

# COMBINATION LOCK (3)

Operating Features

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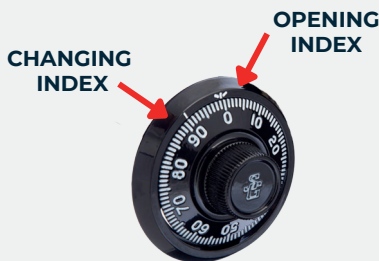
## OPERATING CHANGING INSTRUCTIONS

Before operating the lock or changing the combination, **READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY**

At the top of the dial ring (at 12 O'Clock) an index is provided for normal dialing and opening. At the side of the opening index (at 11 O'Clock) a changing index is provided for use only when setting a new combination.

This is a precision lock, therefore, extreme care must be used to align the combination numbers with the index. (No tolerance allowed.)

Turn the dial slowly and steadily. After turning the correct number of revolutions, any number is tuned beyond the index, the entire series of combination numbers must be re-dialed. **DO NOT TURN BACK TO REGAIN A PROPER ALIGNMENT WITH THE NUMBERS.** Each time a selected number is aligned with the opening index, a revolution is counted.



### TO OPEN:

TO UNLOCK ON A 3 NUMBER COMBINATION - For Example "50-25-50" see figures 1-4 Below

1. Turn dial to the **LEFT** stopping when "50" is aligned with the opening index, the **FOURTH** time.
2. Turn dial to the **RIGHT** stopping when "25" is aligned with the opening index the **THIRD** time.
3. Turn dial to the **LEFT** stopping when "50" is aligned with the opening index, the **SECOND** time.
4. Turn dial firmly to the **RIGHT** until the dial comes to a dead stop.



### TO LOCK:

Turn the dial to the **LEFT** at least four full revolutions.



## TO CHANGE NUMBER:

Make up a new combination, selecting 3 sets of numbers of your own choosing

**DO NOT use numbers between 0 and 20 for your last number**

Using the changing index, dial the whole of the **existing** combination (assuming 50-25-50) as follows:

1. Turn dial to the **LEFT** stopping when 50 is aligned with the changing index the **FOURTH** time.
2. Turn the dial to the **RIGHT** stopping when 25 is aligned with the changing index the **THIRD** time.
3. Turn the dial to the **LEFT** stopping when 50 is aligned with the changing index the **SECOND** time.

The lock is now ready to insert the change key into the hole on the back of lock.

Ensure the change key is properly inserted as per Fig. 1. Turn change key a quarter of a turn left as per Fig. 2.

Figure 1.

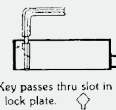
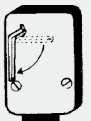


Figure 2.



Figure 3.



Using the changing index, dial the whole of the **new** combination (assuming 10-20-30) as follows:

1. Turn dial to the **LEFT** stopping when 10 is aligned with the changing index the **FOURTH** time.
2. Turn dial to the **RIGHT** stopping when 20 is aligned with the changing index the **THIRD** time.
3. Turn the dial to the **LEFT** stopping when 30 is aligned with the changing index the **SECOND** time.

Turn the change key right as per Fig. 3. and remove key. Dial the new combination 10-20-30 to the opening index.



## CAUTION

**BEFORE CLOSING THE UNIT**, try the new combination several times, using the opening index.

**WARNING:** NEVER INSERT THE CHANGING KEY IN THE LOCK WHEN THE COVER IS REMOVED. ALWAYS BE CERTAIN THAT THE WING OF THE CHANGING KEY IS ENTIRELY WITHIN THE LOCK (Figure 2) BEFORE TURNING THE KEY.

**IF AN ERROR HAS BEEN MADE IN SETTING A NEW COMBINATION**, we suggest that an accredited locksmith be called.



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