How To Use A Lock Pick Gun
(BPG-25/15/10)

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Introduction

Welcome to BROCKHAGE’s guide to using a Lock Picking Gun. Here we will cover the different kinds of Lock Picking Guns, how they work, why you should use them and how to use the BPG-25/15/10. Throughout this guide there will be images to help you follow along or answer any questions you might have that isn’t covered in the text.

The company began in 1997 by providing U.S. made tools to locksmith schools and distributors overseas. We also sold tools direct to locksmiths through this website. The company soon began importing select useful tools from around the world and distributing these tools in the U.S., direct and through other distributors. In 2000, we introduced our own line of tools branded, BROCKHAGE®.

Today, BROCKHAGE® tools have become well known worldwide for their quality, endurance, and effectiveness. At the same time, LockPicks.com is becoming more and more well known in the U.S. as a great source for hard to find along with some of the most commonly found locksmith supplies.
Section 1: Different Kinds of Lock Picking Guns

A manual lock picking gun is a tool that can be used to force open a mechanical pin tumbler lock (a common type of cylinder lock) without using the key. A needle is inserted into the lock and the gun fires the rod against all of the lock pins simultaneously when the trigger is pulled over and over again, momentarily freeing the cylinder and enabling it to be turned using a tension wrench. The lock picking gun is an alternative to a conventional lockpick, which requires other techniques such as raking to free the pins.

A electrical lock picking gun is a tool that also can be used to force open a pin tumbler lock without using a key. A needle is inserted into the lock and the gun fires the rod against all of the locks simultaneously when the trigger is pulled, unlike the manual lock picking gun, you can just hold down the trigger and it will fire constantly in till you release the trigger.

There are varies kinds of picks for these types of guns, allowing you to pick tumblers, dimples, and plug spinner pins.
Section 2: How Lock Picking Guns Work

A lock picking gun works on the principal of inertia or for example Newton’s Cradle. The steel rod from the lock picking gun strikes the pins simultaneously when you pull the trigger. Hitting each pin so quickly it separates the pins allowing you catch the pins above the shear line of the lock with your tension wrench and open the lock.

Depending on the kind of pins inside the lock you might have to strike the pins multiple times, to get all the pins above the shear line and open the lock. But the principal still works the same.

A lock picking gun speeds up the time it takes to pick a lock, but not all locks can be picked with a lock picking gun. Locks with Separated pins or that are counter drilled can be very difficult to almost impossible to pick with any lock picking gun.

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Section 3: Why to Use a Lock Picking Gun

There are many situations where a lock picking gun is very handy and some situations that a lock pick gun isn’t worth pulling out of your bag. Lock pick guns cannot pick wafer style locks; the striking action just doesn’t translate to this style of locks.

Yet, when it comes to tumbler locks, lock picking guns are amazing! It allows for quick picking of tumbler locks and if you are hired to open multiple tumblers, you will be able to get through them in no time. Lock pick guns are one of those tools in your bag that is a convenience with it is applicable or needed.
Section 4: How to Use a Lock Picking Gun

Finally we can discuss how to use these handy tools! This will demonstrate how to use the BPG-25 “The Machine Gun”, but it is the same for the BPG-10 & BPG-15.

Step 1 - Inserting the Needle into the Lock Picking Gun

Select the pick you want to use.

Unscrew the pick tension screw.

Slide your pick into the needle slot completely.

Tighten the tension screw down to hold the needle in place.
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Step 3 - Securing the Lock and Inserting the Tension Wrench

Secrue your lock either in your hand or in a vice.

Place your tension wrench in the bottom of the key way.

Apply some tension to get a feel for the lock.

Release your tension to reset the pins.

Hold slight tension when you insert the needle of the gun into the lock.

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Section 4: How to Use a Lock Picking Gun

Step 4 - Inserting the Needle of the Gun & Picking

Make sure the needle can reach all of the pins.

Do not pinch the needle in the back of the key way.

Also do not pinch the needle in the front either.

Apply slight tension with your wrench.

Pull the trigger till it clicks once, if no pins set apply a little more tension.

Keep adjusting tension and pulling the trigger till you get a false set or unlock.

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Section 4: How to Use a Lock Picking Gun

Step 4 - Inserting the Needle into the Lock & Picking

As you set the pins remove the needle from the lock.

Continue to apply tension and open the lock.

Feel proud that you have successfully open a lock with a lock picking gun!

The time in which it takes to pick a lock varies on the pins inside of it. Don’t give up, try angling the needle slighting up or down to strike the pins differently.

We hope this guide has been helpful and if you have any questions please feel free to contact LockPicks.com at any time. Also check the website out often for the latest deals on lock picking equipment.

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