

### **DC Sports**

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# AHC6515 HEADER INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS 02-06 ACURA RSX/02-05 Honda Civic Si

\*CARB EXEMPT PER EO# D-370-14\*

## !!!READ INSTRUCTIONS THROUGH COMPLETELY BEFORE BEGINNING INSTALLATION. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN COSTLY ENGINE AND/OR HEADER DAMAGE!!!

\*\*\*FOR YOUR SAFETY, ALLOW ENGINE AND EXHUST SYSTEM TO COOL FOR AT LEAST AN HOUR BEFORE BEGINNING INSTALLATION. \*\*\*

### IF YOU ARE NOT COMFORTABLE AND/OR FAMILIAR WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS, PLEASE REFER THIS INSTALLATION TO A QUALIFIED PROFESSIONAL.

- 1. Utilizing a flat work area, jack up the front of the car and support the car on the jack stands on designated jack supports.
- 2. Unplug 02 sensor that is closest to the front of the car and un-clip it from the wire support harness.
- 3. Remove the bolts securing the exhaust manifold to the exhaust secondary, including the bolts that secure the manifold to the support bracket.
- 4. Loosen the bolts that secure the support bracket to the engine block to rotate it out of the way.
- 5. Remove the rubber hanger from the b-pipe and allow the b-pipe to hang.

#### \*\*\*\*RSX ONLY\*\*\*\*Civic Si skit to step 8

- 6. From the topside of the motor, remove the strut tower bar and the plastic plug wire cover from the valve cover.
- 7. Remove the two bolts that secure the power steering line to the valve cover. \*\*\*\*\*RSX ONLY\*\*\*\*\*
- 8. Remove the two nuts and three bolts securing the manifold to the engine
- 9. Remove the stock manifold by sliding it off the studs and lifting it out.
- 10. Carefully remove the donut gasket from the stock manifold and install it on the DC Sports header.
- 11. Slide the DC Sports header over the studs on the engine and install in reverse order
- 12. Make sure to reattach the stock support bracket and to reconnect the O2 sensor plug
- 13. RECHECK ALL YOUR, WORK Then AFFIX CARB STICKER UNDER THE HOOD OF YOUR CAR
- 14. Lower the car off the jack stands and start the engine and check for exhaust leaks
- 15. After approximately 500 miles (800 km) re-check the exhaust system bolts and nuts and retighten as necessary

PRE-CARE MAINTENANCE: To prevent permanent staining of your new DC Sports Header, wipe the header clean with a solution of mild detergent and water. Any contaminants left on the header such as grease, oil, and/or fingerprints will result in PERMANENT staining.

### **PARTS LIST**

Quantity	Part Number	Part Description
1	AHC6515	Ceramic coat 4-2-1 one piece
1	TMTAG-CARBEO14	D-370-14 CARB sticker
2	DCDECAL	DC Sports decals

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