HONDA 14-PIN CD CHANGER CONNECTORS. Explained





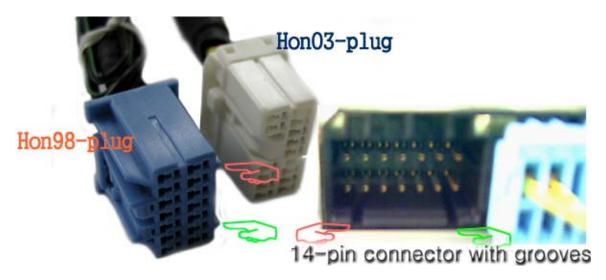
The 14-pin CD Changer ports in 1998-up Honda/Acura are both 14-pins, what is the difference?

It is possible for certain 2003-Up Honda Element radios to have a HON98-style CD Changer connector on the back of the radio. This is possible because all 1998-Up Honda Radios share the same 21-pin power / speaker connectors but different CD Changer connector. If you own a 2003-Up Element or live in a foreign country we ask you remove the radio to verify which of the two 14-pin CD Changer connector apply. This is possible the only way to verify which connector is applicable to your vehicle. Don't rely on data provided by others with the same model/year vehicle—this does not always apply because we have found vehicles in which they were different. We apologize for the inconvenience but since the Element model did not always come with a radio*, it's impossible for us (and most dealers) to be certain which connector is present in YOUR car.

The HON98-style 14-pin connector on the radio is usually black with two grooves.

HON98-style plug has two "studs" that mates perfectly with the grooves on the radio plug. All our HON98-style auxiliary input adapters & iPod adapters have this blue connector (i.e. HON98-AUX, DF-HON, HON/M-LINK1 DMXV.1, HON/AUX DMX V.1, PA11-HON etc)

The HON03-style 14-pin connector on the radio is white with no grooves (see below) HON03-style connector is compatible 2003-Up adapters (i.e.HON03/PC-SON, HON/AUX DMXV.2x, SNHOND3, HON/M-LINK1V.2x, PA11-HON2y etc)





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^{*} As standard equipment