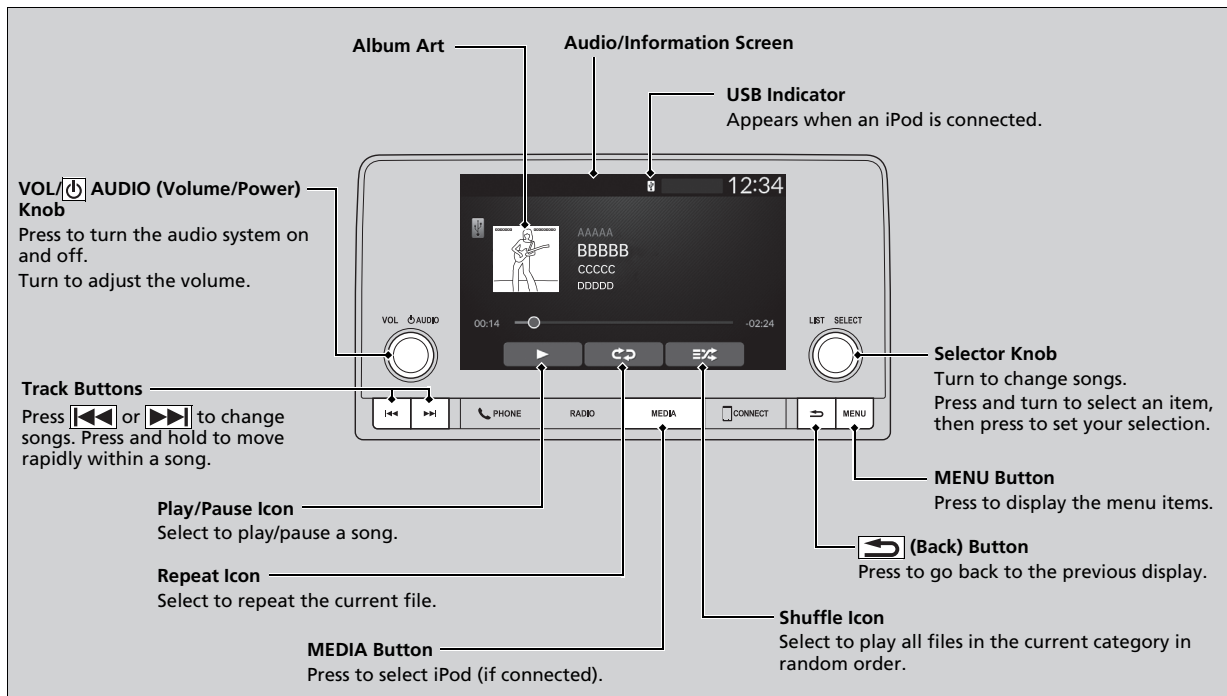➡ **Audio Remote Controls** P. 234

▶Radio Data System (RDS)

When you select an RDS-capable FM station, the RDS automatically turns on, and the station name is displayed under the frequency. However, when the signals of that station become weak, the station name disappears.
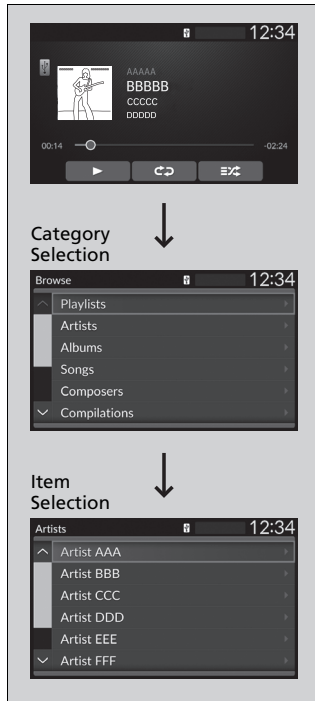
Features

Playing an iPod

Connect the iPod using your USB connector to the USB port, then press the **MEDIA** button.

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Album Art

Audio/Information Screen

USB Indicator
Appears when an iPod is connected.

12:34

AAAAA
BBBBB
CCCCC
DDDDD

00:14 -02:24

VOL/⏻ AUDIO (Volume/Power) Knob
Press to turn the audio system on and off.
Turn to adjust the volume.

Selector Knob
Turn to change songs.
Press and turn to select an item, then press to set your selection.

Track Buttons
Press |◀◀ or ▶▶| to change songs. Press and hold to move rapidly within a song.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

Play/Pause Icon
Select to play/pause a song.

◀ (Back) Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

Repeat Icon
Select to repeat the current file.

Shuffle Icon
Select to play all files in the current category in random order.

MEDIA Button
Press to select iPod (if connected).

VOL ⏻AUDIO   LIST SELECT

|◀◀ ▶▶| ☎ PHONE   RADIO   MEDIA   ▯ CONNECT   ⮌ MENU

Features

■ How to Select a Song from the iPod Music List

Category
Selection
↓

Item
Selection
↓

1. Press ☺ to display the iPod music list.

2. Select a category.

3. Select an item.
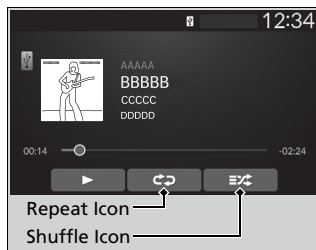 ▶ Select an item repeatedly until a desired item you want to listen is displayed.

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 audio/information screen.
  ▶ **iPod/USB Flash Drive** P. 332

Features

Features

■ How to Select a Play Mode

You can select repeat and shuffle modes when playing a song.

```
                          12:34
     AAAAA
     BBBBB
     CCCCC
     DDDDD

00:14  ─○─                      -02:24
    ▶      ⏏       ⋈
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Repeat Icon
Shuffle Icon

■ Shuffle/Repeat

Select shuffle or repeat icon repeatedly until a desired mode.

■ To turn off a play mode

Select the mode you want to turn off.

≫How to Select a Play Mode

Play Mode Menu Items

Shuffle

Shuffle off: Shuffle mode to off.

Shuffle All Songs: Plays all available songs in a selected list (playlists, artists, albums, songs, genres, or composers) in random order.

Repeat

Repeat off: Repeat mode to off.
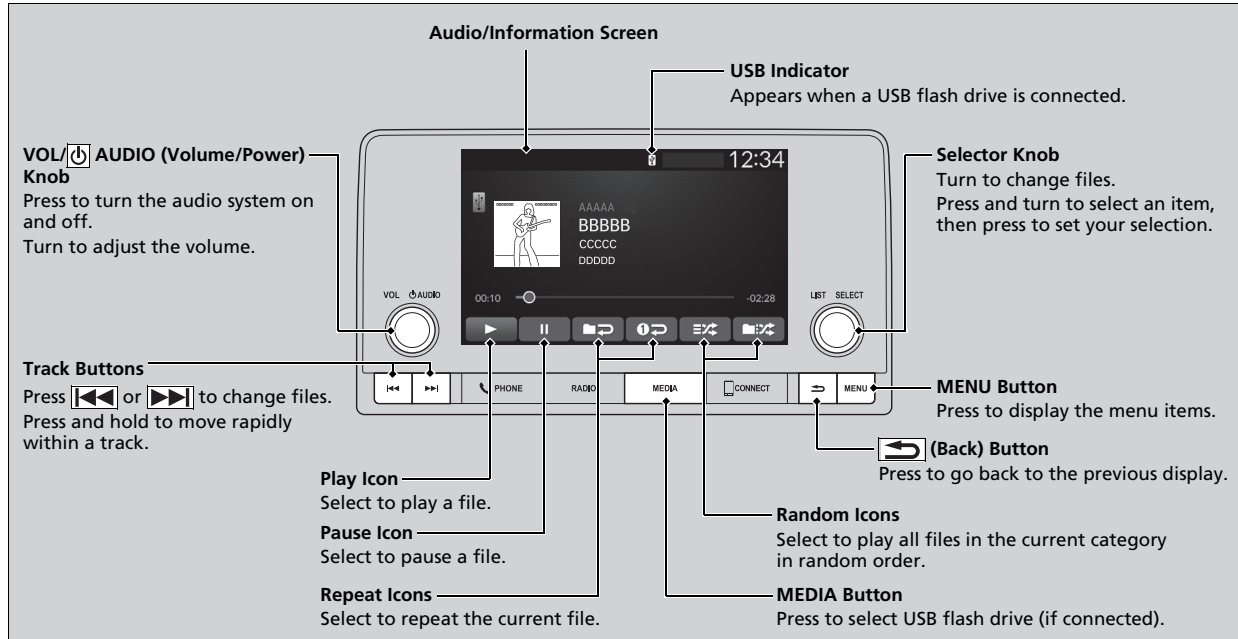
Repeat all: Repeats the all songs.

Repeat Song: Repeats the current song.
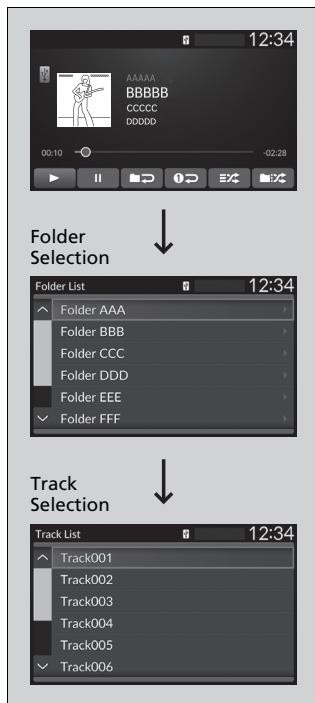
Playing a USB Flash Drive

Your audio system reads and plays sound files on a USB flash drive in either MP3, WMA, AAC, FLAC, or WAV format.
Connect your USB flash drive to the USB port, then press the **MEDIA** button.

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Audio/Information Screen

USB Indicator
Appears when a USB flash drive is connected.

VOL/ ⏻ AUDIO (Volume/Power) Knob
Press to turn the audio system on and off.
Turn to adjust the volume.

Selector Knob
Turn to change files.
Press and turn to select an item, then press to set your selection.

12:34

AAAAA
BBBBB
CCCCC
DDDDD

00:10   -02:28

Track Buttons
Press ◄◄ or ►► to change files.
Press and hold to move rapidly within a track.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

(Back) Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

Play Icon
Select to play a file.

Pause Icon
Select to pause a file.

Repeat Icons
Select to repeat the current file.

Random Icons
Select to play all files in the current category in random order.

MEDIA Button
Press to select USB flash drive (if connected).

Features

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■ How to Select a File from a Folder

1. Press 🎵 to display a folder list.

Folder
Selection

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2. Select a folder.

Folder List	🔋	12:34
∧ Folder AAA		▶
Folder BBB		▶
Folder CCC		▶
Folder DDD		▶
Folder EEE		▶
∨ Folder FFF		▶

Track
Selection

⬇

3. Select a file.

Track List	🔋	12:34
∧ Track001		
Track002		
Track003		
Track004		
Track005		
∨ Track006		

>> Playing a USB Flash Drive

Use the recommended USB flash drives.
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Files in WMA format protected by digital rights management (DRM) cannot be played.
The audio system displays **Unplayable File**, and then skips to the next file.

If there is a problem, you may see an error message on the audio/information screen.
2 **iPod/USB Flash Drive** P. 332

■ How to Select a Play Mode

You can select repeat and random modes when playing a file.

Repeat Icons
Random Icons
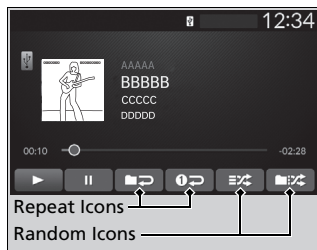
■ Random/Repeat
Select random or repeat icon.

■ To turn off a play mode
Select the mode you want to turn off.

Play Mode Menu Items

Random

Random All Tracks: Plays all files in random order.

Random in Folder: Plays all files in the current folder in random order.
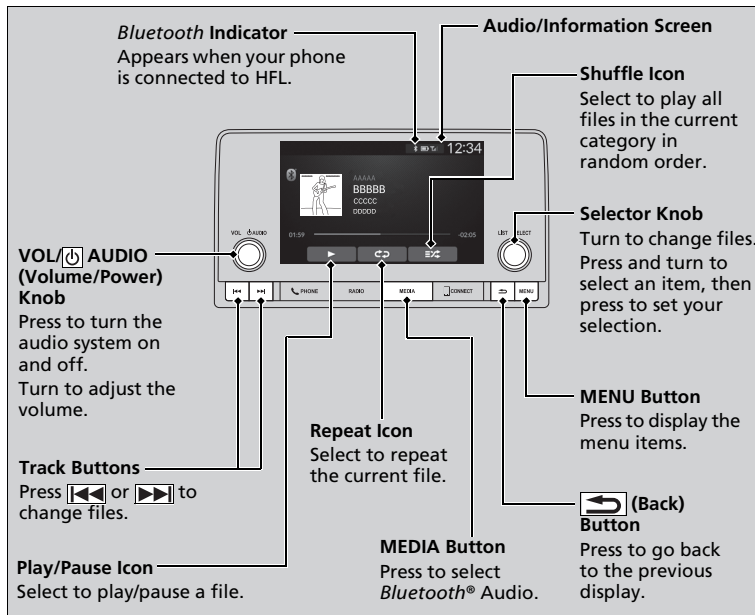
Repeat

Repeat track: Repeats the current file.

Repeat folder: Repeats all files in the current folder.

Features

Playing *Bluetooth*® **Audio**

Your audio system allows you to listen to music from your *Bluetooth*-compatible phone.
This function is available when the phone is paired and connected to the vehicle's *Bluetooth*® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) system.

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Bluetooth **Indicator**
Appears when your phone is connected to HFL.

Audio/Information Screen

Shuffle Icon
Select to play all files in the current category in random order.

Selector Knob
Turn to change files.
Press and turn to select an item, then press to set your selection.

VOL/⏻ AUDIO (Volume/Power) Knob
Press to turn the audio system on and off.
Turn to adjust the volume.

MENU Button
Press to display the menu items.

Track Buttons
Press |◀◀ or ▶▶| to change files.

Repeat Icon
Select to repeat the current file.

⬑ (Back) Button
Press to go back to the previous display.

Play/Pause Icon
Select to play/pause a file.

MEDIA Button
Press to select *Bluetooth*® Audio.

❱❱Playing *Bluetooth*® Audio

Not all *Bluetooth*-enabled phones with streaming audio capabilities are compatible with the system.
For a list of compatible phones:
• U.S.: Visit *automobiles.honda.com/handsfreelink/*, or call 1-888-528-7876.
• Canada: For more information on smartphone compatibility, call 1-855-490-7351.

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, the system automatically connects to the prioritized phone. You can assign priority to a phone in the **Bluetooth Settings** menu.
❱❱**HFL Menus** P. 392
To change the searched phone manually, select **Go to Device List**.

In some cases, the name of the artist, album, or track may not appear correctly.

Some functions may not be available on some devices.

If a phone is currently connected via Apple CarPlay or Android Auto, *Bluetooth*® Audio from that phone is unavailable. However, a second previously paired phone can stream *Bluetooth*® Audio by selecting **Audio** from the *Bluetooth*® device list.
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■ To Play *Bluetooth*® Audio Files

Play/Pause Icon
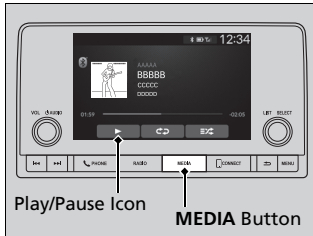
MEDIA Button

1. Make sure that your phone is paired and connected to HFL.
2. Press the **MEDIA** button until the *Bluetooth*® Audio Source is selected.

If the phone is not recognized, another HFL-compatible phone, which is not compatible for *Bluetooth*® Audio, may already be connected.

■ To pause or resume a file
Select the play/pause icon.

To play the audio files, you may need to operate your phone. If so, follow the phone maker's operating instructions.

The pause function may not be available on some phones.

If any audio device is connected to the USB port, you may need to press the **MEDIA** button repeatedly to select the *Bluetooth*® Audio system.

Switching to another mode pauses the music playing from your phone.

Check the volume setting of your phone if the audio volume is too loud or soft.

Features

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■ How to Select a Song from the Music Search List
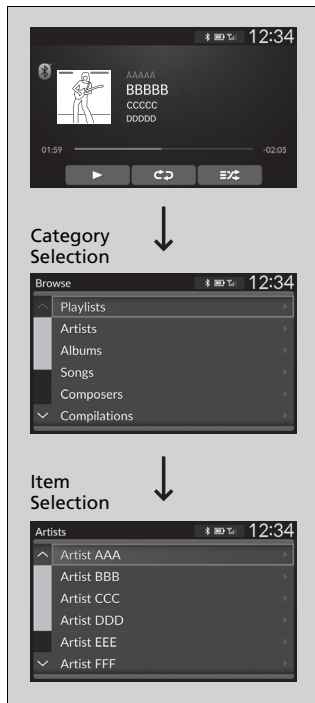
1. Press ⌾ to display the music search list.

Category Selection

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2. Select a category.
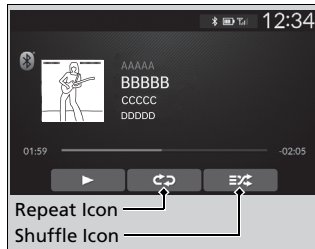
Item Selection

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3. Select an item.
   ▶ Select an item repeatedly until a desired item you want to listen is displayed.

≫ How to Select a Song from the Music Search List

Depending on the *Bluetooth*® device you connect, some or all of the categories may not be displayed.

■ How to Select a Play Mode

You can select repeat and shuffle modes when playing a song.

Repeat Icon
Shuffle Icon

■ Shuffle/Repeat

Select shuffle or repeat icon repeatedly until a desired mode.

■ To turn off a play mode

Select the mode you want to turn off.

Play Mode Menu Items

Shuffle

Shuffle off: Shuffle mode to off.

Shuffle Albums: Plays all available albums in a selected list in random order.

Shuffle All Songs: Plays all available songs in a selected list in random order.

Repeat

Repeat off: Repeat mode to off.

Repeat all: Repeats the all songs.

Repeat Song: Repeats the current song.
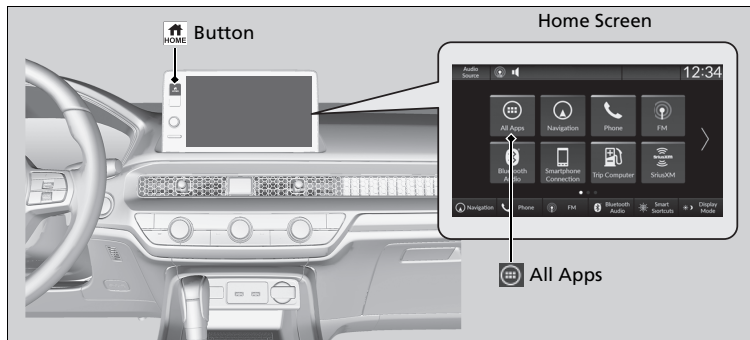
Depending on the *Bluetooth*® device you connect, some or all of the functions may not be displayed.

Features

Audio/Information Screen

Displays the audio status and wallpaper. From this display, you can go to various setup options.

■ Switching the Display

■ Using the audio/information screen

HOME Button

Home Screen

All Apps

Press the ⌂ button to go to the home screen.
Select the following icons on the home screen or after selecting ⊕ **All Apps**.

■ Phone
Displays the HFL information.
　▷ *Bluetooth*® **HandsFreeLink**® P. 409

■ FM/AM/SiriusXM/USB/Bluetooth Audio
Displays information for each audio format.

▷ Using the audio/information screen

Touchscreen operation
- Use simple gestures - including touching, swiping and scrolling - to operate certain audio functions.
- Some items may be grayed out during driving to reduce the potential for distraction.
- You can select them when the vehicle is stopped or use voice commands.
- Wearing gloves may limit or prevent touchscreen response.

You can change the touchscreen sensitivity setting.
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■ General Settings

Enters the customizing menu screen.

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■ Navigation

Displays the navigation screen.

  ⋙ **Refer to the Navigation System Manual**

■ HondaLink®

Displays the HondaLink screen.

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■ Apple CarPlay/Android Auto

Displays the Apple CarPlay or Android Auto.

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  ⋙ **Android Auto** P. 326

■ Vehicle Settings

Displays the vehicle settings screen.

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■ Trip Computer

Displays the trip computer information.

- **Current Drive** tab: Displays the current trip information.
- **Trip A/Trip B** tab: Displays information for the current and three previous drives.

The information is stored every time you reset Trip A/B.

To reset the Trip A/B, select **Settings**, then select **Delete Trip History**.

To change the setting of how to reset Trip A/B, select **Settings**, then select **"Trip A" Reset Timing** or **"Trip B" Reset Timing**.

■ System Updates

Updates the software version of the audio system.

■ Clock

Displays the clock.

■ Smart Shortcuts

Displays the **Smart Shortcuts** screen.

■ Display Mode

Displays the brightness bar.