

Master Lock 653D

Master Lock 653D Set-Your-Own-Combination Padlock Instruction Manual

Model: 653D

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Master Lock 653D Set-Your-Own-Combination Padlock. This manual provides detailed instructions for setting and resetting your personal combination, operating the lock, and maintaining its performance. This padlock features a durable metal body and a hardened steel shackle for enhanced security.



Image 1.1: Master Lock 653D Set-Your-Own-Combination Padlock.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Master Lock 653D padlock is designed for various security needs, offering a convenient keyless solution. Key features include:

- **Durable Construction:** 2-inch (50mm) wide metal body for strength.
- **Hardened Steel Shackle:** 1/4 inch (6mm) diameter, 15/16 inch (24mm) long shackle for cut resistance.
- **Set-Your-Own Combination:** Allows for personalized security codes.
- **Soft Touch Grips:** Bottom and side grips provide a no-slip hold.



Image 2.1: Front view of the Master Lock 653D padlock.

3. SETTING YOUR COMBINATION

Your Master Lock 653D padlock comes preset to 0-0-0-0. Follow these steps to set your personal combination:

1. **Open the Lock:** Ensure the padlock is set to the current combination (factory default is 0-0-0-0) and pull up the shackle to open the lock.
2. **Rotate Shackle:** Rotate the shackle 90 degrees counter-clockwise (or 1/4 turn) from the open position.
3. **Press Down Shackle:** With the shackle rotated, press the shackle down firmly into the lock body.
4. **Set New Combination:** While holding the shackle down, turn the dials to your desired new combination. Ensure the numbers are aligned with the indicator marks.
5. **Release and Return Shackle:** Release the shackle and return it to its original open position (90 degrees clockwise).
6. **Close the Lock:** Push the shackle down to close the lock. Scramble the dials to lock it.

Your new combination is now set. **It is crucial to remember your combination as there is no master key or override.**

4. OPERATING THE PADLOCK

4.1. Opening the Lock

1. Align the dials to your personal 4-digit combination.
2. Pull up on the shackle to release it from the lock body.

4.2. Closing the Lock

1. Insert the shackle back into the lock body.
2. Scramble the dials to a random set of numbers to secure the lock.

5. MAINTENANCE

The Master Lock 653D padlock is designed for durability and requires minimal maintenance. To ensure optimal performance:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the lock body and shackle with a clean, dry cloth periodically to remove dirt and grime.
- **Lubrication:** If the dials become stiff or difficult to turn, apply a small amount of graphite lubricant or a silicone-based spray lubricant to the moving parts. Avoid oil-based lubricants as they can attract dust.
- **Storage:** Store the padlock in a dry environment when not in use to prevent corrosion, especially if exposed to harsh weather conditions.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

6.1. Lock Will Not Open

- **Incorrect Combination:** Double-check that you have entered the correct 4-digit combination. Ensure each number is precisely aligned with the indicator marks.
- **Dials Stiff:** If the dials are stiff, try applying a lubricant as described in the Maintenance section.
- **Forgotten Combination:** Unfortunately, if you have forgotten your combination, there is no way to

reset it without knowing the current code. The lock will need to be replaced.

6.2. Shackle Does Not Press Down During Combination Setting

- Ensure the shackle is rotated exactly 90 degrees from the open position. It must be fully rotated and aligned with the notch inside the lock body to allow it to be pressed down.
- Verify the lock is currently set to the correct combination (or factory default 0-0-0-0) before attempting to rotate and press the shackle.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	653D
Body Width	2 inches (50mm)
Shackle Diameter	1/4 inch (6mm)
Shackle Length (Vertical Clearance)	15/16 inch (24mm)
Shackle Width (Horizontal Clearance)	3/4 inch (19mm)
Material	Alloy Steel, Metal
Lock Type	Combination Lock
Item Dimensions (L x W x H)	5.56 x 3.5 x 0.9 inches
Item Weight	6.88 ounces

A= 1/4"
B= 15/16"
C= 3/4"

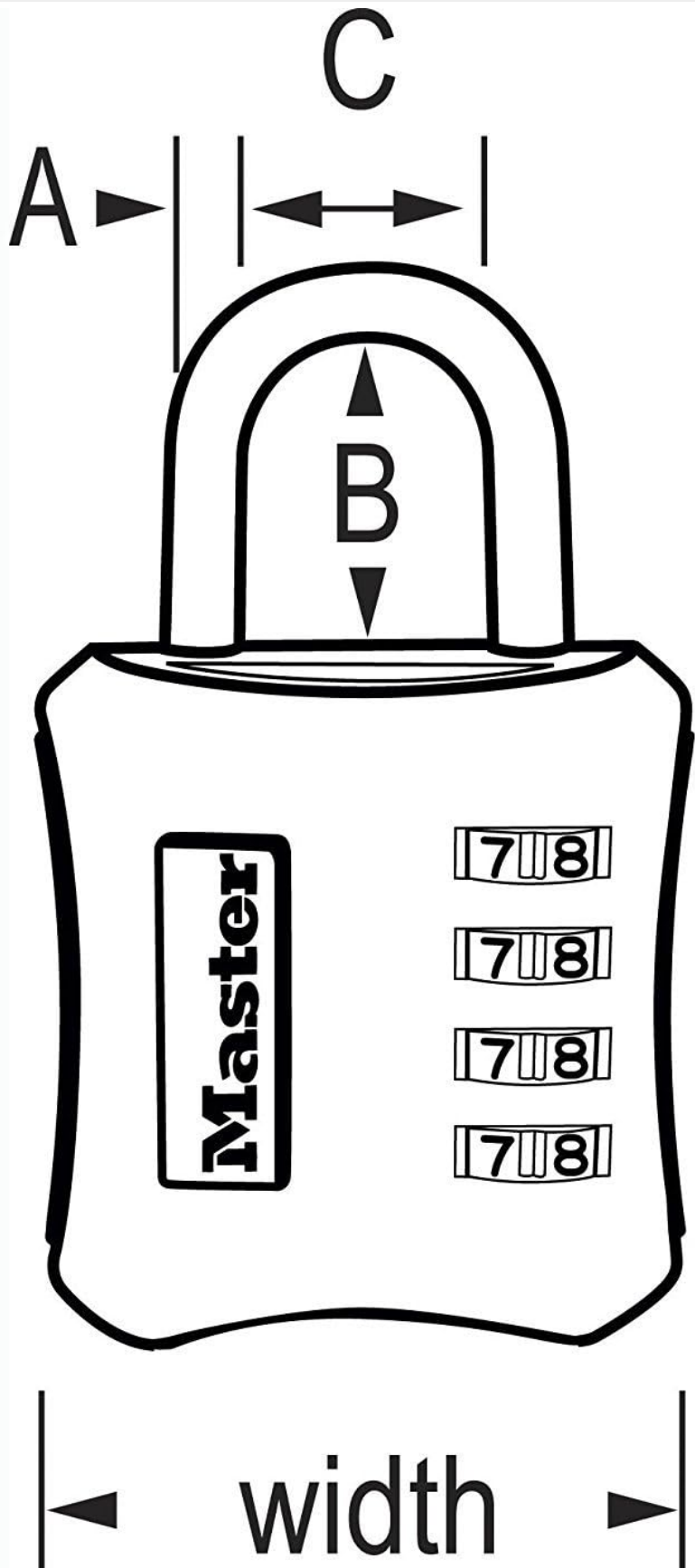


Image 7.1: Master Lock 653D Padlock Dimensions.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Master Lock products are manufactured to stringent quality standards. The Master Lock 653D padlock comes with a **limited lifetime warranty**, providing peace of mind against defects in material and workmanship.

For warranty claims, technical support, or further assistance, please visit the official Master Lock website or contact their customer service department. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

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