

Is cctv-direct.co.za legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 95/100

cctv-direct.co.za

Verdict

95

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

cctv-direct.co.za appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-07-31 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 70%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage of CCTV Direct, a South African Shopify retailer offering CCTV kits, security cameras, alarms, access-control equipment, solar lighting, and related accessories. It presents product prices in rand, account and newsletter forms, nationwide delivery, Johannesburg warehouse collection, support contact details, and several conventional payment methods.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	8 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	13 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2014 92 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2014.
- VirusTotal and Google Safe Browsing had no flags for this domain; its hosting IP carries AbuseIPDB reports below the confidence level TrustSniffer treats as a flag.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is an established South African ecommerce storefront selling CCTV systems, surveillance cameras, alarms, access-control equipment, solar lighting, power products, and related accessories through direct online sales, nationwide delivery, and warehouse collection.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, phishing indicators, brand impersonation, deceptive financial claims, or other fraud signals were observed. The site's long-established registration, continuous archival footprint, stable retail identity, conventional product catalogue, and clean external threat reputation provide convergent evidence that it is the legitimate CCTV Direct storefront. Account, registration, and password-recovery functions remain within the site's own environment, with no hidden or externally directed credential forms detected.

- Domain records identify CCTV Direct as the registrant organization through GoDaddy.com, LLC; registered 13 January 2014 (~12.55 years old) and currently registered through 13 January 2027.
- The domain has 92 archive snapshots spanning 21 January 2014–10 May 2026 (13 years tracked), with no detected suspicious repurposing or semantic drift.
- Homepage behavioural testing found no hidden forms, cloaking, suspicious inline scripts, clipboard interference, wallet-draining behaviour, or credential forms posting to external destinations.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, no unsafe-browsing finding, and no confirmed external threat listing.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site presents a conventional physical-goods retail model rather than a regulated financial, investment, or brokerage service. Its use of card, EFT, cash, Payfast, and Payflex payment methods does not itself imply that CCTV Direct provides regulated financial services. No licensing claim is made, and the supplied pages do not establish a need for sector-specific financial authorization; ordinary ecommerce, consumer-protection, payment, warranty, and returns obligations are the more relevant compliance considerations.

- The homepage describes direct sales of physical security and lighting equipment, with prices denominated in South African rand and fulfillment through nationwide courier delivery or collection from a Randburg warehouse.
- The homepage identifies accepted payment methods as card, EFT, cash, Payfast, and Payflex; it contains no cryptocurrency, investment, yield, trading, or brokerage offering.

- The site's transport encryption uses a valid DV certificate issued by YE1, valid to 25 October 2026.
- Third-party broker-context data contains no matched broker profile for the business; this is consistent with, but does not legally determine, its non-broker retail presentation.

What to Verify Next

Routine transaction controls are appropriate rather than enhanced fraud restrictions. For substantial equipment orders or enterprise procurement, the purchasing entity should confirm current stock, warranty coverage, returns terms, delivery or collection arrangements, and the merchant name that will appear on the payment record. Official contact and warehouse details may also be independently confirmed before arranging collection or making a material EFT payment.

- The homepage advertises nationwide courier delivery and over-the-counter collection from a Randburg warehouse, creating transaction-specific fulfillment details that should be confirmed for large orders.
- The product catalogue includes branded CCTV, alarm, recording, access-control, gate-motor, battery, and lighting equipment for which model-specific warranty and compatibility terms may materially affect procurement.
- The homepage publishes a telephone channel with limited weekday service hours, an email contact, customer-account facilities, and a Facebook presence, providing multiple channels for routine confirmation.

Summary Verdict

CCTV Direct is a legitimate, established, and trustworthy ecommerce website. Its identity, operating history, retail content, technical behaviour, and external reputation converge without contradiction, supporting normal interaction, including account login, account management, and standard purchases.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare CDN/WAF infrastructure. The observed address is a CDN edge endpoint rather than the underlying origin, which reduces direct origin exposure and provides a conventional protective layer; this is a mitigating security control, not independent proof of business legitimacy.

- The site is served from AS13335 (Cloudflare, Inc.) through the observed edge address 23.227.38.32 in Canada.
- All observed addresses were classified as Cloudflare edge infrastructure, with one unique edge address and no origin candidate exposed during the assessment.

Closing Assessment

Prospective customers may use the site normally, applying standard ecommerce and procurement controls proportionate to the value and operational importance of the purchase.

Written analysis generated 2026-07-31 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	73/100

Identity verification confidence	74%
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- Trusted social count=1

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of cctv-direct.co.za.

- The request stayed on cctv-direct.co.za. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under GoDaddy.com, LLC. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by secureserver.net, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-01-13. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2014-01-21. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in CA. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	GoDaddy.com, LLC
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	CA
Server IP	23.227.38.32
Name servers	parkct1.secureserver.net, parkct2.secureserver.net
SSL issuer	YE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-25
Domain age	12.6 years
Domain expiry	2027-01-13
Archive first seen	2014-01-21
Archive snapshots	92
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 8 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about cctv-direct.co.za at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

