2022-2024 Honda Civic - Tire Pressure & Rotation

2022-2024 Honda Civic | Moderate | 45-75 minutes | $10 DIY

TOOLS

Tire-pressure gauge and air compressor or pump Floor jack, rated jack stands, and wheel chocks Lug wrench and calibrated torque wrench

PARTS

Valve-stem caps or replacement TPMS service parts only if inspection requires them
$10.00

STEPS

1. **Check all four pressures cold - Work cold - parked 3+ hours or driven under a mile. Read** the door-jamb placard for front/rear pressures. Hot readings run several PSI high - never judge warm tires. One tire dramatically lower than the rest may have a slow leak; invest...
2. **Inflate or bleed to the door-jamb spec - Inflate low tires to the sticker exactly; bleed** high ones via the valve core. Never use the sidewall maximum - it’s a load limit, not the operating pressure. Caps back on snugly.
3. **Rotate using the rearward-cross pattern - FWD: rearward cross - fronts straight back,** rears cross to opposite fronts. Factory same-size fitment suits this; different sizes or directional tires change the pattern - check the manual. Chalk-mark each tire (LF, RF, LR, RR) before...
4. **Reinstall wheels and torque lug nuts properly - Level ground, chock grounded wheels,** crack lugs a quarter-turn on the ground. Jack at a proper point onto rated stands - never under a jack alone. Recheck with the torque wrench after about 50 miles.
5. **Recalibrate the Civic’s indirect TPMS - Stopped, power ON: touchscreen Home -> Settings** -> Vehicle -> TPMS Calibration -> Calibrate. (7-inch display: steering-wheel home button -> Settings -> TPMS calibration -> Calibrate.) Completes after about 30 minutes cumulative driv...
6. **Check the tire repair kit - No spare - just a repair kit (sealant + 12V inflator) under** the cargo floor. Confirm the sealant is present, sealed, and in date; test that the inflator powers from the 12V outlet. Replace expired or used sealant before you need it roads...
7. **Test drive and verify - Test drive 10-15 minutes, city and highway: watch for pull,** vibration, unusual tire noise (balance or alignment issues the rotation can uncover). TPMS light off once relearn completes. Next morning recheck all four stone cold; log date a...

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