

## **Announcing Bolt by Lockitron: The Connected Lock that Makes Sense**

Apigy, Inc., the creator of the Lockitron connected lock announces Bolt, a robust new Bluetooth Low Energy connected lock that allows you to control access to your home from anywhere. Along with Bolt, Apigy Inc., is announcing Bridge, a new Lockitron product which gives Bolt full remote control capabilities via your home network.

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Lockitron was the first device on that market that allowed users to control access to their home from anywhere in the world, instantly.

Now, Bolt refines on the original Lockitron concept with a smaller, more elegant form factor. Bolt comes in both beautiful, modern finishes as well as more traditional finishes that match popular door hardware.

### **Bolt builds on existing Lockitron capabilities**

With Bolt you can share temporary or permanent access with family and friends at a moments notice. Supporting iOS and Android devices out of the box, Bolt connects directly to your smartphone - and soon wearable - via Bluetooth Low Energy. That means you can lock and unlock Bolt even if the power or internet in your home is out.

Bolt also incorporates Lockitron's Sense™ feature which will unlock the door for you once your return home. Available today in the Lockitron app, Sense™ leverages Bluetooth Low Energy to detect when you approach the door and either display or notification or unlock automatically.

Out of the box Bolt will be compatible with applications and devices built by the Lockitron developer community including those for the Pebble Smartwatch, Android Wear, Google Glass, Zapier and more.

### **Bridge lets you control Bolt from anywhere in the world**

Offered as an optional add-on free of monthly fees, Bridge connects to your home network and adds full remote control and status monitoring capabilities to Bolt.

Bridge will allow you to unlock the door remotely for guests without smartphones as well as get notifications about when a Bolt is unlocked by hand or using a key. It's the perfect additional to Bolt for Airbnb hosts and small businesses.

When paired with Bridge, Bolt works with Lockitron's open platform which is consistent across all versions of Lockitron hardware - this means that the crowdfunded Lockitron and Bolt will both work with the Lockitron API available today at <https://api.lockitron.com> and all of the apps and devices which currently integrate with it.

### **Robust mechanical hardware and Key Match™ for renters**

Bolt is a drop in replacement for U.S. and Canadian style deadbolts and offers unparalleled robustness. Bolt's mechanical components have been tested across millions of cycles for nearly a decade in hundreds of thousands of homes and businesses.

Unlike devices which replace only a portion of a lock and require precise calibration and alignment, Bolt works out of the box without any adjustments or adapters. Installation typically only requires changing six screws and about ten minutes using the included screwdriver.

Thanks to Key Match™, Bolt can be adapted to work with the most common keyways including Schlage and Kwikset five and six pin variants. This means that in nearly all cases renters can have Bolt keyed to match their existing lock, allowing for continued access by those with existing metal keys.

### **Arriving later this spring**

A preview version of Bolt is slated to start shipping in the next two months. The Bolt Preview edition is available for a limited time at [lockitron.com](http://lockitron.com) for \$99 together with the preview edition of Bridge which is priced at \$79.

The production variant of Bolt will be available late spring, starting at \$99. It will be offered in a variety of finishes to match your home decor. Pricing has not been finalized for the production variant of Bridge.