

PRINTERS ARE ENDPOINTS, TOO. ARE YOURS SECURE?



THE 5 PILLARS
OF SECURITY

Most organizations have deployed endpoint protection solutions for computers. IS THAT ENOUGH?

60%

of businesses reported at least one print-related data breach in 2023.¹

- Printers are computers—devices with processing, memory, and storage capabilities like any other computer on your network.
- Printers are often under-protected and overlooked, making them an attractive target for cybercriminals.
- Printer settings can change; they need to be constantly managed. Whether accidental or malicious, changes may compromise security.
- Unsecured printers can be a source of data leakage; sensitive information may be exposed.
- Printers can be an entry point for hackers, opening your network to further compromise if left unsecured.

What to Do

- Implement printer-specific security solutions designed to protect printers from cyber threats.
- Regularly update firmware and software to protect against known vulnerabilities and exploits.
- Conduct periodic security audits to ensure compliance with your organization's security policies and best practices.
- Use configuration monitoring tools and services.

30%

Only about 30% of deployed printers (MFPs) are properly secured.¹

For more information about printer security and Canon's 5 Pillars of Security, our comprehensive approach to cybersecurity, contact us today.



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- DEVICE SECURITY
- DOCUMENT SECURITY
- PRINT SECURITY
- CYBERSECURITY
- INFORMATION SECURITY

Canon's Five Pillars of Security presents a portfolio of security products and services in a comprehensive way that groups solutions in functional areas. Print security is a key component of our Five Pillar approach.

¹ Quocirca Global Print Security Landscape Report, 2023

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