

Pairing two devices with the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro and Slim Style Keyboard Cases

If you are having trouble pairing a second device to the **Belkin QODE™ Keyboard Cases, F5L171, F5L176, and F5L174**, you may have to clear the stored settings on the keyboard. You will also need to clear the keyboard from your iPad Air® tablet's *Bluetooth*® settings and pair it back again.

IMPORTANT: Before using your Belkin QODE Keyboard, make sure to disconnect the *Bluetooth* devices previously connected to it. Also, if the keyboard layout of your device is different from that of your Hardware Keyboard, you must change the keyboard language to update the output. Modifying only the iPad® or mobile phone language will not change the keyboard output. For more information on how to change this on your Android™ device, click [here](#). For more information on how to change this on your iOS device, click [here](#).

The steps below will guide you on how to clear the stored settings from your iPad Air and from the keyboard. These instructions are for the following models:

Product Name	Product SKU	Compatibility
Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air (App enabled)	F5L171	iPad Air
Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air 2 (App enabled)	F5L176	iPad Air 2
Belkin QODE™ Slim Style Keyboard Case for iPad Air 2 and iPad Air	F5L174	iPad Air 2 and iPad Air

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Clearing the stored keyboard settings from your iPad's Bluetooth memory

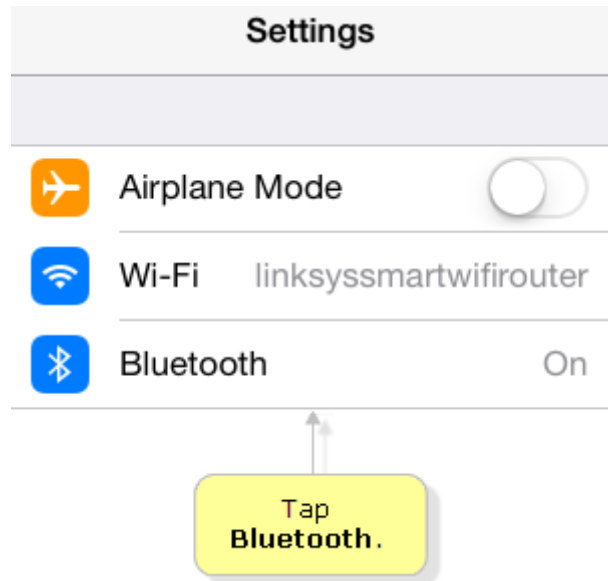
Step 1:




On your iPad, tap

Step 2:

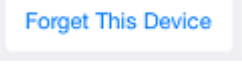
Tap **Bluetooth**.



Step 3:

Under **MY DEVICES**, tap the  icon next to the name of your keyboard.

Step 4:

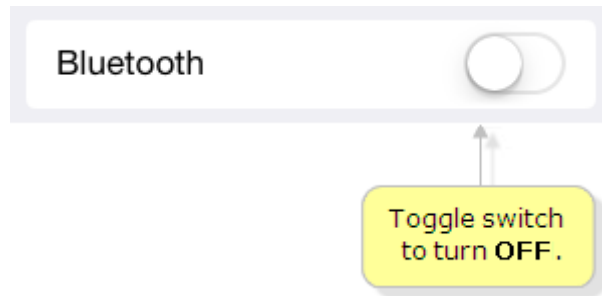
Tap .

Step 5:

Tap **OK** to confirm.

Step 5:

Toggle **Bluetooth** switch to turn **OFF**.



Clearing any stored devices from the keyboard memory

Press and hold the **four corner keys** together for **5 seconds** to clear out the memory.



Once keyboard memory is clear, it will default to pairing mode for **Memory Slot 1**.

Pairing your iPad again

Step 1:

On your first iPad, turn **ON Bluetooth** and pair it with the keyboard. It will be on **Memory Slot 1**.

Step 2:

Turn on *Bluetooth* on your second iPad.

Step 3:

Once the first device is paired, switch the keyboard to **Memory Slot 2** by pressing the **fn** and **+** keys at the same time.

Step 4:

Pair your second iPad with the keyboard under **Memory Slot 2**.

You have now paired two iPad Air tablets with the your Belkin QODE Keyboard.

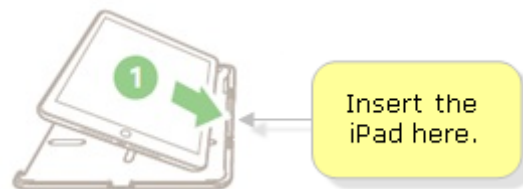
How to assemble your iPad® Air in the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case

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The **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case** is the ultimate accessory to your iPad® Air and iPad Air® 2. You can detach the case from the keyboard to have a true tablet experience. The case protects and at the same time allows you to use your iPad's camera or access ports and buttons without the hassle of removing it. Follow the steps below on how to assemble your iPad Air to the case.

Step 1:

Detach the case and insert your iPad in the dedicated panel.



Step 2:

Push down your iPad and make sure it snugly fits your iPad.



Step 3:

Once your iPad is inserted to the protective case, attach the fabric hinge at the back of the iPad.



You have now assembled your iPad to the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case.

Pairing the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Cases, F5L171 and F5L176 with your iPad Air® tablet

The **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case** is the ultimate accessory to your iPad Air® and iPad Air® 2. This keyboard case features the *Bluetooth®* Smart Keyboard that lets you pair **two (2)** devices to it. This device is also equipped with **Smart Sensing technology** that automatically turns the Keyboard ON when the iPad® is attached in typing mode. Additionally, the Smart Sensing technology turns the Keyboard ON when you want to use it as a standalone Keyboard. Refer

to the table below for the compatibility of the two models.

Model Number	Model Name	Compatibility
F5L171	QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air (App enabled)	iPad Air
F5L176	QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air 2 (App enabled)	iPad Air 2





NOTE: The Bluetooth Smart Keyboard pairs with other Bluetooth 4.0 devices such as:

- iPad Air®
- iPad Air® 2
- iPad mini™
- iPad® 4th gen
- iPad® 3rd gen
- iPhone® 5/5s
- iPhone® 5c
- iPhone® 4s
- iPod touch® 6th gen
- MacBook Air®
- MacBook Pro®
- Mac mini®
- iMac®

Follow the steps below on how to pair your Belkin F5L171 and F5L176 with your iPad Air tablet.

If you find yourself having trouble pairing your devices, you might have to clear the stored settings on your iPad and on the keyboard before pairing them back together. For instructions, click [here](#).

Step 1:

Put your keyboard case into pairing mode by pressing the **function**  key and the **delete**  key. The keyboard can pair with **two (2)** devices. You can pair a secondary device by pressing the function key **function**  and the **equal**  key.

IMPORTANT: Holding either of these key combinations for more than **five (5)** seconds will **clear the memory slot** and you will have to pair the keyboard again with a device.

Step 2:

On your tablet, tap **Settings** from the Home screen.

Step 3:

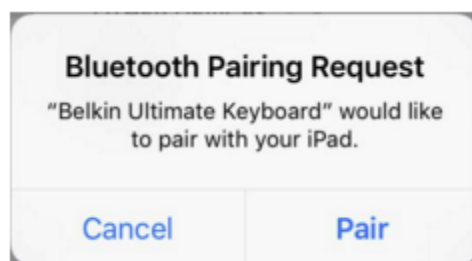
Select **Bluetooth** and toggle the switch to turn **ON**.

Step 4:

Tap on **Belkin Ultimate Keyboard** under **OTHER DEVICES**.

Step 5:

When the **Bluetooth Pairing Request** opens, select **Pair**.

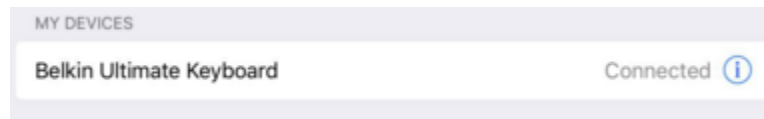


NOTE: The keyboard case LED should flash **blue** if you are pairing it to your first device and **purple** if you are pairing it with your second device.

Step 6:

Belkin Ultimate Keyboard should now appear under **MY DEVICES** and display

Connected.



For more information about the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air and iPad Air 2, click [here](#).

Whenever you need to use a different tablet with your Belkin Keyboard, pairing must be performed to ensure that your keyboard is in control of the correct device.

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The steps below will guide you on how to properly pair your device with the keyboard via *Bluetooth*.

NOTE: Make sure the keyboard and tablet are close to each other before pairing.

[iPad](#)

[Android](#)

iPad

Step 1:



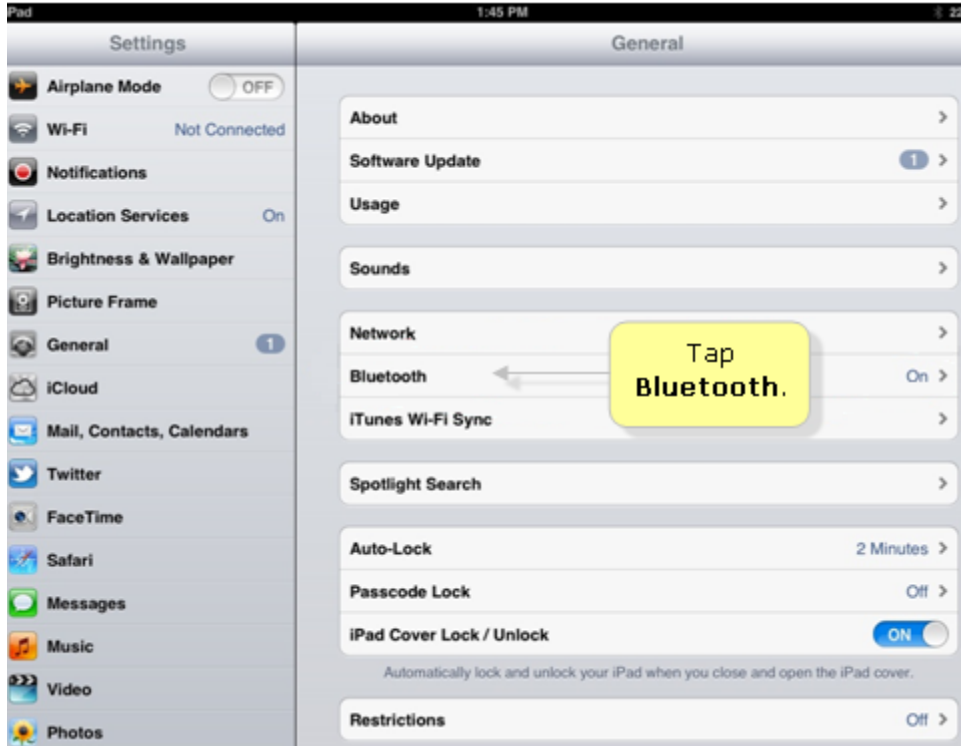
On your iPad tap the  icon from the Home Screen.

Step 2:

Tap **General**.

Step 3:

Tap **Bluetooth**.



Step 4:



Toggle Bluetooth to **ON**.



Step 5:

Turn **ON** the Belkin Keyboard then press and hold the **Pair** key.

NOTE: The Pair key may be different depending on the model of your

keyboard. Try to look for the  or  key.



Step 6:

The keyboard will show up under **Devices** on the iPad. Select **Belkin Bluetooth Keyboard**.



Step 7:

A code will appear on the screen. Enter this code on the keyboard and press **[Enter]**.

A message will pop up when pairing is successful.

Android

Step 1:

Open the Settings on your phone.

Step 2:

Switch Bluetooth to **ON**.

Step 3:

Turn **ON** the keyboard then press and hold the **Pair** key.

NOTE: The Pair key may be different depending on the model of your keyboard. Try to look for the  or  key.



Step 4:

Turn **ON** Bluetooth connection in **Settings > Bluetooth** on your Android device, then scan for nearby devices.

Step 5:

Select **Belkin Bluetooth Keyboard**.

The Android device will notify you when the pairing is successful. If pairing fails, switch the keyboard OFF and ON before repeating the steps above.

NOTE: If you are pairing a Kindle Fire™ with your Belkin Keyboard, click [here](#).

Updating the firmware on your QODE Keyboard with the QODE App

The **QODE App** can update the firmware on your **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air (App enabled), F5L171** and **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air 2 (App enabled), F5L176**.

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NOTE: The QODE App will prompt if there is an updated firmware available.

Before proceeding with the firmware update, you need to do the following setup steps.

Step 1:

Reboot the QODE Keyboard by holding the **four** corner keys down for **5** seconds until the light flashes red and blue alternately.

Step 2:

Remove keyboard pairing from iPad. You can do this by going to **Settings > Bluetooth**. Under **My Devices**, tap **Forget This Device**.

Step 3:

Fully shut down the App then relaunch. To do this, tap the home button twice to enter multitasker. Swipe left or right to find the QODE Update App and swipe up.

NOTE: You may need to repeat these setup steps if the update process fails.

After completing the setup steps above, proceed with the steps below to update

the firmware of the QODE Keyboard.

Step 1:

Launch the App.

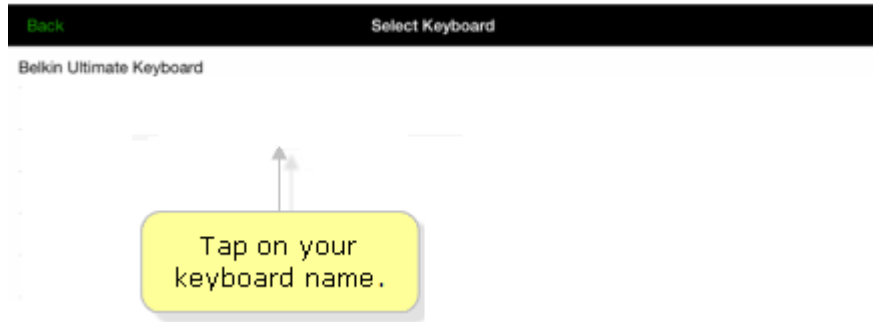
Step 2:

Tap **Select Keyboard**.



Step 3:

Tap on your keyboard name.

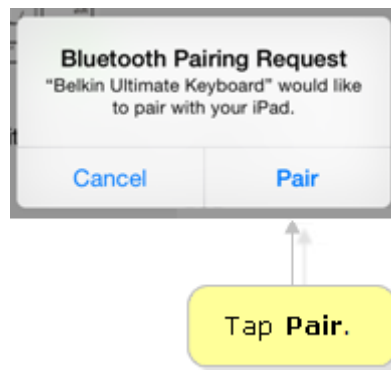


Step 4:

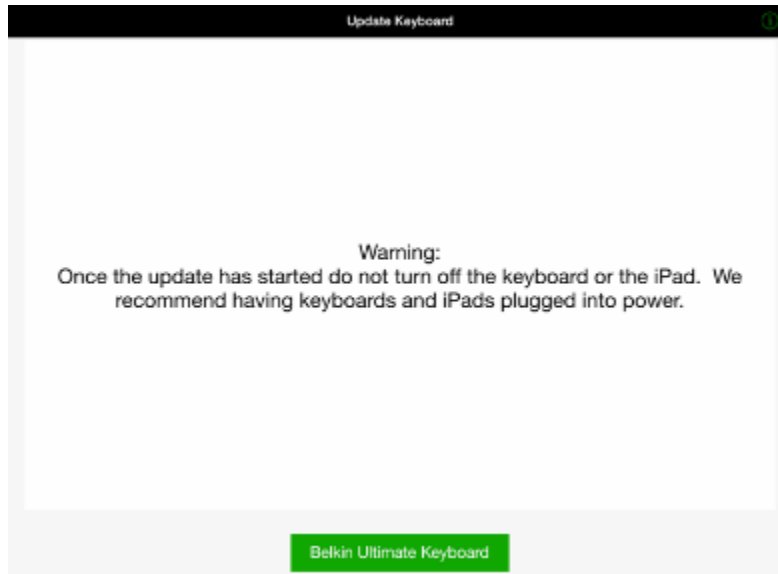
Tap **YES** to confirm.

Step 5:

Tap **Pair** to continue.



Update will begin shortly. This should take **2-3 minutes**.



IMPORTANT: Do **NOT** exit the App or touch the keyboard keys.

After a successful update, your QODE Keyboard will have the most current firmware.

Having trouble pairing the Belkin F5L171 and F5L176 with your iPad Air®

If you are having trouble pairing your tablet with the **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air (App enabled), F5L171** or the **Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case for iPad Air 2 (App enabled), F5L176**, you may have to clear the stored settings on your device and on the Keyboard before pairing them back together.

IMPORTANT: This article assumes that you have already turned ON your Keyboard. This device is equipped with **Smart Sensing technology** that automatically turns the Keyboard ON when the iPad® is attached in typing mode. Additionally, the Smart Sensing technology turns the Keyboard ON when you want to use it as a standalone Keyboard.



The steps below will guide you on how to clear the stored settings on your iPad Air® and on the Belkin Keyboard.


[Clearing the stored Keyboard settings from your iPad's Bluetooth® memory](#)

[Clearing any stored devices from the Keyboard memory](#)

Clearing the stored Keyboard settings from your iPad's Bluetooth® memory

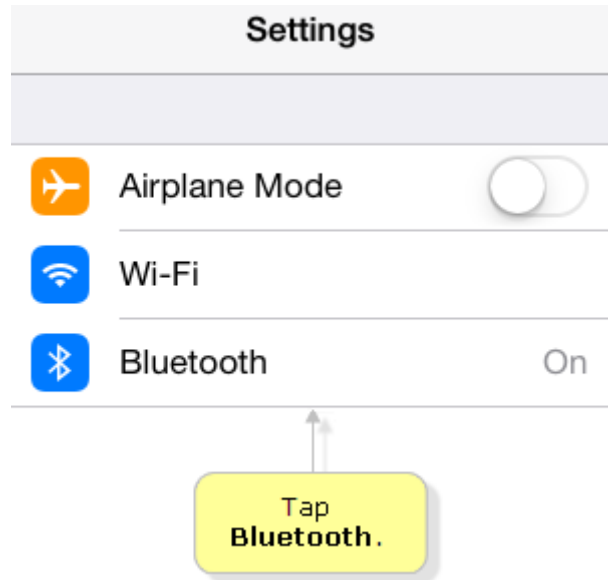
Step 1:



On your iPad, tap .

Step 2:

Tap **Bluetooth**.



Step 3:

Under **MY DEVICES**, tap the  icon next to the name of your Keyboard.

NOTE: If you don't see your Keyboard's name here, you haven't successfully paired your devices before. To learn how to do this, click [here](#).

Step 4:

Tap

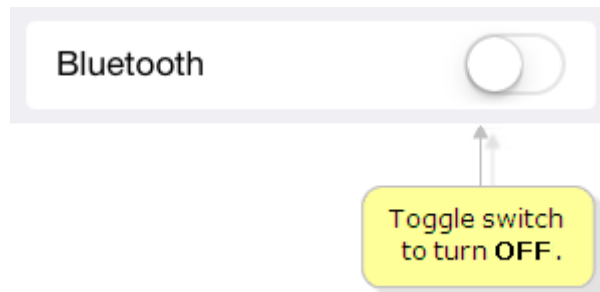
Forget This Device

Step 5:

Tap **OK** to confirm.

Step 6:

Toggle **Bluetooth** switch to turn **OFF**.



You have now cleared the stored Keyboard settings from your iPad's Bluetooth memory.

Clearing any stored devices from the Keyboard memory

Press and hold the **four corner keys** together for **five (5)** seconds to clear out the memory.



To know more about the keys of your Keyboard, click [here](#).

Once the keyboard memory is clear, it will default to pairing mode for **Memory Slot 1**.

NOTE: If a device is paired to Memory Slot 1 of the Keyboard but Memory Slot 2 is empty, switching to Memory Slot 2 will cause the device stored in Memory Slot 1 to lose connection with the Keyboard.

To regain connection on your Keyboard manually, connect to it on your iPad by selecting the Keyboard from the Bluetooth® Devices list.

Finding the model, version, and serial number of your Belkin device

Firmware updates, troubleshooting, or product registration of your Belkin devices may require you to search for product numbers such as the **model**, **version**, and **serial number**. For most products, this information is printed on the product sticker. However, where these numbers are printed depend on the type of product you have.

NOTE: The model number is also called the **Part #** of the product or device.

Below are the locations of the different Belkin products' model, version and serial numbers. Click on the links below for details:

[Routers](#)

[Network Adapters](#)

[KVMs](#)

[Thunderbolt Express Dock](#)

[NetCam](#)

[Range Extender](#)

[WEMO](#)

[Hubs](#)

Keyboards

NOTE: If your product is not on the list and you can't find the product numbers on its sticker or on the device itself, try to check its package or box's exterior sides and look for its barcode section and/or sticker.

Routers

Locate the model number and version number at the bottom of the device. The version number starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** router.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the router that you are using. To learn how to locate the product numbers of other routers, click [here](#).



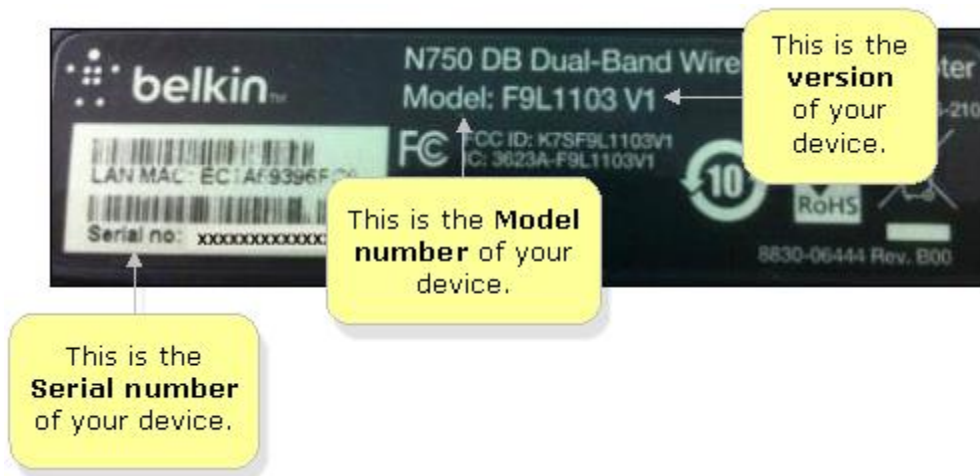
QUICK TIP: If you can't find any product number on your device, check the bottom or all exterior sides of its box or package and look for the **barcode section** and/or its **sticker**.



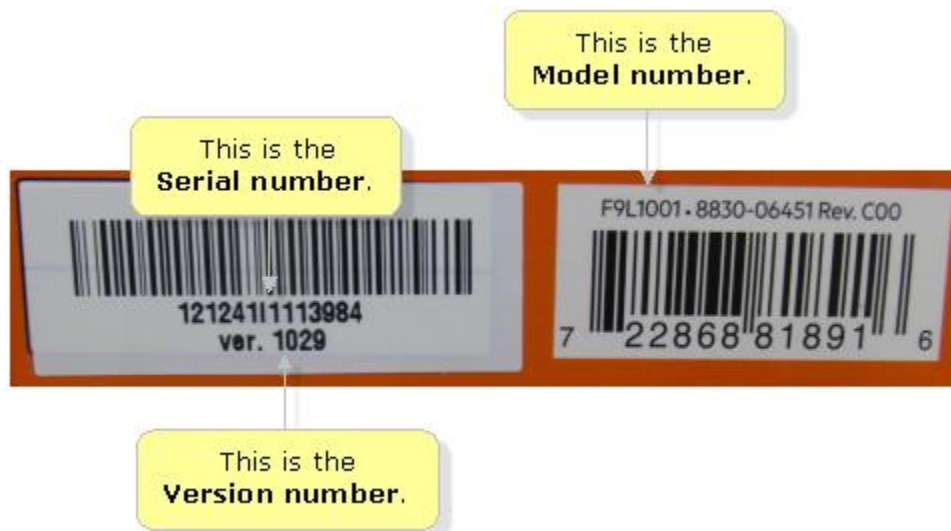
Network Adapters

Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** network adapter.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the network adapter that you are using.



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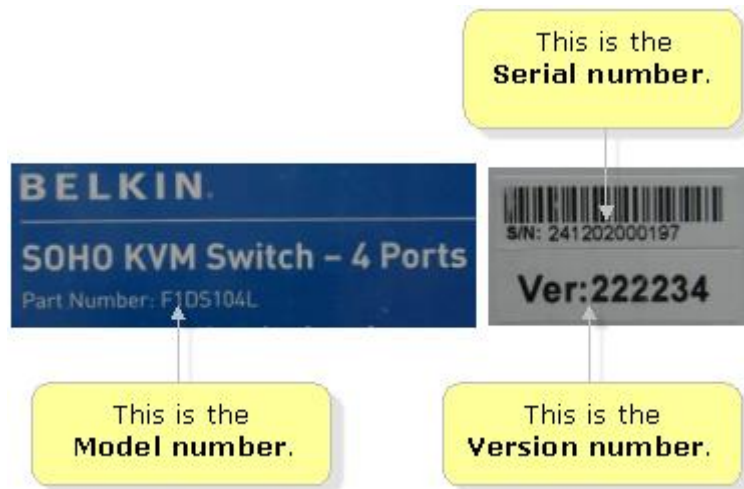
KVMs

Locate the sticker at the bottom of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** KVM.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the KVM that you are using.



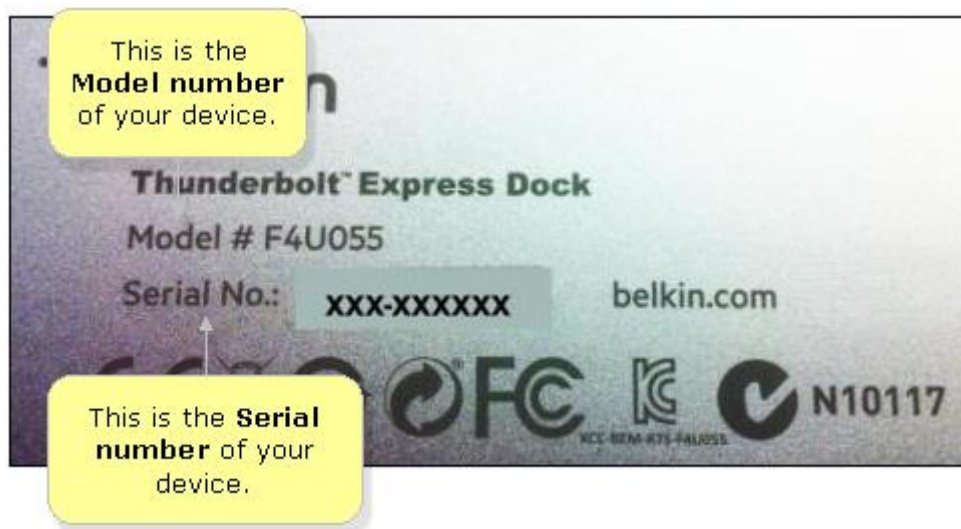
QUICK TIP: If you can't find any product number on your device, check the bottom or all exterior sides of its box or package and look for the **barcode section** and/or its **sticker**.



Thunderbolt Express Dock

Locate the sticker at the bottom of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** Thunderbolt Express Dock.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the Thunderbolt device that you are using.



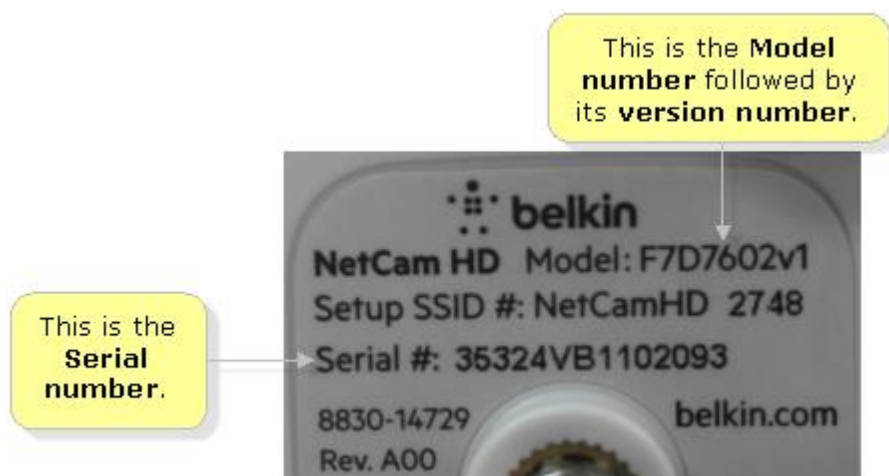
QUICK TIP: If you can't find any product number on your device, check the bottom or all exterior sides of its box or package and look for the **barcode section** and/or its **sticker**.



NetCam

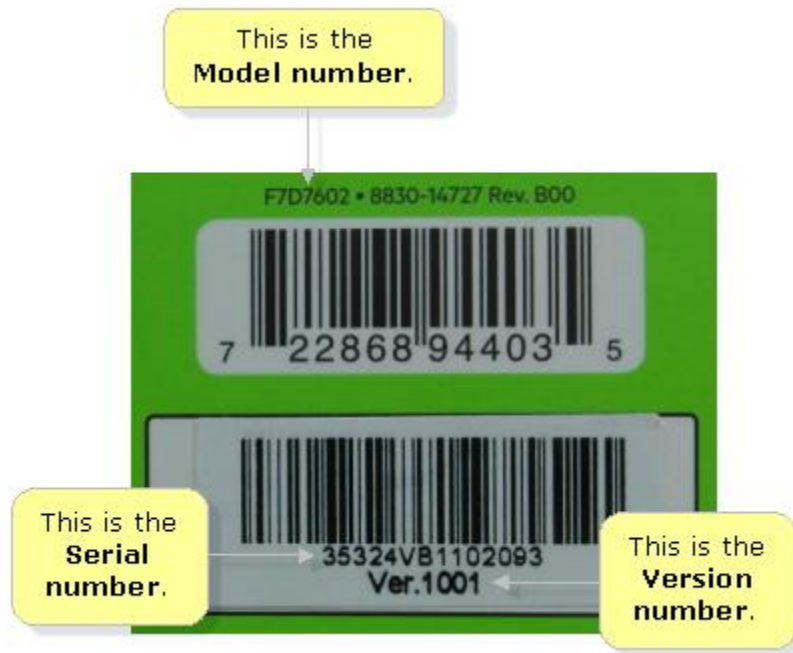
Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** NetCam.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the NetCam that you are using.



QUICK TIP: If you can't find any product number on your device, check the

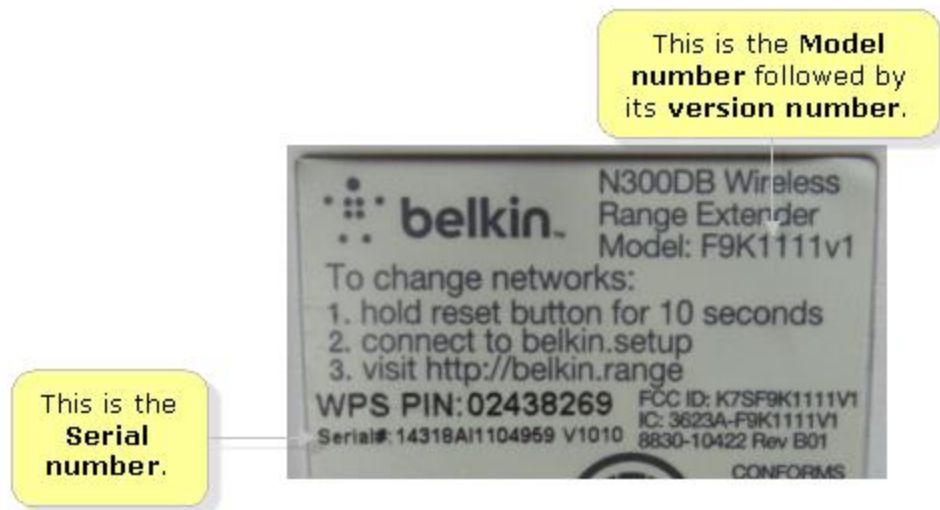
bottom or all exterior sides of its box or package and look for the **barcode section** and/or its **sticker**.



Range Extender

Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** Range Extender.

NOTE: The image below may vary depending on the Range Extender that you are using.

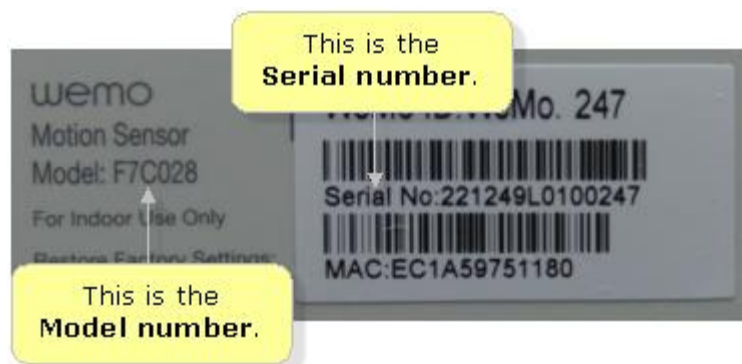


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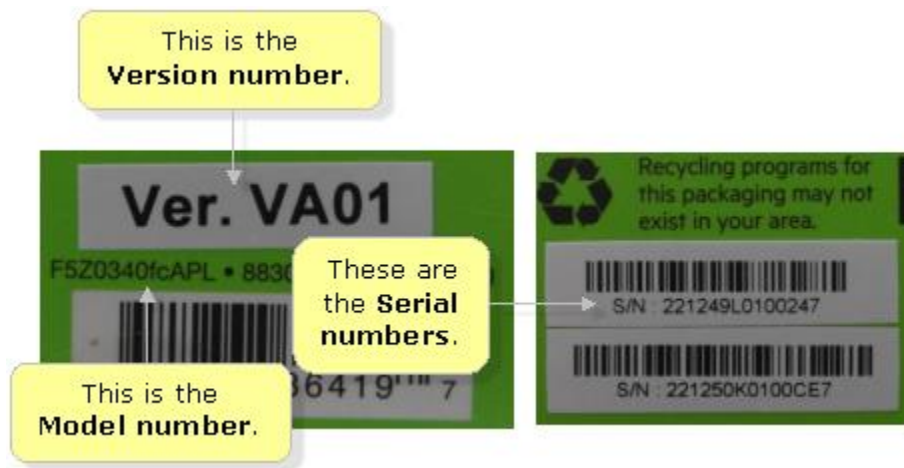
WEMO

Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1 WEMO**.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the WEMO product that you are using.



QUICK TIP: If you can't find any product number on your device, check the bottom or all exterior sides of its box or package and look for the **barcode section** and/or its **sticker**.



Hubs

Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** hub.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the hub that you are using.



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Keyboards

Locate the sticker at the back of the device. The version starts with **v** or **ver**. If there is no version number following the model number, then you have a **version 1** keyboard.

NOTE: The images below may vary depending on the keyboard that you are using.



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Charging the Belkin QODE™ Ultimate Pro Keyboard Case, F5L171 and F5L176

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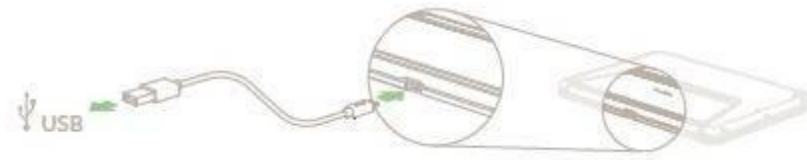
Step 1:

Locate the **Micro-USB** port of the keyboard.



Step 2:

Insert one end of the charging cable to the keyboard and the other end to an available charger plugged to a power outlet or a computer.



NOTE: A **red** indicator lights up if it is charging and will turn **blue** when fully charged.