

Fluidsentry was founded in 1997 by Murray Hodges after witnessing many preventable workplace accidents whilst working as a fluid power technician. He had a passion for safety and was part of the Australian Standards committee for machinery safety and the founding member of SERCA.

After twenty years in business, Fluidsentry is now a globally recognised company leading in Fluid power safety.

Sadly, in late 2020, Murray passed away having transferred his expert knowledge to his sons, Jason and Ryan, allowing them to continue his goal of improving workplace safety.

In April 2021, Fortress was pleased to announce our entry into Fluid Power Safety through the acquisition of Fluidsentry PTY Ltd, launching this range of products as Fortress Fluidsentry.

This range of safety monitored valves and pressure sensors provide the highest level of safety in fluid power applications, up to and including PLe, SIL 3 and Category 4 requirements. This new range will complement Fortress' existing products by allowing us to provide more complete solutions in an even wider range of applications which use pneumatics and hydraulics to power machines.

"We are really excited to welcome the Fluidsentry range and bring them into the Fortress Family. Fluidsentry have a proven track record over the last 20 years in delivering the highest level of Safety for Fluid Power applications. This plays a huge part in our strategic plans to support customers bringing them the best safety solutions in an even wider range of applications".

Jo Smith, Managing Director of Fortress

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