

Cleaning and maintaining the lock mechanism of the door

The hooks inside the door is part of the lock mechanism of the safe. It is the movable long part with hooks that sits on the side of the door. It rises when the handle is pushed down and goes down when the handle is pushed up. It moves up and down between two fixed points.

The hooks should normally go up all the way when opening. When closing, it should touch the bottom.

Over time, dust and dirt can end up in the lock mechanism, which makes the handle/lock mechanism feel more sluggish. You can easily clean and maintain this, by using spray-oil and/or grease-spray along the regulation.

Please read this entire instruction carefully before starting.

The cabinet door must be open during all steps.

1. Buy a can of spray-oil (eg. 556 or WD-40). Open the door, then put the handle in the locked position (with the door still open).
2. Oil the hooks/lock mechanism by spraying both sides of the hooks (both outer and inner sides, see pictures below). Start by spraying at the top of the regulation, then continue down towards the bottom.
3. When you have put oil along the hooks on both sides, all the way down, enter your code/turn the key to the open position. Then pull the handle up and down a few times so that the oil spreads evenly of the lock mechanism.

If the hooks does not go all the way up when you use the handle; grab the handle with one hand and the hooks with the other, at the same time as you push the handle down, you assist the hooks pushing up with the other hand, repeat a few times.

4. Let the safe sit, with the door open, for a few minutes. Place a cloth underneath door, to protect the floor as it can drip dirt and oil.

5. Try opening the cabinet and see if the hooks/handle moves more easily, and check to see that the hooks goes all the way up and down. If not you might have to repeat the process once more, from step 1.

6. If you have access to a can of grease spray, you can finish by applying this in between the hooks (follow step 2).

Grease will lubricate the lock mechanism for a longer period of time and protects the hooks from dirt, so that the safe does not needs to be maintained/lubricated again for a longer time.

Please contact us if you have further questions!

Outer side

Inner side

