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RDX



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Introducing the thinking behind
the feeling of exhilaration.

The Acura RDX. From the advanced horsepower of its turbocharged i-VTEC® engine to an interior brimming with driver amenities – performance and luxury have never flowed together so freely. Far from just another Crossover Utility Vehicle, the RDX is a place where many innovative Acura firsts come to life in one exhilarating ride.

PADDLE SHIFTERS

Experience the thrill of race-inspired control at the touch of your finger. Mounted just behind the sporty steering wheel, you'll find intuitively placed paddle-shifting transmission controls designed to add that extra boost of exhilaration to an already exciting 5-speed automatic.



Performance with a touch of attitude.

DUAL EXHAUST

At a glance, the large chrome-finished dual-outlet exhaust suggests that there's some serious engineering lurking inside the RDX. Hearing the throaty sound of the engine confirms it: this is not your average CUV – this is advanced performance with attitude.

PERFORMANCE 18-INCH WHEELS

Beyond reinforcing the RDX's street style design and impressive performance look, 18-inch aluminum-alloy wheels help you own parts of the road you never knew existed.

SUSPENSION

The RDX's fully independent front and rear suspension provide you with the exceptional handling and rigid feel you would expect from a high-performance sports sedan. The front strut suspension enhances your handling and ride comfort. And with the added stability of the rear trailing arm type double-wishbone suspension, you can now carve every corner precisely the way you want – absolutely perfectly.



2.3-LITRE, DOHC, i-VTEC TURBO

All-aluminum, all-powerful and the first of its kind in an Acura production vehicle, the 2.3-litre, DOHC, i-VTEC 4-cylinder turbocharged engine spoils you with V-6 power in a more fuel-efficient 4-cylinder engine. From the smooth, responsive power delivery of its Drive-by-Wire Throttle System™ to the stability and agility created by the positioning of the lightweight engine, the RDX proves that horsepower, fuel efficiency and driving performance can all be found under a single hood.

HORSEPOWER AND TORQUE

Generating 240 horsepower and 260 lb.-ft. of torque, the 2.3-litre i-VTEC engine enables you to tame even the toughest traffic or unruly road with amazingly high torque at low speeds and thrilling acceleration at a wide range of higher speeds. Overall, driving an RDX anywhere is a phenomenally sporty experience, punctuated with a quicker response than anything in its class and wider grins you've ever had on your face before.

VARIABLE FLOW TURBO (VFT)

Exclusive to the RDX, and a first in Acura's history, the i-VTEC Turbo engine utilizes revolutionary Variable Flow Turbo (VFT) technology to eliminate turbo lag and deliver plenty of torque at low engine speeds. Through forced induction and a constant variable exhaust valve, VFT keeps the exhaust velocity high, enabling instantaneous acceleration right off the mark while still maintaining excellent fuel efficiency. Additionally, turbo reliability is achieved by circulating cool water throughout the engine, so critical areas are kept cool even when the engine is stopped.

INTERCOOLER

Another innovative achievement is the engine's intercooler system, specifically developed to enhance the performance and combustion efficiency of the 2.3-litre i-VTEC turbocharged engine. Since compressing intake air heats the engine, outside air is drawn through the intercooler to increase engine air density and enhance the efficiency of the combustion process.

Behold oomph in its most advanced form.

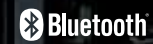
TECHNOLOGY

VOICE-ACTIVATED TECHNOLOGY*

Inside the RDX you'll find some very sophisticated communications equipment. Its voice-activated technology recognizes up to 800 verbal commands in English or French. Its dual-zone climate controls, along with the audio system's track selection and volume controls, are voice activated. All in all, there's not much inside the RDX that isn't awaiting instructions.

HANDSFREELINK™ CONNECTIVITY

In an RDX, connectivity comes easily. Program and link your Bluetooth®-enabled wireless device to the HandsFreeLink interface to seamlessly make, receive and transfer calls from your mobile phone. Provided your phone is 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 vehicle's audio system. The system operates in English or French and is capable of integrating up to six different compatible wireless devices.



SATELLITE-LINKED NAVIGATION*

To help you find those hard-to-find places, the RDX's available satellite-linked navigation system can pinpoint your location almost anywhere in North America or access its onboard search directory. The system is equipped with bilingual voice recognition software and offers real-time directions by either voice or moving-map display. Just ask and the system can show you the most direct route to your destination or, with the Zagat® Survey ratings, help you find a restaurant based on the type of cuisine you're craving.

ACURA/ELS SURROUND® PREMIUM AUDIO SYSTEM*

Take 410 watts and 10 strategically positioned speakers, and you've got the makings of the phenomenal 5.1 digital surround sound experience of the Acura/ELS Surround Premium Audio System with DVD-Audio and Dolby® Pro Logic™ II. Plus, for an incredible boost of rich tone and frequency, throw in an 8-inch super-low distortion subwoofer and 1.5-inch soft dome tweeter in for good sound measure. And as far as content is concerned, with the RDX's XM® Satellite Radio* tuner, you can subscribe to some of the best music the world has to offer.



Your wish is your command.

RDX Technology Package shown.
Available with the RDX Technology Package.
Includes a no-charge trial for 3 months, beyond which service fees apply. Available in 10 Canadian provinces and 48 contiguous U.S. states. See terms and conditions at www.xmradio.ca.

LUXURY

URBAN VERSATILITY

Sometimes the greatest luxury is knowing you have space. In an RDX, there's more than enough room for you and your hectic schedule. Easily configurable second-row 60/40 split fold-down seats make it perfect for handling things like a couple of golf bags or a dozen grocery bags. The rear hatch can be easily operated with a single hand for simple stow-and-storage access to its spacious double deck cargo area.

SPORTY SEATS

Add a form-fitting degree of comfort and luxury to every kilometre with tightly bolstered seating accented with a sophisticated perforated-leather trim. What's more, drivers benefit from an 8-way power-adjustable heated seat with lumbar support and 2-position memory. What's even more is that front passengers now get their own 4-way power-adjustable heated seat to play with.

SECURE STORAGE

The RDX centre console offers you a very smart place to keep all sorts of things out of sight and safely locked away. The multiple level console features a versatile 12.4-litre mode for laptops and handbags. The dual-mode option is perfect for smaller valuables such as cameras, digital music players and wireless devices. Then there's a full cavernous mode for briefcases. And if that's still not enough secure storage, there's a lockable glove compartment too.

The look, feel and function of luxury.

RDX Technology Package shown.

SH-AWD

SUPER HANDLING ALL-WHEEL DRIVE™ (SH-AWD®)

Fine-tuned for the RDX, this exceptionally advanced all-wheel drive technology helps you gain traction in less-than-perfect conditions and gives you 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 45% 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 vary 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. The outside cornering wheel gets up to 100% of the rear-wheel torque and is accelerated to rotate 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.

Confidence has been built.

SAFETY

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 RDX will deploy dual-stage, dual-threshold front airbags (SRS) 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 child or small-sized passenger; and side curtain airbags with a state-of-the-art rollover sensor.

ACTIVE HEAD RESTRAINTS

The active front seat head restraints in the RDX are designed to restrain head motion in the event of a rear impact and minimize neck injury.

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 cargo and passenger 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.

At Acura, Safety Through Innovation is based on the idea that an advanced driving experience starts with advanced safety features. This guiding principle is reinforced through the extensive number of standard safety features and use of innovative technologies you'll find in all Acura vehicles.



INSURANCE INSTITUTE
FOR HIGHWAY SAFETY

HID HEADLIGHTS

Light up more than just the road with incredibly high-powered High-Intensity Discharge Headlights. Producing an intensely brilliant beam of focused light, HID headlights enhance your ability to identify what's ahead and what to avoid.

VEHICLE STABILITY ASSIST (VSA®)

The VSA system with Traction Control automatically detects and corrects understeer or oversteer situations, sometimes before you're aware there's a problem. The system intuitively analyzes the conditions and reduces throttle and/or applies braking to individual wheels. Should a loss of traction occur on a slippery surface, Traction Control will help compensate to get you underway safely.

ACE™ BODY STRUCTURE

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

REARVIEW CAMERA

The RDX Technology Package features a rearview camera that shows a colour image of the area directly behind your vehicle on your navigation-system screen. Even if the navigation system is turned off, the camera is activated automatically when you engage reverse. But for those who are less technically inclined, you'll find the standard backup camera with display in rearview mirror equally helpful.

TIRE PRESSURE

The RDX's Tire Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) continually monitors the air pressure in your tires. If pressure drops in any one, a warning appears on your instrument panel, indicating which tire requires attention.

A first for Acura.
A first for anyone.
Acura was the industry's first automotive manufacturer to have its entire 2009 model line-up receive a Top Safety Pick rating from the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS).

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SPECIFICATIONS

ENGINE

Engine	2.3-litre, 16-valve, DOHC, i-VTEC® Turbo 4-cylinder
Horsepower	240 hp @ 6000 rpm
Torque	260 lb.-ft. @ 4500 rpm
Displacement	2300 cc
Redline	6800 rpm
Bore and stroke	86 x 99 mm
Emissions	Tier 2 Bin 5

Multi-Point Programmed Fuel Injection system (PGM-FI®)

Ni-P cylinder liners

Variable Flow Turbo

Intercooler

Recommended fuel Premium unleaded

Horsepower & Torque (SAE net Rev. 08/04, SAE J1349)

DRIVETRAIN

5-speed automatic transmission with Sequential SportShift® paddle shifters and Grade Logic Control

Automatic-transmission cooler

Drive-by-Wire Throttle System™

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

SAFETY

3-point seat belts with front pretensioners

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

Active front seat head restraints

Advanced Compatibility Engineering™ (ACE™) body structure

Brake Assist

Childproof rear door locks

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

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

Immobilizer Theft-Deterrent System

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

Side curtain airbags

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

Vehicle Stability Assist (VSA®) with Traction Control

TECHNOLOGY PACKAGE Adds to the RDX

Acura Navigation System with bilingual Voice Recognition™, off-road tracking, rearview camera and steering wheel-mounted controls

Acura/ELS Surround® 410-watt Premium Audio System with AM/FM/XM®* tuner, MP3/Windows Media® Audio capability, 6-disc in-dash CD changer, DVD-Audio, Dolby® Pro Logic™ II and 10 speakers

CHASSIS

18" aluminum-alloy wheels

2-piston front brake calipers

Drum-in-disc type parking brake

Front and rear stabilizer bars

MacPherson strut front suspension

Power-assisted rack-and-pinion steering

Power-assisted, ventilated front disc/solid rear disc brakes

Rear trailing arm type double-wishbone suspension

Tires: P235/55 R18 all-season

CAPACITIES

Cargo volume 788 litres

Fuel tank capacity 68 litres

Passenger volume 2871 litres

Windshield washer fluid tank 4.5 litres

SEATING & TRIM

60/40 split fold-down rear seatback

Driver's seat with 8-way power adjustment including lumbar support and 2-position memory

Floor mats

Fold-down rear-seat centre armrest

Front passenger's seat with 4-way power adjustment

Heated front seats

Perforated leather-trimmed seats

Reclining front seatbacks

EXTERIOR

Body-coloured bumpers

Body-coloured heated folding power door mirrors with integrated turn indicators

Chip-resistant lower body panels

Chrome door handles

Fog lights

Front and rear splash guards

High-Intensity Discharge (HID) headlights

Intermittent rear window wiper/washer

Lift-up tailgate

Power moonroof with tilt feature

Rear window defroster

Tinted glass

COMFORT & CONVENIENCE

12-volt power outlets (2)

Ambient cabin lighting

Automatic day/night rearview mirror

Automatic headlights

Auto-off headlights

Backup camera with display in rearview mirror

Compass

Courtesy lights

Digital fuel-mileage indicator

Digital odometer

Digital trip meter

Driver's and front passenger's illuminated vanity mirrors

Dual-zone automatic climate control system with air filtration

Exterior temperature indicator

Flip-open door pockets

Foot-operated parking brake

Front beverage holders

Glove-compartment light

HandsFreeLink™-bilingual Bluetooth® wireless mobile phone interface with steering wheel-mounted controls

Hard cargo cover lid

HomeLink® remote system

Illuminated cargo compartment

Lockable briefcase storage in centre armrest console

Maintenance Minder system

Map lights

Multi-Information Display (MID)

Power windows with auto-up/down driver's window

Rear door pockets

Rear-seat centre armrest with integrated beverage holders

Rear-seat heater ducts

Remote entry system

Remote fuel filler door release

Seat-belt warning chime

Steering wheel-mounted audio and cruise controls

Tilt and telescoping steering column

Variable intermittent windshield wipers

Windshield washer level sensor

ENTERTAINMENT

360-watt audio system with AM/FM/XM®* tuner, MP3/Windows Media® Audio capability, 6-disc in-dash CD changer and 7 speakers

Audio anti-theft feature

Bluetooth® Audio

MP3/auxiliary input jack

USB device connector

EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS

Curb weight 1788 kg

Curb weight (Technology Package) 1793 kg

Ground clearance 158.7 mm

Height 1655 mm

Length 4635 mm

Steering turns lock-to-lock 2.76

Track – front/rear 1572/1590 mm

Wheelbase 2650 mm

Width 1870 mm

INTERIOR DIMENSIONS

Headroom – front/rear 982/972 mm

Hip room – front/rear 1383/1347 mm

Legroom – front/rear 1062/957 mm

Shoulder room 1479/1430 mm

FUEL ECONOMY

City 11.7 litres/100 km†

Highway 8.7 litres/100 km†

ACCESSORIES

19" alloy wheel – super-bright chrome Leather shift knob
Locking wheel nuts

19" alloy wheel – sparkle silver Moonroof visor

All-weather floor mats – black or grayge Rear backup sensors

Ashtray Remote engine starter

Bike attachment – roof Roof basket

Body side mouldings Roof rack

Cargo liner Ski attachment

Cargo net Snowboard attachment

Cargo organizer Sport running boards

Cargo tray Steering-wheel trim – wood

Cooler bag Trailer hitch

Door edge film Trailer hitch ball – 1 7/8" or 2"

Engine block heater Trailer hitch harness

Full nose mask Trunk edge and bumper protector

Interior wood trim

*Includes a no-charge trial of 3 months, beyond which service fees apply. Available in 10 Canadian provinces and 48 contiguous U.S. states. See terms and conditions at www.xmradio.ca.

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ACCESSORIES

Advance your Acura,
your way.



Make your Acura yours. Choose from an advanced array of Acura genuine accessories to get the style you want and the practical luxuries you'll wonder how you ever lived without.

RDX PROTECTION PACKAGE

All-weather floor mats – black or gray
Cargo tray

RDX TOWING PACKAGE

Trailer hitch
Trailer hitch harness
Trailer hitch ball – 1 7/8" or 2"

RDX INTERIOR APPEARANCE PACKAGE

Leather shift knob
Interior wood trim
Steering-wheel garnish – wood

REMOTE ENGINE STARTER KIT

1. BODY SIDE MOULDINGS
2. STEERING-WHEEL TRIM – WOOD
3. REMOTE ENGINE STARTER
4. SPORT RUNNING BOARDS
5. ROOF RACK
6. 19" ALLOY WHEEL – SPARKLE SILVER
7. LOCKING WHEEL NUTS
8. MOONROOF VISOR



- ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE:**
- 19" alloy wheel – super-bright chrome
 - 19" alloy wheel – sparkle silver
 - All-weather floor mats – black or gray
 - Ashtray
 - Bike attachment – roof
 - Body side mouldings
 - Cargo liner
 - Cargo net
 - Cargo organizer
 - Cargo tray
 - Cooler bag
 - Door edge film
 - Engine block heater
 - Full nose mask
 - Interior wood trim
 - Leather shift knob
 - Locking wheel nuts
 - Moonroof visor
 - Rear backup sensors
 - Remote engine starter
 - Roof basket
 - Roof box – short
 - Roof rack
 - Ski attachment
 - Snowboard attachment
 - Sport running boards
 - Steering-wheel trim – wood
 - Trailer hitch
 - Trailer hitch ball – 1 7/8" or 2"
 - Trailer hitch harness
 - Trunk edge and bumper protector

- 9. REAR BACKUP SENSORS
- 10. CARGO LINER
- 11. ALL-WEATHER FLOOR MATS
- 12. FULL NOSE MASK
- 13. TRAILER HITCH
- 14. CARGO NET
- 15. CARGO TRAY



This year marks Acura's continued involvement with some of the world's most premier events and organizations. From our supporting sponsorship of the Masters Golf Tournament to our participation in the American Le Mans Series, Acura is proud of the role we play, drive and advance in North America.



Driving a luxury vehicle should go beyond engineering and amenities. That's why Acura is committed to ensuring your ownership experience is equally luxurious. New Acura owners benefit from four-year 24-hour Roadside Assistance, which includes Dispatch Emergency Roadside Service, Emergency Lockout Service and Traffic Accident Services. See your Acura Retailer for details.

WARRANTY

Your new Acura vehicle comes with the following warranties: Major Component (Powertrain) – 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 details.

ACURA PLUS

Extend your worry-free ownership experience by purchasing additional coverage. Choose from Acura's flexible selection of Mechanical Coverage that extends up to 8 years or 200,000 km, whichever comes first. See your Acura Retailer for details.

LEASING AND FINANCING

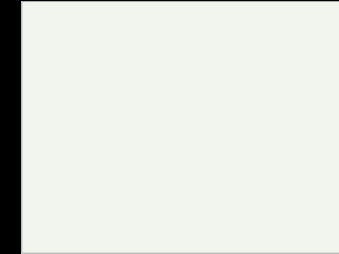
Owning your Acura is easy. See your Acura Retailer for complete details on: Acura Leadership Leasing,* Acura Future Value Financing* and Conventional Financing.*

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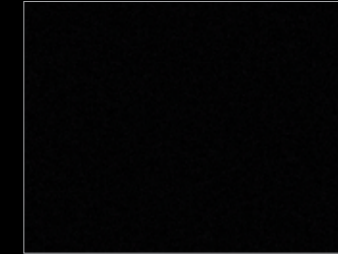
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COLOUR & TRIM

EXTERIOR AND INTERIOR RDX RDX and Technology Packages



White Diamond Pearl | NH-603P



Crystal Black Pearl | NH-731P



Polished Metal Metallic | NH-737M



Palladium Metallic | NH-743M



Ebony or Taupe Leather



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Ebony or Taupe Leather



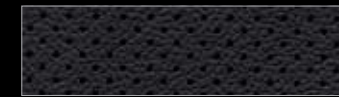
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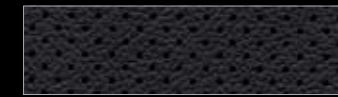
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Basque Red Pearl | R-530P



Ebony Leather



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