

## Beeps and LEDs

Touchpads and interior sirens produce a variety of operating beeps to inform you of different system states and operations.

### Key beeps

A key beep is the tone you hear when you press a button on an alphanumeric, fixed display, or handheld wireless touchpad. The sound confirms that the button was pressed adequately. Key beeps can be turned on or off by the installer.

### Status beeps

Status beeps come from the touchpads, sirens, or speakers and sound when there is a change in the status of the system. Status beeps are not alarms, but they do warrant your attention.

There are different types of status beeps:

- **Exit delay beeps.** Indicate that an arming command has been entered and the countdown to arming has begun.
- **Entry delay beeps.** Indicate that you have entered the building and the countdown to an alarm has begun. (So, disarm the system as soon as you get in.)
- **Protest beeps.** Indicate that you are trying to arm the system with an open door or window.
- **Chime feature beeps.** Indicate when a door or window is opened.
- **Trouble beeps.** Indicate a problem with the system or one of its components. See “Trouble beeps and messages” on page 66.
- **Sensor test beeps.** Indicate that a sensor was tested properly during a sensor test.

Status beeps are described in more detail in “System sounds” on page 27

## LEDs

Some touchpads have two LEDs that indicate the current system status at a glance. The red LED is labeled *Armed*; the green LED is labeled *Ready*. Table 2 below explains LED behavior.

**Table 2: Status LEDs**

<b>System status</b>	<b>Red armed LED</b>	<b>Green ready LED</b>
Exit delay	Flashing	
Armed to Level 1 (off)	Off	On
Armed to Level 2 (stay) or Level 3 (away)	On	
Entry delay	Flashing	Off
System trouble (check system status) protest		Off
System OK		On