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Model: BKD1B-SB

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation of your VAULTEK Barikade Series 1 Biometric Compact Safe. Designed for ease of use and practical security, this safe offers reliable protection for your valuables.

The Barikade Series 1 features quick access biometric and digital keypad entry, a compact design suitable for various items, and robust construction for enhanced security.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always keep backup keys in a secure location away from the safe and out of reach of unauthorized individuals.
- Do not store the backup keys inside the safe.
- Ensure the safe is securely mounted or cabled to prevent unauthorized removal.
- Keep the safe closed and locked when not in use.
- This safe is not water resistant. Avoid exposure to water or high humidity.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Your VAULTEK Barikade Series 1 Biometric Compact Safe package includes the following items:

- VAULTEK Barikade Series 1 Biometric Compact Safe
- (2) Backup Manual Keys
- Steel Security Cable
- Mounting Hardware (screws)
- User Manual (this document)



Image: Two backup manual keys provided for manual access.



Image: Coiled steel security cable for securing the safe.

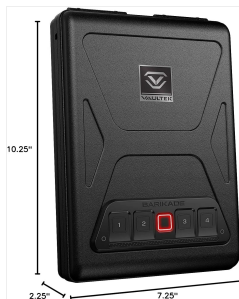


Image: Mounting hardware including screws for installation.

SETUP AND INITIAL USE

Unboxing and Powering On

1. Carefully remove the safe and all accessories from the packaging.
2. Locate the battery compartment (usually on the underside or inside the safe). Install the included batteries, ensuring correct polarity.
3. The safe will power on automatically. The keypad lights may illuminate briefly.

Programming the Master Code

The master code is essential for initial setup and managing other access methods. Refer to the quick start guide included with your safe for specific steps, as timing is crucial during programming.

- Press the program button (often located inside the safe or on the keypad).

- When the keypad lights up, quickly enter your desired master code (4-8 digits).
- Press the program button again to confirm. The safe will beep and the green light will illuminate if successful.

Enrolling Fingerprints (Biometric Model Only)

Your safe can store up to 20 unique fingerprints for quick access.

1. With the safe open, press the program button.
2. Place your finger firmly on the biometric scanner. Lift and replace your finger several times, slightly adjusting its position each time, until the safe confirms enrollment (e.g., green light and beep).
3. Repeat for additional fingers or users.



Manual Key Access

(2) Backup keys included.



Smart Sense™ Digital Keypad

Keypad responds with a simple touch.



Biometric Scanner Access

Capable of storing 20 prints.

Image: Close-up view of the biometric scanner for fingerprint enrollment.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Accessing the Safe

The Barikade Series 1 offers multiple ways to access your valuables:

1. Biometric Fingerprint Access

- Place an enrolled finger firmly on the biometric scanner.
- The safe will unlock if the fingerprint is recognized.



Image: User interacting with the Smart Sense Digital Keypad, which includes the biometric scanner.

2. Digital Keypad Access

- Tap the touch-sensitive keypad to wake it up.
- Enter your programmed 4-8 digit code.
- The safe will unlock upon correct entry.



Biometric Optional

Biometric Model Only

Fast access optional biometric scanner stores up to 20 prints.



Smart Sense™ Digital Keypad

Proprietary touch-sensitive keypad design responds to quick simple taps.



Front Keyway

For use with the included backup manual keys.



Lid Assist

Partially lifts lid when unlocked to make lifting the lid easier.



Interior LED Light

Allows you to easily view your safes contents in the dark.



Anti-Theft

Pry resistant construction + included security cable.



Anti-Impact Latch

Latch is designed to withstand high impact force.



Micro-USB Port

Built-in port powers the safe in the event battery dies.
(micro-USB cable not included)



Interior Lid Organizer

Easily stores cards + documents + cash + more.

Image: The digital keypad with illuminated buttons for code entry.

3. Manual Key Access

- Insert one of the backup keys into the keyway located on the front of the safe.
- Turn the key to unlock the safe.

What's Included



Backup Manual Keys

(2) Backup keys included.



Steel Security Cable

Secure your safe in place.



Mounting Hardware

Pre-drilled for mounting.

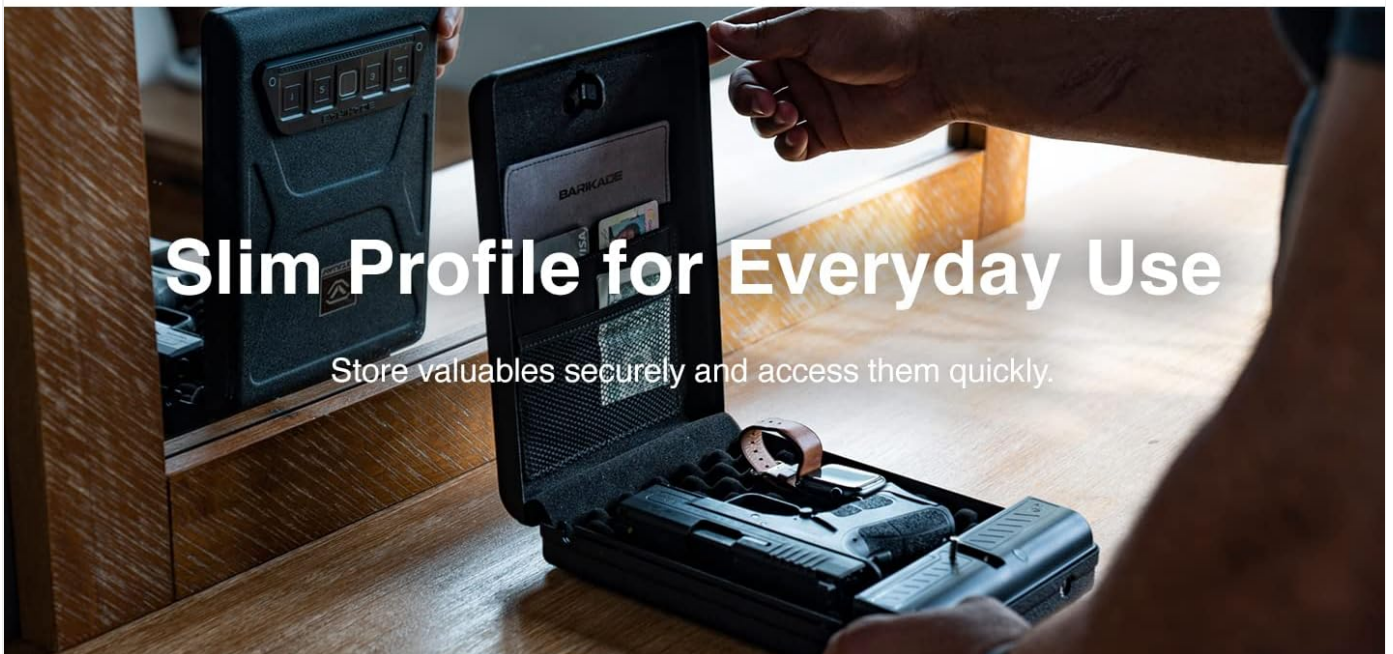


Image: Two manual backup keys for emergency access.

Lid Assist System

Upon unlocking, the safe's lid will partially lift, providing easier access to the contents. This feature is designed for quick and convenient retrieval.

Interior Lid Organizer

The inside of the lid features an organizer with pockets, ideal for storing smaller items such as passports, cards, or documents, keeping them secure and easily accessible.



Interior Dimensions: 8" X 6.875" X 1.7"

Image: The interior lid organizer, showing pockets for small items.

Interior LED Light

An integrated LED light illuminates the safe's interior when opened, allowing for clear visibility of your contents even in low-light conditions.



Slim Profile for Everyday Use

Store valuables securely and access them quickly.

Image: The interior LED light providing illumination inside the safe.

SECURITY FEATURES

Robust Construction

The Barikade Series 1 is constructed from precision-formed 18-gauge rugged steel, providing a durable and secure enclosure for your valuables.

Anti-Pry Design

Reinforced construction and tamper detection features are integrated to resist prying attempts, enhancing the safe's security against unauthorized access.



Image: Detail of the safe's anti-theft construction, highlighting reinforced areas.

Security Cable

An included steel security cable allows you to tether the safe to a fixed object, preventing its removal. This is particularly useful for securing the safe in vehicles or temporary locations.



Image: The safe secured with the steel security cable in a car interior.

Impact-Resistant Latch

The latch mechanism is engineered to withstand high impacts, further safeguarding the contents during drops or forced entry attempts.

POWER MANAGEMENT

Battery Operation

The safe is powered by batteries (type specified in specifications). Replace batteries when the low battery indicator appears to ensure continuous operation.

Micro-USB Port for Backup Power

In the event of battery depletion, the safe can be temporarily powered using a Micro-USB cable (not included) connected to an external power source. This allows you to access the safe and replace the batteries.

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Video: Demonstrates the features of the VAULTEK Barikade Series 1 safe, including biometric access, lid organizer, anti-pry construction, manual key access, steel construction, interior LED light, security cable, and Micro-USB port for backup power. This video is provided by Vaultek Safe Inc.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior of the safe with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Battery Replacement:** Replace batteries promptly when the low battery indicator activates.
- **Keypad and Scanner:** Keep the digital keypad and biometric scanner clean and free of debris for optimal performance.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Safe does not open with digital code:

Ensure the keypad is awake by tapping it. Re-enter the code carefully. If programming a new code, ensure you follow the instructions precisely and quickly, as the unit may time out if there are long pauses. Refer to the "Programming the Master Code" section.

Biometric scanner not recognizing fingerprint:

Ensure your finger is clean and dry. Place your finger firmly and consistently on the scanner. If issues persist, try re-enrolling your fingerprint. The scanner may require multiple attempts for recognition, as noted by some users.

Safe is unresponsive:

Check the battery level. If batteries are depleted, use the Micro-USB port with an external power source to open the safe and replace the batteries.

Lid does not open fully after unlocking:

The lid assist system partially lifts the lid. You may need to manually lift it the rest of the way. This is normal operation.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	VAULTEK
Model Number	BKD1B-SB
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	10.25"D x 7.25"W x 2.25"H
Chamber Depth	1.7 Inches
Lock Type	Electronic (Biometric, Digital Keypad), Manual Key
Material	Alloy Steel (18-gauge)
Color	Black
Special Feature	Portable, Interior LED Light, Lid Organizer, Anti-Pry Construction
Mounting Type	Freestanding (with option for securing via cable or screws)
Alarm	Tamper Indication
Water Resistance Level	Not Water Resistant
Included Components	Safe, (2) Keys, Security Cable, Mounting Hardware



Image: Visual representation of the safe's dimensions: 10.25"D x 7.25"W x 2.25"H.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, product support, or to purchase replacement parts, please visit the official VAULTEK website or contact their customer service department. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of ownership for warranty claims.

Online Resources: www.vaulteksafe.com

