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## Lock system for guitar straps "security lock"

### Button montage instruction

- With the help of an appropriate screwdriver, unscrew your instrument's old strap buttons. Keep the original screws and soft pads (if there are any).
- Pull apart the Security Lock's button (which will be attached to your instrument's body) and the lock (which will be attached to your strap). In order to do this, pull back the head of the lock (A) and then pull the button in the direction indicated by the arrow (B). The lock will not move if its head is not pulled back (fig. 1 and 2).
- Check if the original button screws match the slots in the Security Lock buttons. The head of the screw should nor protrude from the top of the button.
- If the original screws can be reused, use them to attach the Security Lock buttons. This ensures the strongest and safest hold. Remember to use the soft pads, if there were any. Be careful not to damage the instrument's finish with the screwdriver. You can use a piece of soft cloth to protect it (fig. 3).
- If the original screws do not fit in the slots of the new buttons, use the screws provided in the set. If the holes in the instrument are too big and loose to provide a stable hold for the new screws, do not mount the Security Lock yourself and contact the nearest luthier.

#### CAUTION:

Loose button screws may cause a sudden fall and serious damage to your instrument!

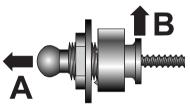


fig. 1

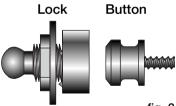


fig. 2

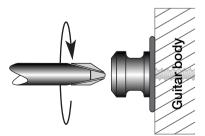


fig. 3

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The lock has three parts (fig. 4):

- the hook (1)
- the washer (2)
- the screw (3)
- Unscrew the screw and remove the washer.
- Insert the hook in the hole of the strap (*fig. 5*). The slot in the lock through which the button will be inserted should rest on the inner side of the strap and face towards the middle of the strap (or up). The surface of the strap should cling tightly to the surface of the hook. If the hole in the strap is too small, it should be appropriately widened. If the strap is too thick, it should be appropriately thinned by a professional (for example a shoemaker).
- Place the washer back in its place and use the screw to tighten the lock with a 13 mm spanner/wrench. Using a wrong tool may damage the screw, creating sharp edges which can cause damage to the instrument, skin or clothes.

# CAUTION! If the screw is not tightened enough, it may fall off, which in the worst scenario may result in a sudden fall and serious damage to your instrument!

- Fasten the locks by pushing the buttons inside the slots until you hear a click (*fig. 6*). This way the strap is firmly attached to the instrument and it can be detached from it only by pulling the heads of the locks and pulling the locks off the buttons.
- If the ends of the strap are made of a thick elastic material, be sure to check the tightness of the screws after a few days.

#### ADVICE

Remember to periodically check if the screws are in place and if they are tightly attached to the lock.



