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Comprehensive guide for programming, operating, and maintaining your Code Alarm CATX433 4-button 433.92MHz replacement remote control.

## 1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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The Code Alarm CATX433 is a 4-button 433.92MHz replacement transmitter designed for various Code Alarm and Chapman security systems. This remote control provides convenient access to your vehicle's security and remote start functions, depending on the installed system.



Image: The Code Alarm CATX433 remote control, featuring a black casing with four distinct buttons arranged in two rows, and a small LED indicator at the top. A key ring loop is visible at the bottom.

## 2. COMPATIBILITY

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This remote is compatible with a range of Code Alarm and Chapman systems. Verify your system's compatibility before

proceeding with programming.

### Compatible System Models:

- CA130, CA530, CA630, CPLMM
- ELITE4100, ELITE4200, ELITE4300, ELITE4400, ELITE4800
- ELITE6100, ELITE6800, ELITE7300, ELITE7400, ELITE7500, ELITE7600
- PRO3800, PROF10, PROF12, PROF15, PROF17, PROF20, PROF25, PROF50, PROF55, PROF60, PROF65

### Replaces FCC IDs:

- ELVATPA
- GOH-FRDPC2002, GOH-PCGEN2, GOH-TSM-23

### Replaces Transmitter Part Numbers:

- 1010686, 1011112, 1013465, 1013473, 1013481, 1013499, 1013507, 1013515, 1013523, 1013531
- 1020718, 1021211, CATX130, CATX630, PT5

## 3. SETUP: PROGRAMMING YOUR REMOTE

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Programming the CATX433 remote control requires access to your vehicle's security system's valet switch (also known as a programming or override button). In some cases, programming may be possible without the valet switch, but this typically requires direct access to the receiver unit located under the dashboard.

### Important Notes Before Programming:

- The replacement remote you receive may have a slightly different appearance than your original due to manufacturer changes. However, it will function and program identically. Button configurations may vary.
- Ensure your vehicle's battery is fully charged before attempting programming.
- Locate your system's valet switch. This is typically a small push-button switch often found under the dash, in the glove compartment, or near the fuse box. Consult your vehicle's or alarm system's original manual if you cannot locate it.
- All existing remotes must be reprogrammed at the same time. If you have multiple remotes, have them all ready before starting the procedure.

### General Programming Procedure (Valet Switch Method):

The exact steps may vary slightly depending on your specific Code Alarm system model. Refer to your system's original installation manual for precise instructions if these general steps do not work.

1. **Prepare the Vehicle:** Ensure the vehicle's ignition is OFF and all doors are closed.

2. **Enter Programming Mode:**

- Insert the key into the ignition and turn it to the ON position (do not start the engine).
- Within 5 seconds, press and release the valet switch a specific number of times (e.g., 1 to 5 times, depending on the system). The system will typically respond with a chirp or light flash to confirm entry into programming mode. For many Code Alarm systems, it's often 1 press and release.
- Turn the ignition OFF. The system should chirp again, indicating it is ready to learn a remote.

3. **Program the Remote:**

- Press and hold the LOCK button (or the primary arm/disarm button) on the new remote control.
- Hold the button until the system chirps or flashes the parking lights, confirming the remote has been learned. This usually takes a few seconds.

- Release the button.
- 4. **Program Additional Remotes:** If you have other remotes (including existing ones), repeat step 3 for each remote within 10 seconds of the previous one.
- 5. **Exit Programming Mode:** Turn the ignition ON, then OFF, or simply wait 10 seconds without pressing any buttons. The system will exit programming mode automatically.
- 6. **Test the Remote:** Test all functions of the newly programmed remote(s) to ensure proper operation.

## 4. OPERATING YOUR REMOTE

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The CATX433 remote typically features four buttons, each assigned to specific functions of your Code Alarm system. The exact function of each button may vary slightly based on your system's configuration.

- **Button 1 (Top Left):** Commonly used for **LOCK / ARM** the vehicle's security system.
- **Button 2 (Top Right):** Commonly used for **UNLOCK / DISARM** the vehicle's security system.
- **Button 3 (Bottom Left):** Often assigned to **TRUNK RELEASE** or an auxiliary function.
- **Button 4 (Bottom Right):** Often assigned to **PANIC / REMOTE START** (if equipped) or another auxiliary function. Holding this button typically activates the panic alarm.

Refer to your vehicle's security system manual for the precise function of each button on your specific setup.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

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Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and reliable operation of your remote control.

- **Battery Replacement:** The remote uses a small coin-cell battery (e.g., CR2032). When the remote's range decreases or the LED indicator fails to light up, it's time to replace the battery. Carefully open the remote casing (often with a small screwdriver or coin) and replace the battery, observing polarity.
- **Cleaning:** Clean the remote's exterior with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Storage:** Store the remote in a dry place, away from extreme temperatures and direct sunlight. Avoid dropping the remote or exposing it to water.

## 6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter issues with your Code Alarm CATX433 remote, consider the following troubleshooting steps:

- **Remote Not Responding:**
  - Check the battery. Replace it if necessary.
  - Ensure you are within range of the vehicle.
  - Verify that the remote is properly programmed to your system. Re-attempt the programming procedure if unsure.
- **Reduced Operating Range:**
  - A weak battery is the most common cause. Replace the battery.
  - Environmental interference (e.g., strong radio signals, large metal structures) can affect range.
- **Programming Failure:**
  - Confirm you are using the correct programming procedure for your specific Code Alarm system.
  - Ensure the valet switch is correctly located and functioning.
  - Make sure all existing remotes are reprogrammed during the same session.

- If programming consistently fails, there might be an issue with the remote itself or the vehicle's security system.

If problems persist after attempting these steps, contact a professional installer or the manufacturer's support.

## 7. SPECIFICATIONS

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| Brand              | Code Alarm                |
| Model              | CATX433                   |
| Frequency          | 433.92 MHz                |
| Number of Buttons  | 4                         |
| FCC ID             | ELVATPA                   |
| Item Weight        | 1.12 ounces               |
| Package Dimensions | 4.09 x 2.64 x 0.79 inches |
| Color              | Black                     |
| Special Feature    | Ergonomic                 |

## 8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Warranty coverage for the Code Alarm CATX433 remote control is typically provided by the seller or manufacturer at the time of purchase. Please refer to your purchase documentation or contact the retailer from whom you purchased this product for specific warranty terms and conditions.

Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

## 9. SUPPORT

For further assistance with programming, troubleshooting, or general inquiries regarding your Code Alarm CATX433 remote control, please contact:

- The retailer or seller from whom you purchased the product.
- Code Alarm / Audiovox customer support (refer to their official website for contact details).
- A certified automotive security system installer.

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