



**Expand Your Factory Radio**



Honda/Acura  
Owner's Manual  
iSimple Connect

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# 1. iPod, iPhone or iPad Operation

The iSimple Connect allows you to use either USB input or Bluetooth for iPod, iPhone or iPad operation (Bluetooth mode is only supported by iPod Touch, iPhone or iPad)

## Entering Mode Select Menu

Press the **XM** or **SAT** button to enter satellite radio mode. Immediately turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button to scroll through available sources. Once **"IPODUSB"** or **"IPODBT"** is displayed wait six seconds and the mode will auto select.

## Next Track

Turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** clockwise one notch or press the **TUNE UP** button to advance to the next track.

## Previous Track

Turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** counter-clockwise one notch or press the **TUNE DOWN** button to move back to the previous track.

## Fast Forward

Press **PRESET 4** to fast forward the song that is playing. Press **PRESET 4** again to resume play.

## Rewind

Press **PRESET 3** to rewind the song that is playing. Press **PRESET 3** again to resume play.

## Entering Browse Menu / Select

Press **PRESET 6** to enter the browse menu or to make a selection while in the browse menu.

## Menu UP

Press **PRESET 5** to move back one step in the browse menu.

## Exit Browse menu

After 10 seconds of inactivity, the browse menu will exit automatically.

## Repeat/Random

Press **PRESET 1** to toggle Repeat modes. Press **PRESET 2** to turn Repeat on/off

## Browse Function Example: Browsing by Artist

**Press PRESET 6 to enter the browse menu.**

"PL:LIST" will appear on your display.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP until "AR:ARTIST" is displayed.**

**Press PRESET 6 to select browse by Artist.**

The list of Artists on your device will be displayed one at a time in alphabetical order. "AR" will be displayed in front of the artist's name to indicate that you are searching for an artist.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP to cycle through the artists.**

When the desired artist is displayed on the radio,

**Press PRESET 6 to select the artist and display the albums by that artist.**

The Albums from the selected Artist will be displayed one at a time in alphabetical order. "AL" will be displayed in front of the name of the album to indicate you are searching for an album.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP to cycle through the albums.**

Once the desired album is displayed,

**Press PRESET 6 to select the desired Album.**

The first song in the album will be displayed. "TR" will be displayed in front of the song title to indicate that a "track" or song title is being displayed.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP to cycle through the songs in the selected album.**

Songs are listed in the order in which they appear in the album, not alphabetically.

Once the radio displays the name of the desired song

**Press PRESET 6 to select and play the desired song.**

The display will automatically update to display and scroll the title of the chosen song.

## 2. USB Operation

The iSimple Connect allows you to use USB mode with a USB thumb Drive or phone with mass storage. These devices **MUST** be formatted to FAT 32 in order for the Connect to recognize them. The connect will only support files in MP3 format. The maximum amount of files the Connect supports is 8000.

### Entering Mode Select Menu

Press the **XM** or **SAT** button to enter satellite radio mode. Immediately turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button to scroll through available sources. Once "**USB**" is displayed wait six seconds and the mode will auto select.

### Next Track

Turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** clockwise one notch or press the **TUNE UP** button to advance to the next track.

### Previous Track

Turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** counter-clockwise one notch or press the **TUNE DOWN** button to move back to the previous track.

### Fast Forward

Press **PRESET 4** to fast forward the song that is playing. Press **PRESET 4** again to resume play.

### **Rewind**

Press **PRESET 3** to rewind the song that is playing. Press **PRESET 4** again to resume play.

### **Entering Browse Menu / Select**

Press **PRESET 6** to enter the browse menu or to make a selection while in the browse menu.

### **Menu UP**

Press **PRESET 5** to move back one step in the browse menu.

### **Exit Browse menu**

After 10 seconds of inactivity, the browse menu will exit automatically.

### **Repeat/Random**

Press **PRESET 1** to toggle Repeat modes. Press **PRESET 2** to turn Repeat on/off

## Browse Function Example: Browsing by Folder

**Press PRESET 6 to enter the browse menu.**

"FOLDER" will appear on your display.

**Press PRESET 6 to select browse by Folder.**

The list of Folders on your device will be displayed one at a time in alphabetical order.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP to cycle through the Folders.**

When the desired Folder is displayed on the radio,

**Press PRESET 6 to select the Folder and display the Files in that folder.**

The Files from the selected Folder will be displayed one at a time in alphabetical order.

**Turn the rotary TUNE KNOB or press TUNE UP to cycle through the Files.**

Once the desired File is displayed,

**Press PRESET 6 to play the desired File.**

The display will automatically update to display and scroll the title of the chosen song.

## 3. Selecting AUX Input

### **Entering Mode Select Menu**

Press the **XM** or **SAT** button to enter satellite radio mode. Immediately turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button to scroll through available sources. Once "**AUX 1**" or "**AUX 2**" is displayed wait six seconds and the mode will auto select.

## 4. Selecting Factory Installed Sat

### **Entering Mode Select Menu**

Press the **XM** or **SAT** button to enter satellite radio mode. Immediately turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button to scroll through available sources. Once "**SAT**" is displayed wait six seconds and the mode will auto select.

### **Factory Sat Operation**

Refer to the owners' manual that came with your vehicle.

## 5. Bluetooth Operation

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** The radio **MUST** be in factory satellite or a Connect source (USB, iPod, AUX etc) in order for the Bluetooth handsfree to function. If you switch to AM, FM or CD mode the Bluetooth will automatically disconnect from your phone and you must use the handset.

### Pair Your Phone

To use your phone with the Connect you must first pair it. Enter your phone's Bluetooth menu and search for a new device. It should discover the device named "iSimple Connect". If prompted for a PIN code enter 0000, otherwise just select "Pair".

### Selecting Bluetooth Mode

Press the **XM** or **SAT** button to enter satellite radio mode. Immediately turn the rotary **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button to scroll through available sources. Once "**BT**" is displayed wait six seconds and the mode will auto select.

### Bluetooth Functions & Controls

- 1. Answer/End Call** - Allows you to make, receive & end phone calls directly from the factory radio. Press **PRESET 1** to answer/end a call.
- 2. Call Waiting** - Allows you to receive a call while on another call. Press **PRESET 1** while in a call to answer a third party call. You can then use **PRESET 1** to switch between the callers. Press and HOLD **PRESET 1** to end third party calls.
- 3. Privacy Mode** - Allows you to transfer the audio from the vehicle speakers to the handset. Press **PRESET 2** while in a call to switch to privacy mode.
- 4. Reject Call** - Allows you to reject any incoming call. Press **PRESET 2** to reject an incoming call.
- 5. Voicemail** - Activates the phone's voicemail feature. Press **PRESET 4** while in Bluetooth mode to activate voicemail.
- 6. Call History** - Allows you to scroll through a list of the most recent incoming calls to your phone. Turn the **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button while in Bluetooth mode to scroll through a list of your previous incoming calls.
- 7. Call Last #** - Allows you to call the last incoming number to your phone. Press **PRESET 1** while in Bluetooth mode to call the last incoming number to your phone.
- 8. In Call Volume Adjust** - Allows you to adjust the volume output of the interface while in a call. Turn the **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button while in a call to adjust the volume.

9. **Menu** - Allows you to adjust settings such as phone volume, streaming audio volume (A2DP), microphone volume, search for other Bluetooth devices, pair/ remove devices & reset the interface. See below for menu functions and operation.

### IMPORTANT NOTE

In order to access the Voicemail, Call History, Call Last Number & Menu functions, the factory radio **MUST** be in Bluetooth mode.

## Menu Functions

### Accessing the Bluetooth Menu

While in Bluetooth mode press **PRESET 6** to enter the menu. Once in the menu you can use the **TUNE KNOB** or the **TUNE** buttons to scroll through the options. Press **PRESET 6** while in the menu to select the displayed option. Pressing **PRESET 5** will take you one step back in the menu.

1. **Settings** - Allows you to perform a search for other Bluetooth enabled devices, adjust the phone volume and adjust the microphone volume.
2. **Device** - Allows you to see if a device is paired and the name of the paired device. Allows you to connect and disconnect with paired devices as well as permanently delete paired devices.

### Menu Function Example: Adjusting the Microphone

- >Press **PRESET 6** while in Bluetooth mode to enter the menu.
- >Radio displays "**Settings**".
- >Press **PRESET 6** to select Settings.
- >Radio displays "**BT Search**".
- >Turn the **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE UP** button until "**Mic Volume**" is displayed.
- >Press **PRESET 6** repeatedly to adjust the microphone volume. Once the volume has reached its max limit it will roll back to one and begin to go up again.

## A2DP Streaming Audio

A2DP Streaming Audio allows you to stream audio wirelessly from your device. To stream audio to your radio you must be in Bluetooth mode.

1. **Play/Pause** - Allows you to play/pause A2DP audio with the touch of a button. Press **PRESET 2** to play/pause whatever music source is selected.
2. **Track Forward/Back** - Allows you to change tracks while streaming audio. Turn the **TUNE KNOB** or press the **TUNE** buttons to change tracks.

## 6. Updating the Interface

Please visit [www.iSimplesolutions.com/Connect](http://www.iSimplesolutions.com/Connect) for all updating instructions and up to date firmware files.

## 7. Troubleshooting

Symptom	Cause	Remedy
Radio shows "DEV INIT"	Connect device is initializing	This only occurs the first time the Connect is powered on or after it has been reset. It may take up to one minute for the device to initialize. Once this process is over you can begin Connect operation.
Radio shows iPod not connected	iPod cable is not connected to iPod or Connect; the iPhone is not paired via Bluetooth	Verify the USB docking cable is plugged into the Connect and the iPod. If you are using Bluetooth mode make sure that the device is paired with the Connect.
I don't see iPod, iPhone, or iPad artist or song information on the screen	You are in Bluetooth mode.	Switch to IPODBT mode using the mode select menu.
USB Device is not recognized	Device must be formatted to FAT32	Use a PC to format device to FAT32
Phone is not recognized as a USB device	Phone is not set to disk drive mode or does not support the mass storage protocol.	Disconnect and reconnect the phone. Immediately set the phone to disk drive mode when prompted. If the phone does not give you a disk drive mode option, this means that it does not support the mass storage protocol. These devices can only be used through the Bluetooth or auxiliary modes.
My tablet will not stay connected via Bluetooth.	The tablet does not support the hands free profile (HFP) hands free profile	The connect requires that the paired device support the hands free profile (HFP). If your tablet does not support this type of connection it can only be used through USB or auxiliary mode.

## 8. Warranty

### One Year Limited Warranty

The quality controls used in the manufacture of this product will ensure your satisfaction. This warranty applies only to the original purchaser of this product from an authorized iSimple® dealer. This warranty covers any supplied or manufactured parts of this product that, upon inspection by iSimple® authorized personnel, is found to have failed in normal use due to defects in material or workmanship. This warranty does not apply to installation expenses. Attempting to service or modify this unit, operating this unit under conditions other than the recommended voltage will render this **WARRANTY VOID**.

Unless otherwise prescribed by law, iSimple® shall not be liable for any personal injury, property damage and or any incidental or consequential damages of any kind (including water damage) resulting from malfunctions, defects, misuse, improper installation or alteration of this product. All parts of this iSimple® product are guaranteed for a period of 1 year as follows:

Within the first 12 months from date of purchase, subject to the conditions above, iSimple® will repair or replace the product at their discretion, if it is defective in material or workmanship providing it is returned to an Authorized iSimple® dealer, with **PROOF OF PURCHASE** from an authorized iSimple® dealer.

### Warning:

This equipment may be reset by unintentional electrostatic discharge during operation. Exposure to direct sunlight or extreme heat may cause damage or malfunction.

## FCC Class B Radio Frequency

### Interference Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

1. Re-orientate or relocate the receiving antenna.
2. Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
3. Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that of which the receiver is connected.
4. Consult the dealer or an experienced radio / television technical for help.

Notice : The changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user authority to operate the equipment.



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