

Instructions for the Easy Entrie profile milling machine

Easy entriePC

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These instructions provide a guide as to the proper use of the Easy entrie profile milling machine with the PC Software. The material has been prepared in conjunction with the manufacturer. Detailed information can be found in **LSS+** regarding the use of this machine.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Easy entrie is intended for use in duplicating non-restricted keyways and blanks. The PC Software allows for the replication of profiles that may be restricted or patented. Source keys that are measured and produced in Fine-Profile mode may infringe on patents, or if an attempt is made to replicate certain functions of the key as it interacts with the locking mechanism. For this reason, the software is only available to government agencies. The user is cautioned to check specific laws of the jurisdiction where the machine is utilized, and regulations of the individual agency with regard to such practice.

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The following three modes are available within the program to **store**, **manipulate**, and **import** profile information.



Data base

The key profiles that are measured with the Easy entrie or derived from a digital image can be kept in the data base files that are created by the program. Within each profile record, notes and information can be stored for later reference. The profile can be replicated or modified from this information, and the data can then be transferred to the Easy entrie directly from the program.



Profile manipulation

Profiles can quite easily be manipulated with the cursor. Individual areas of the profile can be erased or enhanced or modified without difficulty.



Photo profile

A digital image of a keyway can be utilized by the Easy entrie software to replicate and modify its characteristics and to create a blank key. Any digital camera can be used to produce the image, which is imported into the program. The "draw mode" allows any desired alteration to be made to the profile.

Required hardware and software

PC or Laptop with Win98, Win2000, Windows XP Pentium 200 MHz or faster processor Monitor with a minimum resolution capability of. 800 x 600 pixels Serial Port (Com) or serial port adapter RS232 to DIN cable to interconnect the Easy entrie to the PC Adobe Photoshop or similar image manipulation program Digital camera

Installation

Be certain that the Easy entrie is turned off.

Data cable PC ---> Easy entrie

Insert the DIN connector on the serial cable into **socket 2** on the back side of the Easy entrie.

Insert the nine-pin D connector serial plug into the RS232 serial port of the PC.

<u>Note</u>: Newer laptops have only USB-Ports and no RS232 serial interfaces. In such event, you must obtain a USB to serial adapter. They are generally referred to as **USB to serial port adapter**, or **USB to RS232 adapter**. After installation of the driver software for the adapter, this simulates a serial port as the USB Port.



Easy Entrie PC Program Installation

Run the "setup.exe" file on the CD. The software will be installed in the directory: "C:\Program Files\Easy entriePc" **Please do not alter this installation directory.**

After program installation, apply power to the Easy entrie.

Start the program

Start the program with the Easy entrie button in the Windows Start-menu.



This will take you to the main menu.

Security code

The PC software requires the entry of a specific code for each machine prior to use. Serial numbers are generated by the manufacturer for each machine and cannot be interchanged.

Select **"program options"** in the main menu and then **code alters** and input the code sequence. Entry of the correct code will indicate that the Easy entrie has been connected to the PC.

Once the code is properly entered select "code stores" and close the code entry program.

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Save Profile Possible causes and solutions:	
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First connection with the Easy entrie

If the Easy entrie is connected to your computer but does not show a connected status, select "connection tests" to determine the problem.

Main Menu			Profile from the Tip of the key
	easyentrie Status	Connection Trouble? Click	
Show Database			
Save Profile	it takes about 2-3 minutes.		
Profile Manipulation			
Photo Profile	After measuring please click at the button below.		
Program Options Exit Program	The present options:		
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Main Menu			Profile from the Tip of the key
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Photo Profile	send the Profile, shown right, to th	e easyentrie.	
	Please click one of the options be	low:	
Program Options	The present options:		
Exit Program	Measure	actual key	
	Send the Profile from I	the PC to the easyentrie	
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If there is a connection failure, the program can be restarted to establish a connection with the PC.

The installation has been completed successfully.

Selection of Language

Easy entrie prompts are provided in German or English.



The main menu provides the four primary options within the program. Note that this software is only available to government agencies.

Main Menu			Profile from the Tip of the key
	easyentrie Status	Connection Trouble? Click	
Show Database			
Save Profile			
Profile Manipulation			
Photo Profile			
		EasyEntriePc	×
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Program Uptions	The present options:	Ohne gültigen Sicherheits-Code ist der Verkauf oder die kommerzielle Nutzung r	nicht zulässig!
Exit Program		Legally protected software!	
		Without valid security code, the sale or the commercial usage are no	t allowable
		OK	

Main Program

A blank screen is displayed when the main program is first launched. It provides soft buttons to connect the computer to the Easy entrie machine and displays in the middle screen the current status of the system.

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Show Database		netei	
Save Profile	easyentrie is in Menu:		
	Deutsch / English		
Profile Manipulation	please click the button below		
Photo Profile			
Program Options	The present options:		
Exit Program	continue wit	th this button	

Main Menu			Profile from the Tip of the key
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Show Database		herel	
	easyentrie is in Menu:		
Save Profile	Normal Function		
Profile Manipulation	Special Programs		
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Photo Profile	After it please click the button below	v	
Program Options	The present options:		
Exit Program	Normal (measuring, s	end data, cutting)	
	start	over	

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	Please click one of the options be	elow	
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Exit Programm	Measuring Send the profil from	the INPUT key n the PC to easyentrie	1 b 1
	start eas	yentrie new	

After starting the program, you are in the main menu screen. The main program controls the connection to the Easy entrie and starts all function modules. Upon exiting from any module, you will be returned to the main menu.

Identification of menu items:

1. All modules can be initiated with these four buttons

Data base with all stored profiles

Profile manipulation for erasing or adding to any part of a profile

Photo profile for making keys from a photograph of the keyway

Program options for:

setting the number of the serial port for changing the directories to input the security code

2. In the middle block, control of the Easy entrie takes place, and display of current status.

3. These buttons control active operations of the Easy entrie.

4. The active keyway is displayed. The graphic is oriented like a profile cylinder, with the base of the blade on top.

The two critical status displays of the Easy entrie:



EasyEntriePC Foto Version ??		
The Cutting Menu	easyentrie-Status	Trouble with Connection? Klick here!
If the Easy entrie is in the Cutting Menu, you can execute the following functions: The stored profile in the Easy entrie can be cut. The profile of a previously measured key can be sent to the PC to store for later cutting.	basyentrie is in the CUTTING-MENUE There is an Key-Profil in the easyentri You can cut an Rohlex with this Profi You can send this Profil from the easy Please click at one of the buttons bel (If you want to messure an other key, from PC to the easyentrie, please clic	e. , or ventrie to the PC. ow or if you want to send an Profil k >Back to Main-Menue<)
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	Send the profil from ea	isyentrie to the PC
	Back to the M	ain-Menue
	start easyen	trie new

The cutting menu

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CUTTING MENU		
Profile Manipulation There is a Key Profile in the easyentrie.	There is a Key Profile in the easyentrie.	
Photo Profile You can cut a Rohlex with this Profile, or		
You can send this Profile from the easyentrie to the PC.		
Please click one of the buttons below:		
(If you want to measure another key, or if you want to send a Profile from the PC to the easyentrie, please click >Back to Main Menu<)		
Program Options The present options:		
Cut this Profile		
Send the Profile from easyentrie to the PC		
Back to the Main Menu		
start over		

These program options allow the profile to be cut from data stored witihin the Easy entrie, or from the program, as sent from the Easy entrie. If the profile is measured from an original key that is placed in the Easy entrie, then that profile will be displayed as shown on the right panel.

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	You can send this Profile from the	e easyentrie to the PC.	
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Program Options	The present options:		
Exit Program			
	Cut t	his Profile	
	Send the Profile fro	om easyentrie to the PC	
	Back to t	he Main Menu	

Manipulation of a profile that has been measured in the Easy entrie

The displayed profile can be directly manipulated, as described in a later section. Material can be added or removed, and the profile can be made thinner or thicker, as shown.





Profile Manipulation	Profile from the Tip of the key		
		Calculate the new Profile	
		Send Profile to	the Main Menu
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		<> + 0,1 mm	>< - 0,1 mm
	_	€ erase	C paint
		\leftrightarrow 2.33 mm	1.95 mm



Profile Manipulation	Profile from the Tip of the key
	Calculate the new ProfileSend Profile to the Main MenuSend Profile to the Main Menu $(-)$ Cancel $(-)$
Profile Manipulation	Profile from the Tip of the key Calculate the new Profile Send Profile to the Main Menu

The calculation process scans the entire profile, indicated by an overlay color.

Cancel

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<---> + 0,1 mm

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The Data base

In this set of screens, we can retrive a stored profile **from** the data base, or save a new or modified profile **to** the data base.



Once the Easy entrie is connected to the PC, all measured profiles are displayed on the screen, as shown. The user then has an array of options, including the ability to save the profile, or modify it and save the modification

Database	Profil if you look the front of the key	Take the Profile into Main-Program
Lock-Name / Note: A06 Lock-Manufacture: ? Master-System-Number: ? Key-Number: ? Text key site 1: ? Text key site 2: ? Note: ? I< < 2 5 > > seek 5		

- 1. In these fields, information can be entered regarding the stored key profile.
- 2. With these navigation buttons you can go to the next or previous stored profile.
- 3. This field shows an enlarged profile of the key.
- 4. The following buttons are available:

Take profile to the main program	Transfer the selected profile to the main menu. Then it can be sent to the Easy entrie or you can manipulate the profile.
Delete profile from the data base	The profile would be delete from the hard disk
Back to the main menu	Return without transferring the profile to the main menu

5. Search profiles having the same text.

With this module, it is easy to manipulate a profile with the mouse erase/paint icon.

- 1. In this field, the key profile is enlarged.
- 2. Erase or paint any desired area of the profile.
- 3. These two options are available:

Calculate the profile	After erasing or painting parts of the profile with the cursor, the data of the profile is recalculated
Export the profile to the Database	The manipulated profile will transfer to the main menu. The profile can then be cut with the Easy entrie or stored in the data base.

- 4. The left button will increase the thickness of the profile. The right button will reduce the thickness of the profile.
- 5. Select this option to paint additional material to the profile. It is the opposite of the function of the erase button.

Photo Profile

This function is only available to government agencies. It allows the replication of a blank profile from a digital image of a keyway that is imported into the Easy entrie PC software.

Proper procedure for capturing and importing digital images

Take a photograph of the face of the cylinder at a perpendicular angle.

Do not use a strobe, if possible.

Import the photograph into Adobe Photoshop, Paint, Paint shop, or other image manipulation software.

Crop the image as shown in the photograph below.

It is helpful if you have the outside diameter of the plug as shown in the picture below, although it is not necessary, as different values can be input to match the circumference of the image. In this screen, a value of 13mm has been input. It can be seen that the reference circle is smaller than in the screen below that has a value of 17mm input to the program.

		Photo Profile Diameter reference circle: 17mm Profilzylinder Aussen (Standard)
	$\langle \rangle$	13 mm
/	$\langle \rangle$	Load photo
		Draw Profile
		Drawing of the Profile is ready
		Takes on the drawn Profile
		Click >Load Photo≺ than select an Lock-Photo (only JPG-Format)
		Move the drawing points
		Cancel



Save the picture as a JPG file.

The normal path is: "C:\Program Files\Easy entriePc\ZylinderFotos" You can also save the photo to another location, including a floppy disk

Photo Profile
Diameter reference circle:
17mm Profilzylinder Aussen (Standard)
17 mm
Load photo
Draw Profile
Drawing of the Profile is ready
Takes on the drawn Profile
Click >Load Photox than select an Lock-Photo (only JPG-Format)
Move the drawing points
Cancel

Enter the <load profile> command, then.select the path for the image.

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 Select the outside diameter of the plug. The normal diameter of profile cylinder locks as are used in Germany is 17,00 millimetres The pink circle shows the reference. You can change the reference-circle to any desired diameter, as shown in the earlier photograph.

It is critical to use the correct diameter in order that the profile will be milled precisely to scale.

2. Click the button **<Load Photo>**, select the photograph of the plug (3) and click OK.

Adjust the Photograph



After loading the photograph, you can adjust the outside diameter of the plug as shown in the pink referencecircle. It is critical that this be done properly.

All the slide switches (1-4) have two ways to move (like in every windows program):

- If you click on the arrows, they slide in small steps
- If you click beside the arrows, they slide in larger steps.

The function of the slide switches:

- 1. moves the photo left or right
- 2. moves the photo up or down
- 3. makes the photo narrower or wider
- 4. adjusts the photo shorter or taller
- 5. The last photo-calibration can be repeated.



Here the outside diameter is measured **incorrectly**. Note that the reference circle is aligned to the perimeter of the profile and its outer housing, **and not of the plug**. In order for precise replication of a profile to occur, the circle **must be aligned to the exact diameter of the plug**, as shown below.



Draw the profile

The program does not map the image automatically, but requires the operator to trace the outline. The program will correlate the information to mill the blank to a 1:1 scale of the plug diameter, as established by the reference circle and the perimeter of the plug. The sequence shows the required direction of mapping of the keyway.



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	Takes on the drawn Profile	
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1. Select <Draw Profile>

Draw the profile by clicking the left mouse button from point to point (2, 3) around the keyway, from upper left, down, across, and back up the right side of the profile. Do not draw the exact profile, but leave some room, as shown. The outline of the keyway should be a bit smaller than the actual photograph.

- 4. When the drawing is complete, select this button.
- 5. This signifies that drawing is complete and the profile is ready for export to the main menu.
- 6. This function is not often required. Use if a drawing point must be moved. If the cursor is placed at a junction point in the trace of the keyway, the connected line will move with the cursor until the point is clicked again. Think of this function as a switch, turning on and off the move command.

Schlage Everest: Example of import and modification of profile

The Schlage Everest keyway is one of the more difficult profiles to replicate because of the patented undercut. The author replicated this profile by drawing around the undercut, and then using the Peterson picking tool to defeat the check pin that retains the plug in position until it is lifted.



The photograph (left) shows the standard Everest undercut key inserted into the plug. Note the interaction of the undercut and the channel that runs along the blank. The photograph (right) shows the blank that was created on the Easy entrie, and how the undercut is bypassed through the drawing mode (below).

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	Draw Profile
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	Profile is ready. Please click at >Takes on the drawn Profik Move the drawing points
	Cancel
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Profil Manipulation	Profil if you look the front of the key	Calculate the Profil Take the Profile into Main-Program Here you can manipulate the Profil. Click beside the Profil on the left mouse-button you can "erase" some parts of the Profil can "erase" some parts of the Profil Cancel << - 0,1 mm	
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After "Take on the ready profile" is selected, the profile appears in the module "Profile Manipulation".

Action: Click the button "Calculate the Profile". After a few seconds the calculated profile will appear in red and yellow overlays. If there are white parts near the profile, these should be erased with the cursor.

Action: "Take the Profile into the Main-Program"

Now you can send this profile to the Easy entrie to cut a key blank. Be certain to save the profile into the data base for later manipulation.

Note: Once a profile is produced, it can be used to impression a lock. For this application, the blade can be thinned by using the width tool or the erase tool.

See LSS+ for additional information regarding the use of Easy entrie.

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