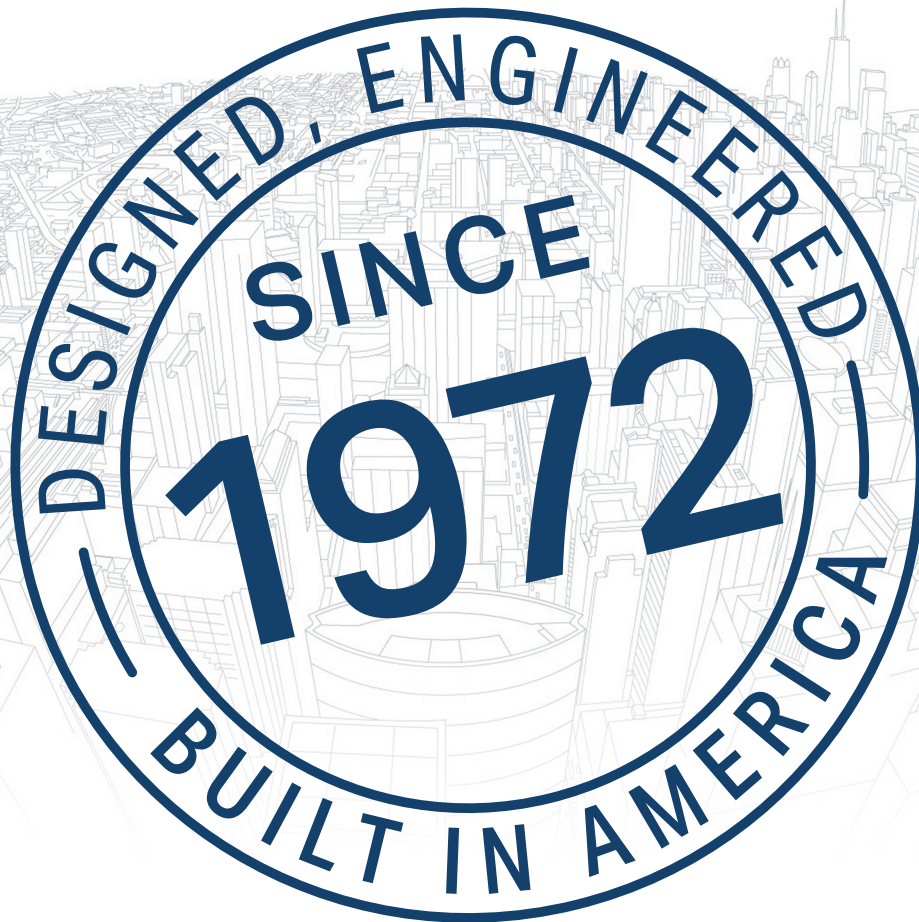


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Getting to Know SDC

the lock behind the system



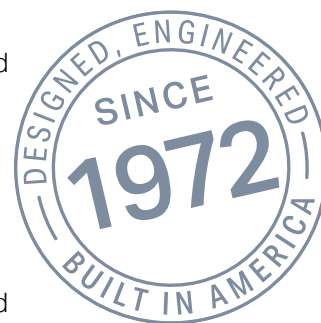
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THE LOCK BEHIND THE SYSTEM

SECURITY DOOR CONTROLS manufactures electrified access control hardware and controllers worldwide. Since 1972 SDC products have been designed, engineered and built in America while most of our larger competitors manufacture overseas.

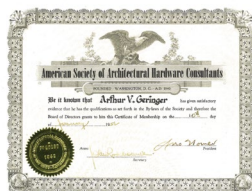
SDC solutions can be found in any application where access control of a door is required including: industrial, commercial, retail facilities, technology centers, high-rise buildings, nuclear power plants, laboratories, museums, art galleries, libraries, schools and universities, airports and transportation facilities, government centers and military bases across the globe. SDC transforms the application of electricity to door openings for security and fire & life safety.



After 50 years of SDC, we're not resting on our laurels. We're looking to the next 50 years as an opportunity to apply our ingenuity, skill and knowledge in access and egress door control technology to craft solutions with intense enthusiasm and energy. And to teach a new generation of hardware and security innovators to unfailingly behave in the high-grade manner we're known for.

How It All Began

Our founder, Arthur V. Geringer, was born in 1923 and grew up in his father's architectural hardware business in Chicago. After serving in the US Army during World War II he returned to civilian life in 1945. He settled in California and was employed at a major Los Angeles contract hardware firm before moving to an automatic door firm.

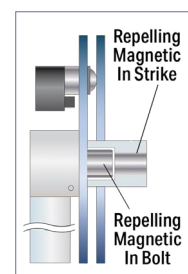


While there, Art received his certification as an Architectural Hardware Consultant in 1952, allowing him to combine his industry experience with his energy and passion for innovation over the next 60 years.

In 1971 Art was asked by the California State Fire Marshal to create a failsafe bolt lock for perimeter doors that would unlock automatically when the power was removed. His first solution was rejected because it relied upon springs to unlock – deemed unacceptable by the fire marshal.

Undaunted, Art remembered little magnetized toy dogs that would repel each other when one dog smelled the other dog's tail. He realized a solution was there. He invented the FS23 series electric bolt lock which utilized two repelling magnets to repel the

bolt from the strike even if the spring should fail. The fire marshal approved it on the spot.



In 1972 Art patented the lock and approached his employer to manufacture it. His employer didn't share Art's intensity and enthusiasm for developing electric locking capabilities. Art decided to go out on his own and with his wife, Mae, founded Security Door Controls in Tarzana, California – in the San Fernando Valley area of Los Angeles County.

The great migration to electric locking systems had begun.

A miniature train, with a battery powered sound chip used to make the engine noise and train whistle also stimulated Art's imagination. This became the catalyst for the invention of the first delayed egress lock with a human voice stored on a chip in the lock. The design evolved into today's fully integrated electromagnetic delayed egress lock – the SDC ExitCheck® 1511S – with visual countdown, verbal and audible alerts.



**Security
Door Controls**



1972

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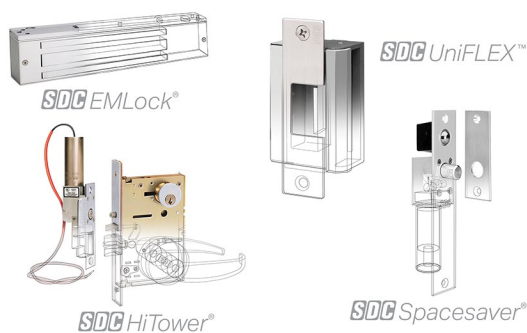
THE LOCK BEHIND THE SYSTEM



Who We Are

Art's design for a lock that relied on magnets rather than mechanical springs, and his subsequent development of a 90° throw electric lock were foundational innovations that opened the potential of electric locking capabilities for security and fire life safety compliance throughout the world. During the 1970's, his was one of only two locks in the country approved for locking commercial stairwell and perimeter doors. As the inventor of numerous electronic lock designs, Art is credited with ushering in the modern era of access control hardware.

Resulting from Art's vision, SDC has continued to define with extraordinary focus, our area of special competence in electronic lock designs. We act decisively to bring these access and egress control solutions to market.



Today

SDC is credited with innovating a number of additional industry firsts including, but not limited to these selected highlights:

SDC Selectric® *SDC ExitAnnunciator®* *SDC EntryControl™*
SDC EMLock® *SDC IPPro®* *SDC UniFLEX™*
SDC Spectra™ *SDC SureExit®* *SDC Electra™* *SDC HiTower®*
SDC QuietDuo™ *SDC PanicLok™* *SDC ExitCheck®*
SDC Selectric® *SDC Spacesaver®* *SDC EntryCheck™*
SDC HiShear® *SDC GateLok™* *SDC Excel®*

- The one and only HiTower® locksets
- The first electric strikes with interchangeable faceplates and field reversibility for failsafe or failsecure operation - UniFLEX™
- The first electromagnetic locks with an interlocking quick mount assembly - EMLock®
- The first floating armature for electromagnetic shear locks
- The first to design a delayed egress lock, followed by the first to include onboard electronics with visual and verbal countdown - ExitCheck®
- The first to design interlocks, mantraps, and shared bathroom controls with integrated programmable logic boards
- The first pressure sense exit bar - SureExit® - to allow immediate release of electromagnetic locks, and still the only tri-failsafe exit bar available today
- The first motorized electric latch retraction kits – QuietDuo™ LR100 Series – enabling electrification of mechanical exit devices, leading the industry transition from solenoids to motors



1927

Art Geringer grew up in his father's architectural hardware business in Chicago. At age four, his parents let him stack hinges at the family's contract hardware business.



1945

World War II ends. Art returns to civilian life, settles in CA, and works in the Builder's contract hardware industry.

1927

1945

We're known as the door control opening experts with more than 40 patents, 20+ active trademark brands and decades of product design firsts. SDC's locking systems can be found in virtually any application where access control of a door is required. We're particularly adept at new or retrofit applications of 1 – 10 doors, where 80% of the security door and hardware market exists. We provide savings and profits to our partners through:

- Lower installation costs
- Fewer callbacks, increased longevity
- High-touch service from a family-run enterprise

With the convergence of the mechanical hardware and electronic access control worlds, SDC is the bridge between both and has become skilled at using electrified mechanical locks to provide electronic technology solutions. We allow conventional locksmiths and dealers a seamless transition into electronic access control security systems. Conversely, architects, integrators and IT professionals can integrate electrified mechanical hardware into complete electronic system design solutions with ease.

By establishing this special competence over many decades, SDC has been able to exercise a singular attention to crafting applications and product solutions that meet a wide variety of code compliant and/or market-specific requirements. With a robust toolbox of over 35,000 access and egress control components, SDC products form turnkey solutions to address



almost any door opening imagined. The result is an impressive breadth of products all Designed, Engineered and Built In America. 94% of all our products comply with the Buy American Act.

This combined with our high-touch service – you can actually speak to a technical support representative when you call – are hallmarks of our culture and brand.



The Next 50 Years

Although no one can predict exactly what the future holds, one can use experience, purpose and values to control how to respond to it. Because SDC has a tradition of excellence and innovation through several generations of family ownership and operation, we will continue to ignore even the most enticing propositions falling outside our area of special competence.

This means that not becoming part of a global behemoth or being parted out into smaller pieces will allow us to remain flexible, more nimble, and customer-oriented as we have always been. It means we will continue to co-partner with our customers, allowing them to more deeply engage with their customers to expand relationships into more opportunities. It means nurturing a special culture founded on respect for our employees and all of our stakeholders to guarantee we stay focused on always doing the right things for the right reasons for our valued customers.

In terms of fire and life safety, access and egress door control systems, SDC has always been and will continue to be "the lock behind the system."



1952

Art is certified as an Architectural Hardware Consultant (AHC), and continues working in the contract hardware industry. During his time in builders contract hardware, Art learns the industry landscape and various needs of commercial buildings like hospitals, hi-rises, museums, universities, and public venues.

DID YOU KNOW?

High Rise Safety & Security

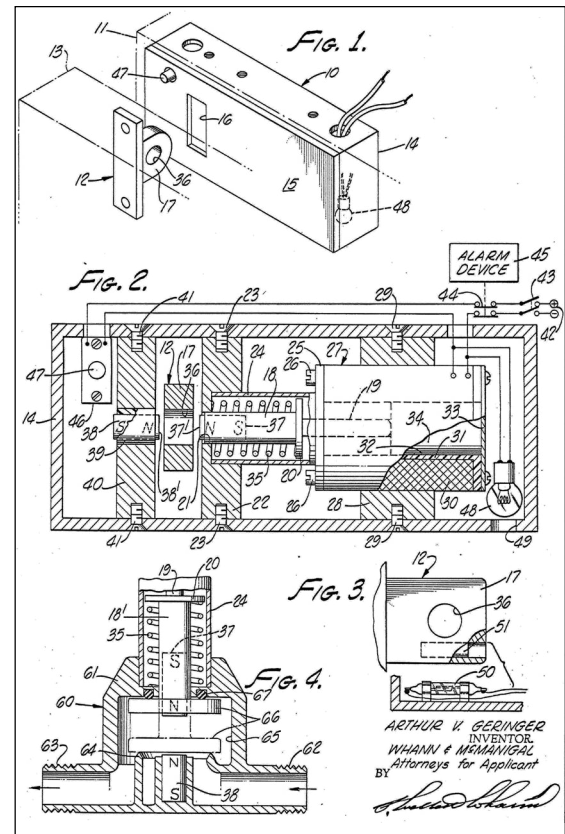
SDC is recognized for developing the first electrified lockets approved for stairwell door applications. Today, SDC HiTower®, Selectric® and Electra® premium grade electrified mortise and cylindrical locks are installed in thousands of buildings dominating skylines worldwide.

Leadership

Since 1997, SDC has earned twelve SIA New Product Achievement and Security Industry Finest Awards. In addition, SDC has received numerous SIA New Product Showcase certificates of recognition for Commitment to Innovation and Excellence in New Product Development.

Projects Short List

Arizona State University, Arizona
Austonion High Rise, Austin TX
Bank of America, U.S.A.
California State Capitol, East End Project
Chase Bank, U.S.A
Chek Lap KOK Airport, Hong Kong
Duke Energy Nuclear Plants
N. & S. Carolina
Exxon Mobile, U.S.A.
J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
JFK International Airport; NY
King Khalid International Airport, Saudi Arabia
Kuala Lumpur International Airport, Malaysia
LA Unified School District, Los Angeles
Museum of Modern Art, New York
NASA Kennedy Space Center, FL
New DOHA International Airport, Qatar
Smithsonian Institute, Washington D.C.
UC Davis Research Center
University of Southern California
USC Medical Center



Patent drawing for the original FS23 Bolt Lock – the innovation that started it all for SDC in 1972.

Innovation

SDC has been awarded more than 40 patents for:

- Actuator controlled locks
- Delayed egress devices
- Delayed egress locks
- Electric cylindrical locks
- Electric latch retraction
- Electric mortise locks
- Electric strikes
- Electromagnetic locks
- Electronic locking systems
- Exit sense bars
- Failsafe / failsecure lock with quick change window
- Magnetic shear locks
- Mechanical locks
- Mechanical exit devices
- Programmable system logic controllers

1958

Art founds his first company, SaniDoor, to manufacture laminate doors for hospitals. Unfortunately, Art is ahead of his time and folds the company for lack of demand, but not before gaining invaluable design and business experience for his future endeavors.

SDC TRADEMARKS

Trademark	Distinguishing Features	Applicable Product Series
SDC Electra™	Electra™ locks are solenoid controlled cylindrical locksets and feature SDC's proprietary vandal resistant clutch lever mechanism. These code compliant electric cylindrical locks stay latched even when unlocked, maintaining fire door integrity. They replace most brands of mechanical locksets making them fully compatible with new and retrofit applications.	7200
SDC EMLock®	EMLock® was the first "U" channel, epoxy-less designed electromagnetic lock, making them immune to core distortion and reduction of electromagnetic holding force. The housing design provides a superior architectural appearance with a plated or anodized finish on all sides. Uniform modular assembly design makes them easy to stock, upgrade and maintain. Additional features include auto-sensing dual voltage and an interlocking quick mount assembly with captive mounting screws to simplify installations. EMLocks® are compatible with any access control system and covered by a lifetime warranty.	1510 1570 1580
SDC EntryCheck™	EntryCheck™ keypads are digital, self-contained and standalone keypads that are keypad-programmable to quickly add or delete individual users and provide controlled access for basic and multi-level security requirements. Timed anti-passback, anti-tailgate and keypad tamper lockout functions, as well as a choice of door sense or relay inhibit input are standard.	918 920 923 E75 E76 E77
SDC EntryControl™	EntryControl™ low energy swing door operators are designed for applications requiring ADA compliance or user convenience. All EntryControl™ operators are microprocessor based with a single button, self-tuning setup, onboard lock sequencing and a built-in 1 Amp+ power supply allows for integration with other electric devices and locking systems without adding a separate power supply.	AUTO
SDC Excel™	Excel™ is SDC's value line of fully featured, economically priced electromagnetic lock alternatives to low cost imports. Full monitoring is standard. An interlocking quick mount assembly reduces installation time compared to epoxy sealed magnetic locks.	E1200 E600
SDC ExitAnnunciator®	ExitAnnunciator® signal devices are multi-color LED visual annunciators that interface with delayed egress or standard EMLocks®, plus many other manufacturers' electromagnetic locks. These visual annunciator bars have six externally selectable colors of red, green, blue, white, yellow and purple in solid or flashing modes to meet any application.	EA100



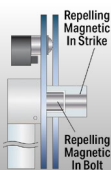
1965

Art is hired as Sales Manager for Door Controls Inc, in the automatic door industry. He is exposed to the security needs of aerospace, department of defense and government facilities, as well as requirements for control rooms and perimeter doors. His direct involvement in bringing the first integrations of access control to hardware leads to the realization that solving code compliance issues is an opportunity - opening up a world of possibilities for innovation leading to his first inventions.

1965

SDC TRADEMARKS

Trademark	Distinguishing Features	Applicable Product Series
SDC <i>ExitCheck</i> ®	ExitCheck ® delayed egress features revolutionized the industry by incorporating an alternating verbal message, verbal countdown and alarm tone, plus a large digital countdown display and door release indicator all integrated into an electromagnetic lock or remote controller. This provides a clear warning for the safety of persons without prior knowledge of door operation while egress through perimeter exit doors is delayed for code compliance and security is alerted to unauthorized egress.	1511S 1511T 101-DE
SDC <i>GateLok</i> ™	GateLok ™ electric bolt locks are specifically designed for access control and remote locking/unlocking of swinging or sliding gates. Compatible with manual, automatic chain link, tubular steel and wrought iron gates, GateLoks ™ feature an automatic relock switch to keep the bolt retracted when gate is open.	GL
SDC <i>HiShear</i> ®	HiShear ® electromagnetic shear locks feature a floating armature assembly, an adjustable lateral and horizontal alignment, a door alignment and static sensor, auto-sensing dual voltage electronics and special alloy steel locking tabs with a superior noise dampening design makes the HiShear ® the top shear lock on the market.	1560 1562SC 1561S 1561TJ
SDC <i>HiTower</i> ®	HiTower ® locks were the first frame actuator controlled mortise locksets for stairwell doors and the only dual-failsafe mortise lockset. These locks provide hardwire control with no electric hinge and no wires in the door and eliminate the need for manufacturers' door prep to maintain fire rating. Designed to meet building and fire life safety code compliance for new or retrofit construction, HiTower ® features are available in SDC brand locksets or by way of modifications to a wide variety of major manufacturer brands.	7500
SDC <i>IPPro</i> ®	IPPro ® solutions incorporate IP-based access controllers with two ethernet ports for interfacing with an additional IP device. IPPro ® controllers come with secure, built-in software to manage up to 32 doors from any internet-connected device using a standard web browser without the headaches of costlier, more complicated enterprise solutions. The free downloadable IPPro ® PLUS PC-client software controls up to 100 doors from a single PC.	IPD
SDC <i>PanicLok</i> ™	PanicLok ™ top latch release electric bolt locks are concealed and permit access control and remote timer control of narrow stile glass doors equipped with Dor-O-Matic or Kawneer concealed vertical rod exit devices. They're adaptable to single or pairs of center hung doors and offset doors with a minimum of 1/8" reveal only.	PD2090



1971

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1972

FS23 Series patent is filed - Art and his wife, Mae, found SDC to begin manufacturing.

1971

1972

SDC TRADEMARKS

Trademark	Distinguishing Features	Applicable Product Series
SDC <i>QuietDuo</i> ™	QuietDuo ™ retrofit electric latch retraction kits were the first brought to market to convert mechanical exit devices to electrified devices - enabling access control and dogging of panic and fire rated mechanical exit devices in the field. Compared to solenoid latch retraction, QuietDuo ™ kits utilize motorized latch retraction to provide lower current draw, quieter operation and cost savings in installation and power requirements while maintaining certifications without alteration of the exit device.	LR100 IP100
SDC <i>Selectric</i> ®	Selectric ® locks are solenoid controlled mortise locksets and feature SDC's proprietary vandal resistant clutch lever mechanism. These code compliant electric mortise locks stay latched even when unlocked, maintaining fire door integrity. They replace most brands of mechanical locksets making them fully compatible with new and retrofit applications. Selectric ® features are available in SDC brand locksets or by way of modifications to a wide variety of major manufacturer brands.	7800
SDC <i>Spacesaver</i> ®	Spacesaver ® bolt locks were the world's first right angle electric bolt locks. They install in any standard frame and most door stiles with a simple mortise cutout and feature a specification grade solenoid. The rotating bolt design makes tampering or cutting very difficult. Additionally, an automatic relock ball switch keeps the bolt retracted when the door is open. It is also field adjustable for wide door gaps and bidirectional for use on swinging or sliding doors.	1091/1291 1190/2090 1490/2490 FS23M
SDC <i>Spectra</i> ™	Spectra ™ devices are architectural grade and available in rim mount, mortise, and surface vertical rod configurations. Featuring a modern look with quiet push pad operation, electrification choices include motorized electric latch retraction, electric dogging or alarmed exit.	S6000 S6300
SDC <i>SureExit</i> ®	SureExit ® request-to-exit push bars are the only tri-failsafe exit bars using pressure sense technology. When slight pressure is applied two redundant solid state pressure sensors release locks immediately. A third redundant micro switch is automatically activated to release the door if both sensors or the electronics fail. This ensures door operation will continue without prior knowledge or use. Unlike touch sensors, activation may be accomplished while wearing heavy gloves.	PSB560
SDC <i>UniFLEX</i> ™	UniFLEX ™ electric strikes feature an interchangeable faceplate design to meet a variety of applications. The interchangeable design of these electric strikes allows SDC to also provide multi-application strike kits that include one electric strike and three faceplates to meet common applications, making them easy to stock and maintain in inventory.	55 45



1973

Art uses his daughter's vinyl record turntable to create a cycle mechanism to test the reliability of the FS23 series. The FS23 series is approved by California State Fire Marshal after surpassing 800,000 cycles - the world's first, approved fail-safe electric lock for after-hours locking of emergency doors ushering in the modern era of electronic access control door hardware.

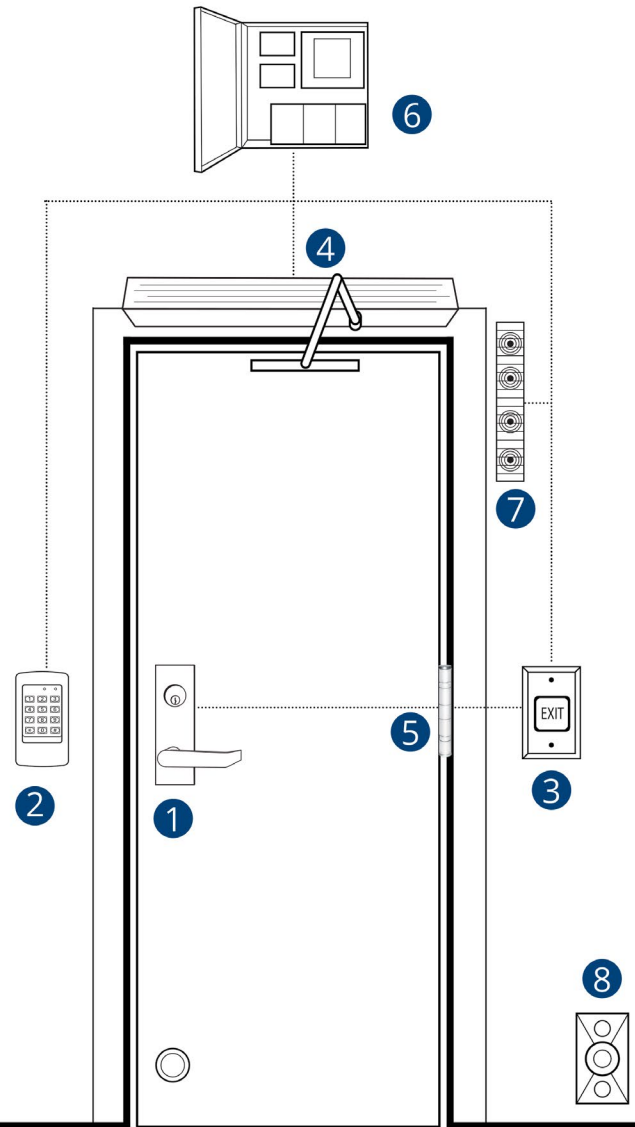
COMPLETE COMPONENT CONSIDERATIONS

With a robust toolbox of over 35,000 SDC access & egress control components at your fingertips, you can assemble turnkey solutions to address both market-specific and application-specific requirements for almost any door opening imagined – while addressing a variety of factors, including:

- Level of Security
- Life Safety Codes
- Budget Restrictions
- Aesthetics
- Type of Door or Frame
- Retrofit or New Construction

BASIC COMPONENT CONSIDERATIONS FOR CONTROLLED DOOR SYSTEMS

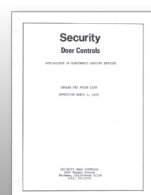
- 1 LOCKING DEVICES
- 2 ACCESS CONTROLS
- 3 EGRESS CONTROLS
- 4 ADA CONTROLS
- 5 POWER TRANSFER DEVICES
- 6 POWER SUPPLY & DOOR CONTROLS
- 7 REMOTE CONTROLS & ANNUNCIATORS
- 8 ACCESSORIES & MISC



Components not to scale

1973

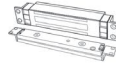
SDC publishes first, type-written net dealer price list which includes the FS23S surface mount bolt lock and various conventional direct throw bolt lock surface mount and mortise configurations. SDC is the first to offer electric bolt locks with magnetic reed and ball switches. Built-in monitoring options become of a staple of SDC product moving forward.



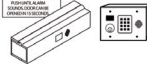
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Electromagnetic Locks



Electromagnetic Shear Locks



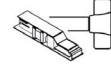
Delayed Egress Locks



Electric Strikes



Electrified Locksets



Exit Devices & Retrofit ELR Kits



Electric Bolt Locks

2 ACCESS CONTROLS



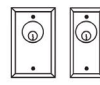
IP-Based Controllers



Keypads & Readers



Standalone Locksets



Key Switches

3 EGRESS CONTROLS



Egress Devices



Exit Switches & Sensors



Emergency Door Releases

4 ADA CONTROLS



Low Energy Operators



Push Plates & Panels



Bollards

5 POWER TRANSFER DEVICES



Hinges



Loops



Mortise Transfer



Wireless Transfer

6 POWER SUPPLY & DOOR CONTROLS



Power Controllers



Door Controllers

7 REMOTE CONTROLS & ANNUNCIATORS



Remote Control Consoles



Door Prop Alarms & Annunciators

8 ACCESSORIES & MISC



Electromagnetic Door Holders



Door Position Monitoring



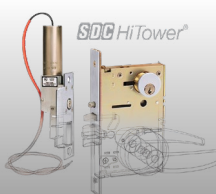
Latch & Deadbolt Monitoring Strikes



Wireless Transmitters & Receivers



Communicating Bathroom Controls



1973

Art invents and files the patent for the HiTower® lock, the first frame actuator controlled mortise lockset for stairwell doors. Before HiTower®, updating a mechanical mortise lockset for electronic access control meant replacing the mortise lockset plus adding a power transfer hinge for hardwire control, running the access control and monitoring wires through the door, and factory-prepping the door for the wire raceways to maintain the door's fire ratings. By placing the actuator and all wires in the frame, electric hinges and factory door prep parts and costs were eliminated, an industry first.



1974

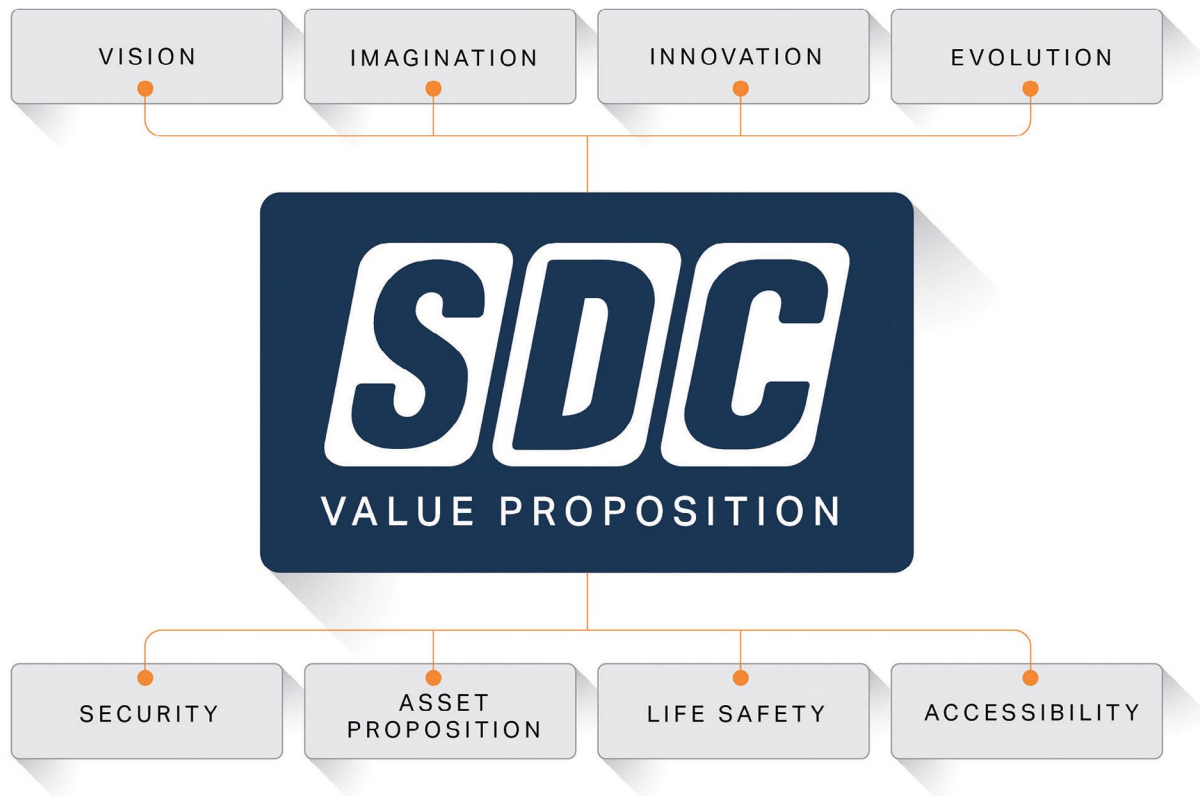
Art revises the FS23 Series patent to include mortise and double door configurations.

1973

1974

THE SDC VALUE PROPOSITION

The Bridge from Mechanical to Electronic Access Control



Our code-compliant, premium hardware products allow conventional locksmiths and security dealers a seamless transition into electronic access control security systems. They also allow architects, integrators and IT professionals to integrate electrified mechanical hardware products into complete electronic system design solutions with ease.

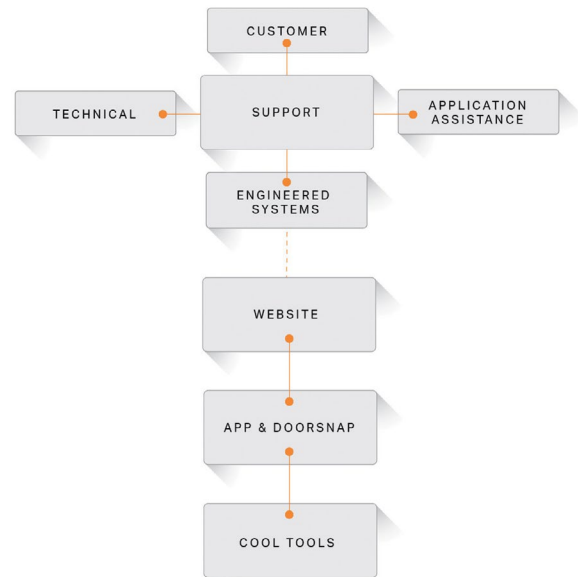
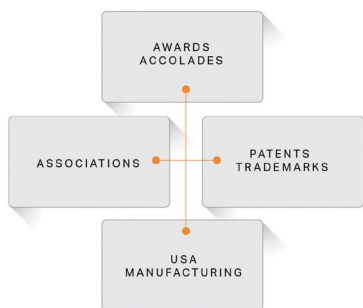
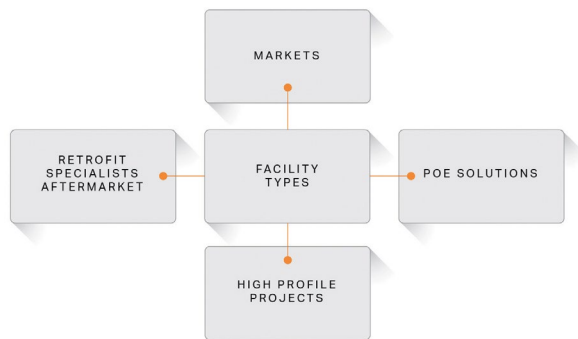
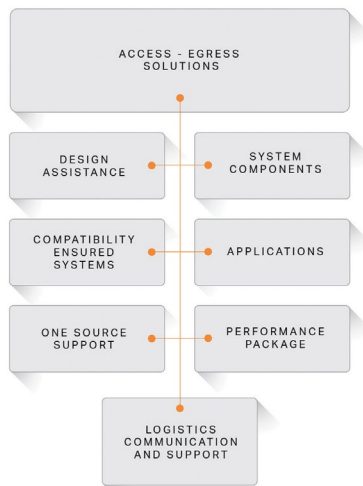
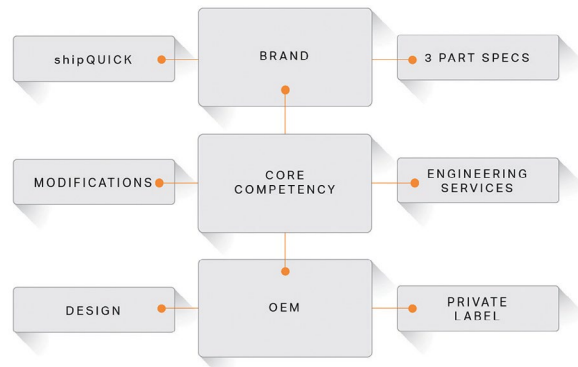
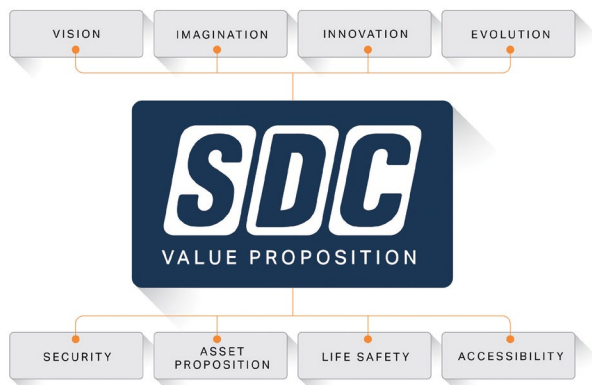


1975

Art invents and files the patent for the Spacesaver® bolt lock design – a fundamental innovation in electronic access control now commonly used worldwide. Spacesaver bolt locks project the bolt at a 90° right angle to the lock mechanism with only a 1½" backset. This allows installation of all SDC Spacesaver® locks by means of a simple cutout, in any standard 1¾" tube as used in typical door frame construction, or in most door lock stiles or bottom rails. Until SDC Spacesaver® locks, installation of electric bolt locks were costly, often requiring the cutting of studs and considerable reconstruction.

1975

THE SDC VALUE PROPOSITION



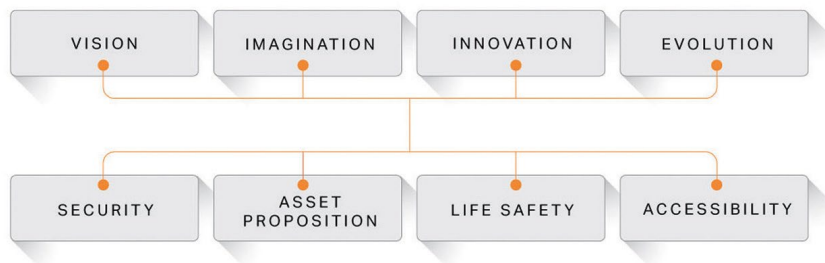
1976

Art becomes a member of the Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association (BHMA) Subcommittee for the Development of Product Standards, integral to the acceptance of certifications and the growth of our industry. SDC holds a seat to this day and continues to contribute invaluable expertise and experience in the development of ANSI and BHMA national standards for electromechanical and electromagnetic locks.

1977

SDC begins manufacturing and fulfills first HiTower® lock orders

THE SDC VALUE PROPOSITION



VISION

To transform the application of electricity to door openings for security, ADA, and fire & life safety compliance – and be the bridge between mechanical hardware and electronic access control.

IMAGINATION

We see the door hardware industry as an incredible opportunity to apply our ingenuity, skill and knowledge in access and egress Control technology and to craft solutions with intense enthusiasm and energy.

INNOVATION

Since 1972, SDC has been leading the great migration to electric locking systems, ushering in the modern era of access and egress control hardware through foundational inventions that are now used worldwide.

EVOLUTION

With an extraordinary focus on electronic lock design, we're able to continually craft applications and product solutions to meet a wide variety of code compliant and/or market-specific requirements, and to realize the full potential of electric locking capabilities.

SECURITY

We provide locksmiths and dealers a seamless transition into electronic access control security while allowing security and IT professionals to integrate electrified mechanical hardware into system design solutions with ease.

ASSET PROTECTION

Whether it's for one door or many, new or retrofit, SDC access and egress solutions are designed to safeguard facilities, both public and private, commercial and industrial, in the most cost-effective, reliable manner with quality and longevity.

LIFE SAFETY

Key to any of our product solutions is strict adherence to national building, electrical, fire and life safety code compliance to ensure a building's occupants and visitors are not only secure but safe in emergencies.

ACCESSIBILITY

Our line of ADA controls are designed to maximize public door accessibility for the Americans with Disability Act Title III applications and focused on public accommodations to guarantee equality for those who are physically handicapped or disabled.



1977

Art Geringer's son, Rick, joins the company and is integral to the early growth and improvement of the company and its product solutions.



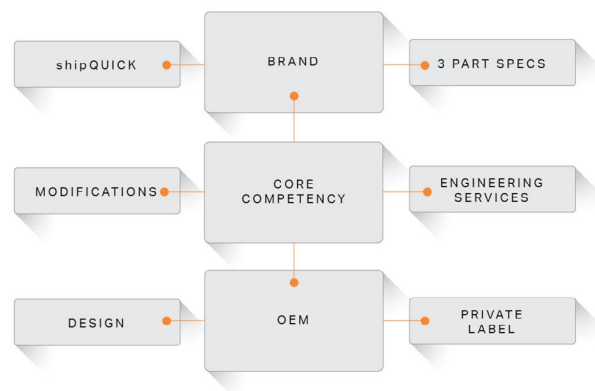
1978

SDC begins fulfilling first international orders for bolt locks in China, Taiwan, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippines and Korea. Overseas demand skyrockets as S1 Security requires all their banks to utilize Spacesaver® 1091 series right angle bolt locks.

1977

1978

THE SDC VALUE PROPOSITION



shipQUICK

SDC's inventory program for security dealers, integrators, installers and wholesalers makes 300+ of our most popular products available for next day shipping and reduced freight costs.

3 PART SPECS

SDC provides 3 part specs to assist in the design, specification and installation of our products into projects following CSI formats for access control hardware in Division 8 and 28.

CORE COMPETENCY

Whether it's for new or retrofit applications, our expertise is in product development and engineering - from concept to R&D, thru industrial design, to mechanical and electrical engineering, prototyping, testing and evaluation, and finally to manufacturing of finished products.

DESIGN

Because we build our own designs, particular care and attention is given in our product development process to not only ensure performance, precision and longevity, but also simplicity, ease of installation, and the use of cost-effective materials and efficient manufacturing techniques to meet our high quality standards.

PRIVATE LABEL

Several standard SDC products are sold to other manufacturers for private labeling that utilize our full factory, supply, packaging and shipping capabilities to meet their project and profit objectives.

BRAND

The SDC brand is the most visible expression of our culture and values that combine a tradition of innovation and craftsmanship with high-touch service and excellence that only a family-run enterprise can provide.

MODIFICATIONS

SDC has a complete line of factory and field installed electric modifications of all major mechanical, mortise & cylindrical locksets, and exit device brands.

ENGINEERING SERVICES

With more than 50 years of successfully engineering electrified access and egress hardware and system solutions, we offer in-depth services to our customers and stakeholders to meet their specific challenges and opportunities.

OEM

From the beginning, SDC has earned an excellent reputation for the design and manufacturing of OEM products for several major U.S. door hardware manufacturers including: electrified exit devices, delayed egress exit devices, power supplies, delayed egress locks and access control peripherals to meet specific market applications and UL cross listing requirements.



1982

Another of Art's sons, David, joins the company and is a major contributor to SDC's patent innovations, eventually becoming President and CEO.



1982

SDC leads the integration of electric strikes into the door hardware industry. SDC's first strike is developed on an OEM basis for an industry leading company, who is still manufacturing it today. SDC later engineers its own UniFLEX™ 45 and 55 series electric strikes with innovative features such as the first ever interchangeable faceplates and field reversibility for failsafe or failsecure operation.

1982

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ACCESS & EGRESS SOLUTIONS

SDC's access and egress solutions can be found in any application where access control of a door is required. Our code-compliant, premium hardware products allow locksmiths and security dealers a seamless transition into electronic access control while providing architects, integrators and IT professionals easy integration of electrified hardware into complete EAC systems.

SYSTEM COMPONENTS

With a robust toolbox of over 35,000 access and egress control components, SDC products form turnkey solutions to address almost any door opening imagined. Every component, whether standalone or integrated with others into an application specific solution, meets rigorous quality standards for reliability and longevity.

APPLICATIONS

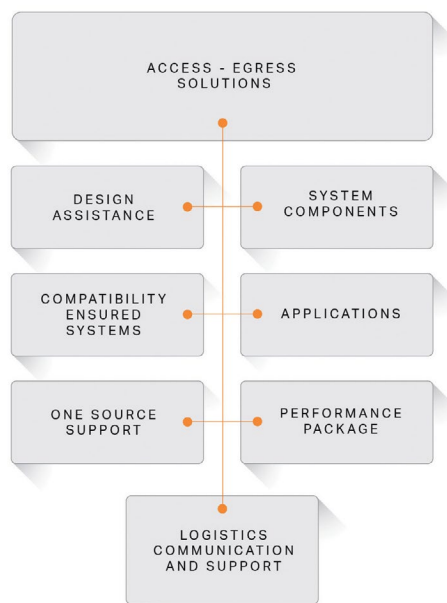
Whether it's for a single, standalone door application, or for a PC-managed, multi-door project, SDC's line of complete electrified hardware and electronic component solutions is easily configured to meet specific access and egress control needs while maintaining security and fire & life safety.

ONE SOURCE SYSTEM

Besides the benefit of reducing system conflicts and troubleshooting when using our products for a complete access and egress control solution, SDC offers the ease and convenience of a single source for almost any door control project.

LOGISTICS, COMMUNICATIONS & SUPPORT

We're adept at coordinating and communicating the timing and delivery of our products to our valued partners thru our in-house support team of experts – who understand the importance of meeting deadlines and turning challenges into opportunities.



DESIGN ASSISTANCE

Experienced, on-staff engineering and design specialists are available to support project professionals in crafting application specific SDC electrified hardware and access and egress solutions to meet their unique door control requirements.

COMPATIBILITY ENSURED SYSTEM

When using SDC components and products to create a complete system solution, compatibility is ensured. All our products are designed to be "agnostic" – to work in concert with other components regardless of manufacturer. However, system conflicts and troubleshooting can be reduced or eliminated when using SDC products for the complete system.

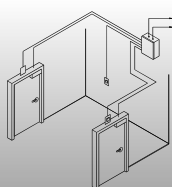
PERFORMANCE PACKAGE

Developed for our wholesale distribution partners, SDC offers specialized door opening solutions by configuring products and components into a single package for ease of ordering and reduced pricing based on volume.



1982

Overseas demand skyrockets again as thousands of HiTower® locks ship to Saudi Arabia, cementing SDC as a global provider of electrified access control locking devices.



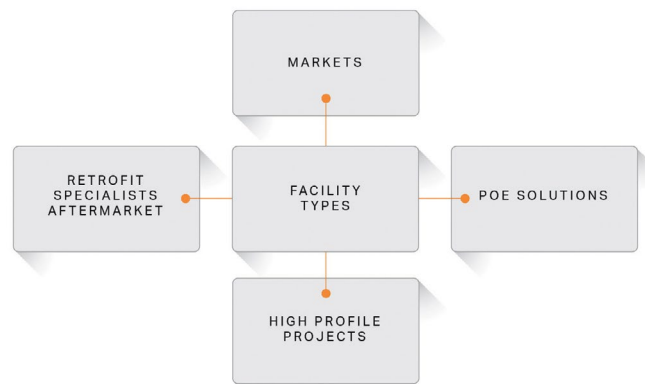
1982

SDC develops and designs the first interlock, mantrap and communicating bathroom systems. SDC system design services accomplish this logic through the use of multiple control relay boards. Later, SDC will develop UR series boards with all control logic through one board.

1982

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MARKETS

SDC's complete solutions provide security products wholesale distributors, systems integrators, contract and wholesale door hardware distributors and dealers with a variety of profitable applications for installation into retail, airports/transportation, healthcare, pharmaceutical, commercial/ industrial modifications and retrofit markets.

FACILITY TYPES

SDC transforms the application of electricity to door openings for security and fire & life safety in buildings including: industrial, commercial, retail facilities, technology centers, high-rise buildings, nuclear power plants, laboratories, museums, art galleries, libraries, schools and universities, airports and transportation facilities, government centers and military bases across the globe.

RETROFIT SPECIALISTS, AFTERMARKET

As the door control opening experts, we're particularly adept at new or retrofit applications of 1 – 10 doors, where 80% of the security door and hardware market exists. With aftermarket door upgrades in mind, we design our products to make retrofitting from mechanical to electrified as easy as possible while maintaining code-compliance.

PoE SOLUTIONS

SDC's PoE solutions allow for upgrading the door for access and egress control without being an IT expert. By using our PoE capable locking hardware and IP-based door controllers to bridge the gap between traditional locking hardware and IT networks, we bring safe, secure, easy to implement multi-door access control to the network's edge - without the headaches of costlier, more complicated enterprise solutions.

HIGH PROFILE PROJECTS

- ARCO Towers, Los Angeles
- Arizona State University, Arizona
- Austonian High Rise, Austin
- Bank of America, U.S.A.
- California State Capital, East End Project
- Chase Bank, U.S.A
- Chek Lap KOK Airport, Hong Kong
- Duke Energy Nuclear Plants, North & South Carolina
- Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport
- Edwards Air Force Base, California
- Exxon Mobil, U.S.A.
- J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
- JFK International Airport; New York
- King Khalid International Airport, Saudi Arabia
- Kuala Lumpur International Airport, Malaysia
- LA Unified School District, Los Angeles
- Museum of Modern Art, New York
- Mercedes Benz, Germany
- NASA Kennedy Space Center, FL
- New DOHA International Airport, Qatar
- O'Hare International Airport, Chicago
- Smithsonian Institute, Washington D.C.
- UC Davis Research Center
- University Southern California
- US Air Force Academy, Colorado
- USC Medical Center



ARCO Towers, Los Angeles, CA - 1973

1983

SDC rents two warehouse units in Tarzana, CA to meet growing production demands.



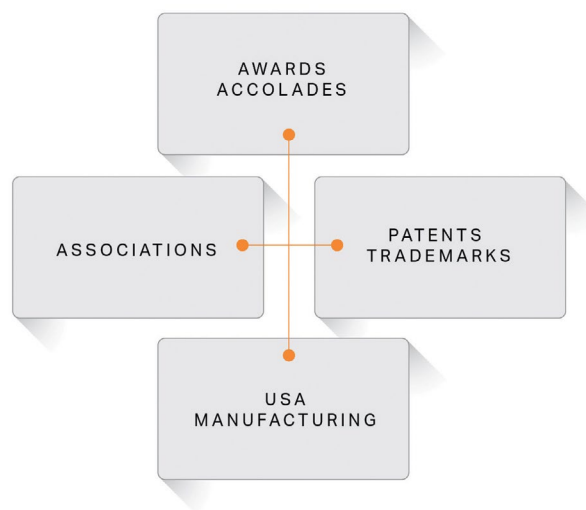
1983

SDC adds its first electromagnetic lock offering and introduces them as EMLocks®. Later, after multiple improvements and patents, EMLocks® become the established industry name for premium electromagnetic locks. The name "EMLock" is still widely used synonymously for electromagnetic locks in the industry today.

1983

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AWARDS & ACCOLADES

SDC has earned twelve SIA New Product Achievement and Security Industry Finest Awards since 1997. SDC has received numerous SIA New Product Showcase certificates of recognition for commitment to innovation and excellence in new product development. SDC founder, Art Geringer, received the Door and Hardware Institute's (DHI) highest honor, the Founders Memorial Award for his outstanding service, excellence and contributions to the door hardware industry over an extended period of time.

ASSOCIATIONS

SDC and SDC executive management is affiliated with the following Industry organizations:

Associated Locksmiths of America (ALOA)
Door and Hardware Institute (DHI)
Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association (BHMA)
Security Industry Association (SIA)

PATENTS & TRADEMARKS

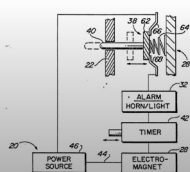
SDC has more than 20 active trademark brands and been awarded more than 40 patents for:

Actuator controlled locks	Electronic locking systems
Delayed egress exit devices	Exit sense bars
Delayed egress locks	Failsafe / failsecure lock with quick change window
Electric cylindrical locks	Magnetic shear locks
Electric latch retraction	Mechanical locks
Electric mortise locks	Mechanical exit devices
Electric strikes	Programmable system logic controllers
Electromagnetic locks	

USA MANUFACTURING

Since 1972, SDC products have been designed, engineered, and built in America while most of our larger competitors manufacture overseas. 94% of all our products comply with the Buy American Act. We have a singular focus on developing only high quality access control hardware products that are competitive with both low and high end brands.

Our 24,000 square foot factory utilizes a lean manufacturing system to ensure quality, output and craftsmanship in real time. Each product is produced individually as opposed to several units at a time. All associated parts are placed within arm's reach along with detailed drawings for assembler reference and quality control. We also use specific vendors with thousands of square feet dedicated exclusively to SDC needs.



1985

SDC pioneers the delayed egress concept and patents the first exit door security system with 15- second delayed door release. Two of today's industry leading companies fly SDC to their headquarters to work with engineers and develop the first delayed egress exit devices on an OEM partnership basis.

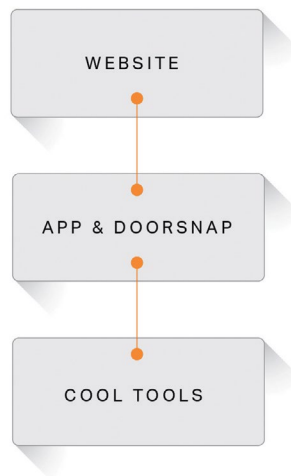
1986

SDC moves operations to its first, purpose-built factory on La Baya Drive in Westlake Village, CA.

1985

1986

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WEBSITE

SDC's fully featured website has all the information, solutions and tools needed for access and egress

control professionals including:

- Datasheets
- Priceshets
- Solution flyers
- Cool tools
- Installation instructions
- Comparison charts
- UL listings
- 3 part specs
- Videos
- Document library
- Image library
- And more!

APP & DOORSNAP

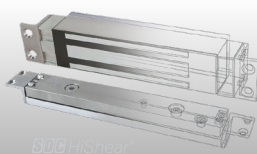
All the functionality of the SDC website is accessible on smartphones and tablets via the free

SDC app, available for Android on Google Play and IOS devices on the App Store. The free SDC app includes DoorSnap for making retrofits easy by snapping a picture of your door opening application and sending it to us for a complimentary access and egress electrified solution recommendation.

COOL TOOLS

The SDC tools section of our website has a collection of resources to download including:

- Door Checklist – to design, sell and win more jobs
- Voltage & Wire Calculators – for designing, specifying and installing electrified door access control hardware
- SDC Power – power supply capacity chart and access control power guide
- Component Considerations – a simple, visual guide to access and egress control solutions
- Installation Videos – with "How To" instructions.
- System Design Services – including pre-built wiring diagrams.
- SDC Document Library – catalogs, price list, datasheets, installation instructions, 3-part specs and more.



1987

SDC introduces its first iteration of electromagnetic shear lock which later becomes known as HiShear® locks. SDC HiShear® locks are the first in the industry to have field reversible shear tabs for misalignment.

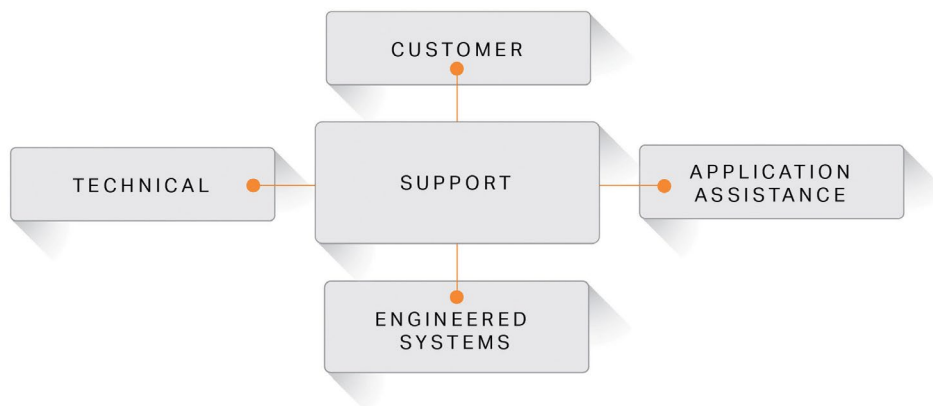
1987

Incorporating a similar locking mechanism used in HiShear® locks, SDC introduces its first delayed egress lock with an audible siren alert.

1987

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CUSTOMER

From customer service to technical & application assistance, and from sales & marketing to operations & administration, there are experienced SDC staff available to assist with design, discuss an application, support your business opportunities and coordinate all phases of your project and orders.

TECHNICAL

All of our support associates have the technical experience to help with the most common issues encountered with electronic access control hardware by virtue of the comprehensive training they receive based on our decades of real world experience. Should a tech issue go beyond the scope of their training, they are empowered to solicit the expertise of our engineering department to provide an answer in the most definitive and timely fashion.

APPLICATION ASSISTANCE

We have assembled a variety of real world application solution examples for our customers to reference when seeking assistance for their particular project. In this way, our support staff can guide them through building a similar application in the most efficient manner.

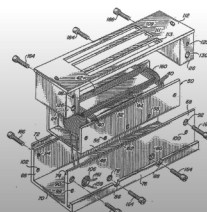
SUPPORT

One of the hallmarks of our brand and culture is our high-touch service – you can actually speak to a service or technical support associate when you call – to place an order, confirm order status, or troubleshoot a specific issue. We're here to help with:

- Product application and installation
- Ordering assistance
- Price and delivery quotations
- Purchase order status

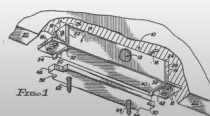
ENGINEERED SYSTEMS

Where no applicable application solution example exists, comprehensive design services are available to develop an engineered system for door opening applications specific to a project's requirements – when using SDC locks, controllers and power supplies. Pre-built system wire diagrams are also available to assist in specifying a system.



1990

SDC patents the EMLock® - the first "U" channel, epoxy-less designed electromagnetic lock.



1991

SDC patents the first floating armature for electromagnetic locks which will be used in HiShear® shear locks and, later, ExitCheck® delayed egress locks.

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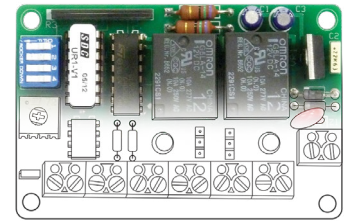
1991

SDC INNOVATION AND INDUSTRY FIRSTS

Access Hardware Controller

*SIA "Security Industry Finest" Award

SDC released the UR Series Universal Microprocessor Door Control Module, the industry's first field programmable, multi-station Access Hardware Controller with 6 different application modes to allow control of multi-door interlocks, mantraps and communicating bathrooms applications via onboard logic.

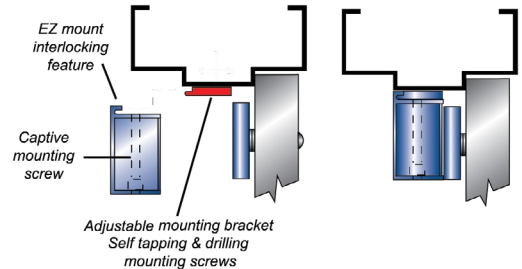


EMLock® Electromagnetic Lock (Patented)

SDC launched its first electromagnetic lock offering as EMLocks®. Later, after multiple improvements and patents, EMLock® becomes the established industry name for premium electromagnetic locks. The name "EMLock" is still widely used synonymously with electromagnetic locks in the industry today.



- The only metal fusion "U" channel magnetic core design, fully stabilized both mechanically and electromagnetically. Immune to core distortion and reduction of electromagnetic holding force even when repeatedly stressed to the breaking point.
- The epoxy-less design with first truly complete architectural finish also eliminates potential for fractured epoxy resulting in lost holding force and toxic fumes in a fire.
- The electromagnetic lock is completely serviceable. All parts, including the magnetic coil and electronics are replaceable without removing the lock from the frame.
- SDC also patented an interlocking housing assembly for magnetic locks with captive mounting screws and incorporated it into EMLocks® – making EMLocks® the first to utilize an interlocking quick mount assembly for ease of installation. The interlocking mounting plate enables positive attachment of the lock to the mounting plate prior to fastening and provides increased mounting integrity by distributing stress evenly, alleviating pressure to the mounting screws.



1991

Art receives DHI's Founder's Award - DHI's highest and most prestigious award recognizes significant and outstanding service to DHI and the Door Security + Safety industry over an extended period of time. This award is reserved for truly exceptional individuals who have unquestionably demonstrated outstanding service and/or technical expertise. Nominees shall have contributed to the industry in such a way as to render them role models to other members of the industry. Nominations are based on an extended period of service, not on an individual or isolated project or activity.

1991

SDC INNOVATION AND INDUSTRY FIRSTS

ExitCheck® Electromagnetic Delayed Egress Lock (Patented)

*SIA "Security Industry Finest" Award

SDC launched and patented ExitCheck® - incorporating the delayed egress locking mechanism into an EMLock® with onboard electronics and the use of a floating armature for activation to create the first delayed egress electromagnetic lock with visual display and verbal countdown.



- The ExitCheck® incorporates all of the EMLock® design features above.
- The first fully integrated (self-contained) electromagnetic delayed egress lock.
- The first electromagnetic delayed egress lock activated by door movement.
- The first field programmable code operation, feature selection.
- The original delayed egress lock with digital countdown display and verbal voice instruction.

HiShear® Electromagnetic Shear Lock (Patented)

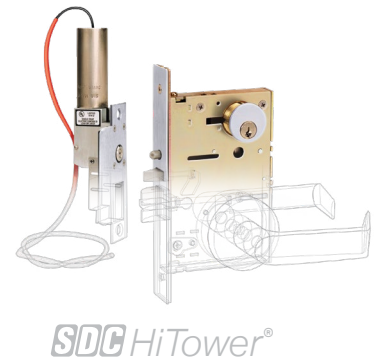
SDC introduced its first iteration of electromagnetic shear lock which later became known as HiShear® locks. SDC HiShear® locks were the first in the industry to have field reversible shear tabs for misalignment. SDC also patented the first floating armature for electromagnetic locks which would be used in HiShear® shear locks and, later, ExitCheck® delayed egress locks.



- The first shear lock capable of both vertical and horizontal alignment adjustment.
- The only shear lock equipped with a door alignment and static sensor preventing activation until the door is at rest and aligned with the lock.

HiTower® Electric Mortise Lock (Patented)

Art invented and patented for the HiTower® lock, the first frame actuator controlled mortise lockset for stairwell doors – revolutionizing the way high-rise buildings are secured and the occupants' safety is protected. Before HiTower®, updating a mechanical mortise lockset for electronic access control meant replacing the mortise lockset plus adding a power transfer hinge for hardwire control, running the access control and monitoring wires through the door, and factory-prepping the door for the wire raceways to maintain the door's fire ratings. By placing the actuator and all wires in the frame, electric hinges and factory door prep parts and costs were eliminated, an industry first.



- The first frame actuator controlled lockset.
- The only dual-failsafe mortise lockset.



1992

SDC patents the SureExit® egress device – the only tri-failsafe exit bar using pressure sense technology. With no moving mechanical parts, SureExit® devices allowed for the immediate release of locks which was not possible to accomplish with exit devices because device mechanisms have to travel too far to activate switches.



1992

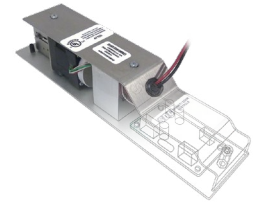
Shane Geringer, Art's grandson and David's son, joins the company.

SDC INNOVATION AND INDUSTRY FIRSTS

QuietDuo™ LR100 Series (Patented)

Retrofit Exit Device ELR Kits

The patented QuietDuo™ LR100 series is the industry's first motorized electric latch retraction kit to convert mechanical exit devices for electronic access & egress control. With the use of a motor for electric latch retraction, QuietDuo™ has lead the transition from solenoids to motors in retrofit ELR field kits, exit devices and mortise locksets. All SDC ELR products use the same motorized technology as QuietDuo™ to provide latch retraction and dogging (exit devices).

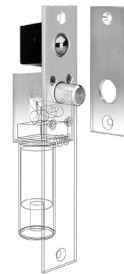


SDC QuietDuo®

- QuietDuo™ LR100 series is available for virtually every major brand of exit device.
- Lower current draw, quieter operation, greater durability vs. solenoids.
- Because of their low current draw, SDC ELR products can be powered with the built-in 1 amp+ power supply that comes standard in SDC's AUTO series low energy operators.

Spacesaver® Electric Bolt Lock (Patented)

Art invented and patented for the Spacesaver® bolt lock design – a fundamental innovation in electronic access control now commonly used worldwide. Spacesaver bolt locks project the bolt at a 90° right angle to the lock mechanism with only a 1½" backset. This allows installation of all SDC Spacesaver® locks by means of a simple cutout, in any standard 1¾" tube as used in typical door frame construction, or in most door lock stiles or bottom rails. Until SDC Spacesaver® locks, installation of electric bolt locks were costly, often requiring the cutting of studs and considerable reconstruction.



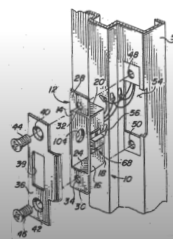
SDC Spacesaver®

- The first narrow frame mounted electric bolt lock.
- The first narrow deadlocking failsafe bolt lock.
- The only dual-failsafe electric bolt lock.



1993

Art Geringer's daughter, Gloria, joins the company.



1993

First released in 1992, SDC patents the MS series monitoring strike design – the first adjustable monitoring strikes.

1993

1993

SDC INNOVATION AND INDUSTRY FIRSTS

SureExit® Request-to-Exit Push Bar (Patented)

*SIA "Security Industry Finest" Award

The SureExit® egress device is the only tri-failsafe exit bar using pressure sense technology. With no moving mechanical parts, SureExit® devices allow for the immediate release of locks. This is not possible to accomplish with exit devices because device mechanisms have to travel too far to activate switches.



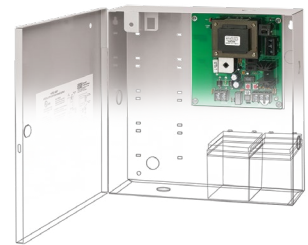
SDC SureExit®

- The only egress device utilizing pressure sense technology. The SureExit® is immune to extreme environmental changes and conditions and calibration is not required for installation.
- The only tri-failsafe egress device. A third redundant sensor is automatically activated should the first two sensors fail, providing uninhibited egress without prior knowledge of emergency release. In addition, normal operation continues, eliminating need for immediate emergency service response time.

Power Supplies

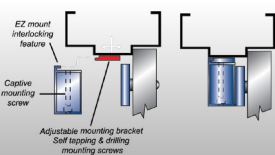
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SDC's 602 power controller is the first hybrid power supply that combines the efficiency of switching power supplies with the inductive load handling capability of linear power supplies to meet the needs of access control locking devices.



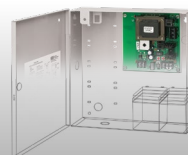
- Unique power supply circuitry with secondary access hardware output that never exceeds 12 or 24 volts and separate isolated charging output ensuring the most efficient, longest and safest lock performance possible. In addition, de-rating of the secondary lock output is not required when charging batteries.
- The only modular access control power supply with an integrated, programmable, microprocessor based controller.

*Security Industry Association



1993

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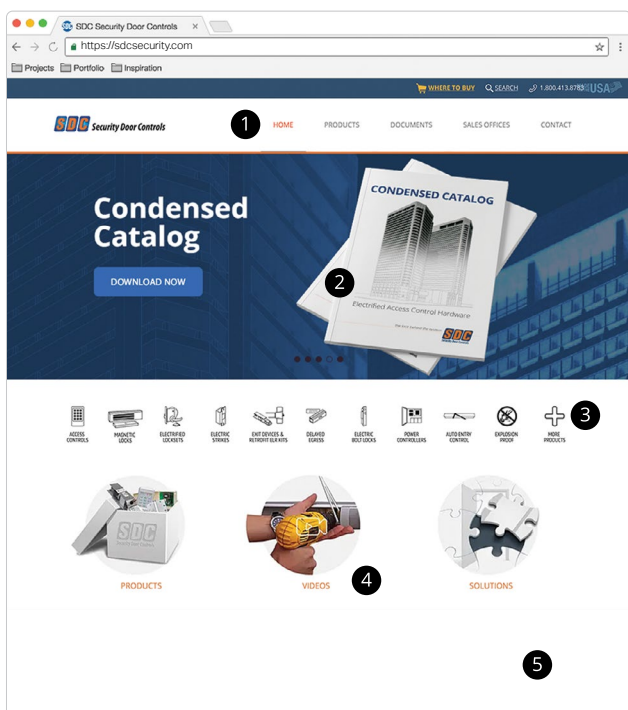
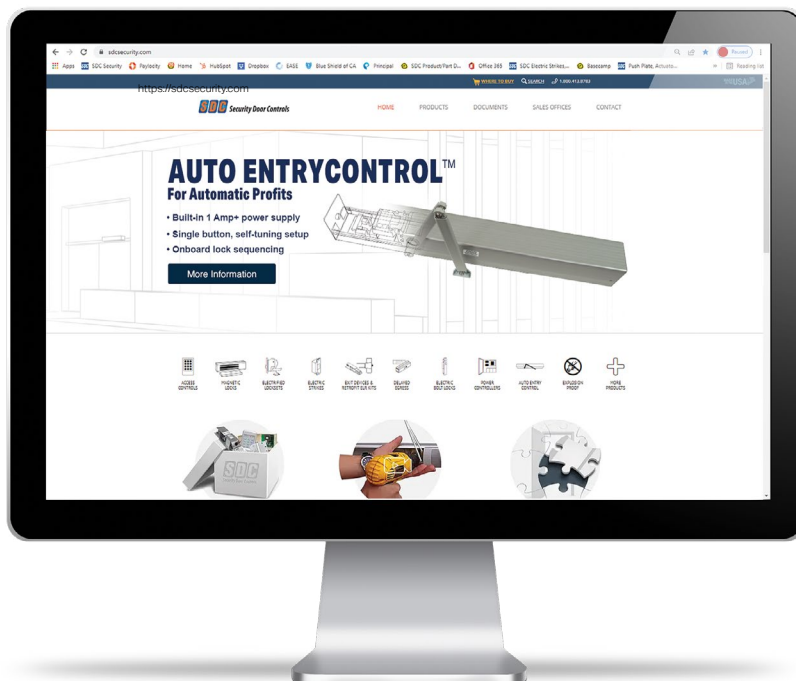
1994

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DIGITAL SERVICES

sdcsecurity.com

From comprehensive product details, specs and pricing, to videos, product photos, a document library, useful tools, corporate story, sales & support contacts and more, SDC's fully featured website has all the information, solutions and tools needed for our access & egress control stakeholders, partners and customers.



SDC Home Page Content

1 Main Navigation

Quick links to the most commonly used and popular sections of our website.

2 Rotating Home Page Sliders

Easy access to our current featured products, initiatives and resources.

3 Product Category Icons

One click access to each individual product category.

4 Quick Resources

Links to all product categories including currently featured products, videos including installation, product, technical and corporate, and access & egress solutions organized by specific market applications.

5 Additional Resources & Tools

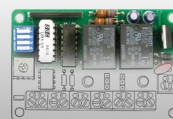
Easy navigation choices to our document library, expos and training schedules, shipQUICK inventory, tools, engineered system design services, and the free SDC app with DoorSnap™.



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1995



1996

SDC releases the UR series universal microprocessor door control module, the industry's first to allow control of multi-door interlocks, mantraps and communicating bathroom applications via onboard logic.

1996

DIGITAL SERVICES

The screenshot shows the SDC Security Door Controls website. The browser address bar displays 'https://sdcsecurity.com/1510-Series-1650lb-Holding-Force-EMLocks.htm'. The website header includes navigation links: HOME, PRODUCTS, DOCUMENTS, SALES OFFICES, and CONTACT. A banner for 'IP-BASED ACCESS CONTROL' is visible. The main content area features a sidebar with a list of locking devices, including the 1510 Series, 1570 Series, 1580 Series, E1200, E600, E6200, 350 Series, 1575 / 1576 Series, 1590 Series, E300 Series, and EP17624 Series. The main product section displays images of the 1511 and 1512 magnetic locks. A list of features is provided, including uniform design, wire access chamber, interlocking quick mount assembly, auto-sensing dual voltage, voltage and current spike protection, instant release anti-residual magnetism circuitry, captive lock mounting screws, self-drilling and tapping sheet metal screws, 10/32" machine screws included, and field upgradeable without removing from the frame. A video player for 'EMLock® Product Preview' is also shown.

Product Page

1 Datasheets

PDFs of every component, product or series are conveniently placed for download on each product page to provide features, benefits, model numbers, cross reference details, specifications, certifications and steps for ordering.

2 Installations

Notes, installation steps, drawings and maintenance instructions are available to download in PDF format on every product page.

3 3 Part Specs

3 part specs of each product in CSI formats for access control hardware in Division 8 and 28 are on our product pages to assist in the design, specification and installation into projects and systems.

4 Priceshets

Product pricing PDFs are on each product page, synced to the most current version of our published price reference guide to provide the most up-to-date MSRP.

5 Videos

Links to product presentations, features, comparisons, technical details, installation steps, quick start guides and more are available on select product pages of our most popular products.

6 Solutions

On select product pages, application specific solution examples are available in PDF format as well as concise product benefit flyers for a quick overview.



1997
Introduces Selectric® 7800 series electrified solenoid controlled mortise locksets.

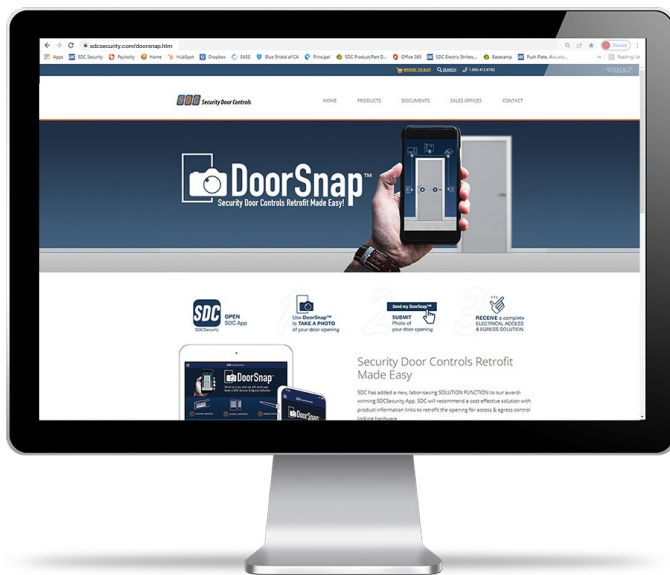
1997



2001
SDC releases its first standalone battery powered electronic lockset, the E70 series EntryCheck™.

2001

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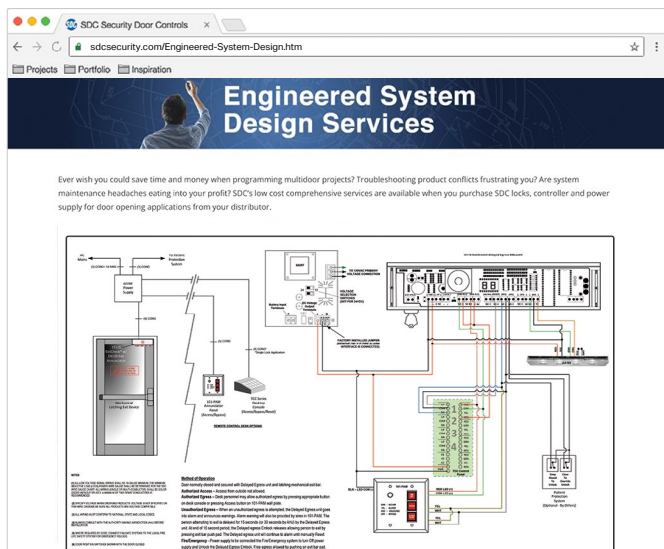
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Our award-winning app includes labor-saving DoorSnap™ functionality. SDC will recommend a cost effective solution with product information links to retrofit the opening for access and egress control locking hardware.

- Use DoorSnap™ in the free SDC App for your door retrofit projects
- SDC solution experts will craft personalized solutions for you!



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Engineered Design Services

sdcsecurity.com/engineered-system-design

Save time and money when configuring multi-door projects. Reduce costly programming time, wiring, product conflicts and maintenance headaches with an engineered system designed by SDC's experts. These robust, low cost services are available when you purchase SDC locks, field programmable access hardware controller and power supply for a door opening system from your distributor.

2004

SDC opens a second nationwide domestic independent sales force for the electronic security market segment, further entrenching its brand into the security segment and expanding its customer base.



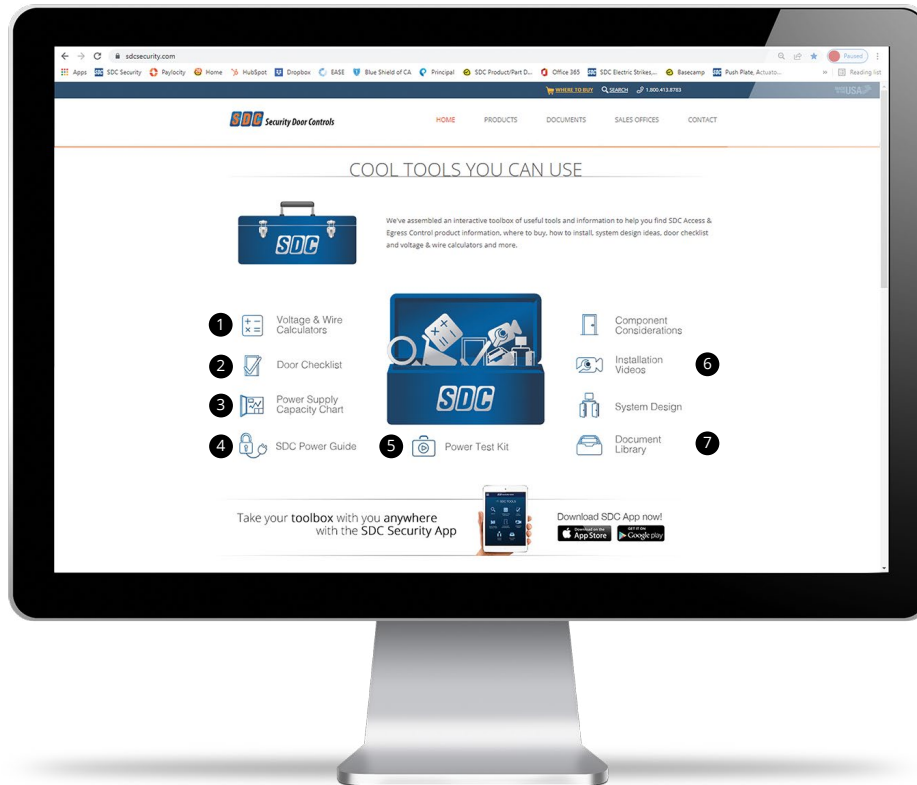
2004

Art receives DHI's Distinguished Architectural Consultant Award becoming a DAHC. This award is based on technical expertise with a minimum of 10 years as a contributing member of DHI. Nominees shall have demonstrated a high degree of technical excellence and standards of performance of DHI consultants; contributed to the improvement and promotion of the body of knowledge of the door and hardware industry; and/or aided in the technological advancement of the industry.

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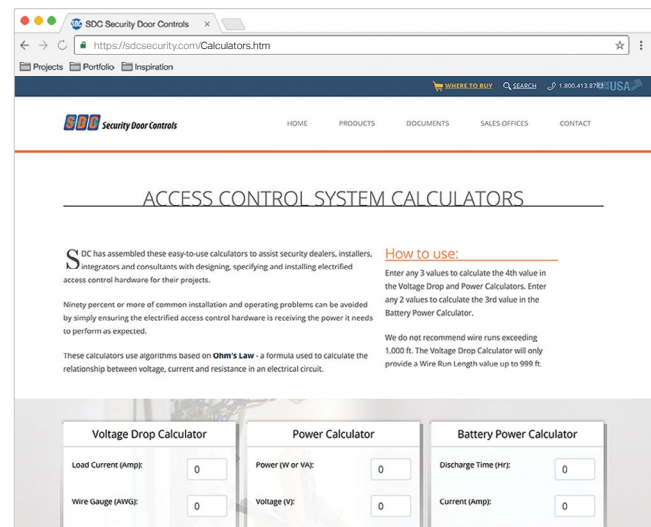
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1 Voltage & Wire Calculators sdcsecurity.com/calculators

Interactive calculators take the guesswork out of determining the length and size of wires and power required for access and egress control projects.



2008

SDC launches shipQUICK inventory of most popular products, available for next business day shipment, and opens additional warehouses to facilitate.

2010

SDC officially meets requirements of the Buy American Act.



2010

SDC establishes current factory headquarters in Camarillo, CA.

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2 Door Checklist

sdcsecurity.com/door-checklist

The SDC door checklist will help you capture key door details that will figure into proper application and installation of an electronic access control component upgrade. Door handing, type of door and size, as well as type of door header and frame are important to confirm, as well as existing lock, hinge, door closer (if any), ceiling type and height, distance from power supply, and more. SDC's door checklist is available as an interactive form in the COOL TOOLS section of our website or as a downloadable and interactive PDF from our documents library.

The screenshot shows the 'SDC DOOR CHECKLIST' web form. It includes a 'How to use:' section with three numbered steps: 1. Upon completion, hit 'Submit.' SDC will email your completed form in PDF format so you can design the appropriate access or egress control door solution for your project. 2. If assessing more than one door, be sure to input a unique door identifier - like Door #1 or Lobby Door, etc. - in the Door Identification section on the first page. 3. Once submitted, select 'Assess a new door' to start a new checklist. Below the instructions is a form with fields for 'First name*', 'Last name*', 'Email*', and 'Phone number*'. To the right of the form is an image of a door.

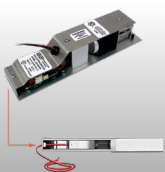
The screenshot shows the 'SDC POWER SUPPLY CAPACITY CHART' PDF. It includes the SDC logo, contact information (800-413-8783, www.sdcsecurity.com, service@sdcsecurity.com), and a table of capacity data. To the right of the table are icons for various SDC products: Electromagnetic Locks, Electric Strikes, Electrified Locksets, Exit Devices & Retrofit ELR Kits, and Keypads & Readers.

EMLOCK ELECTROMAGNETIC LOCKS	VOLTS	AMPS	602RF 621 1 AMP	631RF 631RFA 1.5 AMP	632RF 632RFA 2 AMP	634RF 4 AMP	636RF 6 AMP
1511 SINGLE	12VDC 24VDC	.70A .35A	1 2	2 4	2 5	5 11	8 17
1512 DOUBLE	12VDC 24VDC	1.40A .70A	0 1	1 2	1 2	3 5	4 8
1561, 1562	12VDC 24VDC	.65A .35A	1 2	2 4	3 5	6 11	9 17
1565, 1566	12VDC 24VDC	.80A .40A	1 2	1 3	2 5	5 10	7 15
1571 ENERGY SAVER	12VDC 24VDC	.25A .125A	4 8	6 12	8 16	16 31	24 48
1572 ENERGY SAVER	12VDC 24VDC	.50A .25A	2 4	3 6	4 8	8 16	12 24
1575, 1576	12VDC 24VDC	.45A .225A	2 4	3 6	4 8	8 16	12 24
1581 SINGLE	12VDC 24VDC	.44A .22A	2 4	3 6	4 6	9 18	13 27
1582 DOUBLE	12VDC 24VDC	.88A .44A	1 2	1 3	2 4	4 9	6 13

3 Power Supply Chart

sdcsecurity.com/capacitychart

The power supply capacity chart is a quick reference tool to help select the proper SDC power supply for connecting to a variety of our locking devices, from EMLocks® to delayed egress locks, HiTowers®, bolt locks, electric strikes and exit devices.



2012

SDC launches the QuietDuo™ LR100 series - the first motorized electric latch retraction kits to enable electrification of mechanical exit devices, leading the industry transition from solenoids to motors.

SDC APP

2014

SDC introduces the SDC app with DoorSnap™ to provide access control door solution recommendations via mobile phone.

DoorSnap™

2012

2014

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④ Power Guide

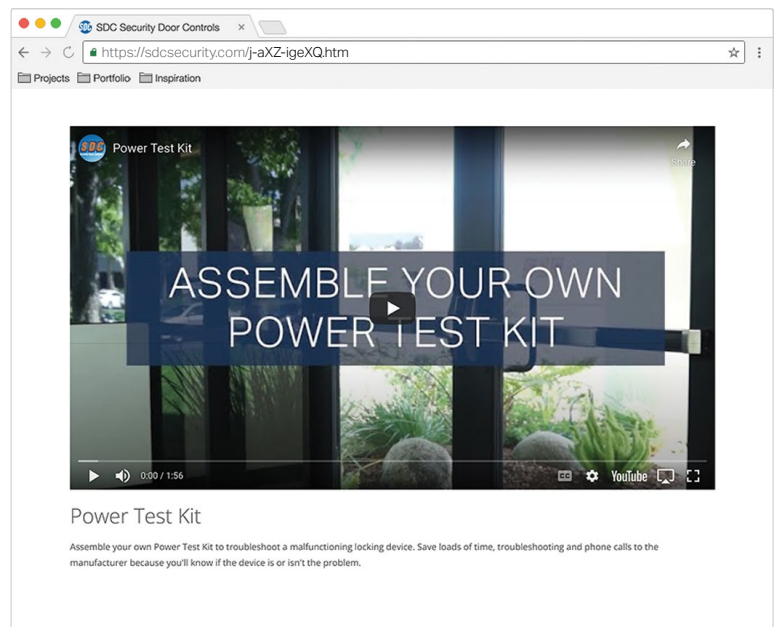
sdcsecurity.com/powerguide

Access control power needs are unique. This guide is designed to help avoid real world access control power problems in new or retrofit applications.

⑤ Power Test Kit

sdcsecurity.com/powertestkit

Assemble your own power test kit to troubleshoot a malfunctioning locking device. View this video to save loads of time, troubleshooting and phone calls to the manufacturer because you'll know if the device is or isn't the problem.



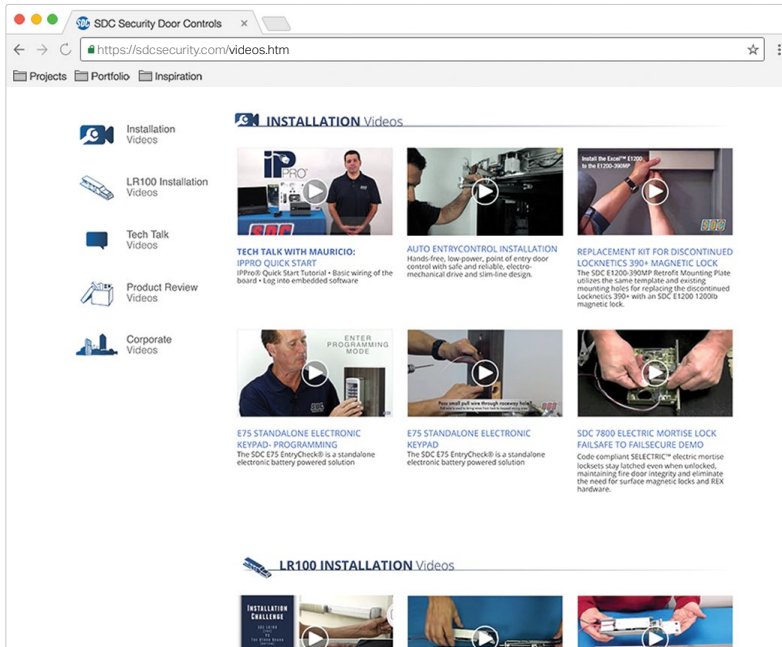
2016

Beloved father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, electronic security and door hardware legend, and SDC founder, Art Geringer, passes away at age 93. Until his passing, Art continued to come into the office on a daily basis to innovate and refine new designs for access and egress control solutions.

2016

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6 SDC Videos

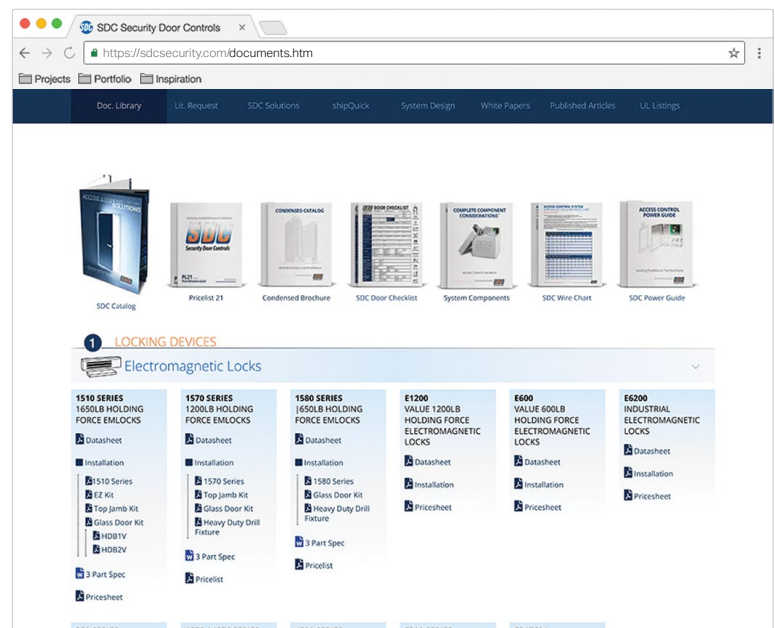
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SDC has a library of more than 50 installation, tech talk, product review and corporate videos designed to provide critical information, features and tips with clarity that only a visual format can provide.

7 Document Library

sdcsecurity.com/documents

SDC's major publications and brochures - like our catalog, price list, condensed brochure, door checklist and more - are available for download in the document library. In addition, all datasheets, installation instructions, 3 part specs, product benefits, pricesheets, CAD/templates and videos for every product are organized and quickly accessible by product category and product series - within three clicks!



2016

SDC introduces EntryControl™ AUTO series low-energy swing door operators. Fittingly, the AUTO series - designed specifically for access control - marks SDC's re-entry into one of the first markets Art participated in 50 years earlier with Door Controls Inc.

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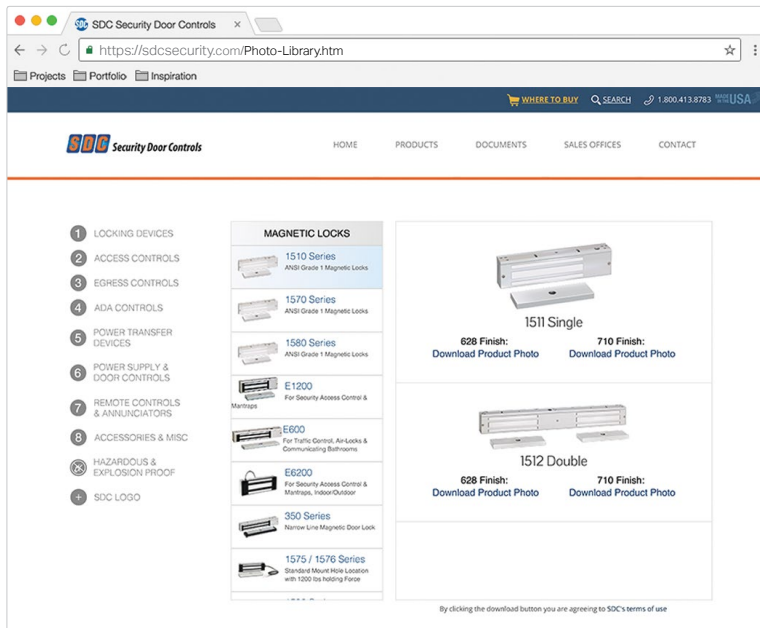


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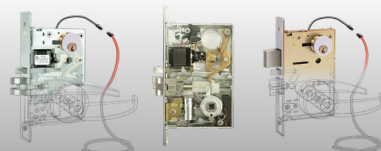
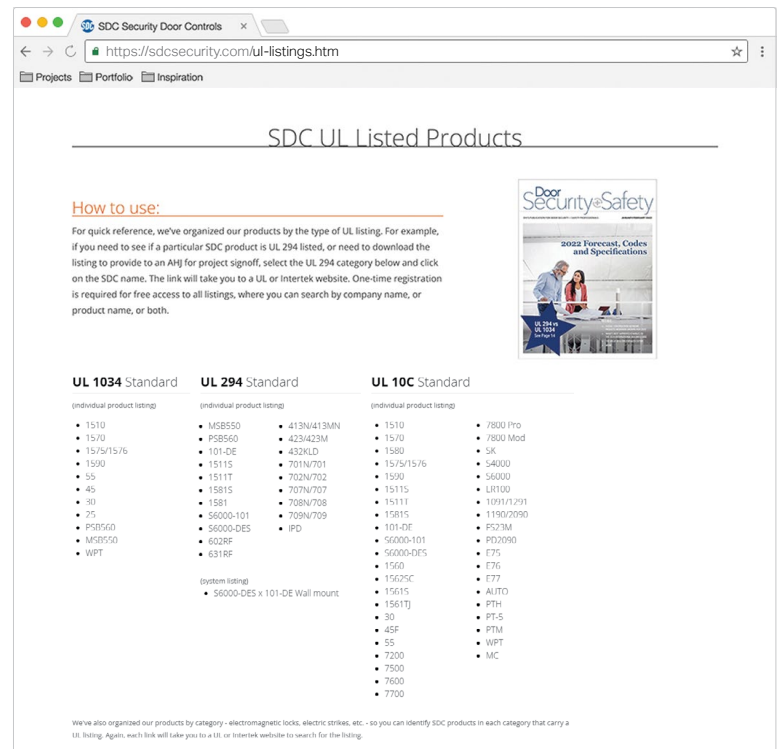
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Downloads of SDC product images are also organized and quickly accessible by product category and product series – within three clicks!

UL Listings

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For quick reference, we've organized our products by the type of UL listing. For example, if you need to see if a particular SDC product is UL 294 listed, or need to download the listing to provide to an AHJ for project signoff, select the UL 294 category below and click on the SDC name. The link will take you to a UL or Intertek website.



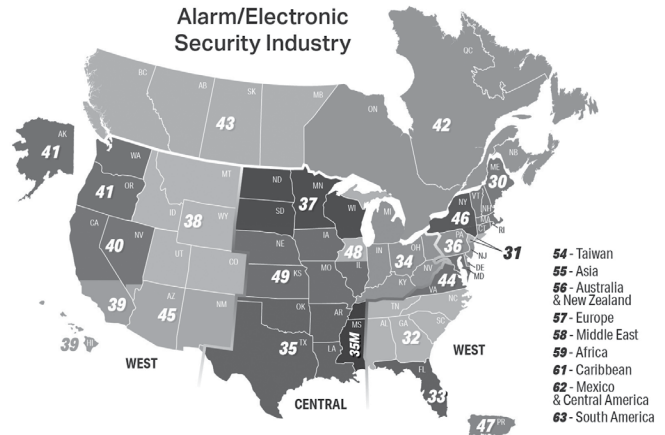
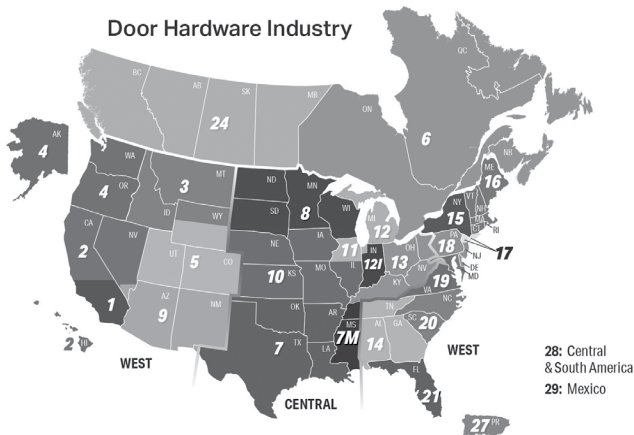
2018

SDC updates electrified mortise lockset offerings with motorized latch retraction (Z7600), motorized latch retraction with trim control (Z7700), and the first manual privacy deadbolt (solenoid-controlled Z7870/80).

SALES OFFICES

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Contact information for every SDC outside sales representative agency is available via interactive maps for the door hardware industry, the alarm/electronic security industry and international distributors and sales support centers. Simply select an active region on the US or international maps for details.



EUROPE



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MEXICO, CARIBBEAN, S. AMERICA



CANADA



MIDDLE EAST / AFRICA



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2018

SDC launches the ExitAnnunciator® EA100 – Art's last major innovation - a multi-color signal device that interfaces with delayed egress or standard EMLocks® and can be used as a wall, ceiling, or frame mount indicator.



2018

Art is inducted into SSI's Industry Hall of Fame in recognition of his lifetime achievements and innovative contributions to the electronic security industry.

2018

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shipQUICK Inventory



Reduce Time-in-Transit & Shipping Costs

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Check the SDC website periodically to download revised inventory lists, product datasheets and more.

- 300+ SDC products
- Reduced time-in-transit
- 24 hour shipment
- Freight cost reductions



2019

Art's great grandsons, Jake and Dalton Geringer - Shane's sons, join the company, becoming the fourth generation of family to participate in the enterprise. While Art never had the opportunity to attend college, he was very proud of Jake and Dalton for earning their degrees.



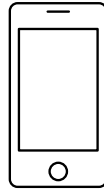
2020

SDC introduces factory installed motorized latch retraction exit devices for industrial (S4000) and storefront applications (S5000).

2019

2016

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2020

As an essential manufacturer during the pandemic years, SDC's culture of innovation, flexibility, and self-reliance allows the business to not only survive, but thrive while others faltered.



2022

SDC enjoys 50 years of continuous operation as a family-held, private company by staying in touch with industry problems and creating access and egress control solutions to solve them.

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