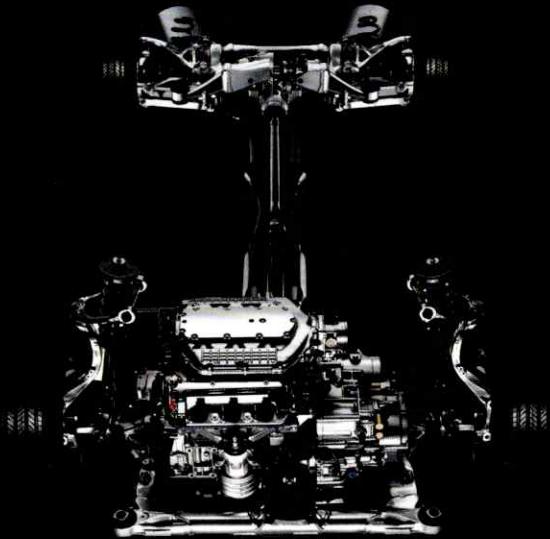


RL







Instincts are its most
advanced amenity

The 2007 Acura RL. Now advanced collision mitigation technology, high performance engineering and satellite-linked integration will answer to an exceptionally powerful new leader – you.



3.

STRONG BRAKING

If all warnings have been ignored and the system determines an impact is unavoidable, strong braking is automatically applied to reduce the collision speed and mitigate the force of the accident.

2.

SEAT BELTS TIGHTEN AND LIGHT BRAKING BEGINS

If no braking or speed reduction is detected, the system will gently pull the driver's seat belt and automatically begin light braking.

1.

RECOGNITION OF POSSIBLE COLLISION

If the closing speed exceeds a programmed threshold, the system warns the driver with audio and visual alerts.



Thinking beyond the grille.

As innovative as it is instinctive, the available Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)* is powered by a radar transmitter behind the RL's front grille that determines the distance and closing speed of the vehicle directly ahead of you.

ADAPTIVE CRUISE CONTROL (ACC)*

The RL's available Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC) system allows you to set a time interval based on the distance of the car in front of you. During highway cruising simply engage the ACC and the system will prompt you to choose a short, medium or long interval between you and the vehicle ahead. The system will then maintain the exact throttle speed, and if required automatically apply moderate braking, to ensure your selected distance is maintained.

4-WHEEL VENTILATED DISC BRAKES

When you're driving a car of this high calibre, nothing short of exceptional control and stopping power will do. All four wheels have ventilated brake rotors. Robust 4-piston aluminum front brake calipers help minimize unsprung weight and optimize suspension response. Meanwhile, special high-friction brake pads give you distinctly sporty, linear feedback, making for incredibly quick stopping power with a minimum amount of pedal effort.

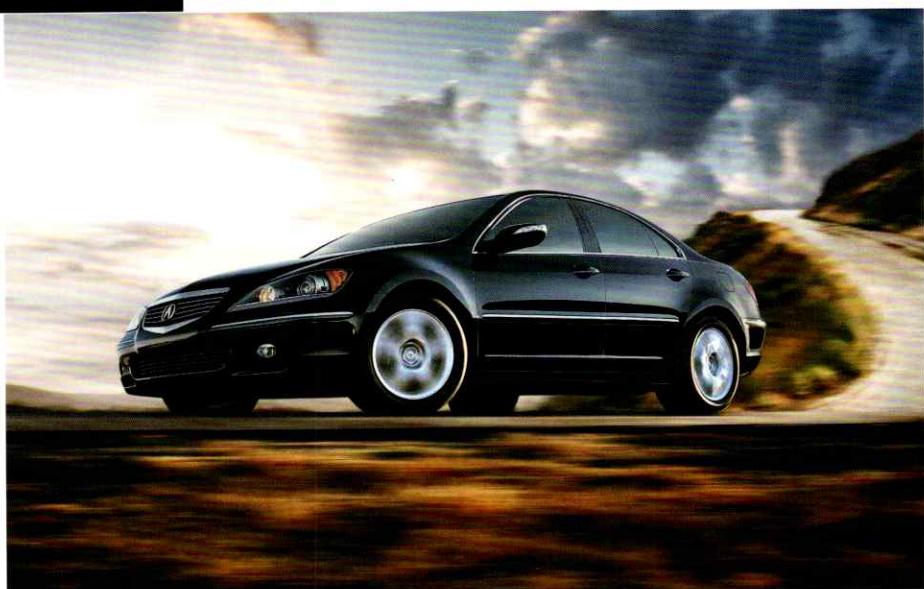
DUAL EXHAUST AND PERFORMANCE WHEELS

The RL's large diameter, dual-outlet exhaust hints at an engine enriched with confident attitude. Plus, the standard 17-inch aluminum-alloy wheels with large-diameter tires and wide tread enhance your feel for the road and reinforce the RL's sophisticated style and overall sporty appearance.



PADDLE SHIFTERS

Add an exhilarating touch of Formula One™ manual up and downshift performance to your drive. Mounted just behind the spokes of the leather-wrapped steering wheel, you'll find paddle shifting transmission controls designed to deliver an extra boost of excitement to the already quick-shifting 5-speed automatic.





SPORT SUSPENSION

An exceptionally smooth, responsive ride awaits you at every turn with the RL's 4-wheel independent double-wishbone front and multi-link rear suspension systems. Further ride enhancement comes from the lightweight aluminum components mounted to aluminum subframes to help isolate the cabin from road harshness and noise. The rear multi-link design provides all the high performance benefits of the double-wishbone setup, including solid resistance to lateral forces and diminished rear lift during braking. Plus, substantial front and rear stabilizer bars control body roll in corners, delivering exceptionally precise handling and an enhanced connection with the road.

VARIABLE-ASSIST POWER RACK-AND-PINION STEERING

To optimize performance steering at high speeds and increase manoeuvrability at lower speeds, the RL uses a sophisticated speed-sensing, electronically controlled hydraulic power-steering system. Now from quick hairpins and sweeping highway curves to tight, city-centre agility, your overall experience is one of exhilarating confidence and control in virtually any situation you encounter.

CARBON FIBRE-REINFORCED PROPELLER SHAFT

Originally developed for use in aerospace and competitive auto racing, advanced carbon-fibre technology now finds a home in the RL. Extremely lightweight and strong, the carbon-fibre propeller shaft produces fewer vibrations and less noise than a traditional metal shaft. Plus, the propeller shaft is reinforced to easily handle the amazing 256 lb.-ft. of torque the RL engine produces – resulting in an exceedingly smooth, quiet ride.



More science than fiction

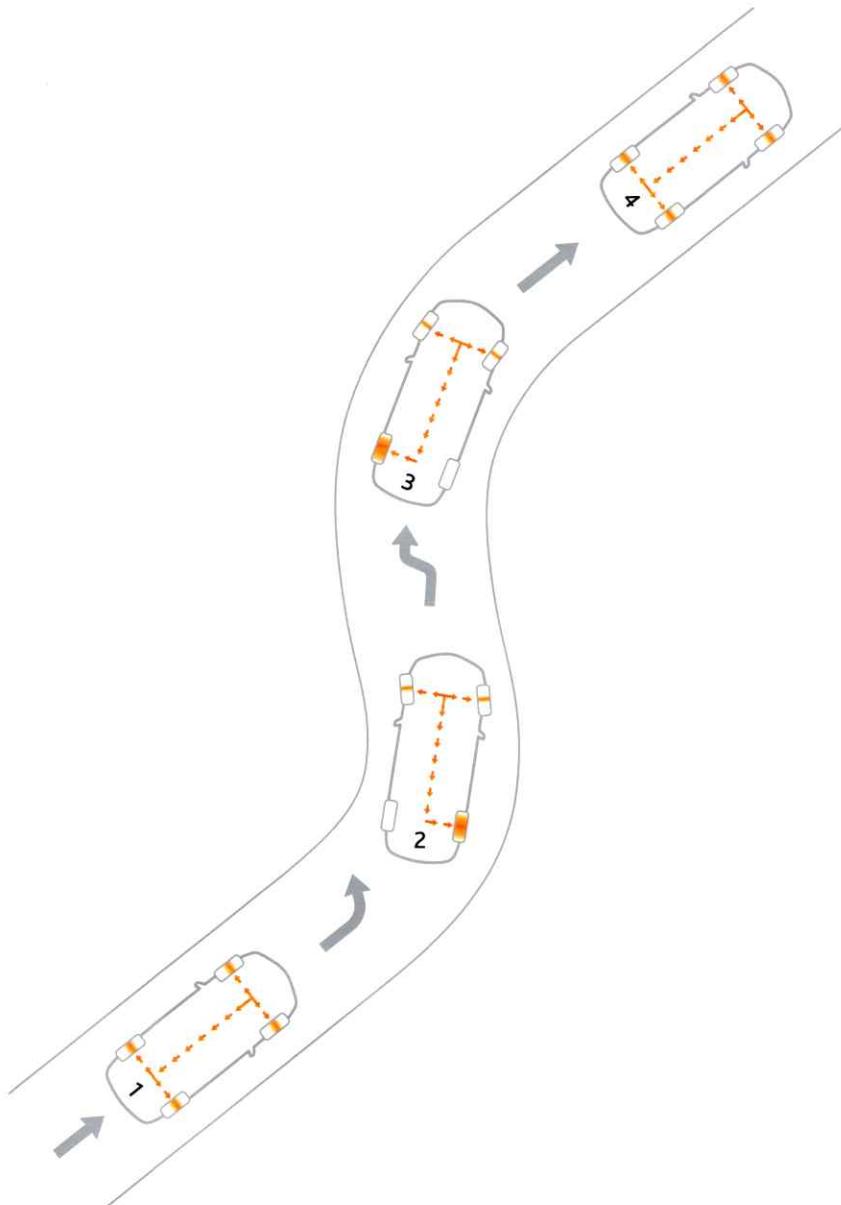


ELECTROMAGNETIC CLUTCH AND 2-SPEED PLANETARY GEAR SET

Operating in unison with the SH-AWD™ system are variable electromagnetic clutches that feature a compact, 2-speed planetary gear set. The multi-plate clutch electronically regulates rear wheel torque based on your driving demands and instantly compensates by adjusting the acceleration of the outside rear turning wheel to inspire a further measure of cornering confidence.

SH-AWD

The closest anyone has come to reinventing the wheel:
The groundbreaking Acura Super Handling All-Wheel-Drive™
system. Fine-tuned for the RL, this exceptionally advanced
all-wheel-drive technology helps you gain more traction in
less-than-perfect conditions and the confidence to carve
precision corners in every other condition.



1. DURING STRAIGHT-LINE ACCELERATION

The groundbreaking SH-AWD system offers dramatically enhanced traction, control and acceleration in all weather or loose road conditions. Accelerate and the system directs up to 40% of the engine's torque to the rear wheels to, in turn, deliver full power to the ground.

2. DURING A MODERATE CORNER

SH-AWD delivers a remarkably neutral steering feel as the rear wheels help generate cornering power. Electronic sensors monitor the speed and tightness of the turn, and automatically varies torque to the outside cornering rear wheel, resulting in enhanced stability and driver control.

3. DURING ACCELERATION THROUGH A CORNER

Here, the advanced SH-AWD technology stands alone. Like no other system, the outside cornering wheel gets up to 100% of the rear wheel torque and is accelerated to rotate 5% faster than the inside cornering wheel, providing greater turning force and an incredibly stable corner line.

4. DURING STRAIGHT-LINE CRUISING

SH-AWD's sophisticated electronic controls automatically monitor road conditions and alternate torque from front to rear, as well as splitting rear wheel torque from left to right. The end result is a continuously smooth, stable ride in poor weather or road conditions.

Scenery has never changed so quickly
or magnificently



3.5-LITRE, 24-VALVE VTEC® V-6 ENGINE

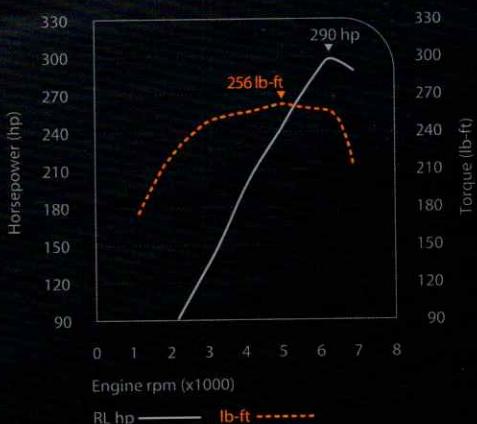
Everything you expect from a V-8 engine comes standard in the RL's VTEC V-6. At 290 horsepower, the 3.5-litre, 24-valve, VTEC V-6 engine is one of the most powerful ever found in a production Acura. Plus, with lightweight aluminum-alloy block and heads for improved efficiency and heat shedding, it's one of the most technically advanced too. The engine heads feature a unique 4-valve design for optimal engine fuel flow, offering you low-rpm torque for acceleration off the line and high-rpm power for passing on the highway. All the while, the precision direct ignition system and Multi-Point Programmed Fuel Injection (PGM-FI®) system offers you a commanding fuel efficiency.

VARIABLE VALVE TIMING AND LIFT ELECTRONIC CONTROL (VTEC)

Prior to race-inspired VTEC engineering, engine tuning was always a compromise between balancing low-end torque and high-end power. Today, utilizing two entirely different camshaft profiles, VTEC engines deliver amazingly responsive power across the complete rpm range. At low speeds, the engine provides lower valve lift and shorter cam profile opening, resulting in higher gas velocities and greater low-end rpm torque. As your demand for engine speed increases, VTEC switches to a cam profile with higher valve lift and longer opening duration, resulting in greater airflow and a big boost in high-end rpm horsepower.

HORSEPOWER AND TORQUE

Pure propulsion is yours, courtesy of the incredible 290 horsepower produced at 6200 rpm and the maximum 256 lb.-ft. of torque achieved at 5000 rpm. Plus, thanks to innovative VTEC engine refinement, the high-inertia intake manifold and other powerband-enhancing technologies, the broad, flat torque curve allows for a nearly instant rush of acceleration and excitement. And yet still with this abundant output of strength, the RL is a low emissions vehicle with a Tier 2 Bin 5 rating.







Freedom is yours
once again

In the Acura RL, voice-activated satellite-linked navigation offers a driving experience where advanced technology reigns – but you rule.

A black and white photograph of an Acura car's center console. The stereo is a multi-functional unit with various buttons and knobs. A steering wheel mounted control unit is attached to the right side of the stereo. The control unit has a large central button with a double arrow symbol, surrounded by smaller buttons for 'MAP/GUIDE', 'AUDIO', 'CANCEL', and 'SET UP'.

Technology in concert
with connectivity

VOICE-ACTIVATED SATELLITE-LINKED NAVIGATION

The Acura RL can pinpoint your location almost anywhere in North America or access its search directory to help you find directions to those hard-to-find places. Recognizing up to 600 verbal commands, the system is equipped with bilingual voice recognition software, and features real-time directions by voice or guiding map display. Simply ask the system to show you the most direct route to your destination, offer an alternate route or, with the Zagat Survey Ratings®, help you pick a restaurant.

ACURA / BOSE® PREMIUM SOUND SYSTEM

An incredibly rich audio performance unlike anything you've ever heard in a car awaits you in the RL. A truly cutting-edge 260-watt digital amplifier powers 10 acoustically positioned speakers. The in-dash, 6-disc CD/DVD-Audio DTS® changer can read various audio media formats and provide a true 5.1 surround sound experience. And with such amazingly high audio resolution, dynamic range and full frequency response, the system delivers premium sound with exceptional fidelity throughout the RL's interior cabin, making every seat the best seat in the house.

HANDSFREELINK™ AND BLUETOOTH® ENABLED TECHNOLOGY

Keep in touch without ever having to lift a finger. Program and link your Bluetooth enabled mobile phone to the HandsFreeLink telephone interface to make, receive and transfer calls without interruption or having to remove your hands from the steering wheel. Just say the word – and providing your programmed mobile phone is located inside the cabin – calling numbers will be displayed, your phone will respond to voice activation and you will hear the caller's voice over the RL's audio system. What's more, the system operates in English or French and is capable of seamlessly integrating up to six different compatible phones, turning your RL into a veritable hub of connectivity.



MAINTENANCE MINDER SYSTEM

Instead of following a traditional kilometre-and-calendar maintenance schedule, the RL instinctively calculates service needs based on your driving habits. This advanced system takes into account engine revolutions, stop-and-go traffic experience, weather extremes and the frequency of short trips to determine when your next service visit should be. The system helps coordinate oil servicing dates and other routine maintenance as well.

SMART ENTRY AND DRIVER RECOGNITION

As long as your RL key is within sensor range, simply touch the inside of the driver's side door handle to unlock the door. And following the same procedure on the passenger's side, touch the inside of the door handle and the system will unlock all the doors. Actually, you can open the trunk, start the engine, drive, shut the engine off and re-lock all the doors – all without ever touching a key. Plus, with the programmable driver's recognition system, mirrors, seats and climate controls can all be personalized at the push of a button.



Revel in 360 degrees of discriminating cabin design

ACTIVE NOISE CANCELLATION (ANC)

An already quiet ride is made even quieter with the Active Noise Cancellation (ANC) system that cancels engine noise by countering it with opposing sound frequencies emitted from the sound system. Two ceiling microphones monitor low-frequency noise and, when detected, the ANC system counteracts and cancels the disturbance with an equivalent waveform. Further silence also comes from noise-insulation components and materials found in the dash, floor, roof and engine areas.

ILLUMINATED STEERING WHEEL-MOUNTED CONTROLS

Behold innovation. Easy to read and reach steering wheel-mounted controls let you adjust the audio, telephone, and Multi-Information Display and engage the cruise control. All without ever having to remove your hands from the luxurious leather-wrapped steering wheel.

HEATED FRONT SEATS

An additional measure of sumptuous driver and passenger comfort comes from the standard heated front seats and available ventilated front seats. Featuring two heat settings, each seat offers a little extra cold-weather comfort. Plus, for warm-weather relief, the front leather seats feature the available benefit of in-seat ventilation.



ADJUSTABLE LEATHER SEATS

Even the longest distance between two points seems shorter when you're sitting comfortably in one of the two tightly bolstered, perforated leather-trimmed front seats of the Acura RL. Finding the ideal driving position is easy with the 8-way power adjustable driver's seat with power-adjustable lumbar support and programmable driver recognition memory. Now, wherever you're heading, your seat will feel exactly as it should – perfect. And for the front passenger, there's a 4-way power adjustable seat with power lumbar support as well.

* Black vehicle shown is an Acura RL with accessory A-Spec kit.

The Acura Safety Through Innovation philosophy is the idea that an enhanced driving experience starts with the most advanced safety features. The proof is in the comprehensive standard driver and passenger safety measures and exceptional technologies applied to all Acura vehicles.

SIDE CURTAIN AIRBAGS



UNIBODY SAFETY CELL

AIRBAGS

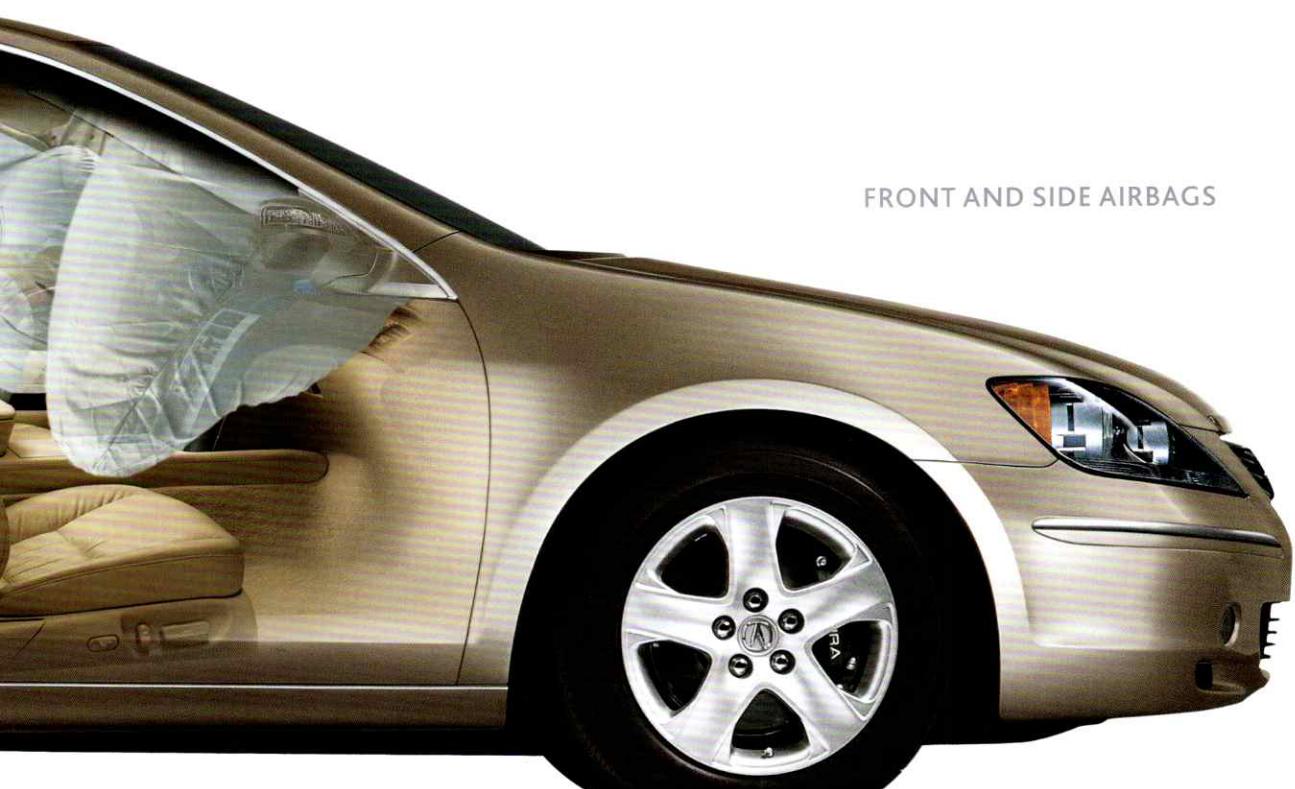
Maximum safety is achieved with six airbags designed to protect all occupants inside the cabin. Depending on the point and force of impact, the RL will deploy: dual-stage, dual-threshold front airbags that activate at one of two rates depending on the severity of the impact; front side airbags with the innovative passenger-side Occupant Position Detection System (OPDS) that will not release if the system detects a small-sized or improperly positioned passenger; and side curtain airbags with state-of-the-art rollover sensors.

ABS

The Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) helps maintain steering control when braking hard on wet, slippery, or loose surfaces, while Electronic Brake Distribution (EBD) balances braking forces at each wheel to help compensate for passengers and the weight distribution inside the cabin. Plus, there's a Brake Assist feature that senses a panic stop and applies maximum braking power to help you stop quickly.

TIRE PRESSURE MONITORING SYSTEM

Correct tire pressure is critical to safety, performance and fuel efficiency. Enter the RL's innovative Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) that continually monitors the air pressure in each tire. If pressure drops in any tire, a transponder attached to the wheel's valve stem transmits the information to a receiver and a warning appears on your instrument panel indicating which tire requires attention.



FRONT AND SIDE AIRBAGS

ENHANCED BODY STRUCTURE

The innovative Advanced Compatibility Engineering (ACE™) body structure adopts a high-tensile, high-efficiency unibody safety cell structure to provide enhanced protection from multi-directional collision. ACE reduces the concentrated force of a frontal impact by absorbing energy over a large area and dispersing it away from you and other occupants inside the interior cabin space. Additionally, ACE is also designed to help reduce occupant injuries caused by misalignment in collisions between vehicles of different sizes.

STABILITY AND TRACTION

The advanced Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) system with Traction Control will automatically detect and correct understeer or oversteer situations, sometimes before you're even aware there's a need. The system intuitively analyzes the conditions and then reduces throttle and/or applies braking to individual wheels. Should a loss of traction occur during acceleration on slippery surfaces, Traction Control will compensate to get you safely underway.

HIGH-INTENSITY DISCHARGE (HID) HEADLIGHTS

High-powered HID headlights produce an intensely brilliant beam of focused light to enhance your ability to identify what's ahead, and what to avoid.

REARVIEW CAMERA

The rearview camera shows a colour image on the navigation-system screen of the area directly behind the vehicle. Even if the navigation system is turned off, the camera is activated automatically when you engage reverse, giving you a clear picture of what is behind you.

SPECIFICATIONS

ENGINE

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| Engine | 3.5-litre, 24-valve SOHC VTEC® V-6 |
| Horsepower | 290 hp @ 6200 rpm |
| Torque | 256 lb.-ft. @ 5000 rpm |
| Displacement | 3471 cc |
| Redline | 6800 rpm |
| Bore and stroke | 89 x 93 mm |
| Compression ratio | 11.0:1 |

Multi-Point Programmed Fuel Injection system

Electronic direct ignition system

Premium unleaded fuel

Horsepower (SAE net Rev 8/04, SAE J1349), Torque (SAE net Rev 8/04, SAE J1349)

DRIVETRAIN

5-speed automatic transmission with Sequential SportShift®, paddle shifters and

Grade Logic Control system

Drive-by-Wire Throttle System™

Super Handling All-Wheel Drive™ (SH-AWD™)

CHASSIS

17" x 8" aluminum-alloy wheels

4-wheel independent double-wishbone suspension with multi-link rear suspension

Electronically controlled, speed-sensing, variable power-assist rack-and-pinion steering

Hydraulic gas-pressurized shock absorbers

Tires: P245/50 R17 98V high-performance all-season

Ventilated disc brakes front/rear: 320/310 mm

SAFETY

3-point height-adjustable seat belts with load limiters and Automatic Tensioning System (front)

3-point seat belts (rear)

4-wheel Anti-lock Braking System (ABS) with Electronic Brake Distribution (EBD) and Brake Assist

Advanced Compatibility Engineering™ (ACE™) body structure

Child-proof rear door locks

Dual-stage, dual-threshold front airbags (SRS)

Emergency trunk opener

Front side airbags with passenger-side Occupant Position Detection System (OPDS)

Impact-absorbing crumple zones (front/rear)

LATCH (Lower Anchors and Tethers for Children) child-seat mounting system

Side curtain airbags

Side-impact door beams

Immobilizer Theft-Deterrent System

Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) with location and pressure indicators

Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) with Traction Control

EXTERIOR

Auto-on/off headlights

Front body-coloured splash guards

Front fog lights

Headlight washers

Heated side mirrors with driver recognition, reverse gear tilt-down and integrated turn indicators

Heat-rejecting green-tinted glass

High-Intensity Discharge (HID) headlights

Integrated dual-outlet exhaust

Power moonroof with tilt, auto-open/close, auto-reverse, key-off operation and sliding shade

Rear window defroster with timer

SEATING & TRIM

Driver's 8-way power adjustment seat including power adjustable lumbar support with driver recognition

Front passenger's 4-way power seat with power adjustable lumbar support

Driver and passenger seatback pockets

Leather-wrapped steering wheel and shift knob

Perforated leather-trimmed seats

Power rear-seat headrest retractor

Simulated wood-grain interior trim

Heated front seats

CAPACITIES

EPA Cargo volume 371 litres

EPA Passenger volume 2803 litres

Fuel tank capacity 73 litres

FUEL ECONOMY

City 12.9 litres/100km[†]

Highway 8.4 litres/100km[†]

† Use mileage for comparison purposes only. Your mileage may vary.

ELITE PACKAGE

Active Front Lighting System (AFS)

Adaptive Cruise Control (ACC)

Collision Mitigation Braking System™ (CMBS™)

Genuine curly maple wood trim

Ventilated front seats, heating and cooling

COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE

- 12-volt power outlets (front and centre console)
- Active Noise Cancellation (ANC)
- Acura Navigation System with bilingual Voice Recognition, rearview camera and illuminated steering wheel-mounted controls
- Ambient cabin lighting (front and rear)
- Automatic day/night rearview mirror
- Exterior temperature indicator
- GPS-linked, solar-sensing, dual-zone, dual-mode automatic climate control system
- HandsFreeLink™ bilingual Bluetooth® wireless telephone interface
- HomeLink® remote system
- Illuminated driver's and front passenger's vanity mirrors
- Illuminated front centre console storage
- Illuminated ignition, power window switches, steering wheel controls and door lock switches
- Keyless access system with driver recognition for driver's seat, steering wheel, outside mirrors, climate control and select audio and navigation settings
- Maintenance Minder system
- Multi-Information Display (MID)
- Overhead map lights (front and rear)
- Power rear sunshade
- Power tilt and telescoping steering column with driver recognition
- Power windows with auto-down/up with auto-reverse and key-off operation
- Rear side sunshades (manual)
- Rear-seat centre armrest with locking trunk pass-through and dual beverage holders
- Remote trunk and fuel filler door release
- Speed-sensing, variable intermittent windshield wipers
- Steering wheel-mounted controls (cruise control, audio, telephone, voice recognition and Multi-Information Display)
- Sunglasses holder
- Trip computer

ENTERTAINMENT

- Acura/Bose® 10-speaker Surround Sound System with 6-disc CD, DVD-Audio changer, MP3/WMA capability, DTS® and AM/FM tuner
- Audio anti-theft feature
- Auxiliary input jack
- Integrated glass antenna

EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS

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|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Curb weight | 1829 kg |
| Height | 1452 mm |
| Length | 4917 mm |
| Track – front/rear | 1576/1585 mm |
| Weight distribution (% front/rear) | 58/42 |
| Wheelbase | 2800 mm |
| Width | 1847 mm |

INTERIOR DIMENSIONS

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|----------------------------|--------------|
| Headroom – front/rear | 977/946 mm |
| Hiproom – front/rear | 1400/1372 mm |
| Legroom – front/rear | 1076/923 mm |
| Seat capacity | 5 |
| Shoulder room – front/rear | 1487/1426 mm |

ACCESSORIES

- 18" Alloy wheels – silver
- All-weather floor mats (front and rear)
- Back-up sensors (body-coloured)
- Front, rear and side skirts
- Sport-tuned suspension
- Rear lip spoiler
- Engine block heater
- Door visor kit
- Full nose mask
- Trunk tray
- Rear splash guards (body-coloured)
- Moonroof visor
- Locking wheel nuts



Shown with accessory wheels and spoiler



The Acura Experience. At Acura, we believe owning a luxury vehicle goes well beyond the engineering and amenities. That's why we are equally committed to making your ownership experience a luxurious one. So, every new Acura comes with: 24-hour Roadside Assistance for the first four years of ownership, which includes our Dispatch Emergency Roadside Service, Emergency Lockout Service, Traffic Accident Services and more. Complimentary tank of gas at time of delivery. See your Acura retailer for details.



WARRANTY

Your new Acura vehicle comes with the following warranties: • Major Component – 5-year/100,000-km limited warranty • Vehicle – 4-year/80,000-km Distributor's limited warranty • Rust Perforation – 5-year unlimited-distance warranty • Surface Corrosion – 4-year/80,000-km • Accessories – 4-year/80,000-km limited warranty (when installed by an authorized Acura retailer at time of new vehicle delivery). Regular maintenance items and parts are subject to normal wear and replacement, and are not covered by warranty. Certain other items are excluded, and certain conditions apply. See your Acura retailer for complete details.

ACURA PLUS

As a new Acura owner, you can help to prolong your worry-free ownership experience by purchasing additional coverage. Just choose from our flexible selection of Mechanical Coverage that extends up to 7 years or 160,000 km, whichever comes first. You can also extend your Roadside Assistance. Ask your Acura retailer for full details.

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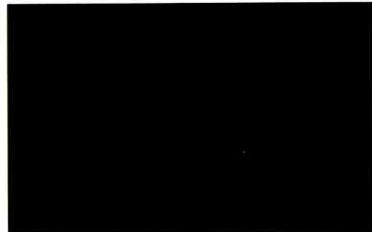
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COLOUR AND TRIM



Premium White Pearl



Nighthawk Black Pearl



Platinum Frost Metallic



Magnum Grey Metallic



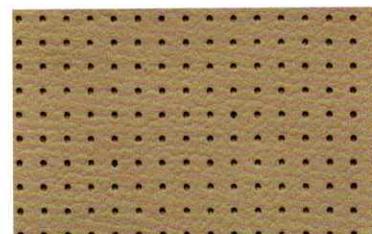
Opulent Blue Pearl



Desert Mist Metallic

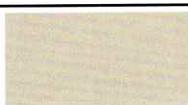


Black Leather



Parchment Leather

EXTERIOR



Premium White Pearl
NH-624P



Nighthawk Black Pearl
B-92P



Platinum Frost Metallic
NH-727M



Magnum Grey Metallic
NH-686M



Opulent Blue Pearl
B-532P



Desert Mist Metallic
YR-538M

INTERIOR



Parchment or Black
Leather



Parchment or Black
Leather



Black Leather



Black Leather



Parchment or Black
Leather



Parchment Leather

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