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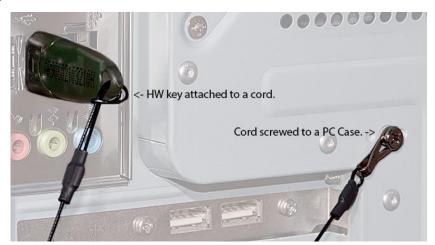
# Safeguard - the HW key protection

Especially in large labs or universities, where many people have access to the PC with Clarity, the protective hardware key can be mistaken for a USB flash disk and accidentally taken away. To decrease the risk of unintentional removal of the HW key, DataApex provides the Safeguard, an iron cord that can attach the HW key to the computer. It is available as p/n ACC01.

#### Limited liability

This is not a high-security solution that could prevent theft; however, it will make it less likely. DataApex is not responsible for lost keys. Losing a HW key equals losing the license for the software. See the rest of this document for more advice on protecting the HW key.

### Option 1: Safeguard + screw at the back of the case

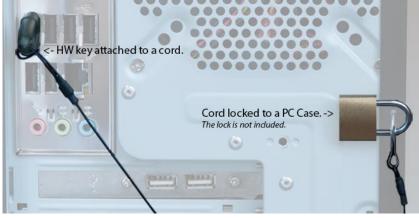


Safeguard attached to the backside of the PC using a screw

The size of the metal eyelet fits the screws that are used in most PC Cases.

## Option 2 – Safeguard attached using a lock

The safeguard can be attached to a desk or other part of the equipment that cannot be easily removed.



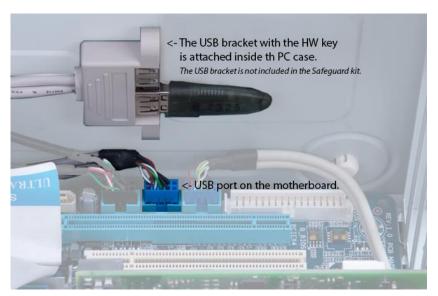
Safeguard attached to an eyelet on the PC Case using a lock

Many PC cases have a loop at the back to enable locking the case; this is used in the above image.

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### Option 3 - Put the HW key inside the PC

Most PCs today have additional USB ports on the motherboard. Attaching the HW key to the USB and leaving it inside the PC is possible. Since it will not be visible from the outside, the passers-by will not be tempted to take it. This is probably the safest way to protect your HW key. The USB bracket (ca 2 EUR) can be purchased in any PC shop.



Clarity HW key is hidden inside the PC case