



LEXUS LS-400 (1998-99)

PART NUMBER: LX-52-98

PLEASE READ COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE INSTALLING THIS Pro.Fit VSM©. All instructions assume a drivers seat vantage point. Caution is advised when removing and reassembling wood or plastic parts of a dash. Applying unnecessary force or pressure may cause a piece to crack or break.

Pro.Fit logo and part number will be right side up and readable when installed.

TOOLS REQUIRED: Hook tool, #2 Phillips screwdriver, 10mm socket & driver and extension, 5/64" drill bit, drill, medium-sized flat-head, screwdriver, marking pen, **protective cloth**, pliers (optional).

PARTS INCLUDED: Pro.Fit VSM©, instructions, three (3) #8x3/4" screws

LOCATION: To the right of the climate control.

STEP 1. Apply emergency brake. Turn the ignition to the **on** position and shift the transmission into low gear. Remove the wood grain trim panel that surrounds the shifter and extends just below the radio. This panel also has the ashtray integrated into it. **Ashtray does not need to be removed.** Using extreme **CAUTION** insert your flat head screwdriver in the seam between the dash pad and the right rear corner of the trim panel. **SLOWLY** pry upward to release one (1) clip. Perform the same action on the left rear corner releasing one (1) more clip. Perform the same action approximately in the middle of the panel on both the left and right sides releasing two (2) more clips. There are two (2) more clips located just below the radio holding the panel in place. Use the same method on both the left and right sides of panel to release clips. Disconnect all wiring to the panel and set aside.

STEP 2. Remove the air duct that sits above the radio. To do this insert hook tool approximately in the middle and top of the air duct between dash pad. Pull toward you to release one (1) clip. Grasp the air duct with your hands and pull toward you releasing two (2) bottom clips. Once air duct is loose disconnect all wiring. Set air duct aside. In air duct cavity locate and remove two (2) 10mm hex head bolts that hold the radio/climate control module in place using your socket, driver, and extension. Set screws aside. Locate and remove two (2) more 10mm hex head bolts underneath radio that hold the module in place. Set screws aside. Underneath radio locate a black plastic round head screw. Remove this screw by grasping it with your fingers to loosen. **NOTE: You may need to use a pliers to grab the screw to loosen if screw is too tight.** Set screw aside.

STEP 3. Lay **protective cloth onto center console.** Grasp radio/climate control module and pull out toward you and set onto center console. **Do not disconnect wiring.** Install your hang-up cup onto Pro.Fit VSM©. Place Pro.Fit VSM© in position so that the top of the mount will be flush with the top of the climate control. Using the holes in the Pro.Fit VSM© as a guide, mark holes to be drilled with marking pen. Set the mount aside. **Carefully** drill pilot holes with 5/64" drill bit and drill. Place the Pro.Fit VSM© over pilot holes and align holes. Insert provided screws and tighten with #2 Phillips screwdriver.

STEP 4. Assemble dash in reverse order securing all clips, wiring and bolts.

This completes the installation of your Pro.Fit VSM©.



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