

# Innovation

Based on tradition



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Top, right: Stefan Ehrlich-Adám (MA)  
Top, left: Sven Berlage  
Bottom, left: Nikolaus Bujas





# A Company with Tradition

Faces and History

## Our approach

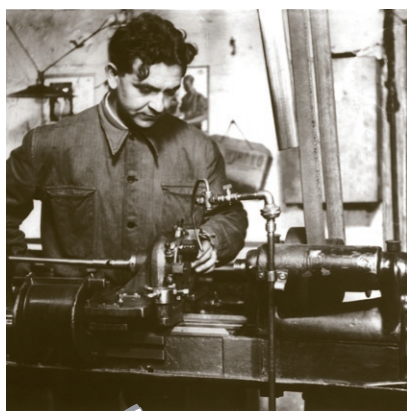
Since EVVA's foundation in 1919, this family enterprise has gradually become specialised, so that it is always able to adapt to new market requirements. However, EVVA – short for "Erfindungs-Versuchs-Verwertungs-Anstalt" (Invention, Experimentation and Application Institute) – didn't initially set out to manufacture security technology when it was first founded.

EVVA took its first steps towards becoming a security systems company back in 1937, when

it received its first patent for a cylinder padlock. In 1973, the company was taken over by prominent businessman Nikolaus Bujas. With the extension of EVVA's in-house research and development department and substantial investment in machinery, he ensured the company's transformation from a medium-sized business operation into an innovative, consistently successful industrial enterprise. As export manager, his son-in-law Sven Berlage created the basis for exports and the

company's positioning on the European market in the late seventies. With Stefan Ehrlich-Adám (MA) at the helm, the family business is now in the hands of the third generation, an indication of the company's stable corporate structure.

Our aim is to further consolidate corporate development within the EVVA group through our fifteen subsidiaries across Europe, thereby anchoring our position as a major European company.



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# The future begins now

The vision

## A need for security

The slogan "access to security" has represented a new corporate strategy since 2004 and is therefore also inseparably linked with the EVVA brand name.

With it, EVVA seeks to emphasize the core message of its corporate vision: "We hold the key to all security questions."

Today, EVVA no longer presents itself as merely a producer of mechanical and electronic locking systems, but also as a consultant and planner regarding all matters related to security technology.

Our aim is to produce needs-oriented solutions for property and building security systems while finding the most cost-effective approach for the customer in the process.

In this respect, EVVA is not only selling a product, it is also responding to an emotion: striving for security is considered a basic human need. EVVA is always fully aware of its great responsibility towards the customers in helping them fulfil this basic need.

*"We hold the key to all security questions."*

*"We develop tailored solutions and integrate security systems."*


*"We develop security products for the market and for the future."*

*EVVA Vision*

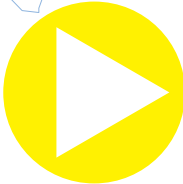






 **EVVA subsidiaries in:**  
Austria, Germany, Switzerland,  
France, Spain, Netherlands,  
Belgium, Czech Republic, Slovakia,  
Hungary, Poland, Sweden, Italy

 **We are represented by distributors in the following countries:**  
Iceland, Norway, Finland, Denmark,  
Ireland, UK, Lithuania, Russia,  
Luxemburg, Ukraine, Romania,  
Moldavia, Slovenia, Portugal,  
Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina,  
Montenegro, Serbia, Bulgaria,  
Greece, Cyprus







# EVVA

# international

Sustained growth

## Across all borders

EVVA is represented by fifteen subsidiaries and several production locations in Europe and is one of the continent's leading security technology manufacturers. A direct presence in other countries ensures close proximity to regional markets, concrete points of contact for interested companies in their local area and a higher degree of service with regard to consultation and after sales activities.

Establishing our own subsidiaries and building up dense partner networks has helped to establish the thorough, authentic positioning of the EVVA brand. This enables us to foster strategies directly on a sustained basis. The fresh impetus which our presence in so many European countries inevitably provides is a welcome source of inspiration for research and development activities at EVVA.

Besides promoting knowledge transfer, it also

boosts the company's image.

Last but not least, the EVVA Group's size transforms us into a reliable partner – not only for our customers but also in terms of job security for more than 850 employees in our locations across Europe.











# Unlimited expertise

Solution-oriented market development

## Product business

EVVA protects privately-owned apartments and houses worldwide against intrusion by burglars and unauthorised visitors. Consumer customers receive our solutions via different distribution channels: first and foremost from professional EVVA partners in their area, but also from major retailers and home improvement stores in some countries.



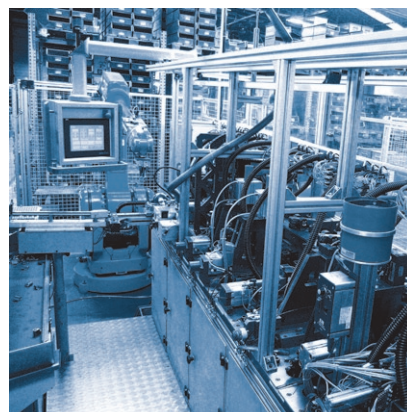
## Project business

Besides security and convenience, organisation is also a particularly relevant aspect in security systems for buildings and other properties. EVVA takes these three main concerns into account when planning to achieve economically optimum solutions. Thanks to our decades of experience, we are very familiar with the exact security requirements for each sector.



## OEM business

OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) is a segment which represents substantial growth for EVVA. New interfaces and approaches to solutions have been created in conjunction with our industry partners who install or further process EVVA products. It is our aim to provide support to such partners through our comprehensive expertise as a security specialist.









# Optimum Innovative technologies product quality

## Research & Development

It is essential for EVVA to develop state-of-the-art technologies and provide an immediate response to new requirements to ensure it maintains its enormous capacity for innovation.

Numerous awards, such as the "Mercur" innovations prize for the 3KS locking system, the "State Prize for Innovation" for the MCS locking system, or the "Leonardo Award" for the best automation solution, bear witness to such creativity, as does a steady flow of new international patents. EN 1303 and VdS certifications show that compliance with all technical standards is also a fundamental characteristic in EVVA products.

EVVA was the first European company in its sector to be certified under the ISO 9001 quality management system back in 1993. Regular audits provide persuasive evidence of optimum quality with regard to devel-

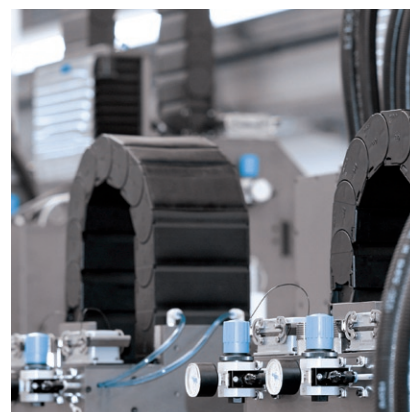
opment, design, assembly and customer service.

Today, EVVA offers a wide range of mechanical and electronic locking systems. Each system stands out on account of its unique patented technologies and operational principles, whether the solution concerned is a mechanical locking system such as MCS or 3KSpplus or the electronic locking system XS4.

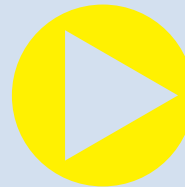
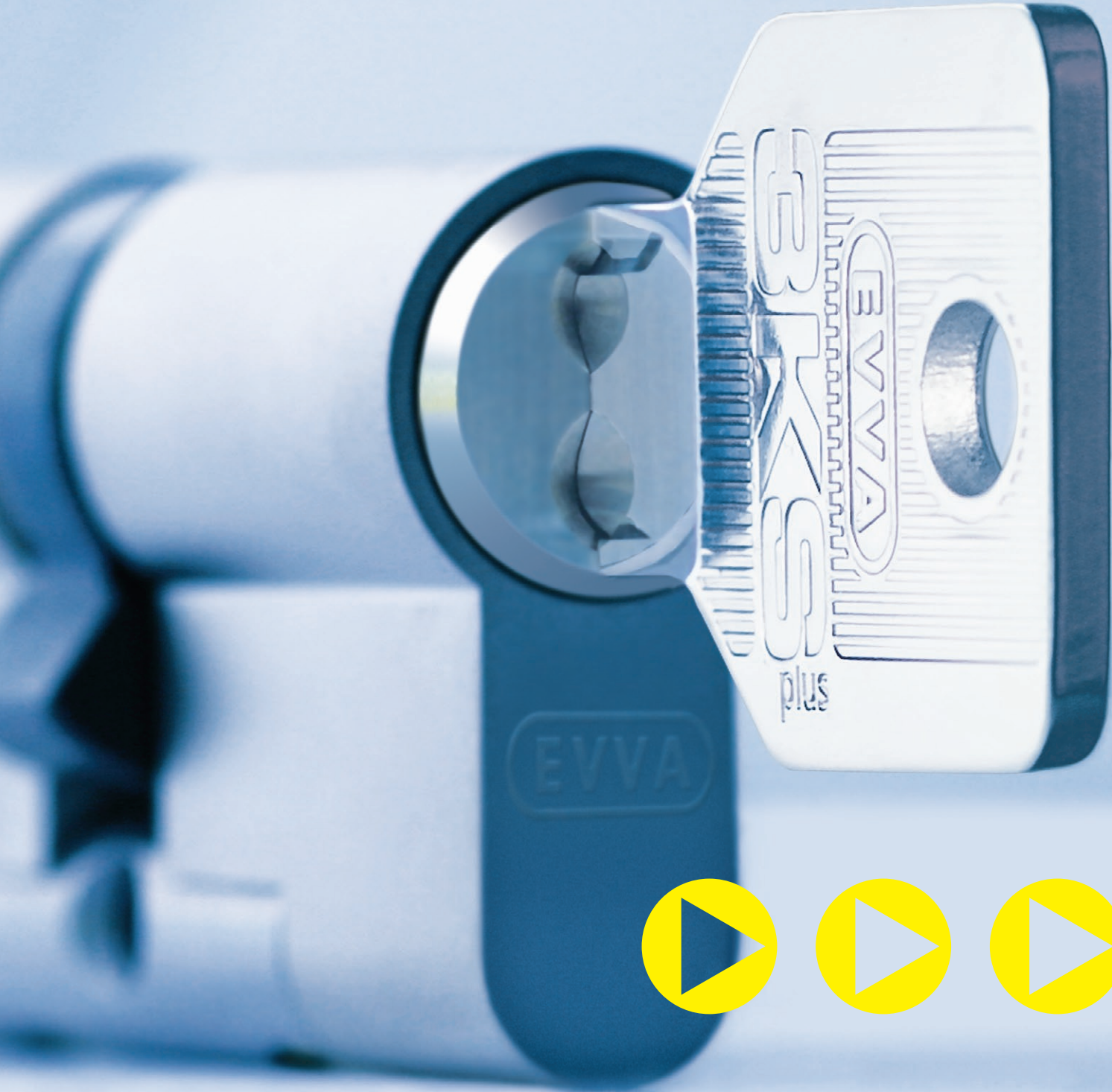


An ideal match from a wide range of mutually compatible products ensures an optimum solution can always be found for doors or es-cutcheons.

EVVA has already proven the power of innovation in mechanical and electronic product design as well as software development – an aspect which is also of benefit to our customers and partners worldwide.







# Variety of services

## Solutions for all m

A cross-section of our portfolio



### MCS Magnetic Code System

Double security is assured through magnetic and mechanical coding. The magnets are unaffected by typical external magnetic fields present in the surroundings.

### ICS Inner Code System

Three different locking technologies provide optimum burglary protection. The key impresses due to its slim, elegant design and concealed, inner recesses.

### 3KSplus 3-Curve System

The springless locking pin function guarantees utmost wear resistance and protection against picking. There are countless possible variations for cylinder master key systems.

### EPS Extended Profile System

Classic, inexpensive locking cylinder with additional scanning technology and protection against unauthorised duplicate keys.





# S— needs

## EMZY Electronic Motorised Cylinder

This is a locking cylinder with an integrated motorised thumb turn which offers time control and automatic locking for doors.

A programmable, external control checks the door status on a continuous basis. The EMZY is compatible with all EVVA locking systems.



## EVVA locks

EVVA lock platform products, such as emergency exit locking systems, can be flexibly adapted to building requirements. They offer unique advantages, such as a standardised rotation angle and a wide variety of potential uses, e.g. for single-leaf or two-leaf doors, with or without top locking and much more.



## Combi key

The Combi key's plastic bow can be used as a carrier for contactless or touch-sensitive identification technologies. A mechanical key is thus transformed into an electronic identification medium which enables mechanical locking systems to be simply combined with electronic locking and security technology.





## XS4 – Electronic locking and door management system

EVVA sees access control as more than just an electronically controlled door opener and wired online door stations. The SALTO XS4 consists of a system platform which provides an ideal locking solution to match the needs of your specific use, e.g. e-cylinders, electronic escutcheons, wall readers, panic bar solutions and bolt locks for cupboards or lockers. Depending upon requirements, you can choose from a multi-

tude of different identification technologies, such as iButton, MIFARE, LEGIC, HID iCLASS or PicoPass.

The SVN principle is unique and particularly advantageous: "Not wired, yet connected". The identification media in circulation serve as data carriers between wired and non-wired door units. The system is thus also managed centrally and conveniently for battery-operated door units. This type of network is

particularly cost-effective because it saves on elaborate installation work and on a great deal of time and effort in system administration. XS4 Wireless Online is an extension to the virtual SVN network, which allows instant data transmission by radio for non-wired access situations.

Identification media are available in different formats, such as Combi keys, cards, wristbands, iButtons or key tags.









# Focusing on people

## Social and environmental responsibility

### Employees

Social commitment to its employees is particularly important to EVVA. We know that the people in our company represent true potential for our company's success.

That's why we are anxious to take our employees' needs into account through comprehensive measures in human resources and social areas.

We are committed to providing secure jobs and offer opportunities for personal development. The EVVA Academy and sustained business development form the basis for such undertakings.

### Environment

As an industrial enterprise, we have a particularly special responsibility towards the environment. Receiving the "Öko Business Award" (Eco Business Award) and the annual "Ökoprofit-Auszeichnung" (Ecological Project for Integrated Environmental Technology Award) in recognition of our excellent environmental management system reveals just how seriously EVVA takes this responsibility.

We have published a sustainability report to show how our business policy is directed towards sustainable work practices and to promote developments which are environmentally, socially and economically viable.











# We build on trust

EVVA and its partners

## Fairness & professionalism

We guarantee optimum customer orientation, advisory services, support, expertise and IT services in cooperation with our partners, who include key copying services, locksmiths, master key and door technology system fitters, hardware retailers, carpenters, steel construction companies, industrial retailers and system integrators.

More than anything, EVVA focuses on long-term cooperation. Our partners are behind us when it comes to establishing the EVVA brand on the market, promoting our "access to security" strategy and supporting regional business development. This also enables us to sharpen our focus on international market requirements.

Partnerships and fair relationships with our suppliers are also of concern to us. EVVA is particularly conscious of its responsibility as a

reliable contracting company for smaller companies. A good relationship with our suppliers ensures optimum quality for our products.



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# Centre and headquarters

Austria

## Vienna, the heart of EVVA's world

A long-established company, EVVA's main location has always been in Vienna since it was founded back in 1919. After all the decades of growth, local circumstances and the environmental requirements facing a manufacturing company in the metal-working industry are a constant challenge for us. As an employer for around 450 workers, this production location is also of great importance for the city of Vienna. Many of the company's divisions are managed for the whole of Europe from Vienna. This is where the Research and Development Department, the EVVA Academy, IT Services and Corporate Communications all develop Europe-wide concepts, for instance. EVVA's three German subsidiaries with a to-

tal of 150 employees are the pillars underpinning the Europe-wide distribution network. As a result of their close proximity to customers, they ensure greater flexibility and direct approaches to local markets.

With the foundation of a branch in Rikon, Switzerland, EVVA has extended its location network and is now represented through subsidiaries in all German-speaking countries, thus ensuring it is able to serve local markets.



## access to security

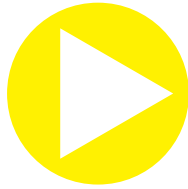
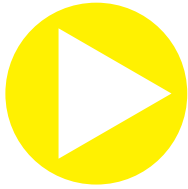
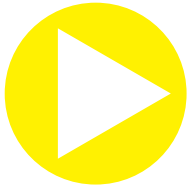
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# References

## without borders

We are at home wherever we are.

### International

Our large number of references enables us to look back on the services we have provided with pride. They are the reward for our efforts and serve as proof that customers from all over the world consistently trust in the high quality of the EVVA product range and the expertise of EVVA's employees.

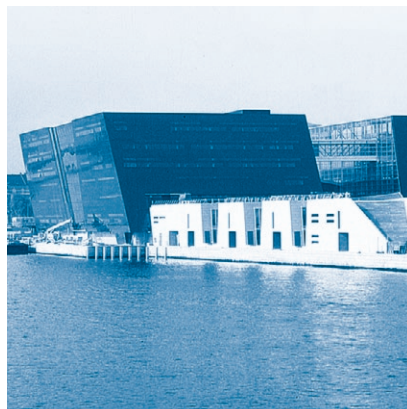
We are able to add new customers to our

clientele on a continuous basis, who chose EVVA thanks to our made-to-order solutions. Projects involve a wide spectrum of properties, such as government buildings, banks, hotels, schools, hospitals, stadiums, trade fair centres, office complexes, universities, administrative buildings and theatres in many cities across the world, as well as thousands

of private homes and apartments.

However different security system requirements may be for such buildings, EVVA always finds the ideal solution based on the EVVA-"Trinity Principle":

Comfort – Organisation – Security.



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