



## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR PART 99-7806B

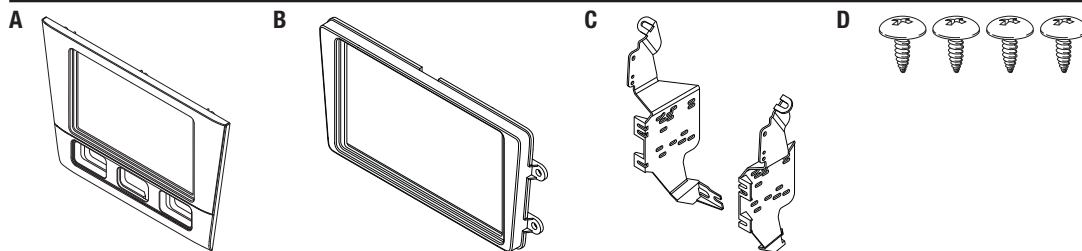
### Acura RL 1996-2003 *(without factory navigation)* **99-7806B**

#### KIT FEATURES

- ISO DIN radio provision with pocket
- ISO DDIN radio provision
- **Painted matte black**

#### KIT COMPONENTS

- A) Radio housing 1996-1998 • B) Radio housing 1999-2003 • C) Brackets • D) (4) (8) #8 x 3/8" Truss head Phillips screws



#### WIRING & ANTENNA CONNECTIONS *(sold separately)*

Wiring Harness: • 70-1761- Acura/Honda 1986-2003

Antenna Adapter: • Not required



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#### TOOLS REQUIRED

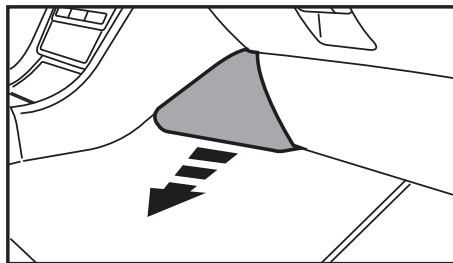
- Panel removal tool • Phillips screwdriver
- Socket wrench

**CAUTION!** All accessories, switches, climate controls panels, and especially air bag indicator lights must be connected before cycling the ignition. Also, do not remove the factory radio with the key in the on position, or while the vehicle is running.

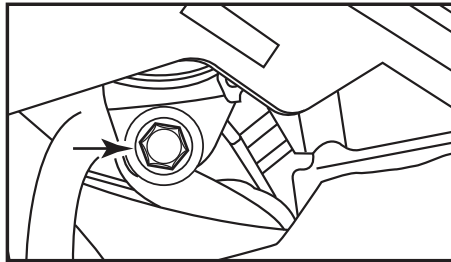
## Dash Disassembly

### Acura RL 1996-1998 without factory NAV

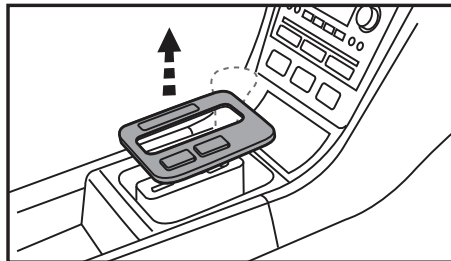
1. Remove the carpet panels to the left and right of the console and remove one screw per side. (Figures A and B)
2. Remove the select lever cover by pulling gently on both ends. The cover is mounted on (4) clips. (Figure C)
3. Remove the shifter trim panel along with the "not a lighter" pocket attached. (Figure D)



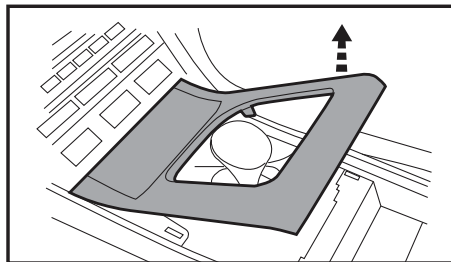
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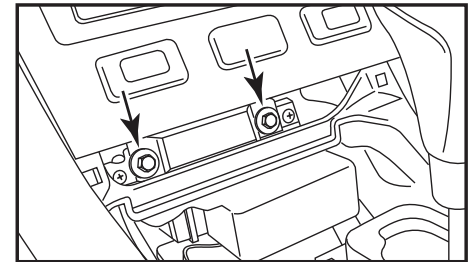
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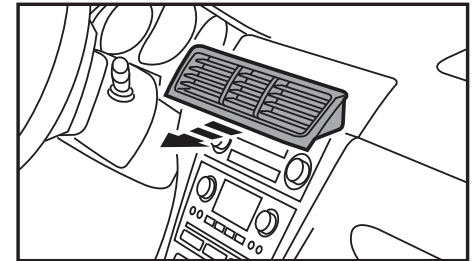
(Figure D)

4. Remove (2) screws at the bottom of the radio/climate panel. (Figure E)
5. Remove the air vents from the top of the radio panel. (Figure F)
6. Remove (2) screws at the top that hold A/C and radio panel in place. (Figure G)
7. Remove the radio/climate panel. (Figure G)
8. Remove the three buttons from the factory radio panel and snap them into the Metra radio housing.

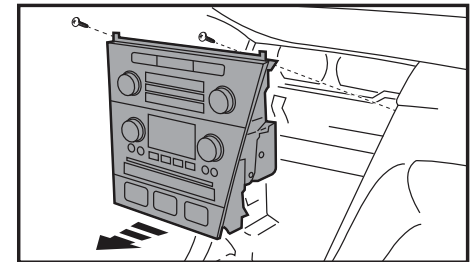
*Continue to kit assembly*



(Figure E)



(Figure F)

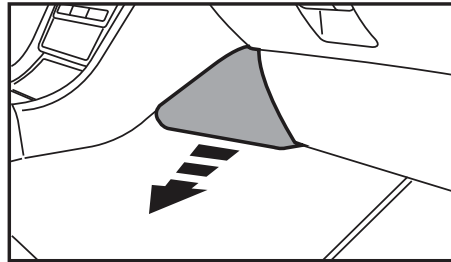


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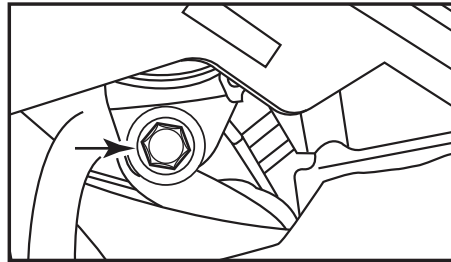
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### Acura RL 1999-2003 without factory NAV

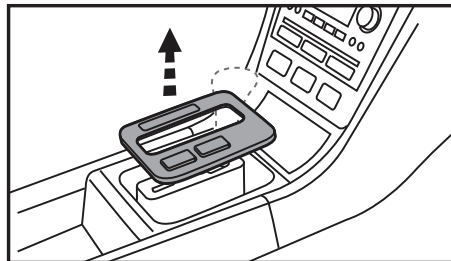
1. Remove the carpet panels to the left and right of the console and remove one screw per side. (Figure A, B)
2. Remove the select lever cover by pulling gently on both ends. The cover is mounted on (4) clips. (Figure C)
3. Remove the shifter trim panel along with the "not a lighter" pocket attached. (Figure D)



(Figure A)



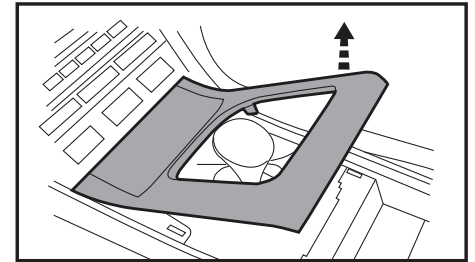
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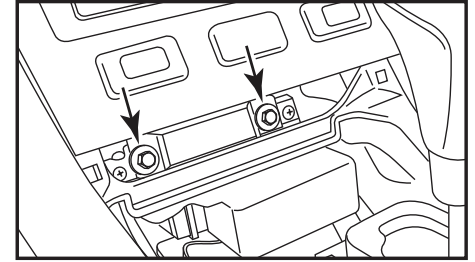
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4. Remove (2) screws at the bottom of the radio/climate panel. (Figure E)
5. Remove factory radio from the factory radio panel. (Figure F)

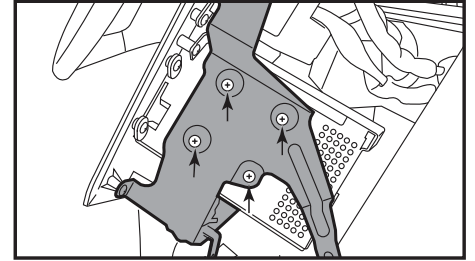
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(Figure D)



(Figure E)



(Figure F)



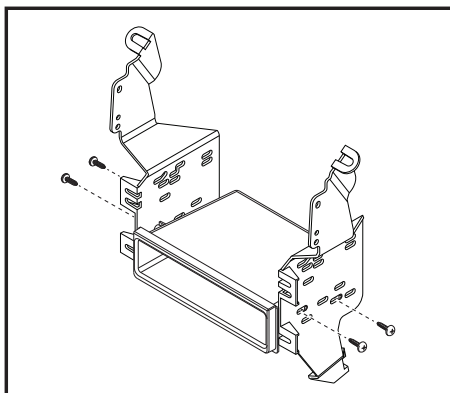
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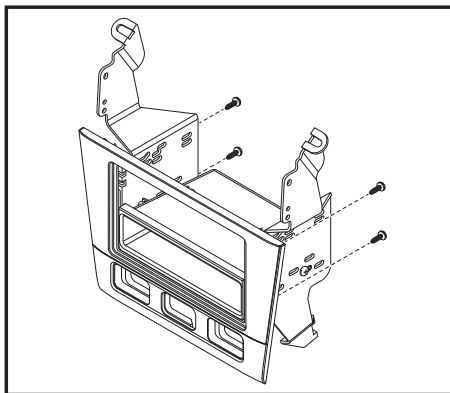
### ISO DIN radio provision 1996-1998

**Note:** Select the radio housing for the correct model year vehicle.

1. Mount the *pocket* to the *radio brackets* with (4) of the #8 x 3/8" Phillips screws supplied and attach the *brackets* to the climate controls with factory hardware. (Figure A)
2. Mount the *bracket/pocket assembly* to the *housing/trim panel* with (4) of the included #8 x 3/8" screws. (Figure B)
3. Slide the radio into *radio brackets* and secure with screws supplied with the radio. (Figure C)

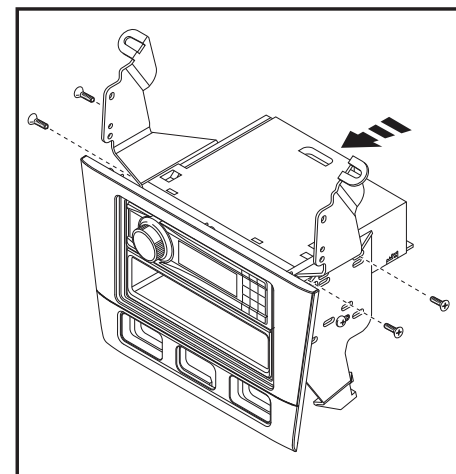


(Figure A)



(Figure B)

4. Locate the factory wiring harness and antenna plug in the dash. Metra recommends using the proper mating adapters from Metra and/or AXXESS. If you haven't already, remove the three buttons from the factory radio panel and snap them into the Metra radio housing.
5. Mount the new radio assembly into the dash and reassemble dash in reverse order of disassembly.



(Figure C)



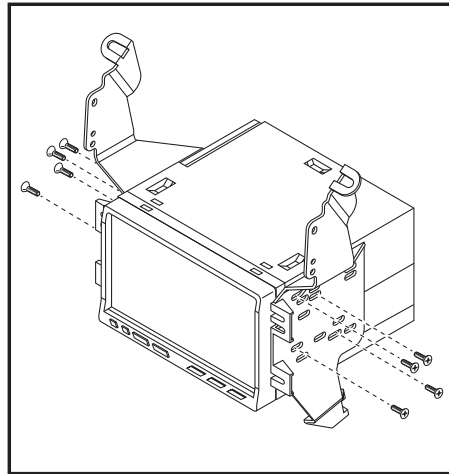
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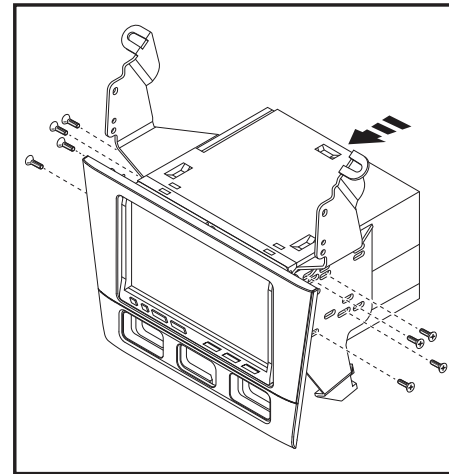
### DDIN radio provision 1996-1998

**Note:** Select the radio housing for the correct model year vehicle.

1. Attach the *brackets* to the *radio housing* using four of the #8 x 3/8" screws supplied and attach the *brackets* to the climate controls with factory hardware. (Figure A)
2. Slide the radio into the *bracket/radio housing* assembly and secure to the assembly using the screws supplied with the radio. (Figure B)
3. Locate the factory wiring harness in the dash. Metra recommends using the proper mating adapter from Metra or AXXESS. Re-connect the negative battery terminal and test the unit for proper operation. Remove the three buttons from the factory radio panel and snap them into the Metra radio housing.
4. Reassemble dash in reverse order of disassembly.



(Figure A)



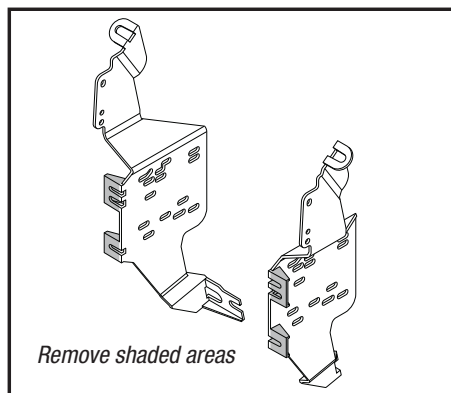
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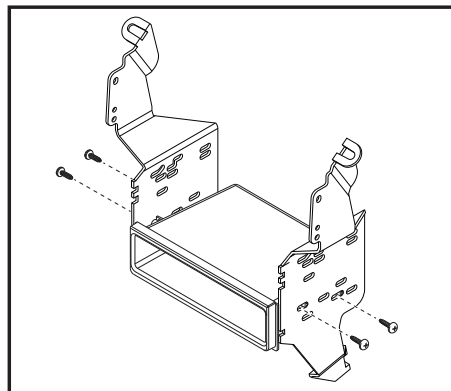
### ISO DIN radio provision 1999-2003

**Note:** *Select the radio housing for the correct model year vehicle.*

1. Mount the 1999-2003 *radio housing* to the factory radio panel with the factory hardware.
2. Cut and remove the mounting supports from the front side of the *brackets* (intended for 1996-1998 models). (Figure A)
3. Mount the *pocket* to the *radio brackets* with the four of the #8 x 3/8" Phillips screws supplied. (Figure B)
4. Slide the radio into *radio brackets* and secure with screws supplied with the radio. (Figure C)

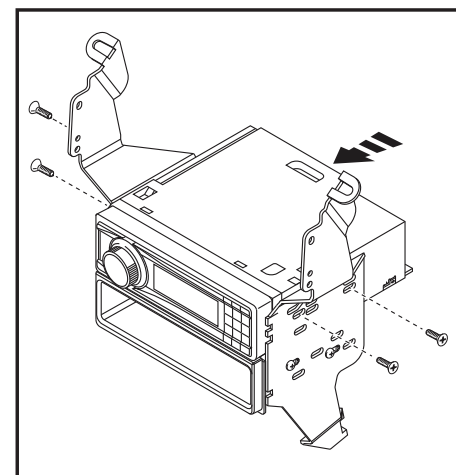


(Figure A)



(Figure B)

5. Locate the factory wiring harness and antenna plug in the dash. Metra recommends using the proper mating adapters from Metra and/or AXXESS.
6. Mount the new radio assembly into the dash and reassemble dash in reverse order of disassembly.



(Figure C)



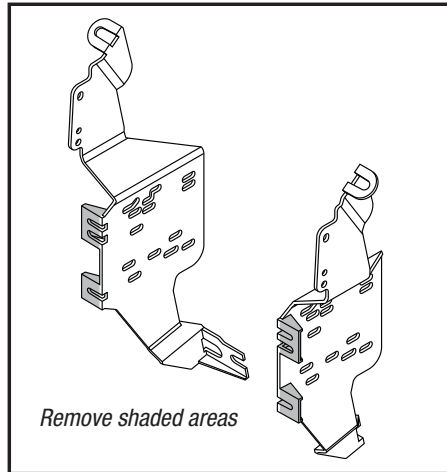
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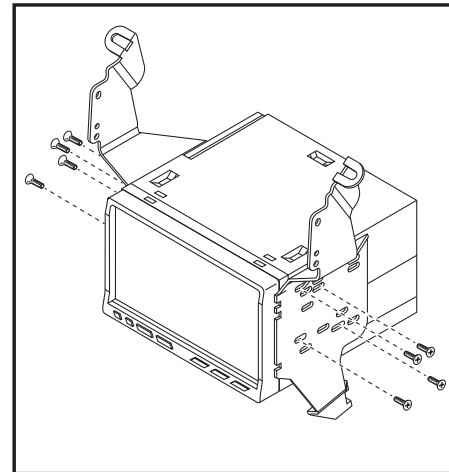
### DDIN radio provision 1999-2003

**Note:** Select the radio housing for the correct model year vehicle.

1. Mount the 1999-2003 radio housing to the factory radio panel with the factory hardware.
2. Cut and remove the mounting supports from the front side of the brackets (*intended for 1996-1998 models*). (Figure A)
3. Slide the radio into the brackets and secure to the assembly using the screws supplied with the radio. (Figure B)
4. Locate the factory wiring harness in the dash. Metra recommends using the proper mating adapter from Metra or AXXESS. Re-connect the negative battery terminal and test the unit for proper operation.
5. Reassemble dash in reverse order of disassembly.



(Figure A)



(Figure B)



## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR PART 99-7806B



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### **IMPORTANT**

*If you are having difficulties with the installation of this product, please call our Tech Support line at 1-800-253-TECH. Before doing so, look over the instructions a second time, and make sure the installation was performed exactly as the instructions are stated. Please have the vehicle apart and ready to perform troubleshooting steps before calling.*



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