

Everyone loves it... except for Bandits

SECURE

Want to keep the bandits out? Ask any homeowner and you will quickly discover that home security is a primary concern. Forced entries account for more than 60% of burglaries and statistics show that the most common method of forced entry is to simply kick in the front or back door. The strike plate is the weakest part of a door and is typically what breaks to allow a forced entry. The Bandit Latch attacks this problem head on and gives the homeowner peace of mind.

- Bandit Latch tested to be three times stronger than a typical door installation.
- In a kick test, a door installation with Bandit Latch was more likely to have the entry door break than for the jamb to fail, virtually eliminating forced entries.
- A 16" steel plate transfers the impact to the strong 1 1/4" exterior portion of the doorjamb.
- Reinforced with a two-layer steel box construction on interior of door bolts.
- Security experts recommend using a 3" screw on strike plates. Bandit Latch uses two 3"in screws through the mechanical jamb adjusters that screw into the strong center portion of the framing stud.

ADJUSTABLE

While security is an important element of Bandit Latch, the features don't stop there. Setting the doorjamb can be a frustrating and time-consuming task. Contractors will appreciate how the adjustability of Bandit Latch alleviates the headache that goes along with the installation process.

- Strike plates can be adjusted towards and away from the doorstop.
- The 1 ½" vertical opening in the strike plate provides forgiveness with vertical bolt alignment.
- · Reversible for use on right and left hand doors.
- · Also available in a continuous sill model for entry doors with side lights.
- Mechanical jamb adjusters allow margin adjustments between door, jamb and rough opening.
- Adjustable throughout the life of the door without damaging the paint or removing trim.



EASY TO USE

Even the strongest door is ineffective when installed poorly. Bandit Latch is easy to use upon initial installation and throughout the life of the door. Installers are given the ability to easily provide perfect door bolt operation and maintain correct door margin. Contractors benefit from the practicality of the design and are able to install doors properly to maximize security.

- · Installed in the door shop, saving time and money on the job site.
- Saves the contractor an average of 30 minutes on initial installation and additional time during future service calls.
- Eliminates the tedious job of hand mortising and drilling a finished jamb to receive a dead bolt.
- · Maintains traditional jamb appearance.

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