



Car Keys Express FDTXA-3050 Simple Key User Guide

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Car Keys Express FDTXA-3050 Simple Key



Product Information

The product is a replacement key for Ford, Lincoln, Mercury, and Mazda vehicles. It is powered by [CarKeysExpress.com](https://www.carkeysexpress.com) and has a packaging part number of FDTXA-3050. The Simple Key user guide is provided for instructions on pairing the replacement key. Important notes for using the Simple Key:

- The new key blade must be cut before pairing, which can be done at any local hardware store.
- The vehicle battery should be in good condition and fully charged before pairing the new key. It is recommended to turn off headlights, radio, A/C fan, etc. to minimize battery draw during the 10-minute process.

- The EZ Installer should not be used while the vehicle is in motion. It should be unplugged from the OBD port before driving.
- A tamper-evident security label is installed over the EZ Installer connector for security purposes. If the label is missing, damaged, or VOID appears on the EZ Installer, the Simple Key should be exchanged for a new one at the retailer where it was purchased.

Before pairing, it is important to check the Simple Key's compatibility with the make, model, and year of the vehicle using the Compatibility Lookup provided in the user manual.

Product Usage Instructions

1. Find your vehicle's make, model, and year in the CompatibilityLookup on panels 1-2 of the user manual. Turn the dial on the EZ Installer to the position listed for your vehicle's make, model, and year. If there are multiple dial positions listed, try the PRIMARY dial position first and if unsuccessful, try the ALTERNATE dial position.
2. Enter the vehicle and close all doors.
3. Ensure the vehicle is in PARK and the engine is OFF.
4. Insert the new key into the ignition and turn it to the RUN position (the position before starting the engine).
5. Remove the security label from the EZ Installer and firmly insert the EZ Installer into the on-board diagnostic (OBD) port located under the dash. The location of the OBD port can be found in the owner's manual of the vehicle.
6. Once the EZ Installer is inserted, push the button on the end of it to start the pairing process.
7. Follow the on-screen prompts or instructions provided by the Simple Key to complete the pairing process.

Note: It is important to follow the instructions quickly and evenly to avoid timing out the vehicle's computer. If timing requirements are not met, the process may need to be restarted.

For the most up-to-date vehicle compatibility list, visit www.CarKeysExpress.com/Simple-Key.

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IMPORTANT NOTES

- The new key blade **MUST** be cut prior to pairing. It can be cut at any local hardware store.
- Vehicle battery should be in good condition and fully charged prior to pairing the new key. Turn off headlights, radio, A/C fan, etc. to minimize battery draw during the 10-minute process.
- Do not use the EZ Installer™ while the vehicle is in motion. Unplug it from the OBD port before driving the vehicle.
- For your security, a tamper-evident security label is installed over the EZ Installer connector. If this label is missing, damaged, or "VOID" appears on the EZ Installer, please exchange this Simple Key for a new one at the retailer where it was purchased.
- Before pairing, familiarize yourself with the Simple Key's compatibility with the make, model, and year of your vehicle below.

COMPATIBILITY LOOKUP

- MAKE/MODEL/YEAR/PRIMARY DIAL POSITION/ALTERNATE DIAL POSITION

Ford

Edge	2007-09	4	
	2010	1	4
	2011-14	8	
Escape	2005-07	3	
	2008-12	4	5
Expedition	2005-06	3	
	2007-08	4	
	2009-11	5	
	2015-17	8	
Explorer	2004-05	3	
	2006-09	4	
	2010	6	
	2011-15	8	

F-150	2004-08	3	
	2009-10	5	
	2011-14	8	
F-250/350	2008-10	4	
	2011-16	8	
Five Hundred	2005-07	3	
Flex	2009	4	
	2010-12	5	4
	2013-14	8	
Focus	2005-07	3	
	2008-11	5	
Fusion*	2006-09	4	
	2010-12	6	
Mustang	2005-09	3	
	2010-14	6	3
Taurus	2004-07	3	
	2008-09	4	
	2010-12	2	
	2013-17	8	
Taurus X	2008-09	1	

LINCOLN

Mark LT	2006-07	3	
	2008	4	
MKS	2009	4	
MKX	2007-10	4	
MKZ	2007-09	4	
	2010-12	2	
Navigator	2006	3	
	2007-08	4	
	2009-11	5	
Zephyr	2006	4	

MAZDA

Tribute	2005-07	3
	2008-11	4

MERCURY

Mariner	2005-07	3
	2008	4
	2009-11	5
Milan	2006-09	4
	2010-11	6
Montego	2005-06	3
	2007	4
Mountaineer	2004-05	3
	2006-09	4
	2010	6
Sable	2004-07	3
	2008-09	4

Fusion Hybrid is not compatible with Simple Key.

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KEY PAIRING

FORD IGNITION POSITIONS

NOTE: Instructions have timing requirements. If you wait too long between steps, your vehicle's computer may time out, requiring you to start over. Once you begin the pairing procedure, move at a quick and even pace.

- Find your vehicle's make, model, and year in the Compatibility Lookup on panels 1-2. Turn the dial on the EZ Installer to the position listed for your vehicle's make, model, and year.
 - a. NOTE:** If more than one dial position exists for your vehicle, try the PRIMARY dial position first. If you are unable to successfully pair the key, try the ALTERNATE dial position listed for your vehicle.
- Enter the vehicle and close all doors.
- Begin with the vehicle in PARK and the engine OFF.
- Insert the new key into the ignition and turn to RUN (the position before starting the engine).
- Remove the security label from the EZ Installer and insert the EZ Installer firmly into the on-board diagnostic (OBD) port located under the dash.
 - a.** The location of your vehicle's OBD port can be found in your owner's manual.

6. Once the EZ Installer is inserted, push the button on the end of it to start the key pairing process.
 1. **a.** The EZ Installer will beep twice to indicate pairing has begun. NOTE: If the EZ Installer continuously beeps after you press this button, this indicates a problem has occurred. Refer to the Frequently Asked Questions section for help.
7. Wait approximately 10 minutes for the pairing process to finish. Once pairing is complete, the EZ Installer will sound an audible tone.
 1. **a.** The vehicle may also signal that the key is successfully paired to the vehicle. For example, if your vehicle has a digital display, it may show the total number of keys paired.
8. Remove the EZ Installer from the OBD port. If the EZ Installer is left in the OBD port for more than 5 minutes, an alarm will sound, reminding you to remove it.
9. Test the key. Remove it from the ignition, reinsert it, and start the vehicle.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- **Q:** The EZ Installer buzzes 8 times after pushing the button to initiate the pairing process and won't pair the new key.
A: Your vehicle allows a maximum of 8 paired keys. If the vehicle already has 8 paired keys, a new key cannot be paired. If the EZ Installer buzzes 8 times after pushing the button to initiate the pairing process, this indicates that the maximum number of keys have been paired. Please contact Car Keys Express customer service at 888-598-8910.
- **Q:** Can I use the same EZ Installer on other vehicles?
A: No, the EZ Installer can only pair Simple Keys to one vehicle. You have the ability to pair additional Simple Keys to the same vehicle.
Visit CarKeysExpress.com or your local retailer to purchase additional keys. If the EZ Installer sounds a single beep for 5 seconds, then beeps continuously, this signifies that the device has already been used on another vehicle.
- **Q:** The EZ Installer sounds a single beep for 5 seconds, then beeps continuously.
A: This signifies that the device has already been used on another vehicle. The EZ Installer can only pair Simple Keys to one vehicle. Return the Simple Key to the retailer from which you purchased it and exchange it for a new unit.
- **Q:** The new key won't pair to my car.
A: If the EZ Installer doesn't pair the key to the car, the dial position is likely incorrect. If this is the case, the EZ Installer will continuously sound after you press the pairing button. Check the compatibility section on panels 1-2 to confirm the correct dial position for your make, model and year. If an alternate dial position(s) is listed for your vehicle, remove the EZ Installer, turn the knob to the alternate position, and try pairing again. If the key still won't pair, please contact customer service at 888-598-8910.
- **Q:** The EZ Installer beeps continuously when I press the pairing button.
A: Before pressing the pairing button, make sure the EZ Installer is plugged in firmly and the new key is inserted into the ignition and turned to the RUN position. Unplug the EZ Installer, and begin pairing again, starting at step 3.
- **Q:** The EZ Installer was unplugged during the pairing process.
A: The EZ Installer must remain plugged into the OBD port until pairing is complete. If the EZ Installer becomes unplugged during the pairing process, turn the key to the OFF position, remove the key, and begin the pairing

process again, starting with step 3.

- **Q:** The vehicle won't start with the new key or old keys after attempting to pair.
- **A:** Please call Car Keys Express customer service at 888-598-8910.

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HELP: For help or assistance, please contact technical support at: 888-598-8910.

OTHER KEYS

Visit CarKeysExpress.com to find a variety of award-winning products, like Universal Car Keys, Universal Car Remotes, and OEM keys and remotes. New Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram, Nissan, and Infiniti Simple Keys are coming soon.

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MANUAL DE USUARIO

Instrucciones de emparejamiento para llaves de repuesto Ford, Lincoln, Mercury y Mazda.



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Parte del manual de instrucciones número: FDTXA-3050

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