

Smart Home Security: SmartLocks are Making Homes Safer

Smart locks allow homeowners to remotely lock and unlock their front doors using smartphones or other devices. Different types of smart security locks use Bluetooth, WiFi or other wireless technologies to communicate with mobile apps. Homeowners can grant temporary or permanent access to family, friends or service providers without needing physical keys. Activity logs track who accessed the home and when for added security and peace of mind.

Workings

[Smart Locks](#) work by replacing existing deadbolts or doorknob locks. The internal mechanisms are replaced with motorized components that can be triggered to lock and unlock remotely. Sensors detect when the door is opened or closed and confirm the lock's secure state.

via mobile apps, homeowners can check the lock's status, lock and unlock doors on demand, and grant one-time or recurring access to others. Geofencing uses location data to automatically lock the door when homeowners leave a certain radius and unlock it upon their return. If power or connectivity fails, keys can still access the home as a backup.

Integrated smart home platforms allow combining lock control with other automation. Voice assistants like Alexa and Google Home enable remote locking via voice commands. Smart security locks integrate with security systems to trigger alarms if doors are opened without disarming the system first. Home automation routines trigger locks on schedule, such as automatically locking every night at 10 pm.

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