

2022-2024 Honda Civic Si | Easy | 15-30 minutes

TOOLS

Flashlight (optional, to see inside the filter housing) Small vacuum or damp cloth for cleaning the housing

PARTS

Replacement cabin air filter for 11th-gen Civic

STEPS

- 1 Park, switch off, and empty the glove box - Park the Civic Si on level ground, switch the ignition fully off, and open the front passenger door for working room. Remove everything from the glove box so nothing falls out when you lower it. An e...**
- 2 Detach the glove box damper arm - Look at the right side of the open glove box for the small plastic damper arm that controls how fast the glove box drops. Gently pull the damper arm off its mounting pin on the glove box side, workin...**
- 3 Release the side stoppers and lower the glove box - Place one hand on each side wall of the glove box and squeeze them inward toward the center. This flexes the plastic enough for the rubber side stoppers to clear the dashboard opening. While squeezin...**
- 4 Locate the cabin filter cover - With the glove box hanging down, look into the cavity behind it for the rectangular black cabin filter cover. On the 11th-gen Civic it sits roughly centered behind the glove box opening. Identify the...**
- 5 Remove the filter cover - Press the locking tabs on the filter cover inward and pull the cover straight toward you to remove it. Set the cover aside somewhere it will not get stepped on. The cover should come off with light f...**
- 6 Slide out the old filter and note the arrow direction - Slide the old cabin filter straight out of the housing toward you. Before discarding it, note which direction the airflow arrow printed on the filter frame is pointing, since the new filter must go i...**
- 7 Clean out the filter housing - Look inside the empty filter housing for leaves, dust, and debris that collected around the old filter. Wipe the housing out with a damp cloth or use a small vacuum to remove loose material. A clean...**
- 8 Install the new filter with the arrow correct - Take the new cabin air filter and confirm the airflow arrow on its frame. Slide the filter into the housing with the arrow pointing the same direction the old one faced, which is downward toward the...**
- 9 Reinstall the filter cover - Place the filter cover back over the housing opening and press it in until both side tabs click into their locked positions. Give the cover a gentle tug to confirm it is secure and flush all around....**
- 10 Reattach the damper and close the glove box - Lift the glove box back up toward the dashboard while squeezing its side walls inward so the stoppers clear the frame. Once the glove box is upright, push the damper arm back onto its mounting pin on...**
- 11 Test the HVAC airflow - Start the engine and run the HVAC fan through its speeds with the system set to fresh-air mode. Listen for any whistling around the glove box area, which would indicate the filter cover is not fully...**