

MX ALPHA—Restricted Key Control

Designed to work with most existing hardware, MX Alpha by GMS offers restricted key control without costly investment in new hardware. Retrofitting most existing systems with MX Alpha is easy and affordable. Security managers can rest assured that the keys used in their facilities cannot be duplicated at hardware stores or big box retailers.

These cylinders are designed to be master keyed, grand master keyed and great grand master keyed and will work with both traditional style cylinders as well as both SFIC and LFIC interchangeable cores all in one system.

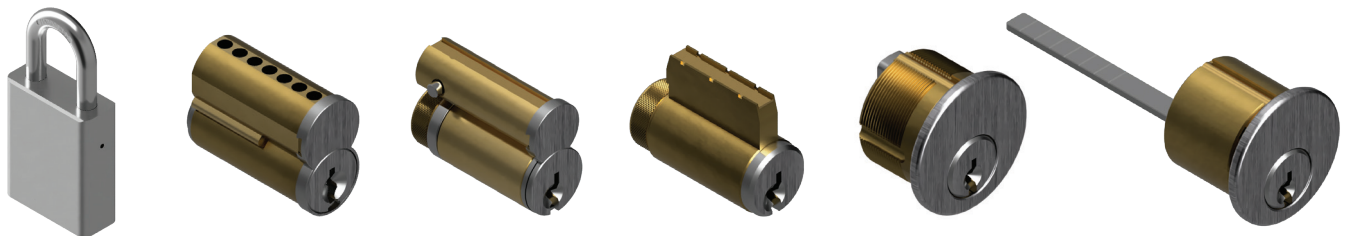
The MX Alpha system is easily pinned using Best diameter pins. Investment in equipment to pin or cut keys is minimal. GMS Alpha is the easy choice for key control for your facility.



FEATURES

- ▶ Restricted keyway to prevent unauthorized key duplication
- ▶ Works with standard mortise, rim, key in knob cylinders, LFIC and SFIC cores
- ▶ Allows pinning an entire building across commercial applications on one system
- ▶ Utilizes Best A2 pinning system
- ▶ Made with nickel silver keys and bottom pins
- ▶ Keys are serialized for key control and are sold separately from the cylinders
- ▶ Competitive price point pinning kits available
- ▶ Seven pin cylinders allow for large master key systems
- ▶ Contractual agreement between GMS and Distributor. Contact your local Distributor for availability in your area to become an authorized Dealer

ONE KEY FITS ALL



MX Alpha cylinders are manufactured to the exacting specifications you have come to expect from GMS.

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A PERFECT FIT

MX ALPHA FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q Is MX Alpha a patented system?

No it is not. MX Alpha is a series of exclusive keyways that have restricted distribution. GMS will only sell MX Alpha to authorized distributors who have signed agreements with GMS.

Q Is MX Alpha a UL437 cylinder?

No it is not.

Q Do I need special pins to pin a MX Alpha cylinder?

MX Alpha uses Best diameter nickel silver pins. To pin KIK, Rim, Mortise and LFIC Cores some special length bottom pins are required. They are available from GMS. SFIC cores use standard Best pins.

Q Does GMS offer a pinning kit?

Yes we do. It is part number KIT-PINMXA. Replenishment pins are available from GMS through your distributor.

Q How is key control maintained?

GMS only sells the keys to authorized distributors. Each box of 50 keys has a unique number that is recorded when GMS ships to the authorized distributor. The distributor then records the key number that is shipped to the dealer.

Q What are the keys made of?

They are nickel silver.

Q Are the keys shoulder or tip stop?

They are shoulder stop.

Q How do I cut the keys?

Keys can be cut using the HPC 1200 key machine using a card available from GMS through your distributor. The part number is CARD-MXA. This will provide the correct depth and spacing. The ITL 9700 machine can be programmed to cut by code as well. The instructions are available from GMS.

Q Are special tools needed to cap the SFIC Cores?

Yes. The capping tool is made by GMS and available through your distributor.

Q Can I use standard cams on the MX mortise cylinder?

No, due to the width of the key a different cam is required. MX Alpha will use the CAM 5 series.

► *For questions or to order, please contact your local GMS Sales Representative or Distributor.*

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