Learn how to operate the vehicle’s audio system.

**Basic Audio Operation**

Connect audio devices and operate buttons and displays for the audio system.

- **USB Port**

  Connect a USB flash drive or other audio device, such as an iPod or iPhone®. Install the flash drive or cable connector to the USB port.

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The USB port (1.0 A) is in the center pocket is for playing audio and charging devices.

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iPod and iPhone are trademarks of Apple, Inc.
The USB port (2.5 A) in the center console is for playing audio, charging devices, and connecting to Apple CarPlay or Android Auto.

**Notes:**
- This system consumes a lot of power. It is best to charge your device when the engine is running.

*if equipped*
**Steering Wheel Controls**

You can operate certain functions of the audio system using the steering wheel controls.

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SOURCE button: Cycle through available audio modes.

 /  buttons: Change presets, tracks, albums, or folders.

VOL + / VOL - buttons: Adjust audio volume.

Hang-up/Back button: Press to go back to the previous command or cancel a command.

**FM/AM/SiriusXM Radio**

Press  for the next or previous station.

Press and hold  for the next or previous strong station.

**CD/iPod/USB/Bluetooth Audio**

Press  for the next or previous track.

Press and hold  for the next or previous folder (CD/USB).

**Pandora (U.S. only)**

Press  for the next song.

Press and hold  for the next or previous station.
• **Adjusting the Sound**
  Adjust various sound settings.

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Press the sound button. Rotate it to scroll through the choices. Press to select.

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Color Audio Operation

Control audio operation using the buttons on the audio unit.

- **Selector knob:** Rotate and press to make and enter selections.
- **MENU/CLOCK button:** Display menu items for the selected audio mode.
- **Audio/Information screen**
- **Power/volume knob:** Press to turn the audio system on or off. Rotate to adjust volume.
- **BACK button:** Go back to the previous display or cancel a setting.
- **Selector knob:** Rotate and press to make and enter selections.
- **button:** Adjust display brightness.

![Diagram of audio control unit]
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**FM/AM Radio**

Play FM or AM radio stations.

**Radio button:** Select a band.

**Seek/Skip buttons:** Find the next or previous strong station.

**Preset buttons (1-6):** Press and hold a preset button to store the current station. Press a preset button to select a previously stored station.

**Selector knob:** Rotate to tune radio frequency.
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**iPod®**

Play and operate an iPod through the vehicle’s audio system. Connect your device to the USB port.

**Searching for Music**

Use the selector knob to search for tracks stored on the iPod.

1. From the audio screen, press the Selector Knob.
2. Select a category to display a list of items.
3. Select the track you want to play.
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**USB Flash Drive**

Play and operate a USB flash drive through the vehicle’s audio system. Only MP3, WMA, or AAC formats are supported. Connect your device to the USB port.

**Media button:** Press to select USB flash drive (if connected)

**MENU/CLOCK button:** Display menu items, such as Music Search.

**Seek/Skip buttons:**
- Press to change tracks.
- Press and hold to move rapidly within a track.

**Play mode buttons (1-6)**

**Selector knob:** Rotate to change files. Press to select.

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### Searching for Music

Use the selector knob to search for tracks stored on the flash drive.

1. From the audio screen, press the Selector Knob.
2. Select a folder to display a list of files in the folder.
3. Select the track you want to play.
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**Bluetooth® Audio**

Play streaming or stored audio from your compatible phone through the vehicle’s audio system. Connect your phone to Bluetooth HandsFreeLink. Visit automobiles.honda.com/handsfreelink/(U.S.) or call (888) 528-7876 (Canada) to check phone compatibility. Standard data rates apply.

**Notes:**

- Make sure the volume on your phone is properly adjusted.
- You may need to enable additional settings on your phone for playback.
- The resume/pause function and remote audio controls are not supported on all phones.

**Searching for Music**

Use the selector knob to search for tracks stored on the device.

1. From the audio screen, press the Selector Knob.
2. Select a category to display a list of items.
3. Select the track you want to play.

Applicable laws may prohibit the operation of handheld electronic devices while operating a vehicle. Launch streaming audio on your phone only when safe to do so.
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**Pandora®**

Play and operate Pandora from your phone through the vehicle’s audio system. Visit automobiles.honda.com/handsfreelink/ to check phone compatibility. Standard data rates apply.

**Available in the U.S. only.**

Connect your phone when the vehicle is stopped.

**For iPhone:**
- Connect via Bluetooth HandsFreeLink or USB port.
- A pop-up may appear on your phone requesting you to allow access for Pandora to be launched.
- If you cannot operate Pandora through the audio system, it may be streaming through Bluetooth Audio. Make sure Pandora is selected on the audio system.
- If Pandora still does not operate, try rebooting the phone and reconnecting the cable if necessary.

**For Android or BlackBerry:**
- Connect via Bluetooth HandsFreeLink.

**Media button:** Press to select Pandora (if connected)

**Skip button:** Go to the next song.

**Preset buttons:** Press the button for each function.
1. Pause/resume
2. Dislike song
3. Like song
4. Bookmark track

**Selector knob:** Rotate to change the station.

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BLUETOOTH® HANDSFREELINK® (HFL)

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

Basic HFL Operation

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Make and receive phone calls using the vehicle’s audio system, without handling your phone. Visit automobiles.honda.com/handsfreelink/ (U.S.) or call (888) 528-7876 (Canada) to check phone compatibility.

To reduce the potential for driver distraction, certain manual functions may be inoperable or grayed out while the vehicle is moving. Stop or pull over to perform the function.

- HFL Controls

Use the controls to enter information and make selections.

- Pick-Up button: Answer an incoming call or press to go to the phone screen.
- Hang-Up/Back button: End or decline a call, or cancel an operation.
- Talk button: Make a call using a stored voice tag.
- PHONE button: Display the phone screen.
- Selector knob: Rotate and press to make selections.
Pairing a Phone

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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. Use the selector knob or interface dial to make and enter selections.

1. Press the Phone button to go to the Phone screen.
   A prompt appears. Select Yes.

2. Make sure your phone is in search or discoverable mode.
   Select OK.

3. When your phone appears on the list, select it by pressing.
   
   If your phone doesn’t appear:
   Select Phone Not Found? and search for Bluetooth® devices using your phone. From your phone, select HandsFreeLink.

4. The system gives you a pairing code on the audio/information screen.
   Confirm if the pairing code on the screen and your phone match.

5. A notification appears on the screen if pairing is successful.

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Making a Call

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You can make a call using several methods.

- **Dialing a Number**
  Enter a 10-digit phone number to call.

  **Using voice commands**
  Press the Talk button before you say each command.

  1. Say “Dial by number.”
  2. Say the phone number. For example, “3-1-0-5-5-1-2-3-4.”
  3. The system begins to dial.

  **Using the menu**
  Use the selector knob or interface dial to make and enter selections. This method is inoperable while the vehicle is moving.

  1. Press the PHONE button.
  2. Select Dial.
  3. Enter the phone number. Select the phone icon to call.

- **Storing Speed Dial Entries**
  Store up to 20 numbers for quick dialing. Use the selector knob or interface dial to make and enter selections.

  1. Press the PHONE button.
  2. Select Speed Dial.
  3. Select Add New.
  4. Select an entry method.
  5. If desired, you can create a voice tag for the number. Follow the prompts.

  When a voice tag is created, you can press the Talk button and say “Call” and the stored voice tag to quickly call the number.
Using Speed Dial and Call History
Make calls quickly using stored speed dial entries or call history numbers.

Using voice commands
1. Press the Talk button before you say each command.
2. Say “Dial by voice tag.”
3. Say the stored voice tag name. For example, “John Smith.”

Using the menu
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Select Call History.
3. Scroll through the list to find the entry you want to call, and select it to call.

Using the Phonebook
When your phone is paired, its entire phonebook can be automatically imported to the system. Automatic Phone Sync must be turned on.

Using voice commands
1. Press the Talk button before you say each command.
2. Say “Dial by name.”
3. Say the phonebook name and phone type. For example, “John Smith mobile.”

Using the menu
Use the selector knob or interface dial to make and enter selections. This method is inoperable while the vehicle is moving.
1. Press the PHONE button.
2. Select Phonebook.
3. Scroll through the list to find the name and number you want to call, and select it to call.