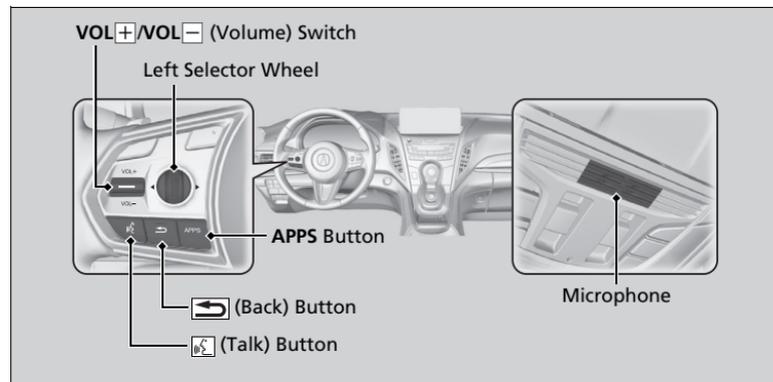


Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink® (HFL) allows you to place and receive phone calls using your vehicle's audio system, without handling your cell phone.

Using HFL

HFL Buttons



Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®

Place your phone where you can get good reception.

To use HFL, you need a **Bluetooth**-compatible cell phone. For a list of compatible phones, pairing procedures, and special feature capabilities:

- U.S.: Visit www.handsfreelink.com/Acura, or call 1-888-528-7876.
- Canada: For more information on smartphone compatibility, call 1-855-490-7351.

To use the system, the **Bluetooth**® setting must be **On**.

Voice control tips

- Aim the vents away from the ceiling and close the windows, as noise coming from them may interfere with the microphones.
- Press the **[OK]** button when you want to call a number using a phonebook name or a number. Speak clearly and naturally after a beep.
- If the microphone picks up voices other than yours, the command may be misinterpreted.
- To change the volume level, use the audio system's volume or use the audio remote controls on the steering wheel.

Left Selector Wheel:

- **Incoming call:** Move the selector wheel to the right to answer the call. Move it to the left to decline the call.
- **During a call:** Move the selector wheel to the right to display the call options menu. Move it to the left to end the call.
-  **(back) button:** Press the button to go back to the previous screen or to cancel a command.
-  **(talk) button:** Press the button to start voice recognition.

To go to the phone screen of the multi-information display or the head-up display*:

1. Press the **APPS** button on the steering wheel.
2. Using the selector wheel, scroll to **Phone** on the multi-information display or the head-up display*, and then press the left selector wheel.
 - ▶ You can select **Favorites** or **Recents** by moving the selector wheel to the left or the right.

Bluetooth® HandsFreeLink®

Bluetooth® Wireless Technology

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HFL Limitations

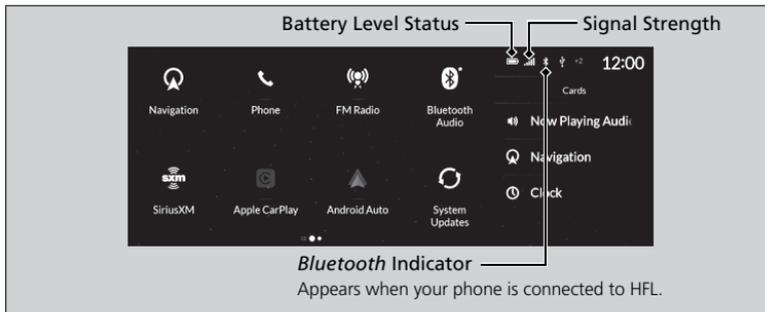
An incoming call on HFL will interrupt the audio system when it is playing. It will resume when the call is ended.

HFL Status Display

The audio/information screen notifies you when there is an incoming call.



Bluetooth® connection status is displayed in the secondary information area.



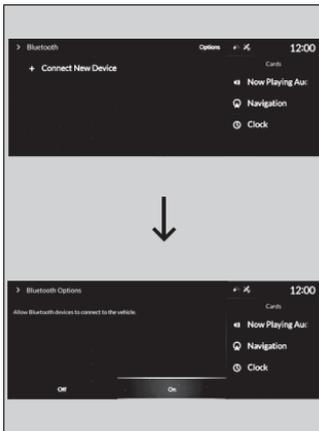
HFL Status Display

The information that appears on the audio/information screen varies between phone models.

■ Limitations for Manual Operation *

Certain manual functions are disabled or inoperable while the vehicle is in motion. You cannot select a grayed-out option until the vehicle is stopped.

Phone Setup



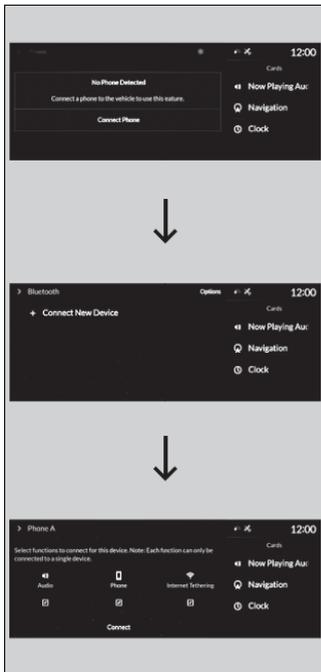
■ Bluetooth® setup

You can turn **Bluetooth®** function on and off.

1. Press the  (home) button.
2. Select **Settings**.
3. Select **Connections**.
4. Select **Bluetooth**.
5. Select **Options**.
6. Select **On**.

⊗ Bluetooth® setup

If there is an active connection to Android Auto, this setting is unavailable.



■ **To pair a cell phone (when there is no phone paired to the system)**

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 **Connect**.
 - ▶ The pop-up menu appears on the screen, if the internet wireless hotspot function is selected.

☒ Phone Setup

Your **Bluetooth®**-compatible phone must be paired to the system before you can make and receive hands-free calls.

Phone Pairing Tips:

- You cannot pair your phone while the vehicle is moving.
- Up to six phones can be paired.
- Your phone's battery may drain faster when it is paired to the system.

Once you have paired a phone, you can see it displayed on the screen with one or more icons on the right side.

These icons indicate the following:

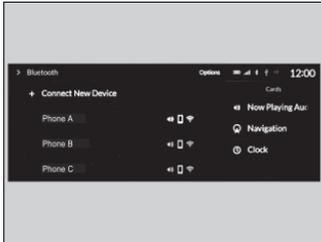
- : The phone is compatible with **Bluetooth®** Audio.
- : The phone can be used with HFL.
- : The phone can be used with internet wireless hotspot.

If there is an active connection to Apple CarPlay or Android Auto, pairing of additional **Bluetooth®**-compatible devices is unavailable.

Enable Smart Sharing pop-up

Smart Sharing to share phone data with Acura, you can change the setting later by deleting the device in **Phone Menu**.

For detail information of all data shared visit <https://acuralink.acura.com/#/acuralinkLegalTerms>



■ To change the currently paired phone

1. Go to the **Phone Menu** screen.
2. Select **Change Connected Phone**.

When connecting to other phone:

3. Select a phone to connect.
4. Select ,  or .
5. Select **Connect**.

When changing the currently paired phone setting:

3. Select a currently paired phone.
4. Select ,  or .
5. Select **Apply Changes**.

☒ To change the currently paired phone

If there is an active connection to Android Auto, this setting is unavailable.

If no other phones are found or paired when trying to switch to another phone, HFL will continue to connect a original phone.

To pair other phones, select **+ Connect New Device** from the **Bluetooth** screen.

Playing *Bluetooth*® Audio

Your 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.

▶▶ Playing *Bluetooth*® Audio

Not all *Bluetooth*-enabled phones with streaming audio capabilities are compatible with the system. For a list of compatible phones:

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- Canada: For more information on smartphone compatibility, call 1-855-490-7351.

It may be illegal to perform some data device functions while driving.

Play/Pause Icon — Select to play or pause the current track.

Current Track Information — Select to display the play list screen.

Random Icon — Select to play all files in the current folder in random order.

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

Seek/Skip Buttons — Press **⏮** or **⏭** to change tracks. Press and hold to move rapidly within a track.

Repeat Icon — Select to repeat the current file.

MENU — Select to display the menu items.

Bluetooth® Indicator — Appears when your phone is connected to HFL.

Music Library — Select to display the music search screen.

Track Icons — Select **⏮** or **⏭** to change tracks. Select and hold to move rapidly within a track.