

Follow the Normal Conditions Maintenance Schedule if the severe driving conditions specified in the Severe Conditions Maintenance Schedule on pages 4-6 and 4-7 do not apply.

| Service at the indicated distance or time – whichever comes first. | km x 1,000 | 24 | 48 | 72 | 96 | 120 | 144 | 168 | NOTE | SECTION and PAGE |
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| | miles x 1,000 | 15 | 30 | 45 | 60 | 75 | 90 | 105 | | |
| | months | 12 | 24 | 36 | 48 | 60 | 72 | 84 | | |
| Replace engine oil and oil filter | Replace every 7,500 miles (12,000 km) or 6 months | | | | | | | | Capacity for change with filter: 5.0 ℓ (5.3 US qt, 4.4 Imp qt) | 8-4, 8-5 ('91-'92), ('92), or ('94-'96) |
| Check engine oil and coolant | Check oil and coolant at each fuel stop | | | | | | | | Check levels and check for leaks. | 8-4, 10-5 ('91-'92), ('92), or ('94-'96) |
| Replace air cleaner element | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | | 11-149 |
| Inspect valve clearance | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | Intake 0.15–0.19 mm (0.006–0.007 in)* ¹ Exhaust 0.17–0.21 mm (0.007–0.008 in)* ¹ | 6-9 ('91-'93), or ('94-'96) |
| Replace spark plugs | Replace every 60,000 miles (96,000 km) or 72 months | | | | | | | | NGK: PFR6G-11 NIPPONDENSO: PK20PR-L11 Gap: 1.0–1.1 mm (0.039–0.043 in) Service limit 1.3 (0.051)* ² | 23-96 ('91) or ('92-'96) |
| Replace timing belt* and inspect water pump | | | | | | | ● | | | 6-15, 10-11 |
| Inspect and adjust drive belts | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | Check for cracks and damage. Check deflection and tension at center of alternator belt pressing with 100 N (10 kg, 22 lbs) tension: Alternator drive belt: 12–14 mm (0.47–0.55 in) | 23-109 |
| Replace fuel filter* | | | | | ● | | | | | 11-138('91-'92), ('93), or ('94-'96) |
| Inspect idle speed* | | | | | ● | | | | Manual transmission: 800 ± 50 rpm (neutral) Automatic transmission: 780 ± 50 rpm (in [N] or [P] position) | 11-128 |
| Inspect PCV valve | | | | | ● | | | | If clicking sound is heard as you pinch the hose between the PCV valve and intake manifold, valve is OK. | 11-166 |
| Replace engine coolant | | | ● | | | ● | | ● | Capacity for change: 12.0 ℓ (12.7 US qt, 10.6 Imp qt) Check specific gravity for freezing point. | 10-6 |
| Replace transmission fluid | | | ● | | ● | | ● | | Manual transmission: 2.7 ℓ (2.9 US qt, 2.4 Imp qt) for change Automatic transmission: 2.9 ℓ (3.1 US qt, 2.6 Imp qt) for change with HONDA Premium Formula ATF or DEXRON II ATF | 13-3 14-105 ('91-'92), ('93), or ('94-'96) |
| Inspect front and rear brakes | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | • Check the brake pad and disc thickness. Check for damage and cracks. • Check the calipers for damage, leaks and tightness. | 19-6, 19-9 19-17, 19-19 |
| Replace brake fluid (Including ABS) | | ● | | | ● | | ● | | Use only DOT 3 or DOT 4 fluid. Check that brake fluid level is between the upper and lower marks on the reservoir. | 19-10 |
| Replace ABS high-pressure hose | | | | | ● | | | | Bleed high-pressure fluid | 19-69 ('91-'92), or ('93-'96) |
| Check parking brake adjustment | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | Fully engaged 10 to 14 notches | 19-4 |
| Check tire inflation and condition | At least once per month | | | | | | | | | |

*1: Measured between the rocker arm and camshaft.

*2: Do not adjust the gap, replace the spark plug if it is out of spec.

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| Visually inspect the following items: | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check for correct installation and position, check for cracks, deterioration, rust, and leaks. • Check tightness of screws, nuts, and joints. If necessary, retighten. | — |
| Brake hoses and lines | | | | | | | | | | 19-26 |
| All fluid levels | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check levels and check for leaks. If necessary, add transmission fluid, engine coolant, brake fluid, clutch fluid, windshield washer fluid. | 10-6, 12-5 13-3, 14-105 (’91-’93), or (’94-’96), 19-69/’91-’92 or (’93-’96) |
| Tie-rod ends, steering gearbox, and boots | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | • | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check rack grease and steering linkage. • Check the boot for damage and leaking grease. • Check the fluid line for damage and leaks. | 17-59 |
| Suspension components | | | | | | | | | | — |
| Driveshaft boots | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check boots and boot band for cracks. Check rack grease. | 16-3 |
| Cooling system hoses and connections | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check all hoses for damage, leaks and deterioration. Check all hose clamps. Retighten if necessary. | 10-2 |
| Exhaust system* | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the catalytic converter heat shield, exhaust pipe and muffler for damage, leaks and tightness. | 9-5 |
| Fuel pipes, hoses, and connections* | | | | | | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check fuel lines for loose connections, cracks and deterioration. • Retighten loose connections and replace any damaged parts. | 11-130 (’91-’92), (’93), or (’94-’96) |
| Inspect supplemental restraint system | 10 years after production | | | | | | | | | — |

According to state and federal regulations, failure to perform maintenance on the items marked with an asterisk (*) will not void customer's emission warranties. However, Acura recommends that all maintenance services be performed at the recommended time or mileage period to ensure long-term reliability.

For Canadian models:

This Maintenance Schedule outlines the minimum required maintenance that you should perform to ensure the trouble-free operation of Canadian model. Due to regional and climatic differences, some additional servicing may be required.

