

How to change the time and date on your DSC Power Series Alarm

Depending on the type of keypad you have, a full English keypad or an LCD keypad, you will see either the time and date (full English) or the time only (LCD). Regardless of the type, both the time and date are stored internally and will need to be adjusted twice per year as we go on and off of daylight savings time. Additionally, whenever the system loses power, upon power up, the system will be in trouble indicating the loss of time and date (as seen in the picture below).



To program the time and date, perform the following at any keypad. If you have multiple keypads, you only have to do this at one keypad:

1. Press the * key, then 6, then enter your 4-digit master code, then press 1. If you have a full English keypad, your screen will display the time and date as per the pic below. If you have an LCD keypad you won't see the time and date displayed, but the procedure is the same.



- 2. Enter the time in 24-hour time (don't worry, 12-hour time will be displayed!), then immediately enter the 6-digit date, mm/dd/yy.
- 3. Press the # key twice to exit.

It may take up to a minute for the correct time and date to appear. If after a minute, it is not correct, repeat the process. On older keypads that have a black bezel around the screen, the process almost always has to be repeated.

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