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Quick Start Guide

Need a quick start solution so you can begin using your brand new GunVault? We got you covered. Our easy quick start guide will help you set up your safe in no time.

Quick Battery Installation

When installing or replacing your battery, always hold the battery connecting cap while disconnecting or attaching. Do not pull on the power cables, this could cause the power supply to become disconnected from the lock. The lock manufacturer highly recommends the use of either a Duracell or Energizer 9V alkaline battery with an expiration date of 5 years into the future.

**Step 1:** Open the unit by using the backup keys provided.

**Step 2:** Locate the battery compartment on the interior panel. Open and insert the recommended 9V alkaline battery following the Positive (+) and Negative (-) guides on the connecting cap on the plug-in cable inside the battery holder.

**Step 3:** When the battery is connected you will hear a single beep signaling that the unit is powered.

Quick Programming

This is not a numeric keypad, you cannot program digits. An access code is a series of entries on the keypad. An entry is a single press of one or more buttons at the same time. Leave the unit door open while you program your safe.

**Step 1:** Open the unit by using the provided backup keys or factory default code which is a single sequential press of each button starting from left to right.

**Step 2:** Press and hold the Learn button located on the unit. A beep will sound and the indicator light will turn green and remain illuminated. This will indicate that the enrollment procedure has been initiated.

**Step 3:** The indicator light will remain activated as you enter the new access code. The code can be a minimum of three entries or maximum of six entries.

**Step 4:** Press and hold the Learn button a second time until the indicator light beeps, turns red and remains illuminated. Re-enter new access code.

**Step 5:** Press and hold the Learn button one last time until the indicator light turns green and beeps six times. If the indicator light flashes red and beeps six times an error has occurred and you will need to repeat steps 2-5.

**Step 6:** Now your unit is programmed and ready to use.

Programming For Administrator Fingerprint

For Biometric Keypads

The Biometric/Digital ARVault is a dual access keypad, which means the unit can be accessed by either the swipe of a fingerprint or by a digital access code. If you do not program the biometric scanner the unit can only be accessed with a digital access code. The first two fingerprints enrolled are the administrators. They allow the enrollment of additional users. Leave the unit door open while you program your safe.

**Step 1:** Open the unit with the backup keys provided or enter your programmed access code.

**Step 2:** Press the Learn button on the interior panel twice until the indicator light flashes red and green and beeps once. If the indicator light stops flashing after you have pressed the Learn button then you have been timed out and will need to press the button again.

**Step 3:** While the indicator light is flashing, place the tip of your finger over the biometric scanner and make a downward swiping motion, taking one to two seconds per interval. The indicator light should flash green and produce a single audible beep. If the indicator light flashes red this indicates an unsuccessful swipe and you will need to repeat step three as needed.

**Step 4:** Keep swiping until you hear a double beep. A double beep indicates a successful enrollment of that fingerprint. It may take three or more swipes until the fingerprint is enrolled.

**Step 5:** Test the unit to ensure that your administrator fingerprint was successfully programmed.

**Step 6:** To add an additional administrative fingerprint repeat all prior steps.

**Step 7:** Now you are ready to use your safe.
**Battery Installation**

For Digital Unit Only

Always hold the battery connection cap while disconnecting or attaching a new battery. Do not pull on the power cables as this could cause the power supply to become disconnected from the lock.

**Step 1:** Open the unit using the backup keys provided.

**Step 2:** Locate the battery compartment on in the interior panel. Connect the recommended 9V alkaline battery following the Positive (+) and Negative (-) guides on the connecting cap on the plug-in cable inside the battery holder.

**Step 3:** When the battery is connected you will hear a single beep signaling that the unit is powered.

**Step 4:** After you have connected the battery to the cable you will need to reposition the battery into the holder for a secure fit.

*The lock manufacturer highly recommends the use of either a Duracell or Energizer 9V alkaline battery with an expiration date of 5 years into the future.*

**Programming Digital Keypad**

This is not a numeric keypad, you cannot program digits. An access code is a series of entries on the keypad. An entry is a single press of one or more buttons at the same time. Leave the unit door open while you program your safe.

**Step 1:** Open the unit by using provided backup keys or factory default code. The factory default code is a single sequential press of each button moving from the left to right.

**Step 2:** Locate the Learn button on the interior panel of the unit.

**Step 3:** Press and hold the Learn button. A beep will sound and the indicator light will turn green and remain illuminated. This will indicate the enrollment procedure has been initiated.

**Step 4:** The indicator light will remain activated as you enter a new access code. The code can be a minimum of three entries or maximum of six entries.

**Step 5:** Press and hold the Learn button a second time until the indicator light beeps, turns red and remains illuminated.

**Step 6:** Enter your new access code a second time. During this step the red indicator light will remain illuminated.
Step 7: Press the Learn button a third time. The indicator light will flash green and beep six times confirming that the new code has been accepted. If the indicator light illuminates in red and beeps six times an error has occurred and you will need to repeat steps 3-7.

Step 8: Test your combination to confirm that your unit has accepted your new access code.

Step 9: Now you are ready to use your safe.

Resetting Digital Passcode

Step 1: Open the unit by using either your backup keys or current access code and locate the Learn button which can be found on the interior panel of the unit.

Step 2: Use steps 3-7 in the Programming Digital Keypad section to change your current combination.

Step 3: Now you have successfully reprogrammed your safe.

Safety Feature For Digital Units Only

Tamper Detection

Entering an invalid access codes triggers the Tamper Detection feature.

Step 1: Press and hold down buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ for five seconds to initiate the Tamper Detect indicator.

Step 2: If tampering has been detected the indicator light will remain red until buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ are released.

Step 3: If tampering was not detected the indicator light will remain green until buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ are released.

Low Battery Warning Indicator

Step 1: When you enter the correct combination and the battery is low the indicator light will flash red and beep six times. Depending on how low the battery is the unit may sound when releasing the lock. If the battery level is too low the indicator light will start to flash red and beep continuously until the battery is removed from the unit. If the battery is completely depleted you will only hear a light humming sound.

Step 2: Replace your battery by using steps in section labeled Battery Installation.

* The low battery indicator only goes off when you are in the process of opening your unit.

Security Sleep Mode

* After six incorrect entries the Security Sleep Mode feature will be triggered and will lockout any new keypad entries for two minutes. When Security Sleep Mode is active and a button is pressed the indicator will flash red and beep three times.

* To verify that the Security Sleep Mode is deactivated wait two minutes and then test your unit by slowly typing in your combination. If the indicator flashes green your combination has been accepted and the unit will open. If the indicator flashes red your combination is incorrect and you will need to try again. If you have forgotten or lost your combination please follow the instructions on Programming Digital Keypad. Your backup key will be required if reprogramming is needed.

Audio Control

This feature turns audio for unit on and off.

Step 1: Open the unit and locate the Learn button on the interior roof of the unit.

Step 2: Press and hold the Learn button three times for two seconds each time. If done properly the indicator light will flash green and beep three times. Once this occurs release the Learn button.

Step 3: Now you have successfully activated/deactivated the mute feature.

Security Cable

The unit comes with a 4 - foot long, high-strength steel security cable. It should only be used to securely tether the product around a sturdy surface.

Step 1: Loop the cable around a sturdy surface.

Step 2: Find the end of the cable with the metal tip and run it through the eye of the other end and pull tight around the sturdy surface.

Step 3: Place the metal end of the security cable through the fitted slot on the top left side of the unit and close the lid to secure the cable.
Battery Installation

Always hold the battery connection cap while disconnecting or attaching a new battery. Do not pull on the power cables as this could cause the power supply to become disconnected from the lock.

**Step 1:** Open the unit using the backup keys provided.

**Step 2:** Locate the battery compartment on in the interior panel. Connect the recommended 9V alkaline battery following the Positive (+) and Negative (-) guides on the connecting cap on the plug-in cable inside the battery holder.

**Step 3:** When the battery is connected you will hear a single beep signaling that the unit is powered.

**Step 4:** After you have connected the battery to the cable you will need to reposition the battery into the holder for a secure fit.

*The lock manufacturer highly recommends the use of either a Duracell or Energizer 9V alkaline battery with an expiration date of 5 years into the future.*

Programming Digital Access Code

This is not a numeric keypad, you cannot program digits. An access code is a series of entries on the keypad. An entry is a single press of one or more buttons at the same time. Leave the unit door open while you program your safe.

**Step 1:** Open the unit by using provided backup keys or factory default code. The factory default code is a single sequential press of each button moving from the left to right.

**Step 2:** Locate the Learn button on the interior panel of the unit.

**Step 3:** Press and hold the Learn button. A beep will sound and the indicator light will turn green and remain illuminated. This will indicate the enrollment procedure has been initiated.

**Step 4:** The indicator light will remain activated as you enter a new access code. The code can be a minimum of three entries or maximum of six entries.

**Step 5:** Press and hold the Learn button a second time until the indicator light beeps, turns red and remains illuminated.

**Step 6:** Enter your new access code a second time. During this step the red indicator light will remain illuminated.
**Programming Additional Users**

Leave the unit door open while you program your safe.

**Step 1:** After enrolling the first two administrator fingerprints, open the unit by using the backup key or biometric scanner.

**Step 2:** Press the Learn button on the interior panel of the unit twice. The unit will beep once and the indicator light will begin flashing. The secondary user enrollment procedure has begun.

**Step 3:** While the indicator light is flashing green, swipe the administrator fingerprint over the biometric scanner until you hear two beeps, indicating the unit is ready for additional fingerprints to be enrolled. The indicator light will continue to flash green during steps 2 to 5. If flashing stops before completing these steps you will need to repeat from the beginning.

**Step 4:** While the indicator light is flashing green place the tip of the new fingerprint at the top of the biometric scanner and make a downward swiping motion, taking one to two seconds per intervals.

**Step 5:** It may take three or more swipes until the fingerprint is enrolled. A double beep and flashing green indicator light indicates a successful enrollment of the fingerprint.

**Step 6:** Test your unit to confirm that your fingerprint was accepted.

**Step 7:** To enroll additional fingerprints/users repeat steps 2–5. An administrator fingerprint will be required for enrolling any secondary fingerprints/users. Your unit can enroll a maximum amount of 20 unique fingerprints.

**Step 8:** Now you have successfully programmed additional users.

**Opening Safe Using Biometric Swipe Scanner**

**Step 1:** Press the Start button which is located in the pointer fingerprint imprint of the safe, right above the fingerprint reader. The unit will beep once and the indicator light will begin to flash green. The reader is now activated and ready to read your fingerprint.

**Step 2:** Using any previously enrolled finger, place your finger at the top of the scanner and swipe in a downward motion until the entire fingerprint has crossed the biometric scanner.

**Step 3:** The indicator light will flash green and beep twice signaling that your fingerprint swipe was accepted.

**Step 4:** Your unit will open. Now you are ready to use your safe.

*If indicator light flashes green and red then your swipe was not accepted and you will need to try again.*
Safe Features For Dual Access Units

Tamper Detection
Entering an invalid access code triggers the Tamper Detection Feature.

**Step 1:** Press and hold down buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ for five seconds to initiate the Tamper Detection feature.

**Step 2:** If tampering has been detected the indicator light will remain red until buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ are released.

**Step 3:** If tampering was not detected the indicator light will remain green until buttons ‘2’ and ‘3’ are released.

Low Battery Warning Indicator

**Step 1:** When you enter the correct combination and the battery is low the indicator light will flash red and beep six times. Depending on how low the battery is the unit may sound when releasing the lock. If the battery level is too low the indicator light will start to flash red and beep continuously until the battery is removed from the unit. If the battery is completely depleted you will only hear a light humming sound.

**Step 2:** Replace battery by using steps in section labeled Battery Installation.

**The low battery indicator only goes off when you are in the process of opening your unit.**

Security Sleep Mode

- After six incorrect entries the Security Sleep Mode feature will be triggered and will lockout any new keypad entries for two minutes. When Security Sleep Mode is active and a button is pressed the indicator light will flash red and beep three times.

- To verify that the Security Sleep Mode is deactivated wait two minutes and then test your unit by slowly typing in your combination. If the indicator flashes green your combination has been accepted and the unit will open. If the indicator flashes red your combination is incorrect and you will need to try again. If you have forgotten or lost your combination please follow the instructions on Programming Digital Keypad. Your backup key will be required if reprogramming is needed.

Audio Control
This feature turns audio for unit on and off.

**Step 1:** Open the unit and locate the Mute button on the interior panel of the unit.

**Step 2:** Press and hold the Mute button for three seconds. While holding the mute button the indicator light will remain solid red. When the indicator light flashes green and beeps three times you have successfully activated/deactivated the audio control feature.

Deleting Users/Resetting the Unit

The Biometric/Digital unit is a dual access keypad, which means the unit can be accessed by either the swipe of a fingerprint or by a digital access code. Individual users cannot be deleted from the unit. All users must be deleted in order to get rid of any one individual fingerprint or to completely reset the unit. Once all fingerprints are wiped from the unit you must immediately reprogram an administrator fingerprint.

If you do not reprogram your safe the unit will be placed into Demo mode and will open automatically with the push of the Start button.

**Step 1:** Open the unit by using either your provided backup keys or biometric scanner and locate the Delete/Mute button on the front interior panel of the unit.

**Step 2:** Press and hold the Delete/Mute button.

**Step 3:** While pressing the Delete button simultaneously press the Start button to activate the unit. The Start button is the button located on the pointer finger imprint of the keypad, just above the biometric scanner.

**Step 4:** Continue to hold the Delete button until the indicator light stops flashing green and red. Once the indicator light has stopped flashing you can release the Delete button.

**Step 5:** Successful completion of these steps will result in all of the programmed fingerprints being deleted.

Security Cable

The unit comes with a 4 - foot long, high-strength steel security cable. It should only be used to securely tether the product around a sturdy surface.

**Step 1:** Loop the cable around a sturdy surface.

**Step 2:** Find the end of the cable with the metal tip and run it through the eye of the other end and pull tight around the sturdy surface.

**Step 3:** Place the metal end of the security cable through the fitted slot on the top left side of the unit and close the lid to secure the cable.

Mounting the Unit

**Step 1:** Using the paper template provided drill starter holes into the desired mounting surface. Be sure to use the appropriate drill bit.

**Step 2:** Fasten the screws through the keyhole slots in the paper template leaving room between the head of the screw and the mounting surface.

**Step 3:** Glide the mounting keyhole slots on the unit over the screws.
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Step 2: Fasten the screws through the keyhole slots in the paper template, leaving room between the head of the screw and the mounting surface.

Step 3: Glide the mounting keyhole slots on the unit over the screws.

Step 4: Lift the interior foam padding on the bottom of the unit and insert screws into the remaining holes. A minimum of three (3) screws must be used to mount the safe.

Step 5: Once all screws have been fastened, smooth the interior foam lining back into place. Your unit is now securely attached to the mounting surface.

Installing Elastic Strap

Step 1: Open the unit by using either your backup keys or current access code.

Step 2: Once opened, locate the metal slot on both sides of the interior roof of the unit.

Step 3: Take the metal portion of the elastic strap and insert into metal slot on either side.

Step 4: Repeat previous step to install on other side.

Step 5: Now you have installed your elastic strap.

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Warnings

⚠️ The backup key is for emergency use only in the event of fingerprint failure or forgotten passcode.

⚠️ For Key Replacement visit the GunVault.com/product/key-replacement to complete the online key replacement form. In order to receive a replacement key you will need to know the key number associated with your unit. You can find this information on the unit engraved on the keyport.

⚠️ Replace the batteries once a year regardless of whether or not the low battery indication is triggered.

⚠️ The manufacturer recommends that you lightly coat the door hinge spring and door latch-loop with quality oil at least once a year.

⚠️ Never spray anything into the latch mechanism as it can cause damage to the safe.

⚠️ GunVault products delivered without a pre-arranged Return Authorization number may be returned to sender unopened, at owner expense. Fees may accrue.

⚠️ Do not try to remove the key while in the turned position. This may cause damage to the unit or key.

⚠️ The lock manufacturer highly recommends the use of either a Duracell or Energizer 9V alkaline battery with an expiration date of 5 years in the future.

⚠️ Do not mount any GunVault product with the door facing down. The contents may fall out when the door is opened.

⚠️ Never attempt to operate the safe with external power alone. Batteries MUST be installed before and during operation with the external power supply in order to avoid interruption of power and loss of access codes.

⚠️ Never attempt to plug in a battery charger of any kind. Fire or explosion of batteries could result.

⚠️ Never use rechargeable batteries of any kind in a GunVault safe. Their power characteristics are not compatible with the safe.

⚠️ The AC/DC power supply specified is NOT a battery charger. It is an external power supply to be used only when batteries are installed.

⚠️ Keep backup keys and access code combinations in a secure place away from children.

⚠️ Do not store backup keys inside of safe.

⚠️ Keep your safe closed and locked at all times when not in use.

⚠️ Keep a record of your key number and serial number in a secure place separate from your safe.

⚠️ Keep high-strength steel security cable in a secure place away from children.

⚠️ Children should not play with or around safe at any time.

⚠️ This safe or any other firearm storage device cannot take the place of other safety procedures, including advising children of the dangers of firearms.

⚠️ The manufacturer of this product does not recommend, suggest, advise, promote or otherwise condone the ownership or use of firearms. We at GunVault believe the decision to own or use a firearm is a serious decision that should only be made by an adult who has carefully considered the risks and benefits of such a decision.

⚠️ Never drink alcohol or use drugs while operating this safe or any firearm.

⚠️ Never grab your firearm by the trigger when removing or placing into safe.

⚠️ Always keep your firearm safety mechanism on while stored inside the safe.

⚠️ Always follow the firearm safety rules set out by the firearm’s manufacturer.

⚠️ GunVault recommends that you obtain as much information as possible on firearm safety.

⚠️ Always handle firearms as if they are loaded and ready to fire.

⚠️ In order to enjoy the maximum security benefits of this safe it must be mounted in place.

⚠️ Use of this product as a storage receptacle without mounting may compromise security of the safe.

⚠️ Always hold the battery connection cap while disconnecting or attaching a new battery. Do not pull on the power cables as this could cause the power supply to become disconnected from the lock.

⚠️ This product contains DEHP, a Phthalate chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects and other reproductive harm. www.P65Warnings.ca.gov
1. GunVault (the “Company”) warrants to the original consumer (the “Purchaser”) of any GunVault safe (the “GunVault safe”) purchased after January 1, 2014 against any damage caused by fire, burglary or attempted burglary for a period of five (5) years from the date of purchase.
2. The Company warrants to the purchaser that the GunVault safe will be free from defects in workmanship and materials for a period of one (1) year from the date of purchase.
3. These warranties are not assignable or transferable to any other person.
4. Any damage to the GunVault safe as a result of misuse, tampering, abuse, neglect, accident, improper installation, modification, unauthorized service, destruction, or the alteration of the serial number, or use in violation of the instructions furnished by the Company will void this warranty.
5. The sole responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the repair or replacement (in its sole discretion) of any component of the GunVault safe which fails to conform to this warranty at no cost to the purchaser for the period of the warranty.
6. Contact the Company directly to obtain service under this warranty. If it becomes applicable to send a defective product to the Company, a Return Authorization Number must first be obtained from the company. In order to obtain service under this warranty, purchaser must provide the Company with the following items (a) proof of purchase, (b) police or fire department report, (c) photographs of damaged safe, and (d) written testimonial.
7. Products shipped without prior Return Authorization and Return Authorization Number may not be accepted, and the Company will not be responsible for their disposition and/or cost of return to the owner.
8. The Company will not assume any responsibility for any loss or damage incurred in shipping. All return authorized products should include a copy of the original invoice in order for this warranty to be honored.
9. This warranty is not an insurance policy. The Company is not responsible for any manner of damage to or theft of the Purchaser’s GunVault safe or its contents.
10. We recommend that the warranty registration be completed online in order to validate this warranty.
11. Any implied warranties that the purchaser may have are limited to the duration of the warranties described above. There are no further warranties that extend or apply beyond the face hereof, and the company expressly disclaims and excludes any and all warranties of merchant ability or fitness for a particular purpose. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.
12. Repair or replacement shall be the sole remedy for the purchaser under this warranty. The company shall not be liable for any direct, indirect, incidental or consequential damages, losses or expense arising from the use or misuse of the GunVault safe. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitations of incidental or consequential damages, so the limitation may not apply to you.
13. This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.
14. This warranty is only valid in the United States. If outside of the U.S. we encourage you to contact your point of purchase for further warranty help.
To submit your warranty registration go to GunVault.com/warranty/ or call our Customer Service Department at (800) 222-1055.

For key replacement visit the GunVault.com/product/key-replacement to complete the online key replacement form. In order to receive a replacement key you will need to know the key number associated with your unit. You can find this information on the unit engraved on the keyport.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE SECTION BELOW AND STORE IN A SAFE LOCATION OUTSIDE OF YOUR UNIT.

SAFE MODEL:

PURCHASED FROM:

DATE OF PURCHASE:

SERIAL NUMBER:  
(This number can be found inside unit)

KEY NUMBER:  
(This number can be found on the backup keys)

Customer Support Hours:  
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