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Next-Generation MFA
for the Strongest Security

User Guide



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Congratulations on choosing the strongest MFA with the greatest user convenience.

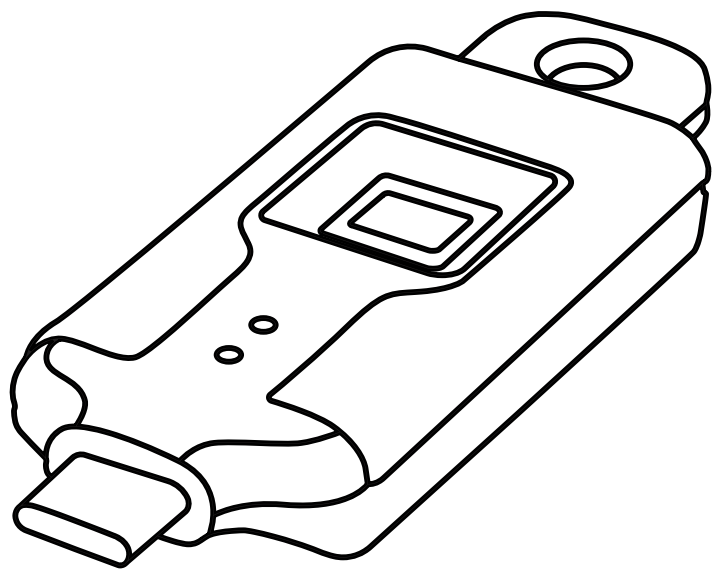
Token BioSticks provide protection against phishing and social engineering, malware attacks including ransomware, and data breaches.



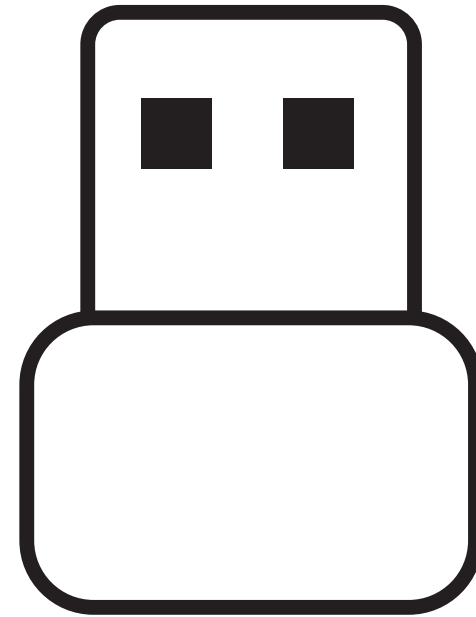
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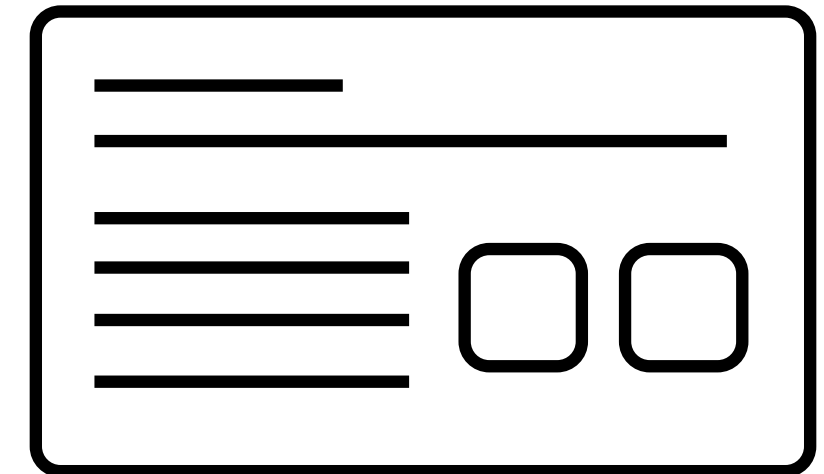
What's in the Box?



Token BioStick



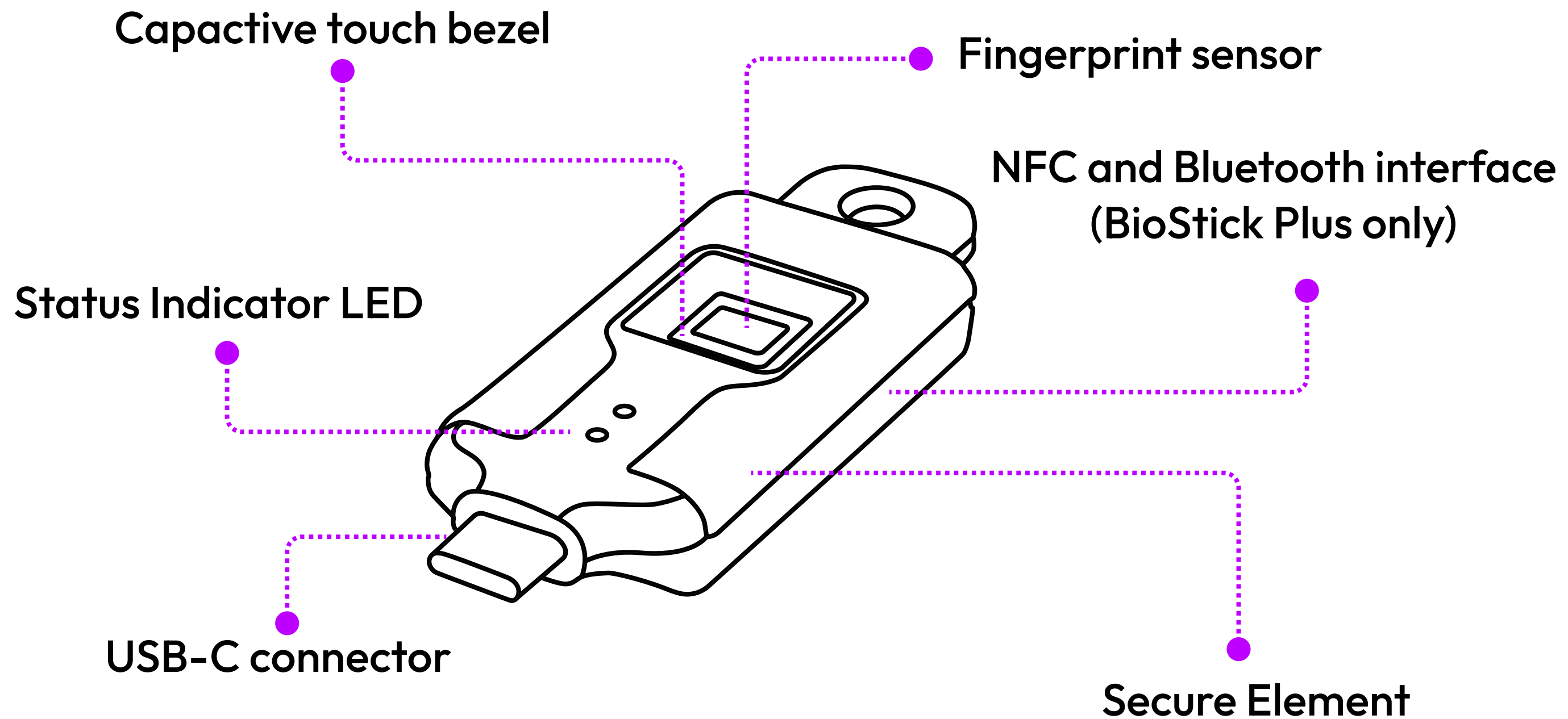
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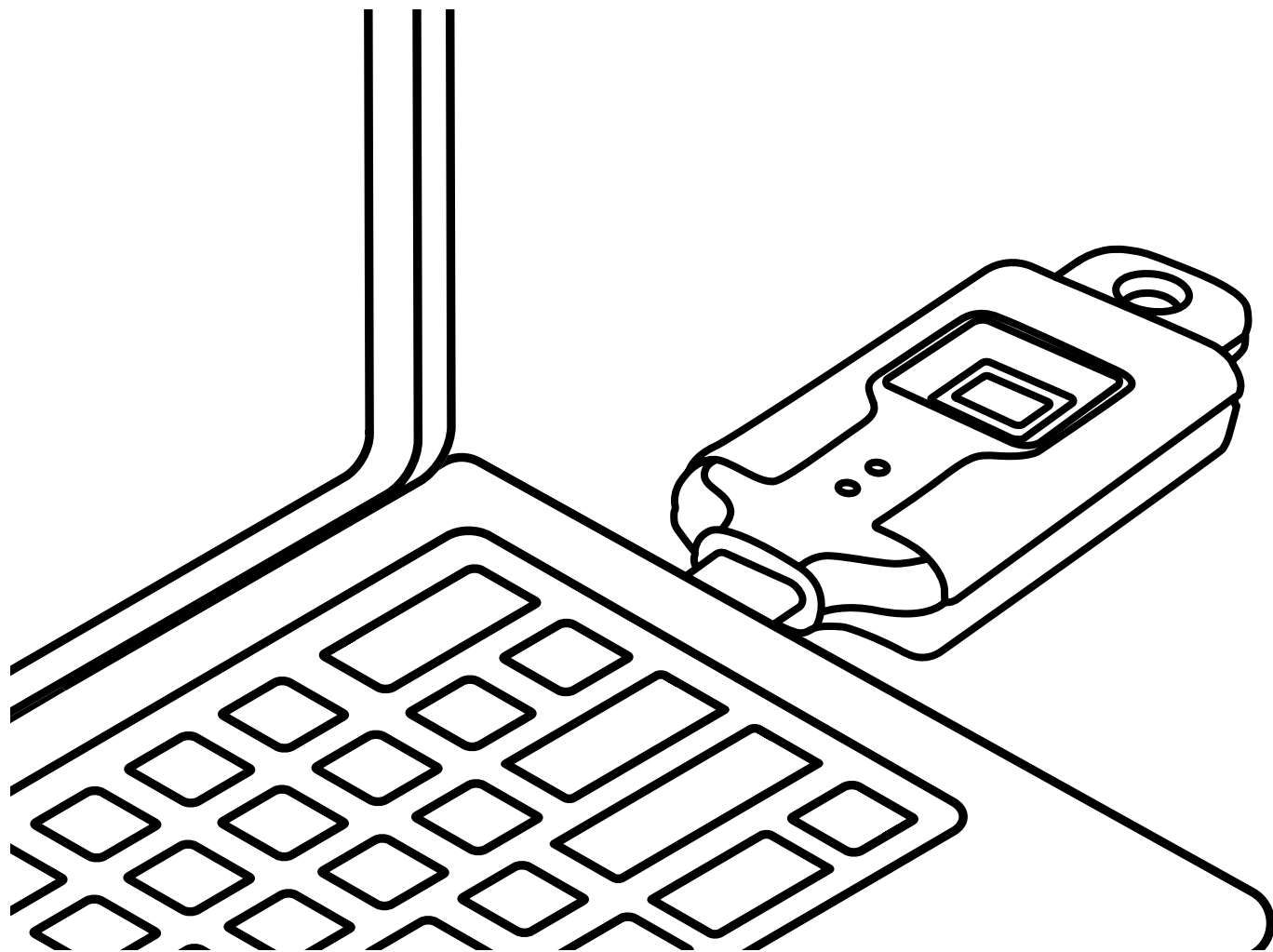
Quick Start Guide

Your Token BioStick

There are two models in the BioStick Series:
BioStick Plus and BioStick (USB only)



Getting Started



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Token BioStick Plus

To begin setup of your BioStick Plus the battery must be charged - plug the device into any USB-C power source; or with the included USB-C to USB-A adapter.

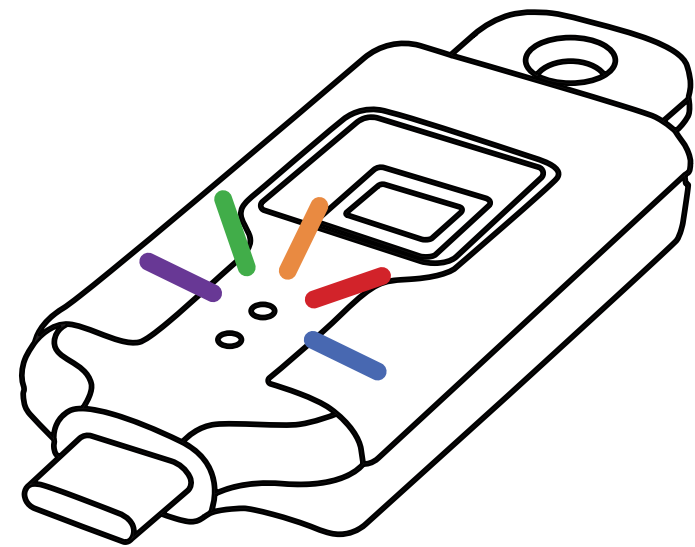
Token BioStick

The BioStick does not have a battery. Power and authentication is achieved through the USB-C connection to your device. Please continue to page 8 for setup guidance.

Locate your PIN

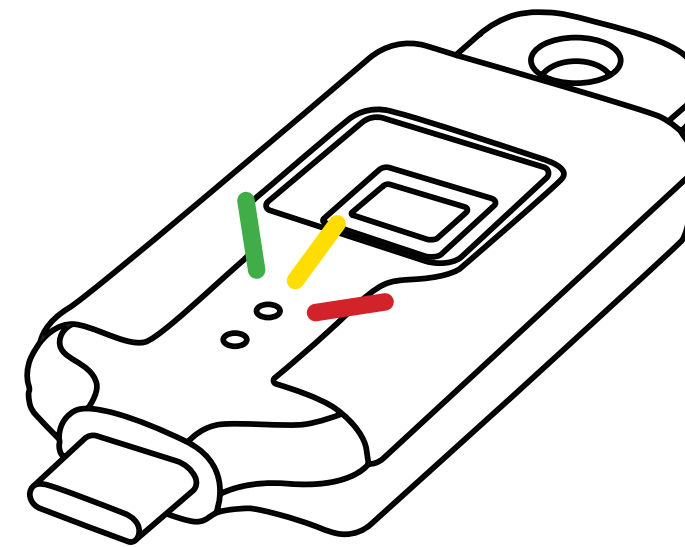
The PIN number is located on the product box and inside the packaging. It can also be derived from the serial number engraved on the BioStick.

Charging the BioStick Plus



Initializing

When the BioStick Plus is plugged into a charging port, a rainbow pattern will display on the LEDs indicating charging will begin.



Battery is high



Battery is okay



Battery is low

During charging, the LEDs will pulse with the battery status color. When the LEDs turn solid green the charge is full and you may continue with first time setup. The BioStick Plus fully charges in about 2 hours.

Download the Token App or Utility

Once the BioStick Plus is fully charged and displays solid green LEDs, you are ready to begin setup and fingerprint enrollment. Biostick users may begin as soon as the device is plugged in.

Using your mobile device download the **Token Ring** app, or scan the QR code below.

Mac users- please download the **Token Desktop Utility** from the Mac App Store. See page 10 for more details.

The Token Apps are simple step-by-step guides for setup and use of your Token Biostick. For fingerprint enrollment tips and access to the video tutorials, please see the next page.



Android



iOS



Token Desktop Utility

Fingerprint Registration Tips & Setup Video

Watch the Setup Tutorial

For optimal fingerprint registration, avoid applying excess pressure to the sensor during scans. Think ‘touches’ not pressing a button.

It is best to perform fingerprint registration when both your finger and the sensor are clean, dry, and not overly cold.

If your hands take a lot of abuse due to hobbies try selecting a finger for scanning that is less likely to be damaged.



tokenring.com/setup

At this time the video tutorial features the Token Ring; but please note the setup is identical to the BioStick.

Token BioStick and Mac

Mac does not natively support FIDO authentication over Bluetooth.



Token Desktop Utility

Token Desktop Utility

What Is It?

- The Token Desktop Utility provides Mac users with the Bluetooth functionality for FIDO authentication.
- It is also a simple step-by-step guide to setting up and using your Token BioStick.

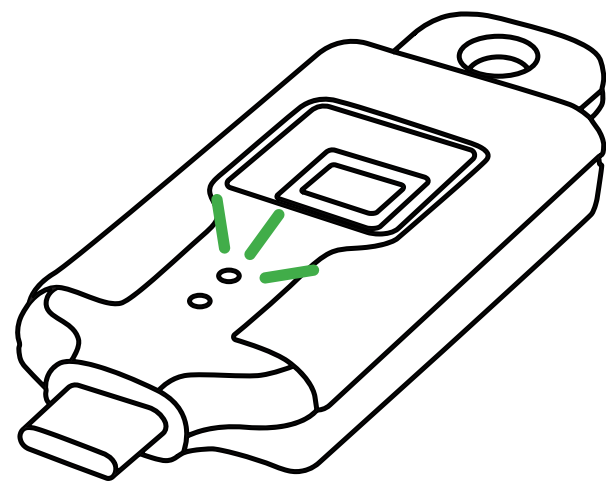
Getting Started

1. Download the Token Desktop Utility from the Mac App Store.
2. Open the app and accept the Autofill & Passwords permissions presented by the Token Identity Service pop up.
3. Follow the on-screen prompts to complete setup; which includes Bluetooth pairing and fingerprint enrollment.

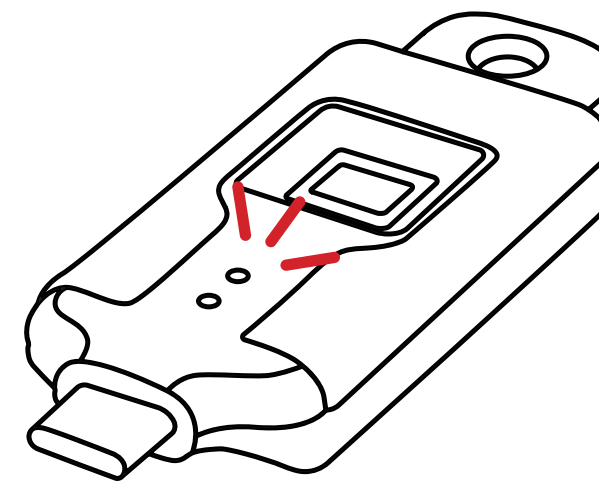
How to Authenticate

Authentication is performed the same way for both models of the BioStick.

Note: USB only BioStick must be plugged into your device, and does not have the NFC and BLE functionality.



x2  = Authenticated



x2  = Authentication Failed

How to Authenticate

- Double tap the fingerprint sensor
- The LEDs will turn solid white — this means it's ready to scan your fingerprint.
- Place the finger you registered on the sensor.
- When you see two green blinks, you've successfully authenticated.
- Biostick Plus: The LEDs will then pulse purple or blue (NFC or BLE) if not plugged into your device.

Seeing Red LEDs?

If the LEDs blink red twice, your fingerprint was not recognized.

Try again:

- Double tap the sensor.
- Adjust your finger position slightly.

If it fails again:

- Make sure your finger and the sensor are clean, dry, and not overly cold.

Switching Authentication Modes

The Biostick Plus supports NFC, BLE (Bluetooth), and USB for authentication. The three modes are interchangeable; you have the choice of which one you want to use.

After a successful fingerprint scan, if not plugged into a functioning USB port, the BioStick Plus will display its current mode with pulsing lights:

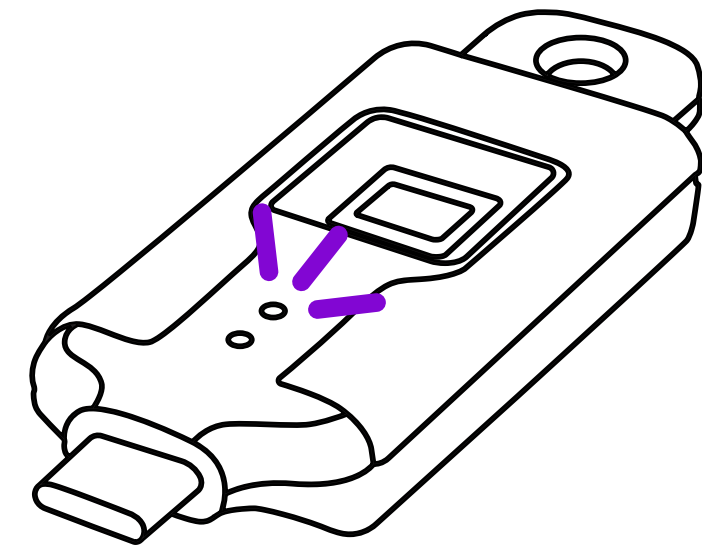
 Purple = NFC

 Blue = BLE

To switch the mode, tap the sensor once.

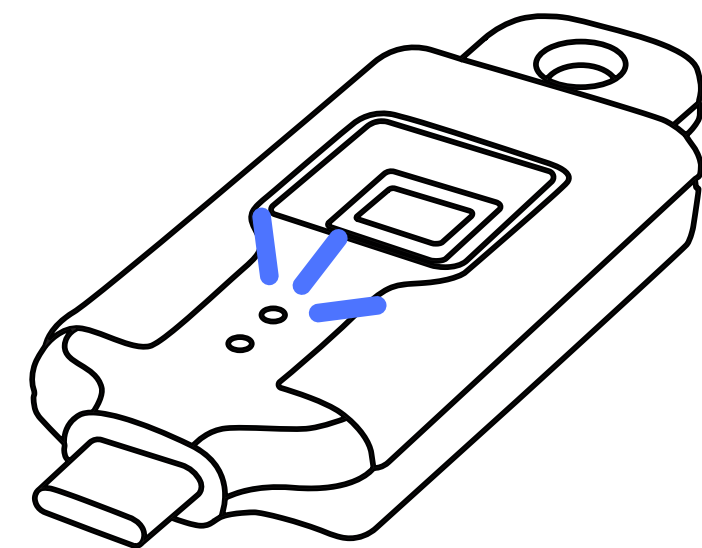
The BioStick Plus will remember your last used mode and start in that mode at the next authentication.

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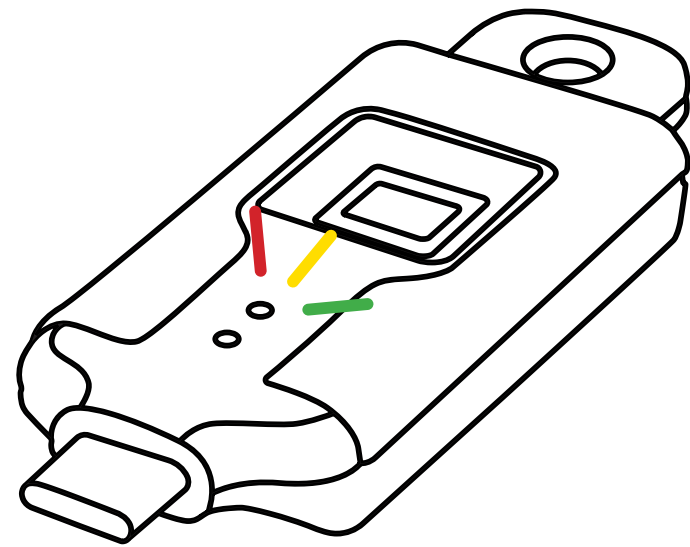
NFC

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BLE

Other Tap Gestures

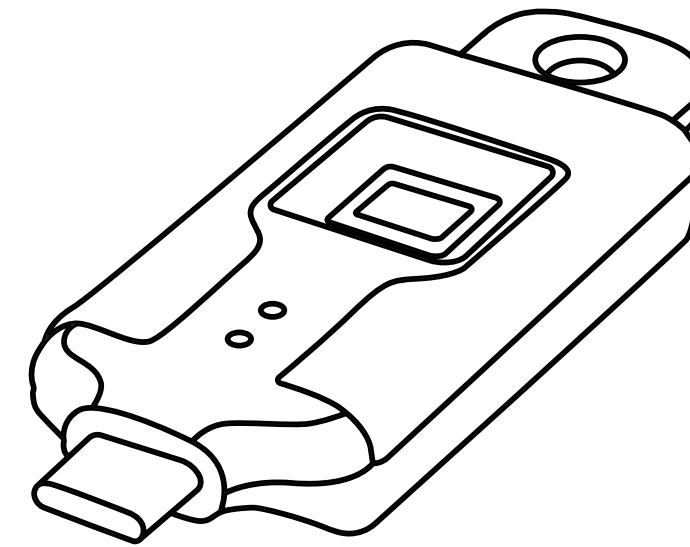


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Checking Battery Status

To check your battery status, do a single tap on the fingerprint sensor. The LEDs will illuminate with the corresponding battery status color.

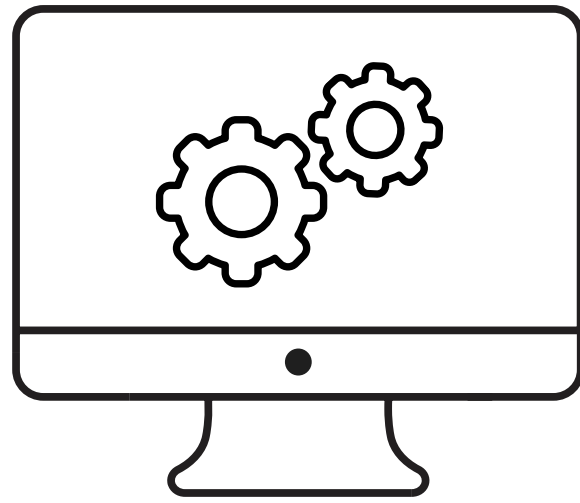


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Cancelling Any Action

Any active function can be canceled by pressing and holding the fingerprint sensor until the LEDs turn off (approximately 1 second).

Bluetooth Pairing Your BioStick Plus

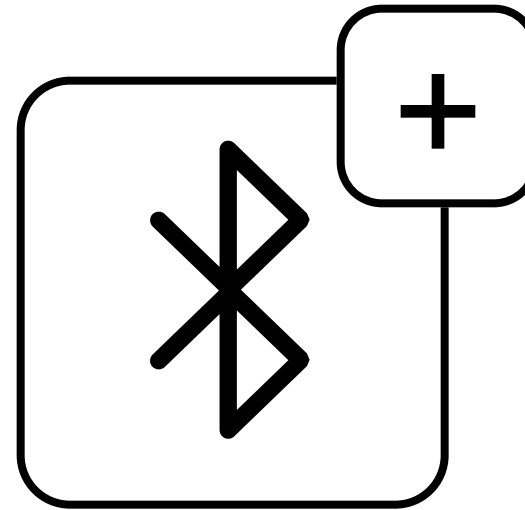


Navigate to the Bluetooth settings on your device.

Windows users: Locate the **Device Settings** section. If “Bluetooth devices discovery” is present, switch Default to “Advanced”.

*Note: If you do not see this section you may continue to the next step.

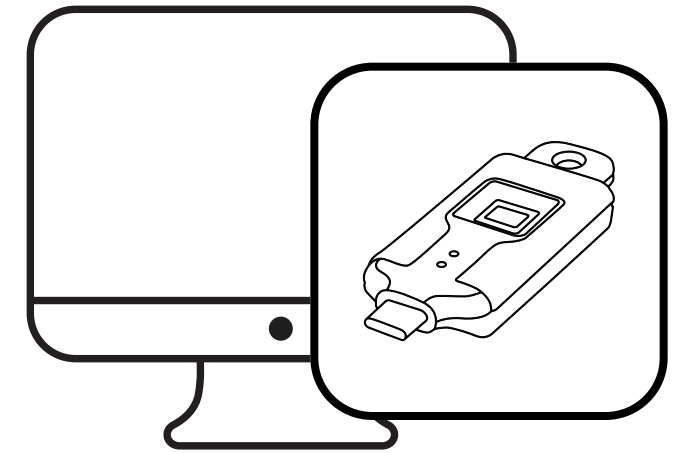
Mac users: The Token Desktop Utility will perform BLE pairing with your device during first time setup (see page 10).



You are now ready to pair your BioStick Plus.

Select “Add device” > In the pop up window choose “Bluetooth”.

Authenticate to your BioStick Plus - double tap and scan fingerprint during the solid white LEDs. Pulsing blue LEDs indicate Bluetooth mode, if you see purple LEDs, tap once to switch modes (see page 12).



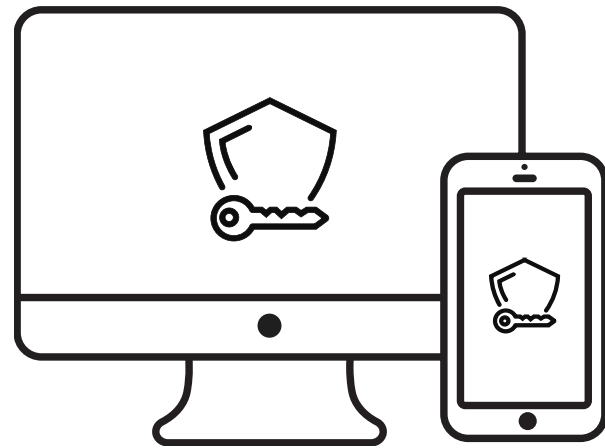
Once in Bluetooth mode, **double tap** the fingerprint sensor to enter pairing mode. Indicated by red/blue flashing LEDs.

Select your BioStick Plus from the list of available devices, enter your PIN then click ‘Connect’.

Note: Your PIN can be found inside the box or derived from the serial number engraved on the BioStick (see page 6).

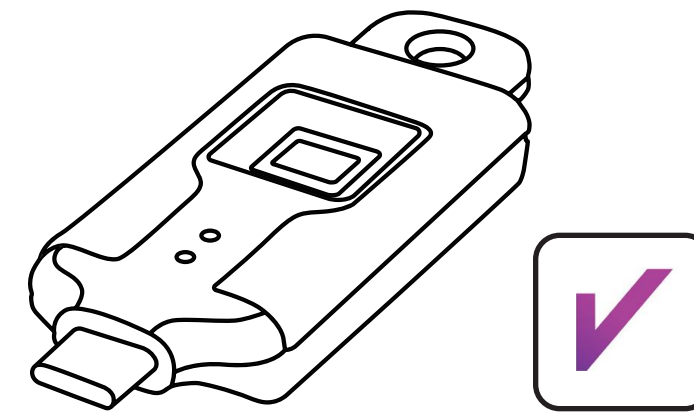
Setting Up Token BioStick as Your MFA

Secure your online accounts and applications in 3 easy steps



Step 1

Login to the app or service you wish to secure and verify that it supports the use of FIDO2 security keys.



Step 2

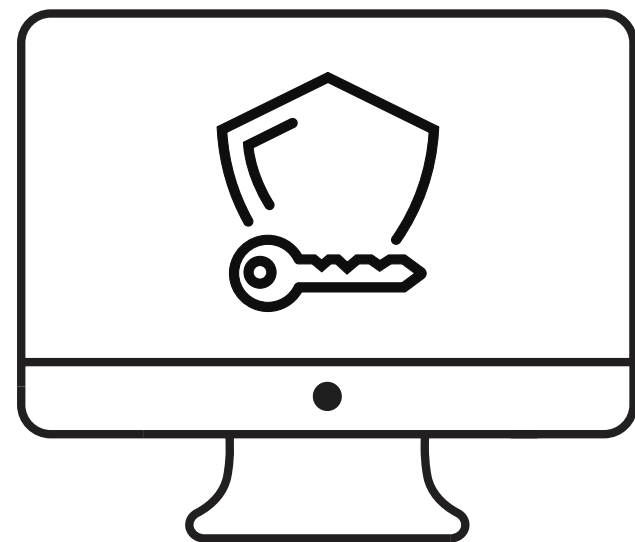
Navigate to the Account Security settings and find the option to add a security key as your two or multifactor authentication. If security key is not an option, choose passkey.

Step 3

Follow the on-screen prompts. You may use NFC, BLE or USB to register your BioStick Plus - USB only for the BioStick. Note: BLE requires pairing first (see page 14).

Visit tokenring.com/works-with for a full list of supported applications.

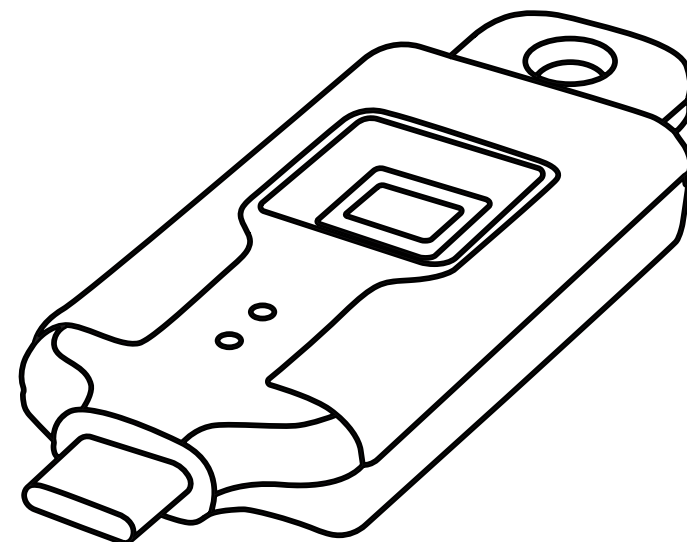
How to Login With BioStick Plus & BLE



Choose an App or Service

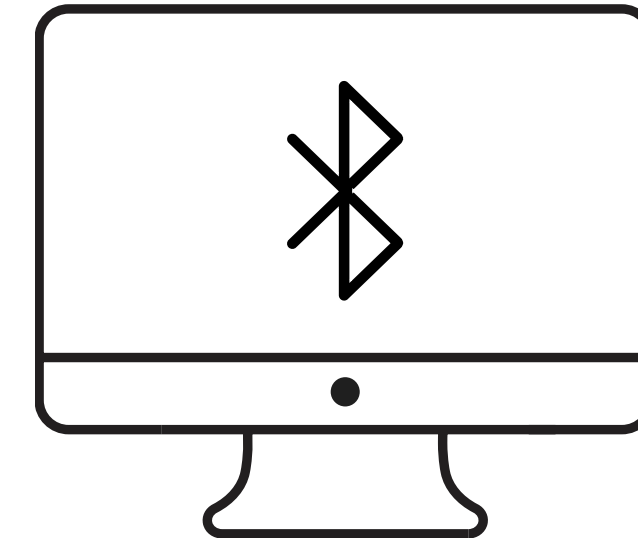
Go to the login screen. Make sure your BioStick Plus is paired to your device (see page 14) and registered with the service (see page 15). Select the option to login using a security key or passkey - instructions may vary between operating systems.

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Logging In

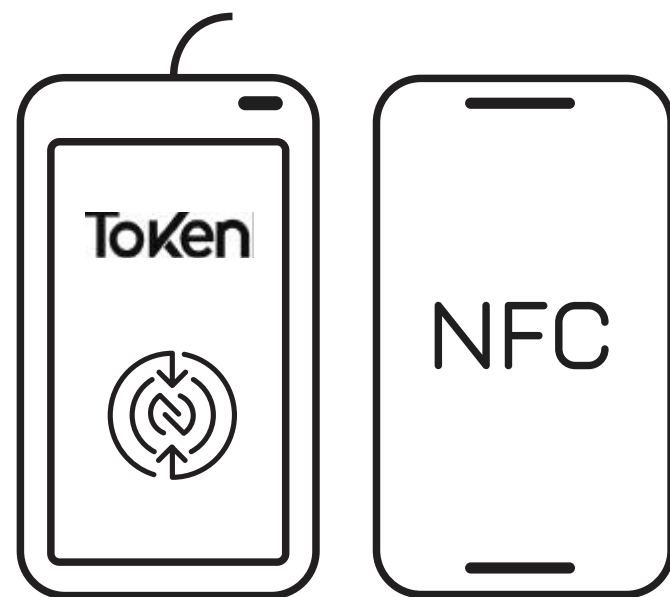
When prompted, single tap the sensor, this will begin the BLE connection. Follow the on-screen prompt to touch your security key, the BioStick Plus will display solid white LEDs, indicating it is ready for fingerprint authentication. Scan your fingerprint.



Successful Authentication

Successful authentication will display two green blinks, you are now securely logged in! If authentication was not successful, you will be prompted to try again, the BioStick Plus will display solid white LEDs for another fingerprint scan.

How to Login With BioStick Plus & NFC

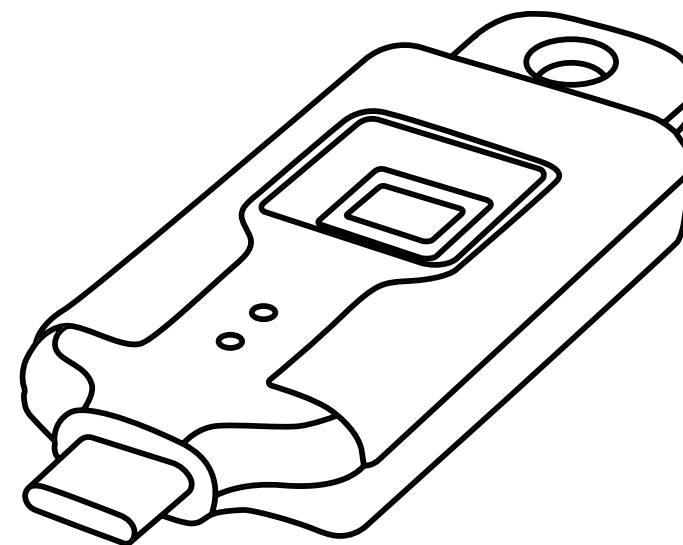


Enable NFC on Your Device

You may use your device's built-in NFC or connect an external reader.

Be sure NFC communication is enabled in your device settings.

TAP *TAP*



Activate NFC Mode on the Ring

Authenticate to your BioStick Plus by double tapping the sensor and scanning your fingerprint during the solid white LEDs.

Successful authentication will display two green blinks then pulse purple indicating NFC mode. If the pulse is blue, tap once (see page 12 for more details).



Complete Login Using NFC

Place the bottom of the BioStick Plus very close to or touch the NFC reader for 3–4 seconds. Some readers may beep upon scanning, leave the device in place until the login prompt clears.

You are now securely logged in!

How to Update Your Token BioStick

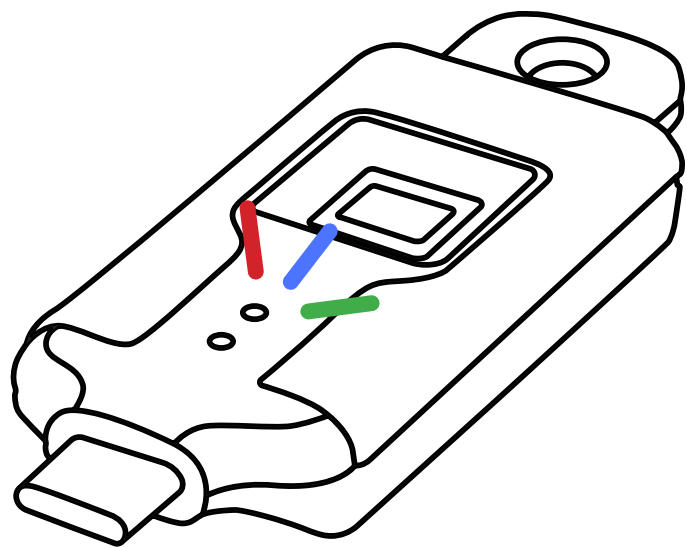
The Token BioStick can easily be updated over a secure Bluetooth or USB connection.



How to Update your BioStick:

1. Open the Token App.
 2. Locate the Details section.
 3. If an update is available, select Update.
 4. You will be prompted to place the Ring on the charger and click Let's do it!
- The Token Apps are updated in the same way other applications are; when an update is available it appears in your App store or automatically updates depending on your device settings.

Extra Token Tips



Using the Biostick Plus While Charging

If the BioStick Plus is plugged into a functioning USB port on your device and authentication is attempted, you may initially be prompted to complete the FIDO authentication via USB. If connected to a charging port not on your device, BLE authentication can be used while charging.



Changing Your Scanned Fingerprint

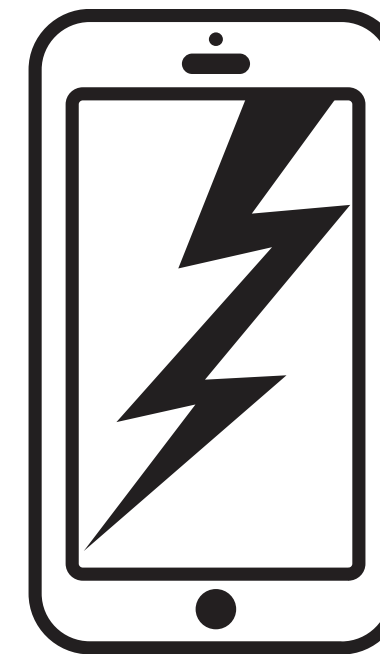
To use a different finger, at this time you'll need to do a factory reset. Warning! This will erase all stored credentials. Go to Settings > Factory Reset in the Token App to begin. See page 9 for fingerprint registration tips.

Extra Token Tips



Logging into Multiple Accounts

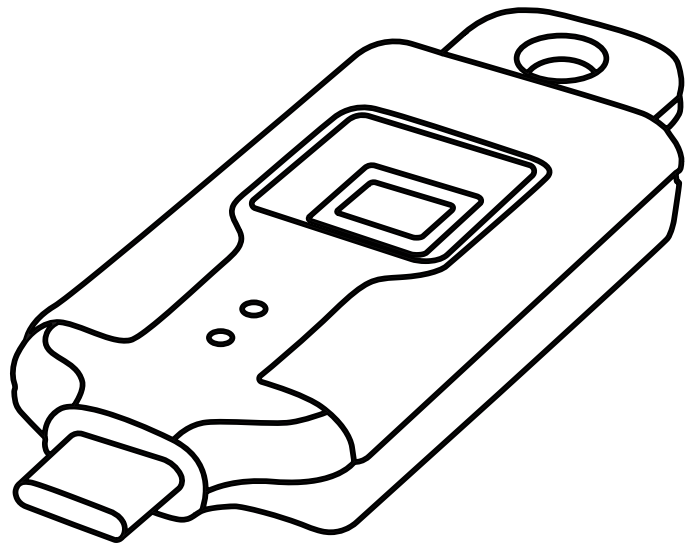
Token BioSticks can store up to 100 digital credentials, which can be used with many accounts—personal, work, or managed. Simply set it up as your security key in each application (see page 15).



Replacing Your Phone or Laptop?

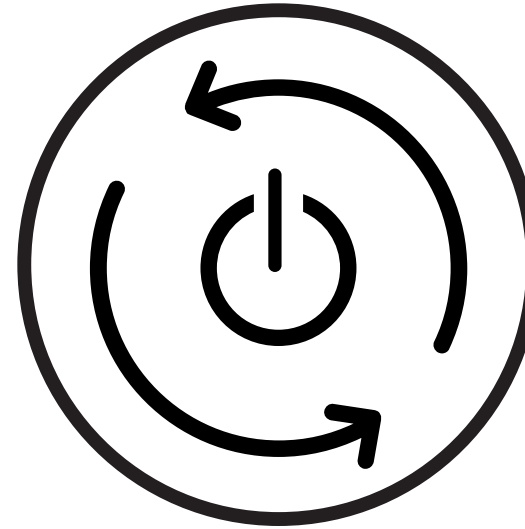
No problem! The Token BioStick stores all credentials and biometric data inside its Secure Element. To pair your BioStick with a new phone or device, simply download the corresponding Token App and during setup select “Pair a registered device”. If your device is lost or inaccessible, you can still use your BioStick for authentication.

Troubleshooting



If the BioStick Doesn't Power On

If the LEDs don't rainbow when the BioStick is plugged in, double check the power source. If sufficient, leave it plugged in for at least 30 minutes, then try again. If the LEDs still don't turn on, please contact support.



Repeated Issues or 'Stuck' LEDs?

If you're experiencing repeated unexplained issues or your BioStick is 'stuck', plug your device into a charger. The rainbow lights indicate charging has begun, but also performs a 'soft reset' of the device.



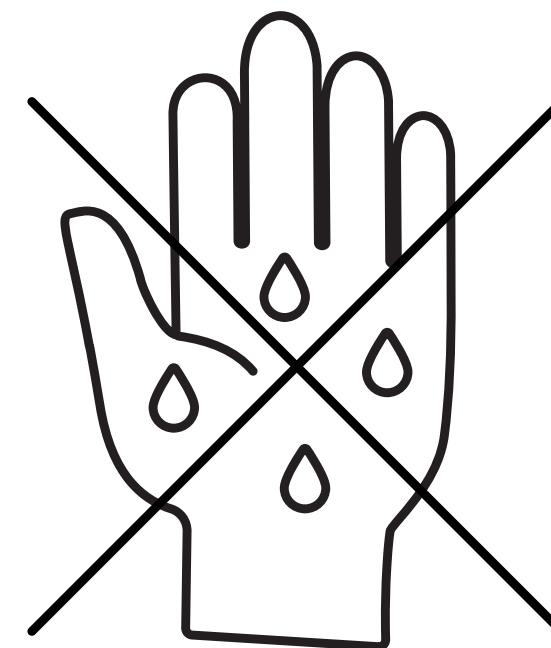
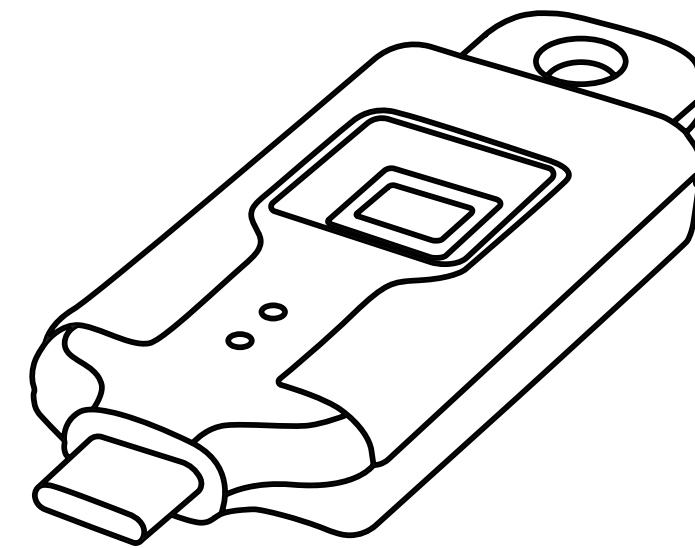
Trouble Authenticating

Token Biostick scans your finger multiple times in less than a second. If you are consistently failing fingerprint authentication try using a clean cloth to ensure both your finger and the sensor are clean, dry, and not overly cold. Also be sure you are using the correct finger.

Caring for Your Sensor

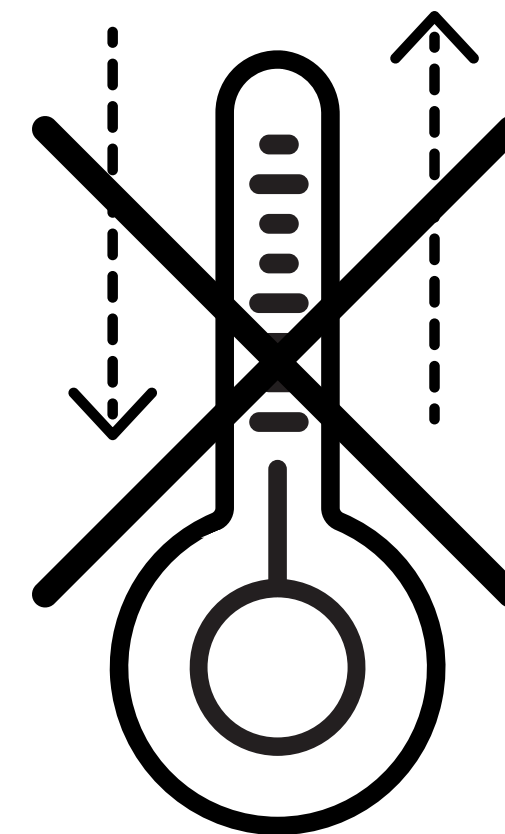
The fingerprint sensor works best when it's clean.

- Use the included purple microfiber cloth to wipe the sensor.
- For deeper cleaning, you may use isopropyl alcohol or a small amount of mild hand soap. Dry the device completely.
- Warning! Do not use ultrasonic cleaners or jewelry-grade solvents - these can damage the sensor and void the warranty.
- For best results, use the BioStick with clean, dry, and warm hands.



Protecting Your BioStick

- Avoid leaving the BioStick exposed to extreme hot or cold environments, such as in a car during the heat of summer or the cold of winter.
- To avoid scratching the finish of the BioStick, avoid coarse, rough surfaces (such as brick, sand, concrete) and sharp metal (such as car keys, key chains, other jewelry).



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Authentication

Waiting for fingerprint



Authenticated



Authentication failed



NFC mode - BioStick Plus



BLE mode - BioStick Plus



Other

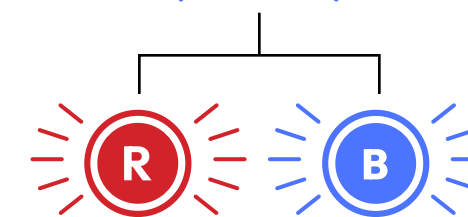
Battery level



BLE mode



Bluetooth pairing mode



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Power Management - BioStick Plus

Battery

Battery level high
40-100%



Battery level medium
20-39%



Battery level low
<20%



Battery while charging

Soft reset/
charging



Battery fully charged



Battery level high



Battery level medium



Battery level low



Errors

Verification failed

— long — — long —



Critical error



Note: The Token App will display the exact battery percentage with a single tap or anytime using BLE.

Thank You!

If you need further guidance, a refresher on setting up security keys, or you encountered any issues, please contact us:

Visit our support page: tokenring.com/support

Email us at: support@tokenring.com

Call us at: [\(866\) 328-7464](tel:(866)328-7464) for assistance.

We regularly add additional written and video implementation guides to our support page. Please let us know if your favorite software is missing and we will assist you.

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