

Bolt down instructions

In order to meet insurance regulations a safe weighing less than 1000 kg must be anchored. Most insurers will require fixing to a suitable brick / concrete wall or floor using a masonry fixing. Fixing to wooden flooring is not uncommon but you may need to discuss this with your insurers to make sure you meet their requirements.

If the anchoring material – based on the quality of the floor – is not suitable for proper anchoring, the required material must be adjusted on the floor specifications.

These instructions are for anchoring the safe to a concrete floor only. If the safe is to be anchored to the floor with carpet or wood, Dujardin assumes no liability for any damages that may occur during this process.

STEP 1:

Place the safe in the desired location. Before marking or drilling any holes ensure that there are no pipes or cables present at the fixing point. If there is skirting board present this should be removed to allow the safe to be fitted flush against the wall.

STEP 2:

Open the door of the safe and remove any shelves. Using a pencil or sharp object, mark out the position of the drilling hole(s). Most safes have the hole in the middle of the unit.

If you are base fixing in a carpeted area, cut away a small square that is large enough to accommodate the bolt and the mounting hole.

STEP 3:

Close the safe and remove it to provide sufficient space to drill the fixing holes.

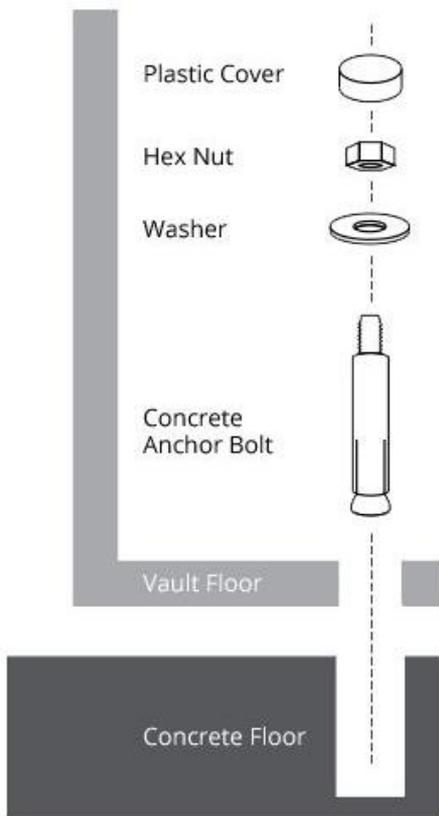
STEP 4:

Drill a hole to the depth required as per your specific safe fixing instructions (preferably with a hammer drill or percussion drill). A general rule of thumb when using concrete / masonry fixings is to use a drill 1mm larger than the fixing itself.

STEP 5:

Clear the drill holes and remove any debris using a vacuum cleaner.

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STEP 6:

Reposition your safe over the mounting hole. Line it up so that the hole in the safe sits directly over the hole in the floor.

Make sure the safe is level on the floor. Use shims to level the safe.

STEP 7:

Insert the bolt through the base of the safe and into to hole. You may need to hammer the bolt 2 or 3 times in order to fit into the hole.

STEP 8:

Tighten the nut on the anchor with a socket and ratchet. This will expand the sleeve of the concrete anchor bolt and secure the anchor bolt into the concrete floor. Keep turning it until it is tight and unable to turn any further.

STEP 9:

Place the plastic (floor) covers.

Alternatively you can have the safe professionally installed by Dujardin. Delivery and installation will be booked in advance giving you a day and a time slot. When the crew arrive with your safe they will carry out remedial checks on your chosen safe location and advise on any potential installation problems and look for suitable alternative areas if appropriate. Our installation crew carry a variety of high quality fixings to ensure we always get the best fixing of your safe.