

Equipped with AEM[®] Dryflow™ Filter No Oil Required!

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS PART NUMBER: 21-5005

1996-2000 HONDA Civic L4-1.6L w/B18C1 Engine Swap SEE * NOTE

* NOTE: Legal in California only for racing vehicles which may never be used upon a highway

PARTS LIST

Description	Qty.	Part Number
Element Parts Kit 3.00 X 5" Dry Ele.	1	21-203DK
Inlet Pipe	1	2-50051
Bracket; Trans.	1	32-3023
Hose; 5/16ID X 22"L	1	5-2022
Hose, Adapter 2.75/3.00 X 3" Bl.	1	5-273-R
Hose; 1/2"ID X 14"L	1	5-5014
Mount, Rubber 1" X 6mm	1	1228599
Spacer, 1.00 OD X .315 ID X .2	1	2-665
Bolt, Hex/Flange M12-1.25 X 25	3	1-2076
Washer, M12 SAE Flat	1	1-3029
Washer; 1"D X 1/4 Hole Fender	1	08160
Nut, M12-1.25 X 25 Nylock	1	1-2077
Nut, M6 Hex Serrated	1	444.460.04
1/2" Bnd. Hose Clamp, 2.31-3.25"	1	9444
1/2" Bnd. Hose Clamp, 2.56"-3.50"	1	9448
Hose Clamp, 3/4"	4	4093-5
1/2" Bnd. Hose Clamp, 2.90"-3.75"	1	9452

Read and understand these instructions BEFORE attempting to install this product. Failure to follow installation instructions and not using the provided hardware may damage the intake tube, throttle body and engine.

The AEM[®] intake system is a performance product that can be used safely during mild weather conditions. During harsh and inclement weather conditions, you must return your vehicle to stock OEM air box and intake tract configuration. Failure to follow these instructions will void your warranty.

1. Preparing Vehicle

- a. Make sure vehicle is parked on level surface.
- b. Set parking brake.
- c. If engine has run in the past two hours, let it cool down.
- d. Disconnect negative battery terminal.
- e. Raise the front of the vehicle with a jack. Refer to your owner's manual for proper jack and jack stand placement to properly support vehicle. Support your vehicle using properly rated jack stands before wheel removal or while working under the vehicle.

NEVER WORK UNDER A VEHICLE WITHOUT USING JACK STANDS.

- i. Remove passenger side wheel.
- ii. Remove passenger side fender liner.
- f. Do not discard stock components after removal of the factory system.

2. Removal of stock system

a. Remove factory airbox system from the vehicle.

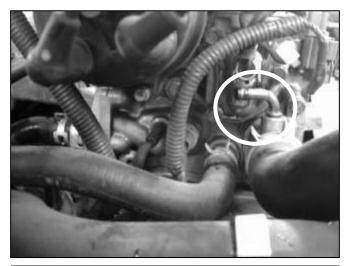
3. Installation of AEM® Intake System

a. When installing the intake system, do not completely tighten the hose clamps or mounting hardware until instructed to do so.



b. CAUTION: Ensure the engine is completely cool before removing the coolant hose, or hot coolant will escape from the cooling system and cause injury or damage. Be sure to capture any lost coolant in a clean container.

Disconnect the water bypass hose from the bottom of the throttle body. Install with the supplied 5/16" hose in place of the water bypass hose and secure and a $\frac{3}{4}$ " clamp.

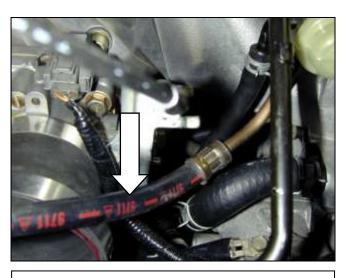


c. Remove the other end of the water bypass hose from the fitting on the engine. Install the other end of the 5/16" hose onto this fitting and secure in place with a $\frac{3}{4}$ " hose clamp.

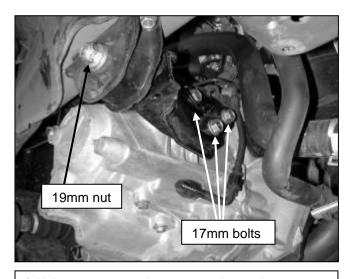
NOTE: Replace any coolant recovered during hose removal by replenishing the recovery tank.



d. Attach the reducer coupler. Secure the 2.75" end onto the throttle body with provided hose clamps.



e. The fuel line runs from the fuel rail to the fuel filter. Ensure that the fuel line does not rub against the inlet pipe or reducer coupler.



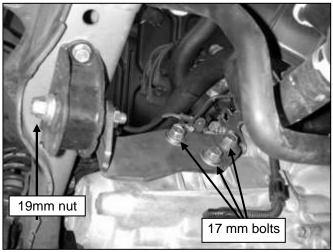
f. Using a 19mm socket remove the engine mount nut. Also remove the three 17mm bolts and then remove the mount.



g. Using a 14mm wrench, remove the mounting stud from the factory engine mount assembly. It may be necessary hold the bracket in a vice to do this.



h. Install the factory mounting stud removed in step #3g through the supplied engine mount bracket. Secure in place with the provided washer and Nylock nut.



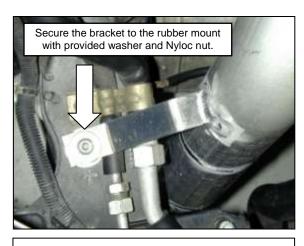
i. Using the supplied bolts and washers, install the $\mathsf{AEM}^{\$}$ engine mount on the transmission, torque the bolts to 61 ft-lbs. Then install the 19mm nut and washer on the mounting stud.



j. Locate the mounting hole next to the A/C line behind the passenger headlight. Place the ½" spacer over the hole as shown. It will sit between the rubber mount and the vehicle body.



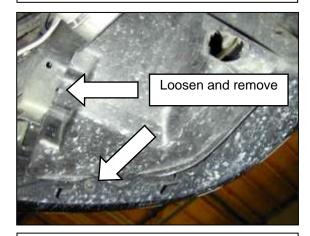
k. Insert the rubber mount on top of the ¼" washer and secure in place.



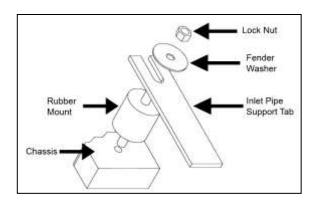
I. Insert the inlet pipe into the throttle body coupler. Align the mounting bracket with the rubber mount and secure with the supplied washer and Nylock nut. Refer to the diagram for proper rubber mount installation.



n. Attach the breather hose to the valve cover and secure with the provided hose clamp.



p. Remove the screw and push tab from the splash shield. Peel the lower part of the splash shield down to gain access to the inner fender.



m. Proper installation of the rubber mount assembly.



o. Attach the opposite end of the breather hose to the inlet pipe and secure with the provided hose clamp.



q. Attach the air filter to the lower inlet pipe, ensuring proper fitment and sufficient clearance. Secure the air filter to the inlet pipe with the provided hose clamp.



AEM® intake system installed

4. Reassemble Vehicle

- a. Ensure there is sufficient clearance between the fuel line along its length from the fuel filter to the fuel rail.
- b. **Fender liner and splashguard:** Install the fender liner, lower splash guard and any hardware that was removed in steps 1eii and 3p.

NOTE: Failure to install the fender liner will result in diminished performance and increase the potential for engine damage due to water ingestion in rainy conditions.

- c. Wheel: Install the passenger side wheel using the factory torque specification (see owner's manual).
- d. Position the inlet pipes for the best fitment. Be sure that the pipes or any other components do not contact any part of the vehicle. Tighten the rubber mount, all bolts, and hose clamps.
- e. Check for proper hood clearance. Re-adjust pipes if necessary and re-tighten them.
- f. Inspect the engine bay for any loose tools and check that all fasteners that were moved or removed are properly tightened.
- g. Reconnect negative battery terminals and start engine. Let the vehicle idle for 3 minutes. Perform a final inspection before driving the vehicle.

5. Service and Maintenance

- a. It is recommended that you service your AEM[®] Dryflow[™] filter every 20,000 miles for optimum performance. Use AEM Dryflow cleaning kit part # 21-110.
- b. Use aluminum polish to clean your polished AEM[®] intake tube.
- c. Use window cleaner to clean your powder coated AEM[®] intake tube. (NOTE: DO NOT USE aluminum polish on powder coated AEM intake tubes).

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AEM Air Intake System Warranty Policy

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