


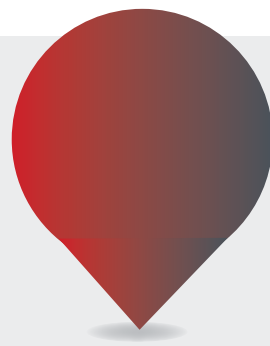
# HOW TO CHOOSE A PRINTER THAT'S HARD TO HACK



Office printers and multifunctional devices can be easy targets for cybercriminals. If they're connected to the internet, they can be hacked from outside your walls, just like computers and servers. Here are several methods to help harden your defenses.

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- 1) Data Encryption:** Protects sensitive information from unauthorized access.
  - 2) User Authentication:** Requires user authentication (PIN codes, ID cards, etc.) to prevent unauthorized use.
  - 3) Secure Erase and Data Overwrite:** Secure Erase permanently removes all traces of data from the device's hard drive or solid-state drive.
  - 4) Network Security Features:** Security protocols for encrypted communications help secure data in transit.
  - 5) Access Controls:** Set user permissions and access controls, limiting functions and features based on user roles.
  - 6) Regular Firmware Updates:** Regular firmware updates patch vulnerabilities and improve security features.
  - 7) Audit and Monitoring Capabilities:** Track and log user activity to promptly identify and respond to potential security breaches.
  - 8) Security Configuration Tools and AI Assistants:** Automation to guide you through setting up and maintaining optimal security configurations easily.
  - 9) Advanced Security Features:** Automatic reboot to known-good system files when malware is detected.

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