

2001-2003 Acura CL | Easy | 20-45 minutes | \$28 DIY

TOOLS

Trim tool or screwdriver as fitted
Small flashlight
Shop vacuum or clean cloth
Gloves and safety glasses

PARTS

Cabin air filter for 2001-2003 Acura CL;
verify arrows, size, and VIN/trim fitment
\$28.00

STEPS

- 1 Confirm filter size and airflow direction - Verify whether the 2001-2003 Acura CL uses** one or two cabin filters, check the size and arrow, and switch the ignition off before removing trim.
- 2 Access the filter tray - Open the glove box or access panel on the 2001-2003 Acura CL** using the correct stops and damper procedure. Support brittle trim instead of forcing it.
- 3 Remove the old filter - Slide the cover off the 2001-2003 Acura CL, note the airflow** arrow and dirt side, and remove the old filter without dropping leaves into the blower.
- 4 Clean and install - Vacuum the tray and install the new filter in the original** orientation. Make sure every edge is seated and the cover locks without bowing the filter.
- 5 Reassemble and test airflow - Reinstall the glove box and trim on the 2001-2003 Acura CL.** Run the blower through its speeds and confirm airflow, odor, and noise improve; investigate water or blower damage separately.

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