

## Garage Door Opener Compatibility

The vast majority of garage door openers both old and brand new are compatible with EKER LT3/LT3X. In fact, prior to the year 2011, all garage door openers were compatible with EKER LT3/LT3X. So, if you know that your opener was made prior to 2011, you do not have to read any further and LT3/LT3X will just work.

But after the year 2011, there were six companies that started locking out the competition and allowed only their own accessories to work with their openers. But they only did this with only some of their models, not all of them.

### **Sears-Craftsman (All are compatible except 3 newer models):**

We have many customers that own a Sears-Craftsman garage door opener as the vast majority are compatible with LT3/LT3X. There are only three newer Craftsman models that will not work and both were made after 2011: Model #54990 3/4 HP, Model #1D7675, and the 139.53985(DM). Other models work fine.

### **LiftMaster/Chamberlain (All are compatible except some newer models):**

We have many customers that own a LiftMaster/Chamberlain garage door opener as the vast majority are compatible with LT3/LT3X. But some models made after 2011 are not. Newer Liftmaster/Chamberlain models have the manufacturing date clearly printed on the garage door opener. If it is manufactured in 2011 or later (or if you are uncertain of the manufacture date), you can determine compatibility by the color of the "learn" button near the wiring terminals. If it is yellow it is NOT compatible. But if it is any other color (e.g., red, blue, purple, etc), it is compatible. See the photo below.



Some Incompatible Chamberlain/Liftmaster Models

\*Chamberlain HD220, and 45DCBR5 are not compatible with aftermarket accessories like GarageMate.

\*Liftmaster 41D767, and 8075 are not compatible with aftermarket accessories like GarageMate.

**Overhead Door (All are compatible except 2 newer models):**

We have many customers that own an Overhead Door garage door opener as the vast majority are compatible with LT3/LT3X. However, if you have a newer Destiny 1200 or Odyssey 1000 and the serial number starts with the number 10 or higher, then it will not be compatible with aftermarket accessories including LT3/LT3X. All other Overhead models including new ones will be compatible.

**Genie (All are compatible except some manufactured in 2011 and 2013):**

We have many customers that own a Genie garage door opener as the vast majority are compatible with LT3/LT3X. The manufacture year of newer Genie models is indicated by the first two digits of the serial number. If it is 11, 12 or 13 that means it was manufactured in 2011, 2012, or 2013 respectively. For those years you will need to compare the appearance of your wall switch to the ones shown below. All other Genie model years are compatible. The vast majority of Genie garage door openers are compatible with LT3/LT3X.



\*If your Genie has one of these wall-switches, then LT3/LT3X is compatible.

However, in 2011, 2012 and 2013, Genie shipped some garage door openers with the wall-console shown in the photo below.



\*If your Genie has a wall-console shown above AND it was manufactured in either 2011, 2012, or 2013 (the serial number begins with 11, 12 or 13) then it will not be compatible with LT3/LT3X.

Thankfully Genie Corp. corrected this problem stating, "*we concluded the previous decision to not support standard wall switches and aftermarket accessories was not in the best interest of our customers*". Genies manufactured in 2014 or later now support standard wall-switches, aftermarket accessories, AND their new "computerized/smart" wall-consoles.

**Raynor (All are compatible except 3 models):**

We have many customers that own a Raynor garage door opener as the vast majority are compatible with LT3/LT3X. We know of only three newer Raymor models that will not work: The Raynor Pilot III, Aviator II, and Corporal II. But the earlier versions of those models are compatible as are the other models.

**All other brands/manufacturers and models are compatible:**

It's only the manufactures above that have a mix of new models that are compatible and not compatible. For all other brands, all of the models they produce are compatible.

If you have any doubts whether your garage door opener is compatible with LT3/LT3X, perform the following test. Take the two wires that go to your wall switch and momentarily touch/short them together. If that causes your garage door to open and close, then your garage door opener supports a standard wall switch and is therefore compatible with LT3/LT3X. This is because LT3/LT3X works by "simulating" a push button switch similar to the one mounted on your wall that opens and closes the door.

Also, be assured that after installing LT3/LT3X, all your existing traditional remotes, wall switch(es) and accessories will continue to work just as they did before.

**Partial list of common garage door openers.**

Below is a partial list of the most common garage door brands in the USA, Canada, EU, and Australia. If you don't see your make model, keep in mind LT3/LT3X works as a remote control for the vast majority of garage door openers with a few exceptions mentioned above. You can always e-mail us with questions: [alice@ekerele.com](mailto:alice@ekerele.com). Thanks for reading.

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