



DOKENSIP

WIRELESS SECURITY FOR BOAT OWNERS

BEING ABLE TO MONITOR YOUR BOAT'S SECURITY AND MECHANICAL/ELECTRICAL CONDITION REMOTELY IS PROVIDING PEACE OF MIND FOR MANY BOATIES. MICK FLETORIDIS REPORTS.

PRODUCT FEATURE



There are several sensor modules available for monitoring and controlling many different aspects of your vessel.

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The basic Dokensip kit comes complete with four sensors and can be easily installed by anyone with basic mechanical skills.

If you own a boat that's usually kept at a marina, harbour mooring or other location out of constant view, being able to keep a tab on its exact whereabouts, mechanical condition and secure status 24/7 from anywhere can be a challenge. To that end, Dokensip may just have the answer via its state of the art alarm monitoring system. The makers say the system features wireless sensor technology that will help you look after and protect your boat, any time, from anywhere in the world.

In conjunction with a smartphone app or web support, Dokensip will constantly monitor the status of your boat, and instantly alert you of any possible security breaches or mechanical/electrical issues via SMS, email and personal assistance. Also, whenever you want, you can check any updated information you need about your boat via constant system monitoring. Via the free Dokensip app you can stay up to date on all your boat's sensor points, and know their status at a glance.

WIRELESS CONTROL

Dokensip's wireless alarm monitoring system comprises a central module (Core), GPS antennae and data antennae and a series of wireless sensors that can be easily fitted on any boat. Installation of the system can be done in a DIY capacity by anyone with basic mechanical and electrical knowledge and skills in a short time. To streamline the process, the Dokensip website features an easy to follow video tutorial on how to install and set up the system.

Via the main Core module Dokensip can control up to 16 different sensors on your boat and the sensor system can easily be extended or reduced. Depending on your requirements the monitoring system can be customised to provide information on everything from vessel position; battery voltage, the presence of water in bilges; monitoring for the presence of gas or smoke; movement detection inside your boat's cabin; condition of shore connected power; operate air conditioning units, lights and more. A new module too is about to be released that will provide full remote control of a vessel's air conditioning system.

EASY INSTALLATION

According to Sydney Dokensip dealer Rocky Tassone of Bluewater Powerboats in Church Point, the system works exceptionally well for boaties who don't have regular access to their

vessels. In the 18 months he has been selling the product he says the response from customers has been excellent.

"All that needs to be supplied is 12 or 24 volts for the main unit and the rest of the sensors like your battery and bilge monitoring are all wireless to the core module, so it's a very easy install to do," explains Tassone.

"The customer can install the system themselves or get it professionally installed, then download the free app. This alarm system works worldwide, it's got an embedded 3/4 G SIM card so depending on the region of the world you live in it'll work. It's also transferrable from boat to boat and owner to owner."

SMART TECHNOLOGY

Users of the Dokensip system get one year's subscription for free and over the following year ongoing cost is around a dollar a day. Depending on whether users opt for standard or Premium service, system notifications are delivered in up to three forms: via email, SMS, and SMS alert to up to three user provided contacts.

Rocky Tassone says the alarm will alert boat owners quickly if their vessel changes position, as in the case of a theft or interference.

"The unit itself has built in geofencing so if the boat is taken from a specific area it will alert you, it's also got anchoring alarms so if you set an anchor alarm and it drifts it will tell you.

The system also gives users a detailed history of where their boat has been – daily, weekly or monthly – so you can actually see a track of where the vessel has gone."

As well as providing security status and other notifications, the Dokensip app also provides up to date weather information for the region the boat is situated.

"People who have them, love them because they can see straight away on their phone what's happening with their boat," concludes Tassone.

The basic Dokensip kit costs \$1595 (incl. GST) and comes with the Core unit, GPS and data antennae and four sensors – battery, bilge, shore power, movement. Up to 16 sensor modules can also be added at any time.

For more information on the Dokensip remote monitoring system go online to: dokensip.com.au

For Nautilus Marine Insurance policy holders, Bluewater Powerboats is offering an exclusive 15 per cent discount on purchase of a Dokensip unit and can also arrange installation via its Australiawide dealer network.

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ABOVE: Downloading the free Dokensip app gives users access to a host of useful information about their boats.

BELOW: The unit's Core module and GPS antenna.

