Quick Access Fasteners
Southco’s DZUS® Quick Access Fastener series is one of the most recognized quick release fastening brands and is the first choice for many of the world’s leading manufacturers across industrial and engineering sectors.

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<td>Proven cam and receptacle design</td>
<td>Stays fastened under vibration load</td>
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<td>Repeatable function with set amount of fastening</td>
<td>Cannot be overtightened and has consistent engagement</td>
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Overview
Quick Access Fasteners

Stud Styles
- Slotted
- Phillips
- Security
- Hex
- Wing
- Bail

Panel

Frame

Retainers
- Push-On

Typical Quarter-Turn System includes a Stud, Retainer & Receptacle

Receptacle Styles
- Clip-On
- Rivet / Weld-On
- Snap-In
- Self-Clinching Press-In
- Side-Mount
- Press-In
- Vibration Isolating
- Ultrasonic

Available in a range of materials & finishes
When selecting the appropriate Quick Access Fastener for an application, there are a variety of design factors that must be considered, including material thickness, cycle life and tensile load.

Total Material Thickness (TMT) is required to determine stud length. TMT is calculated using formulas based on receptacle type, optional accessories and application parameters. To calculate TMT and complete your design, use the formulas provided in your Southco handbook or visit: southco.com

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**
- What tolerance range do the panels have?
- Does the panel design provide consistent material thickness?
- Is the alignment of frame and panel consistent?
- Does the receptacle need to be installed in a blind hole?
- How frequently does the panel need to be accessed?

**PRODUCT PERFORMANCE**
- Is there a clamping load?
- Do panels need to be compressed?
- What are the load requirements?
- What is the expected cycle life?

**APPLICATION ENVIRONMENT**
- Is corrosion resistance required?
- Will the application see extreme temperatures?

**SERVICE REQUIREMENTS**
- Are the panels frequently accessed?
- Do the panels need to be tool secured or hand actuated?

**VIBRATION RESISTANCE**
- Is the panel mounted on a transportation application that is subject to motion and impact?
- Will the panel need to resist shaking due to a running motor?
Southco offers an extensive selection of **DZUS®** Quick Access Fasteners to satisfy a broad range of requirements for quick access, high strength and economical performance. Each product line comes with its own set of matched receptacles for accurate, secure engagement and convenient mounting in a range of applications.

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Quarter-Turn to Close & Open
Spade Cam Design

82/85 Lion
- 2 Diameters
- 8 Head Styles
- 8 Receptacle Styles
- 3 Retainer Styles
- TMT Variance: 0.5mm
- TMT Range: up to 15mm
- Tensile Load: High*
- Cycle Life: 2000+ cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

D1 Dart
- Plastic design
- Lightweight
- 4 Head Styles
- 5 Receptacle Styles
- Self-ejecting when unfastened
- TMT Variance: 1.2mm
- TMT Range: up to 19mm
- Tensile Load: Low*
- Cycle Life: 2000+ cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

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Quarter-Turn to Close & Open
External Spiral Cam Design

**D8 PANEX Fastener**
- 3 Sizes (4, 6 & 9mm)
- TMT Variance: 0.9mm
- TMT Range: up to 23mm
- Tensile Load: Medium*
- Cycle Life: 500-2000 cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

**D2 Rapier**
- 4 Sizes (3.5, 5, 7 & 9mm)
- TMT Variance: 0.9mm
- TMT Range: up to 23mm
- Tensile Load: Medium*
- Cycle Life: 500-2000 cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

**D9 Tech line**
- Knob color options available
- Self-ejecting when unfastened
- 3 Receptacle Styles
- TMT Variance: 0.5mm
- TMT Range: up to 9.2mm
- Tensile Load: Medium*
- Cycle Life: 500-2000 cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

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Quarter-Turn to Close & Open
Internal Spiral Cam Design

D4 Standard Line
- Meets aerospace certifications & finish specifications
- 4 Sizes (3, 4, 5, 6)
- 5 Head Styles
- 4 Receptacle Styles
- TMT Variance: 0.7mm
- TMT Range: up to 19mm
- Tensile Load: High*
- Cycle Life: 500-2000 cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: High*

D5 Panel Line
- Meets aerospace certifications & finish specifications
- Self-ejecting when unfastened
- 4 Receptacle Styles
- TMT Variance: 0.2mm
- Max. Panel Thickness: 3.2mm
- Tensile Load: High*
- Cycle Life: 500-2000 cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: High*

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Push to Close, Quarter-Turn to Open

D7 Pilot
- Self-ejecting when unfastened
- 2 Receptacle Styles
- TMT Variance: 2.4mm
- TMT Range: up to 7mm
- Max. Panel Thickness: 4.8mm
- Tensile Load: Medium*
- Cycle Life: 2000+ cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

D7 Arrow
- Plastic design
- Lightweight
- 3 Head Styles
- TMT Variance: 2.9mm
- TMT Range: up to 6.7mm
- Tensile Load: Low*
- Cycle Life: 2000+ cycles*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

Push to Close, Pull to Open

NY NYLATCH Panel Fastener
- Plastic design
- Lightweight
- 3 Diameters
- 3 Head Styles
- TMT Variance: 2.3mm
- TMT Range: up to 8.1mm
- Cycle Life: 2000+ cycles*
- Tensile Load: Medium*
- Vibration Resistance: Moderate*

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