

# Create an Arm Panel to Lock or Disarm to Unlock Access Control Doors rule

## GoSafer Security Knowledge Base

*This operational reference is organized for GoSafer Security customers and staff. Alarm.com product names are retained where required for technical accuracy.*

## Overview

The Arm Panel to Lock Access Control Doors rule allows you to automatically trigger selected Access Control doors to lock or unlock when the panel is armed/disarmed, saving time and providing peace of mind when closing the business each day. It is recommended to have a double swipe to lock rule at every lock to ensure that the employee can still lock the doors locally if a controller is offline and the rule cannot run. For more information about creating these rules, see [Create a Double Swipe to Lock/Unlock rule](#). Important: The controller must be online for this rule to run.

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| <b>Platform</b>            | App + Web              |
| <b>Content type</b>        | How-to / Configuration |
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## Procedure

# To create an Arm Panel to Lock or Disarm to Unlock Access Control Doors rule using the Alarm.com app

1. Log in to the Alarm.com app.
2. Tap [Menu].
3. Tap Automation.
4. Tap [Add] to create a new rule.

Next to when, tap Select.

1. Tap Security Panel, then tap Next.

In Select Status, select Disarm, Armed Stay, or Armed Away, then tap Done.

Next to then, tap Select.

1. Tap Door, then tap Next.
2. Select the desired door(s) and action, then tap Done.
3. Enter the desired name for the rule.

If desired, next to Run at all times, tap Select to edit when the rule will run.

1. Tap to select At All Times for the rule will be carried out any time of day.
2. Tap to select Only during the following times to determine the specific days and times the rule will be carried out.
3. Tap to select the days the rule will be active.

## Using the Starting at dropdown menu, tap the start time for this rule.

# Using the Ending at dropdown menu, tap the end time for this rule.

After selecting times for the rule to run, tap Done.

1. Verify the rule is configured with the correct settings.
2. Tap Save.

To create an Arm Panel to Lock or Disarm to Unlock Access Control Doors rule using the GoSafer Security customer portal (powered by Alarm.com):

1. Log in to the GoSafer Security customer portal (powered by Alarm.com).
2. Click Automation.

In Rules, click Add New Rule.

1. Click when to select the trigger device and action.
2. Click Security Panel, then click Next.

In Select Status, select Disarm, Armed Stay, or Armed Away, then click Done.

1. Click then to select the automation device and trigger.
2. Click Door, then click Next.
3. Select the desired door(s) and action, then click Done.
4. Enter the desired name for the rule.

If desired, click Run at All Times to edit when the rule will run.

1. Click to select At All Times for the rule will be carried out any time of day.
2. Click to select Only during the following times to determine the specific days and times the rule will be carried out.
3. Click to select the days the rule will be active.

Using the Starting at dropdown menu, select the start time for this rule.

Using the Ending at dropdown menu, select the end time for this rule.

After selecting times for the rule to run, click Done.

1. Verify the rule is configured with the correct settings.
2. Click Save.

## Source and support

For GoSafer Security assistance, visit [gosaferssecurity.com](https://gosaferssecurity.com).

Original Alarm.com reference:  
[https://answers.alarm.com/Customer/Website\\_and\\_App/Commercial/Access\\_Control/Create\\_an\\_Arm\\_Panel\\_to\\_Lock\\_or\\_Disarm\\_to\\_Unlock\\_Access\\_Control\\_Doors\\_rule](https://answers.alarm.com/Customer/Website_and_App/Commercial/Access_Control/Create_an_Arm_Panel_to_Lock_or_Disarm_to_Unlock_Access_Control_Doors_rule)

Always verify safety, installation, compatibility, and current UI details against the original manufacturer documentation before operational use.

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