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Stop Thieves in their Tracks



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Deter Displace



ELECTRONICS VAULT

Lockable cover for flush mounted electronics
Welded marine grade 316 stainless steel
High security lock designed for saltwater
Aesthetically attractive
Patent Pending

Defend Defeat



OUTBOARD VAULT

Locking cover secures mounting bolts
Premium marine grade materials
Ultra strong, multi-layer security
Looks great
Patent Application in Progress

Existing Products are Inadequate

Unable to defeat common tools
and methods of attack

Inferior materials and locks

Corrode in the marine environment

Unattractive



Achilles' Heel

- Soft, thin, and weak materials
- Inferior locks vulnerable to common burglary tools and corrosion
- Weak fasteners and backing
- Complicated security devices and systems that end up not being used
- Failure to understand local crime threats where your boat is kept



This lock was easily pried open with a screwdriver.

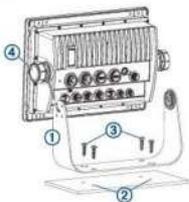


High security, premium quality marine grade lock used by Ocean Vault

Did You Know?

You can use the bracket to ball mount the device on a flat surface. The ball-mount bracket and hardware are included in 8x10 and 8x12 models. The ball mount is available for purchase as an accessory for the 8x16 models.

- Using the ball-mount bracket (1) as a template, mark the pilot holes (2).



- Using a 3 mm (1/8 in.) drill bit, drill the pilot holes.
- Secure the ball-mount bracket to the surface using the included washers and wood screws (3).
- Install the ball-mount knobs (4) on the sides of the device.
- Place the device in the ball-mount bracket, and tighten the ball-mount knobs.
- Install the trim caps by snapping them in place around the edges of the device.

Mounting the Device

NOTICE

Be careful when cutting the hole to flush mount the device. There is only a small amount of clearance between the case and the mounting holes, and cutting the hole too large could compromise the stability of the device after it is mounted.

Use only the included hardware when mounting this device. Using mounting hardware not provided with the device may damage the device.

To avoid potential damage to the powder coating, use only the included screws to mount the device. Using screws other than the ones included will void your warranty.

Do not remove the blue, rubber protective bumper until after the installation is complete. The bumper helps protect the device from damage during installation.

If you will not have access to be back of the device and the microSD memory card slots after installation, you should install the microSD memory card prior to installation.

The included template and hardware can be used to flush mount the device in your dashboard. There are three options for hardware based on the mounting surface material:

- You can drill pilot holes and use the included wood screws.
- You can drill holes and use the included nut plates and machine screws. The nut plates can add stability to a thinner surface.
- You can drill holes, tap them to M4, and use the included machine screws.

- Trim the template and make sure it fits in the location where you want to mount the device.
- Secure the template to the selected location.

- Using an 14.6 mm (5/16 in.) drill bit, drill one or more of the holes inside the corners of the solid line on the template to prepare the mounting surface for cutting.
- Using a jigsaw or rotary tool, cut the mounting surface along the inside of the solid line on the template.
- Place the device in the cutout to test the fit.
- If necessary, use a file and sandpaper to refine the size of the cutout.
- After the device fits correctly in the cutout, ensure the mounting holes on the device line up with the larger 6 mm (1/4 in.) holes on the template.
- If the mounting holes on the device do not line up, mark the new hole locations.
- Based on your mounting surface, drill or punch and tap the larger holes:
 - Drill 3.2 mm (1/16 in.) pilot holes for the included wood screws, and skip to step 18.
 - Drill 6 mm (1/4 in.) holes for the included nut plate and machine screws.
 - Drill and tap M4 holes for the included machine screws, and skip to step 18.
- If using the nut plates, starting in one corner of the template, place a nut plate (1) over the larger hole (2) drilled in step 9.



The smaller hole (3) on the nut plate should line up with the smaller 3.6 mm (1/16 in.) hole on the template.

- If the smaller hole on the nut plate does not line up with the smaller hole on the template, mark the new hole location.

- Repeat steps 10 and 11 for each nut plate.

- Using a 3.6 mm (1/16 in.) drill bit, drill the smaller holes.

- Remove the template from the mounting surface.

- Starting in one corner of the mounting location, place a nut plate (1) on the back of the mounting location, lining up the large and small holes.

- The raised portion of the nut plate should fit into the larger hole.



- Secure the nut plate to the mounting surface by fastening an included M3 screw (3) through the smaller 3.6 mm (1/16 in.) hole.

- Repeat steps 15 and 16 for each of the nut plates along the top and bottom of the device.

- Install the foam gasket (8) on the back of the device.

Garmin Installation Manual

Use only the included hardware when mounting this device. Using mounting hardware not provided with the device may damage the device.

To avoid potential damage to the powder coating, use only the included screws to mount the device. Using screws other than the ones included will void your warranty.

Use of theft resistant screws and nuts when mounting your Garmin will void the warranty.

What About Alarms & Video?

- Important part of a system to secure your boat.
- You still lock your house or car even though you set the alarm.
- Alarms & Video should be monitored.
- Locks must deter and delay thieves until law enforcement arrives.



Marine Theft is Rampant



- 4,400 boats stolen annually in the US
- Boat theft ranks as #1 highest average insurance payout
- 90% of boats never recovered; When they are...
...everything is stripped

It Happens Fast

Thieves steal high-end GPS units from Aventura marina, hitting nearly a dozen boats



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AVENTURA, Fla. — Surveillance video captured two thieves covered from head to toe as they made their way onto the property of Hi-Lift Marina early Thursday morning, moving from boat to boat and targeting high-end GPS electronics.

The video shows the pair arriving just after 2:30 a.m. and quickly moving across the docks. In less than 15 minutes, they hit nearly a dozen vessels, stealing expensive Garmin navigation systems and cutting through wires to remove the units. Boats they couldn't steal from were left damaged.

- Targeted a marina with lots of boats
- “In less than 15 minutes, they hit nearly a dozen vessels.”
- Average law enforcement response time is 12 minutes after being alerted

Marine Theft: High Profit/Low Risk

10 arrested in statewide \$4 million 'sophisticated' boat GPS theft ring

By Matthew McClellan | Published August 24, 2023 8:24am EDT | Florida | FOX 13 News | →



Crime ring targets boat GPS devices

Ten suspects accused of taking part in a sophisticated organized crime ring to steal boat GP devices across Florida have been arrested, Matthew McClellan reports.

MIAMI, Fla. - An organized crime bust spanning the state of Florida unveiled potential marine GPS burglary targets across Pinellas, Hillsborough, Pasco, and Manatee counties, along with more than a dozen others.

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- Low probability of apprehension
- Low security levels
- High value property
- Property crimes result in shorter sentences
- High reoffense rate: 75%+

Organized & Systematic Theft

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LBK Marina Heist Linked to Statewide High-Tech Theft Rings?



As Longboat Key residents ring in the new year, local law enforcement is urging boat owners to remain vigilant following a brazen, high-value burglary at one of the island's most established marinas.

- Organized groups
- Large geographic impact, not just South Florida
- Thieves travel widely and recon new areas
- Millions of dollars lost
- Boat Owners, Marinas, and Dealers must improve security everywhere

Repeating Patterns



- Thieves target areas with high concentration of boats like marinas, canals, and dealerships
- Thieves operate quickly and efficiently, minimizing time at their target
- Security on and around recreational boats and marine facilities is weak & ineffective

They Got Me Too



- Thieves cut the lock on the gate and rammed through in a stolen van
- Broke the lock off the trailer
- “Secure” storage facility alarms were not working
- Stole both engines, binacles, gauges, and electronics

Real World Experience

- If thieves steal your trailered or docked boat, they can take it to a secluded location where they have time and secrecy to strip it.
- Thieves prefer to be quick and mobile.
- They may arrive by boat, vehicle, bicycle, or on foot.
- Electronics, fishing rods, and propellers are very easy for criminals to carry away.
- Lower units are relatively easy to steal.



Marine Security Redefined.



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Founder, Ocean Vault, Inc.

Lifelong boater and boat owner

Over 26 years law enforcement experience

Florida Crime Prevention Practitioner

Boat Theft Victim

Started Ocean Vault in 2025

Premium Quality Marine Security Hardware