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HON98-AUX

QUICK START AUXILIARY INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR SELECT 1998-05 HONDA & ACURA CD CHANGER CONTROLLING RADIOS

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READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE INSTALLING, FAILURE TO DO SO MAY CAUSE PERSONAL INJURY OR DAMAGE TO PRODUCT AND/OR PROPERTY

- This installation guide is provided as a GENERAL installation guide, some vehicles vary and may require additional steps. We do not accept responsibility for third party labor charges or modifications. Exercise due-diligence when installing this product.
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- Careless installation and operation can result in equipment damage.

Requirements:

Radio with cd changer controls

Introduction

This simply aux adapter allows users to connect and play any audio device with a 3.5mm jack to select 1998-05 Honda and Acura CD changer controlling radios. Simply connect the adapter to the 14-pin CD changer port on the back of the radio and audio device to the 3.5mm jack and enjoy stored content or music from the internet if using Smartphone. The HON98-AUX replaces factory external CD Changer or Slave CD player.

Warning: Honda 6-disc CD changer radios are not compatible.

Installation

- Remove factory radio from the dash to gain access to the connector. (Vehicle specific radio removal instructions are not part of this guide but may be available upon <u>request</u>)
- Disconnect any factory accessory connected to the 14-pin radio connector (See Fig. 2)
 <u>Vehicles with slave cassette</u>: If vehicle has a slave cassette, the HDN98-AUX connects to the slave cassette (not the radio)

3. Connect 14-pin plug (See Fig. 1) from HDN98-AUX to radio or slave cassette (See. Fig. 2)



Fig. 2

4. Connect one end of supplied 3.5mm audio cable (See **Fig. 3**) to adapter jack (See **Fig. 4**), route other end to the front of the dash or wherever audio device will reside (within 3 ft.)





Fig. 4 3.5mm jack

- 5. Route the other end of supplied 3.5mm audio cable (See **Fig. 3**) to the front of the dash, glovebox etc. where audio device will reside (within 3 ft.)
- 6. Connect installation harness 16-pin plug (See **Fig. 5**) to module 16-pin connector (See **Fig. 6**)







Fig. 6

Optional USB extension cable installation

Notes: 1. Optional 6 ft. USB dash mount extension cable is not required for operation; however, it extends USB charging port (See **Fig. 9**) to dashboard, glovebox etc.

2. The USB port supports software updates and charging only

 Drill a ¾" hole to dash or panel using a step drill bit or equivalent (See Fig. 10) As an alternative; use the included bracket (See Fig. 14a) to mount USB without drilling.





2. Fish USB cable terminal (See Fig. 11) through hole created in step 1 and plug into USB port on module (See Fig. 8)





Fig. 9

3. Snap header (See Fig. 10) to surface until flush (See Fig. 11)



Fig. 10







Tuck and secure any extra wires from moving parts and proceed to next step

Operation

- 1. Turn ignition and radio "ON"
- 2. Press "CD" or "CD/TAPE" button on radio (See Fig. 3)



Changer mode

Note: If radio does not switch to CD, cycle ignition OFF/ON and try again.

3. Put audio device in play mode. If playback is distorted, lower volume audio device or if inaudible, raise volume.

Warning: Playlist and Track selection *NOT* possible from radio. Use smartphone built-in controls o remote to access and control audio files and applications

4. If correct operation is confirmed go ahead and reinstall radio.

Frequent ask questions

- Does the HON98-AUX work on all Honda radios? NO; the HON98-AUX works on select 1998-05 Honda & Acura CD Changer controlling radios (Must have 14-pin port—See Fig. 2).
- My radio has a built-in 6 CD Changer, will the HON98-AUX work? Honda 6-CD Changer radios1TA1, 1TA2, 1TND, 1TN1, 1TN2, 1TA1, 1TJ2, 1TJ3 are not supported, however most Acura 6-CD Changer radios are supported. Please verify radio has 14-pin port (See Fig.2)
- Can I use the radio buttons to control audio device NO; the HON98-AUX does not control audio device. Use device built-in controls to browse music library.
- Will I be able to make phone calls using this device NO; but if in speakerphone mode, you will be able to hear caller on the car speakers.
- 5. What happens if phone rings while playing music? The phone will mute audio playback and resume as soon as call ends.
- 6. My vehicle has a slave CD player, will the HON98-AUX Work? The HON98-AUX replaces the slave CD player.
- 7. My vehicle has a slave Cassette player, will the HDN98-AUX Work? YES. The HDN98-AUX does not replace the slave CD player.

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