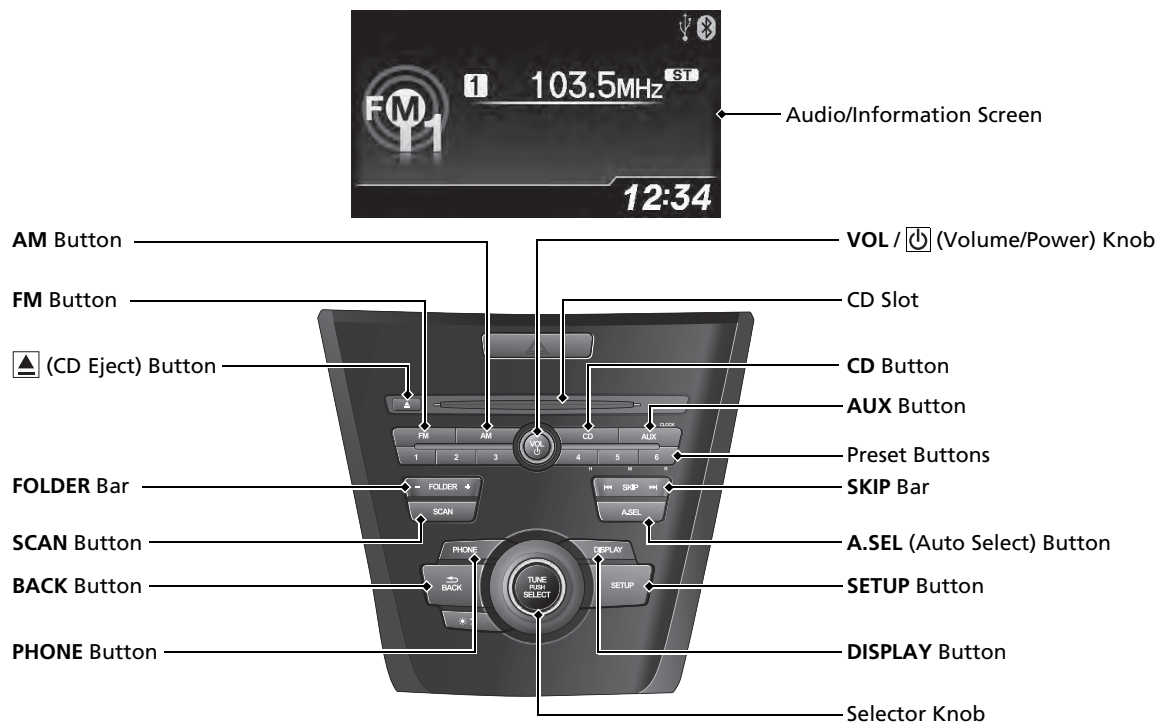


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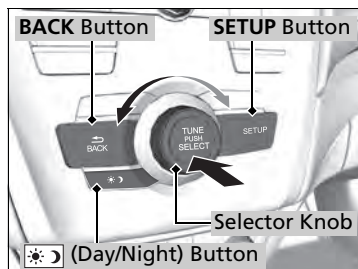
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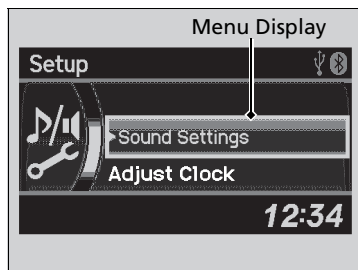
Models with one display


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



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


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



Selector knob: Rotate left or right to scroll through the available choices. Press  to set your selection.

SETUP button: Press to select any mode such as the **RDS Information**, **Sound Settings**, **Play Mode**, **Resume/Pause**, or **Adjust Clock**.

BACK button: Press to go back to the previous display.

 **(Day/Night) button:** Press to change the audio/ information screen brightness. The brightness can be set differently for the day time and night time.

Pressing the button switches the modes between daytime and night time.





Adjust the brightness using .

Audio System Basic Operation

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

Rotate  to select.

Press  to enter.

Press the **MODE**, , ,  or  button on the steering wheel to change any audio setting.

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Setup Menu Items

 **RDS Information** P. 195

 **Sound Settings** P. 192

 **Play Mode** P. 198, 201, 207


 **Resume/Pause** P. 209


 **Adjust Clock** P. 110

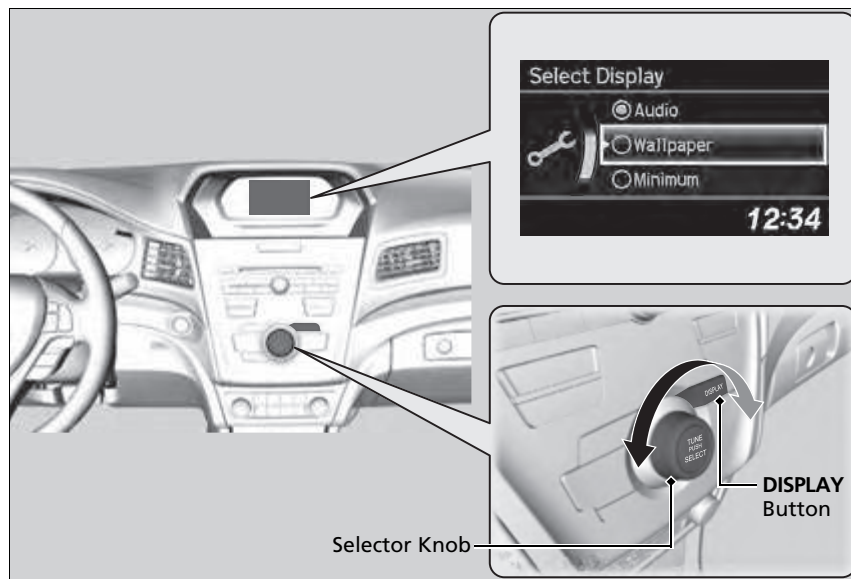
Audio/Information Screen

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

■ Switching the Display

Press **DISPLAY** button. Rotate  and select the mode from the three display modes.

Press .



■ Audio display

Shows the current audio information.

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■ Wallpaper

Shows a clock screen or an image you import.

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■ Minimum display

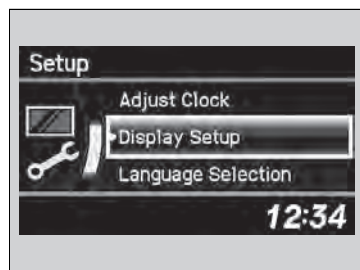
Minimizes the display by only showing the clock and audio status on the display.









■ Wallpaper Setup

You can change, store and delete the wallpaper on the audio/information screen.

■ Import wallpaper

You can import up to three images, one at a time, for wallpaper from a USB flash drive.



1. Connect the USB flash drive to the adapter cable.
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2. Press the **SETUP** button.
3. Rotate  to select **Display Setup**, then press .
4. Rotate  to select **Wallpaper**, then press .
5. Rotate  to select **Import**, then press .
6. Rotate  to select a desired picture, then press .
 The preview of the imported data is displayed.




▶▶ Wallpaper Setup

- When importing wallpaper files, the image must be in the USB flash drive's root directory. Images in a folder cannot be imported.
- The file format of the image that can be imported is BMP (bmp) or JPEG (jpg).
- Each image file can be up to 2 MB.
- The maximum image size is 1,680 x 936 pixels. If the image size is less than 420 x 234 pixels, the image is displayed in the middle of the screen with the extra area appearing in black.
- Up to 255 files can be selected.





If the USB flash drive does not have any pictures, **No compatible images were found. See Owner's Manual.** will appear.

* Not available on all models









7. Press  to save the data.
 - ▶ The confirmation message will appear.
 - Then, the display will return to the import wallpaper list.
8. Rotate  to select the place to save the data, then press .
 - ▶ The confirmation message will appear.

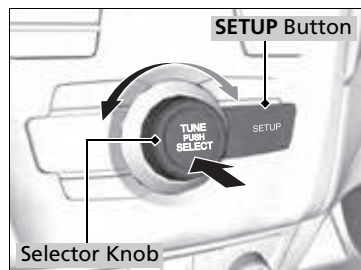
■ Select wallpaper




1. Rotate  to select **Select** on the wallpaper setup menu, then press .
 - ▶ The screen will change to the wallpaper list.
2. Rotate  to select desired wallpaper and press .
 - ▶ When the scroll is stopped, the thumbnail is displayed.

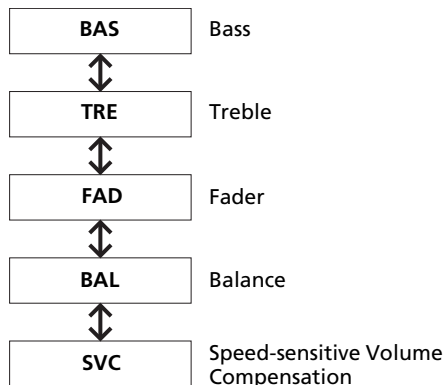
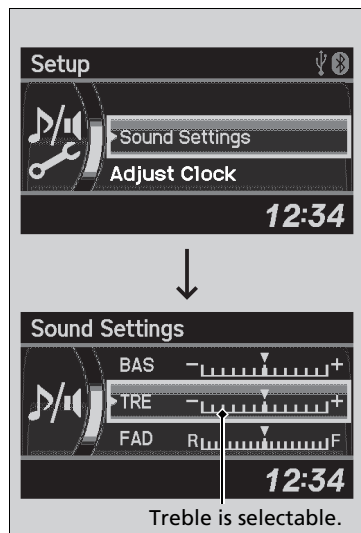
■ Delete wallpaper

1. Rotate  to select **Delete** on the wallpaper setup menu, then press .
 - ▶ The screen will change to the delete wallpaper list.
2. Rotate  to select wallpaper that you want to delete and press .
 - ▶ The confirmation message will appear.
3. Rotate  to select **Yes**, then press  to delete completely.

Adjusting the Sound



Press the **SETUP** button, and rotate  to select **Sound Settings**, then press . Rotate  to scroll through the following choices:



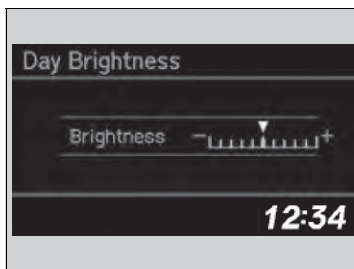
▶▶ Adjusting the Sound







The **SVC** has four modes: **Off**, **Low**, **Mid**, and **High**. **SVC** adjusts the volume level based on the vehicle speed. As you go faster, audio volume increases. As you slow down, audio volume decreases.

Display Setup

You can change the brightness or color theme of the audio/information screen.







■ Changing the Screen Brightness



1. Press the **SETUP** button.
2. Rotate  to select **Display Setup**, then press .
3. Rotate  to select **Brightness**, then press .
4. Rotate  to adjust the setting, then press .

■ Changing the Screen's Color Theme



1. Press the **SETUP** button.
2. Rotate  to select **Display Setup**, then press .
3. Rotate  to select **Color Theme**, then press .
4. Rotate  to select the setting you want, then press .

Playing AM/FM Radio

VOL/ (Volume/Power) Knob

Press to turn the audio system on and off.
Turn to adjust the volume.

AM Button

FM Button

Press to select a band.

FOLDER Bar

Press either side to display and select an RDS category.

SCAN Button

Press to sample each of the strongest stations on the selected band for 10 seconds. To turn off scan, press the button again.

BACK Button

Press to go back to the previous display.



Preset Buttons (1-6)

To store a station:

1. Tune to the desired station.
2. Pick a preset button and hold it until you hear a beep.

To listen to a stored station, select a band, then press the preset button.

SKIP Bar

Press to search up and down the selected band for a station with a strong signal.

A.SEL (Auto Select) Button

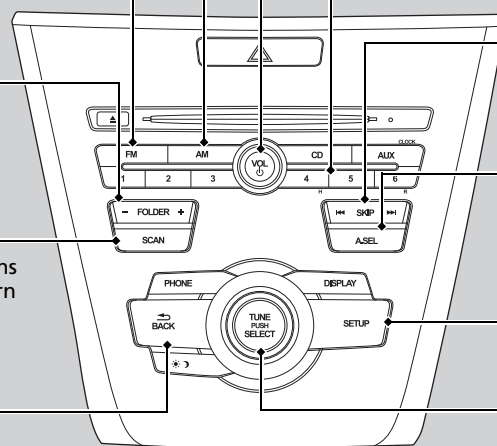
Press to scan both bands and store the strongest station in each preset. To turn off auto select, press the button again. This restores the presets you originally set.

SETUP Button

Press to display menu items.

Selector Knob

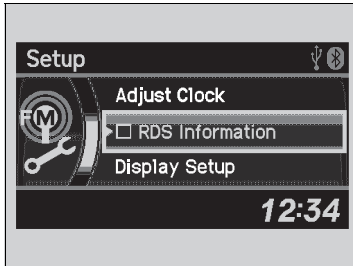
Turn to tune the radio frequency.





■ Radio Data System (RDS)

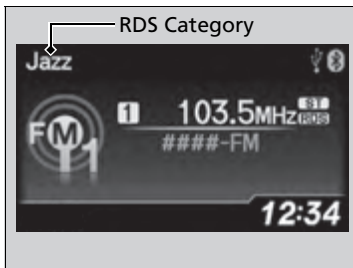
Provides text data information related to your selected RDS-capable FM station.

■ RDS Information



1. Press the **SETUP** button and rotate  to select **RDS Information**.
2. Each time you press , the RDS Information switches between on and off.

■ To find an RDS station from your selected program category



1. Press the **FOLDER** bar to display and select an RDS category.
2. Use **SKIP** or **SCAN** to select an RDS station.

▶▶ Playing AM/FM Radio

The **ST** indicator appears on the display indicating stereo FM broadcasts.
Stereo reproduction in AM is not available.

Switching the Audio Mode
Press the **MODE** button on the steering wheel.
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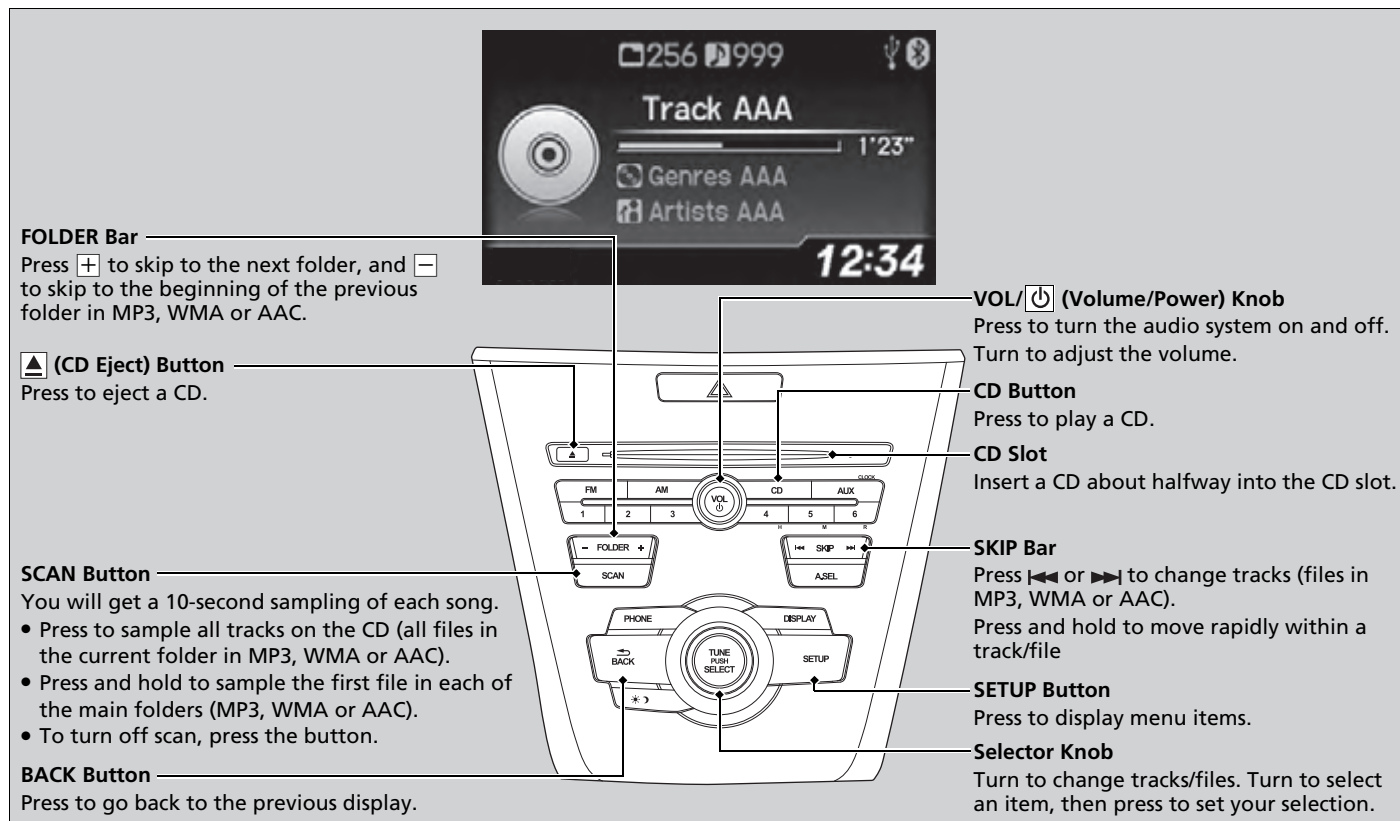
You can store 6 AM stations and 12 FM stations into the preset button memory. FM1 and FM2 let you store 6 stations each.

Auto Select function scans and stores up to 6 AM stations and 12 FM stations with a strong signal into the preset button memory.

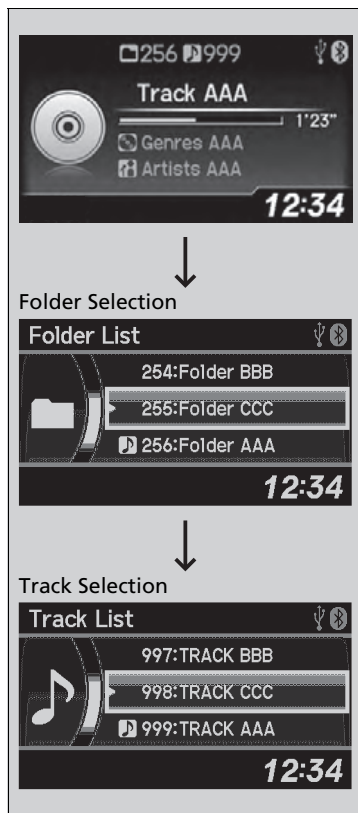
If you do not like the stations auto select has stored, you can manually store your preferred frequencies.

Playing a CD


Your audio system supports audio CDs, CD-Rs and CD-RWs in either MP3, WMA or AAC format. With the CD loaded, press the **CD** button.




How to Select a File from a Folder with the Selector Knob (MP3/WMA/AAC)



1. Press  to switch the display to a folder list.

2. Rotate  to select a folder.

3. Press  to change the display to a list of files in that folder.

4. Rotate  to select a file, then press .

▶▶ Playing a CD

NOTICE

Do not use CDs with adhesive labels. The label can cause the CD to jam in the unit.

WMA files protected by digital rights management (DRM) cannot be played.

The audio system displays **Unplayable File**, then skips to the next file.

Text data appears on the display under the following circumstances:

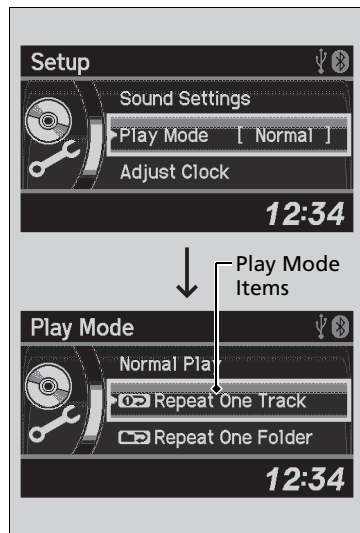
- When you select a new folder, file, or track.
- When you change the audio mode to CD.
- When you insert a CD.

If you eject the CD but do not remove it from the slot, the system reloads the CD automatically after several seconds.

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■ How to Select a Play Mode



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



1. Press the **SETUP** button.

2. Rotate  to select **Play Mode**, then press



3. Rotate  to select a mode, then press .

■ To turn off a play mode

1. Press the **SETUP** button.

2. Rotate  to select **Play Mode**, then press .

3. Rotate  to select **Normal Play**, then press .

▶▶ How to Select a Play Mode

Press the **BACK** button to go back to the previous display, and press the **SETUP** button to cancel this setting mode.

Play Mode Menu Items

Normal Play

Repeat One Track: Repeats the current track/file(s).

Repeat One Folder (MP3/WMA/AAC): Repeats all files in the current folder.

Random in Folder (MP3/WMA/AAC): Plays all files in the current folder in random order.

Random All: Plays all tracks/files in random order.

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 linked to the vehicle's *Bluetooth®* HandsFreeLink® (HFL) system.

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▶▶ Playing *Bluetooth®* Audio

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

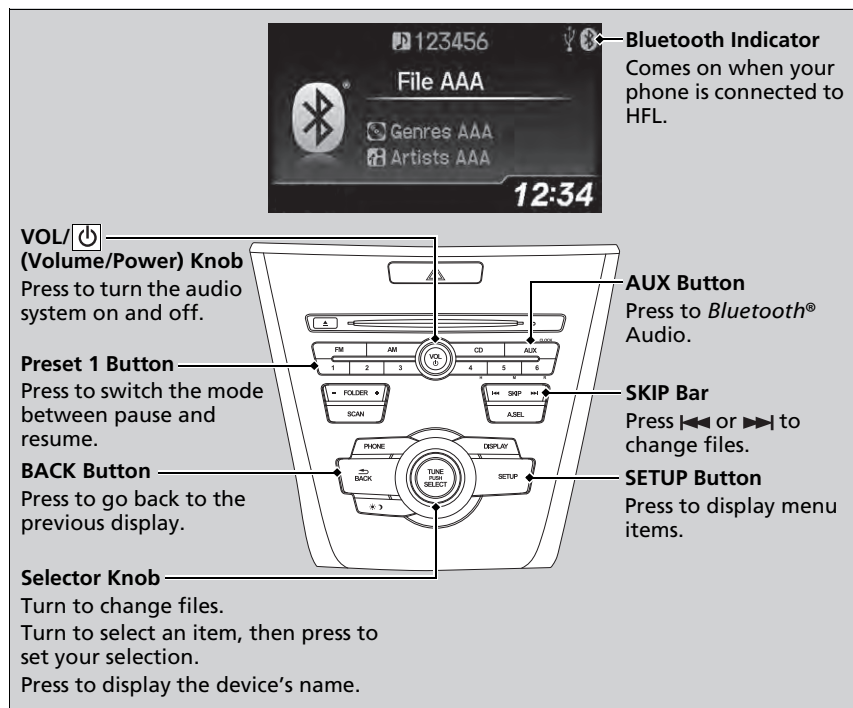
- U.S.: Visit www.handsfreelink.com/Acura, or call 1-888-528-7876.
- Canada: For more information on smartphone compatibility, call 1-855-490-7351.

In some states, it may be illegal to perform some data device functions while driving.

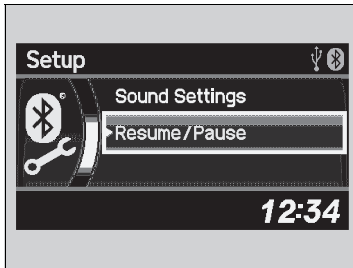
If more than one phone is paired to the HFL system, there will be a delay before the system begins to play.

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

Some functions may not be available on some devices.





■ To Play *Bluetooth*® Audio Files




1. Make sure that your phone is paired and linked to HFL.
2. Press the **AUX** button.

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

1. Press the **SETUP** button.
2. Rotate  to select **Resume/Pause**, then press .

Each time you press , the setting switches between pause and resume.

▶▶ To Play *Bluetooth*® Audio Files

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 auxiliary input jack, you may need to press the **AUX** button repeatedly to select the *Bluetooth*® Audio system.



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

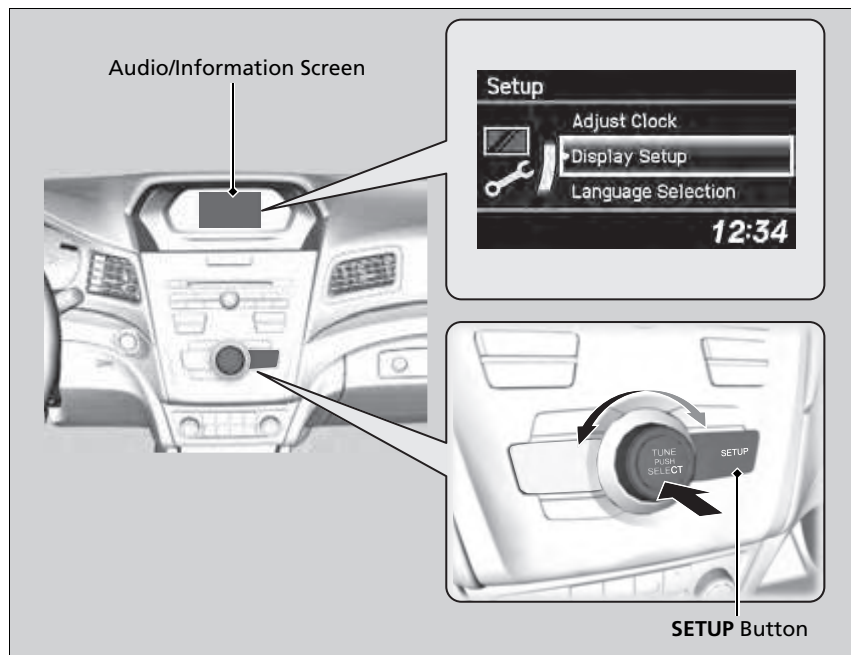
Customized Features

Models with one display

Use the audio/information screen to customize certain features.

■ How to customize

While the vehicle is at a complete stop with the power mode is ON, press the **SETUP** button, rotate  to select a setting item, and press .





Customized Features

When you customize settings:

- Make sure that the vehicle is at a complete stop.
- Shift to **P**.

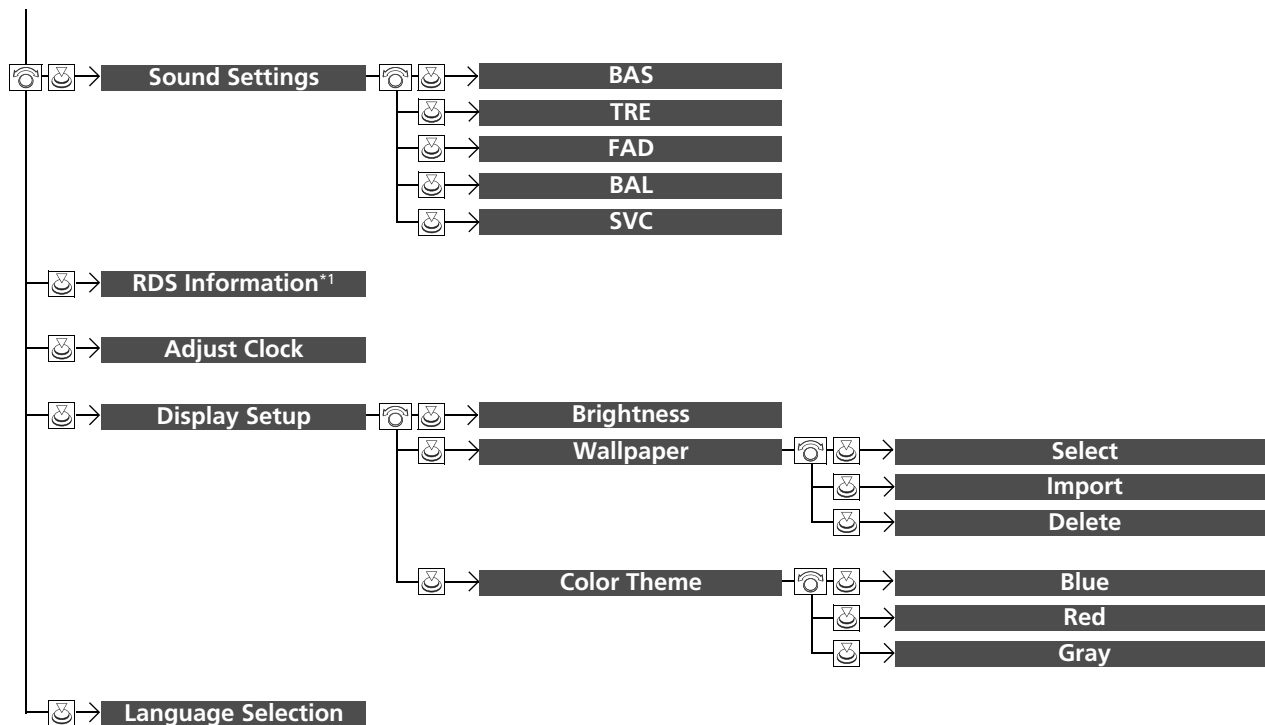
How to customize

To customize other features, rotate , and press .

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Press the **SETUP** button.

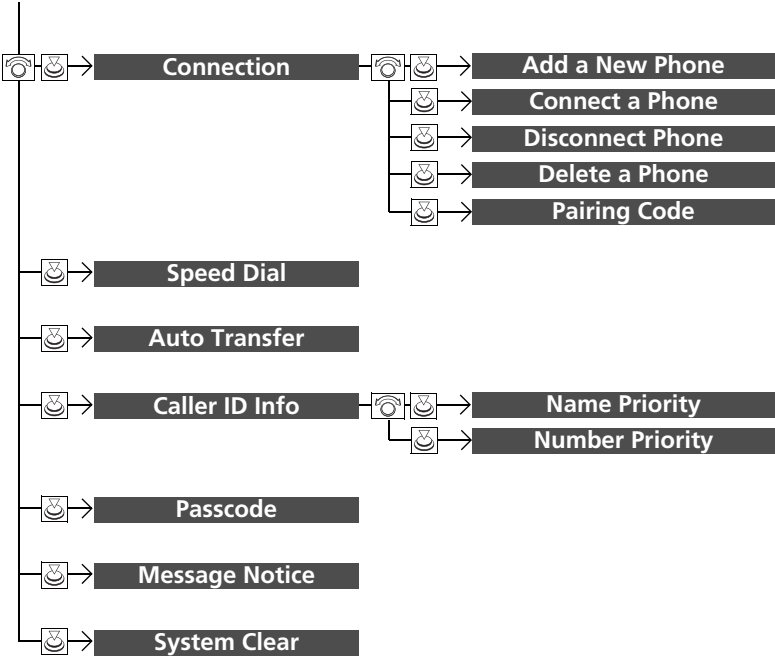
Press the **SETUP** button.



*1: Appears only when you select the FM mode.

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Press the **Phone** or  button and rotate  to select **Phone Setup**, then press .



■ List of customizable options

Setup Group	Customizable Features	Description	Selectable Settings
Sound Settings	BAS	Adjusts the settings of the audio speaker's sound. ▶ Adjusting the Sound P. 192	—
	TRE		
	FAD		
	BAL		
	SVC		
RDS Information ^{*2}		Turns on and off the RDS information.	On ^{*1} /Off
Adjust Clock		Adjust Clock. ▶ Adjusting the Clock P. 110	—

*1: Default Setting

*2: Appears only when you select the FM mode.

Setup Group	Customizable Features		Description	Selectable Settings
Display Setup	Brightness		Changes the brightness of the audio/information screen.	—
	Wallpaper	Select	Changes the wallpaper type.	Clock ^{*1} /Image 1/ Image 2/Image 3
		Import	Imports an image file for a new wallpaper. 📁 Wallpaper Setup P. 190	—
		Delete	Deletes an image file for a wallpaper.	Image 1/Image 2/ Image 3
	Color Theme		Changes the background color of the audio/information screen.	Blue ^{*1} /Red/Gray
Language Selection			Change the display language.	English ^{*1} /Français/ Español

*1:Default Setting

Setup Group	Customizable Features	Description	Selectable Settings	
Phone Setup	Connection	Add a New Phone	Pairs a new phone to HFL. 📶 Phone Setup P. 352	—
		Connect a Phone	Connect a phone to the system.	—
		Disconnect Phone	Disconnects a paired phone from HFL.	—
		Delete a Phone	Deletes a paired phone.	—
		Pairing Code	Inputs and changes a code for a paired phone.	Fixed *1/Random
	Speed Dial	Edits, adds or deletes a speed dial entry. 📶 Speed Dial P. 362	—	
	Auto Transfer	Sets calls to automatically transfer from your phone to HFL when you enter the vehicle.	On *1/Off	
	Caller ID Info	Prioritizes the caller’s name or phone number as the caller ID.	Name Priority *1/ Number Priority	
	Passcode	Create a security PIN for a paired phone.	—	
	Message Notice	Turn incoming text message notifications on or off.	On *1/Off	
	System Clear	Clear the system of all paired phones, phonebook entries, and security codes.	—	

*1:Default Setting