



Customer Testimonial

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"We've been working with Maple for more than 15 years, the quality of product they supply is second to none in the market.

It is essential in our industry that we can preserve the integrity of the goods we transport and service we deliver...Maple's security solutions help us to achieve this,"

Phil Appleton
Security Manager (Bristol)

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Palmer and Harvey are the UK's number 1 delivered wholesaler, serving multiple, convenience, forecourt and CTN retail outlets

They have been specifying Maple vehicle security products for more than 15 years.

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That's the conservative estimate of the amount of money saved by retail distributor Palmer & Harvey recently, when an attempt was made to break into a number of their vehicles.

Thieves broke into the Palmer & Harvey office and managed to access the vehicle key storage area, with the intent of unlocking vehicles stocked in the yard. Unbeknown to the 'would be' thieves, Palmer & Harvey utilise the Maple RFID Keyless Twin Freightlock System.

This system allows Palmer & Harvey to program the individual keys, enabling and disabling them within a predetermined set time period. So despite having stolen the keys, access to the vehicles was still denied, the locks on the vehicles remained firmly closed and the vehicles fully secured.

No Costly Repairs or Disruption to Service

"The beauty of the Maple system is that when I programme the RFID key fobs, I can select which driver and more importantly when, individual vehicle keys could be used. It meant when thieves broke into our depot, despite laying their hands on vehicle keys they were still unable to bypass the Maple security system, thus stopping the of our stock (up to £80,000 worth) in this instance. New key fobs were reprogrammed the next day allowing the vehicles to be returned to service almost immediately without any costly replacement lock repair work being required " reports Phil Appleton Security Manager at Palmer & Harvey Bristol.



Palmer & Harvey have utilised Maple products for more than 15 years to secure their fleet of Box Vans, Trailer Demount Boxes and Tractor Unit vehicles. From products such as the 'Acer Green immobiliser', 'PS25 Alarm', 'Activelock OE' to the 'Keyless Twin Freightlock IQ system', Maple have worked along side Palmer & Harvey to develop and enhance the vehicles security systems and load area audit trails.

"Palmer & Harvey are one of Maples longest standing customers and have tried and tested a range of our systems and found them robust, easy to use and a cost effective deterrent. All have proven their effectiveness in securing their vehicles and protecting the loads during delivery or periods of storage. It is particularly pleasing that Palmer & Harvey, having used the Freightlock product for so many years, and having made the decision to upgrade their security, have benefited from the increased security the IQ system allows" commented Paul Nunn, Marketing Manager for Maple.