

Features

Serves as a gateway that provides access to a Scout system via ScoutLink-qualified, non-traditional dispatching consoles

Uses open standard protocols for communication

Operates on Windows 10, Windows Server 2016, or Windows Server 2019

Integrates with Scout Central Distributor (SCD) for alarm and event reporting

Requires Scout 4.3 or later

Facilitates leveraging an existing Scout system to more users in more locations

Supports Telephone to Radio Connect, which allows SIP phones and cell phones to call radio endpoints

Provides new opportunities for expanding Scout into a company's locations that are not suitable for a traditional Scout dispatching position

Acts as a stepping stone into a traditional Scout system for new users

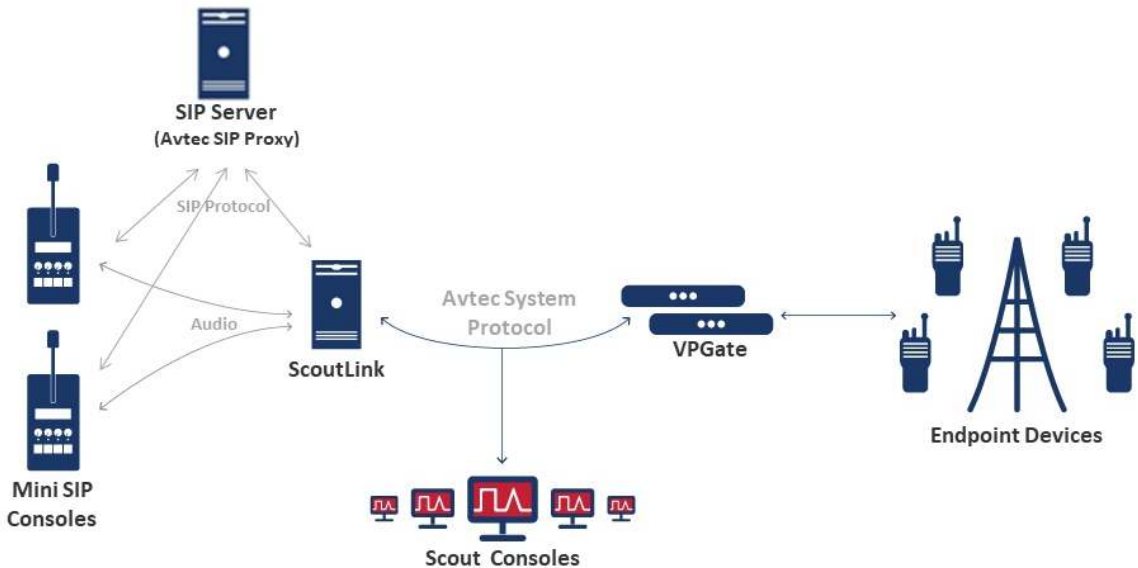
ScoutLink™

Avtec offers ScoutLink, a software component that connects ScoutLink-qualified, front-end SIP devices or applications into a Scout system.

By using ScoutLink to connect ScoutLink-qualified, non-traditional dispatching consoles to a traditional Scout system, customers find a new way to access VPGate endpoints. Designed to extend endpoint communication to occasional users or to locations that do not require a traditional, full-featured, Scout console, ScoutLink enables existing customers to expand a Scout system to a wider range of users. ScoutLink also provides new customers an option for creating a small Scout system that can grow and scale into a large system as needed.

SCOUTLINK CONFIGURATION

The diagram that follows provides an example of a Scout system that includes ScoutLink to facilitate calls from ScoutLink-qualified, front-end SIP devices. This system also includes traditional Scout consoles.



The diagram includes traditional Scout consoles and the endpoint devices in the field plus the following components:

- SIP devices – provide users a method of calling an endpoint device.
- Avtec SIP Proxy – provides a system for SIP devices and the endpoints configured in ScoutLink to register; directs the device that calls into the system to the ScoutLink system that has the access method for the endpoint configured.
- ScoutLink – accepts calls from SIP devices using the SIP protocol and bridges the call's audio to the VPGate endpoint via the Avtec System Protocol.
- VPGate – connects the call to the endpoint device in the field as it would with any call coming from a Scout console.

SPECIFICATIONS

ScoutLink-Qualified SIP Device	Scout E1 Console SIP Phones Cell Phones
Required Scout Components (4.3 or Later)	Scout Central Distributor (SCD) Scout Manager VPGate Avtec SIP Proxy
Operating System Compatibility	Windows 10 Windows Server 2016 Windows Server 2019
Application Size	32-bit

MODEL NUMBERS

MODEL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
SFW-SL	Redundant ScoutLink site license
SFW-SL-NR	Non-redundant ScoutLink site license
SFW-SL-CONNECT	Redundant ScoutLink connection license
SFW-SL-CONNECT-NR	Non-redundant ScoutLink connection license
MINI-ETC4	Scout E1 Console; four-channels, monitor and PTT functions

SCOUTLINK LICENSING

Avtec requires a license to operate ScoutLink and the license key must reside on the computer where the ScoutLink software resides. The license key defines the number of connections (active calls) enabled for the software. Avtec offers licenses in any size up to 100 connections per computer.