

# NSA/CSS Evaluated Products List for Hard Disk Drive Destruction Devices

# **OVERVIEW**

Devices included on this list have passed evaluation by meeting requirements set by the NSA/CSS for the sanitization of magnetic hard disk drives. Meant to serve as guidance, inclusion in this document is not an endorsement by the NSA/CSS or the U.S. Government.

# **QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPROVAL**

Performance testing evaluates the device's ability to deform the platter(s) of a hard disk drive in 30 seconds or less, by bending, punching, or waffling.

The NSA/CSS does not evaluate hard disk drive shredders, however any shredder designed for hard disk drives is an approved method for platter deformation.

Equipment is listed in alphabetical order by vendor. Models that are no longer manufactured but still approved are included. Model numbers on equipment must match the model numbers shown in this list.

Vendors submitting equipment for evaluation will no longer have their return shipping costs funded by NSA.

Questions about specific models not shown can be directed to the Center for Storage Device Sanitization Research at 301-688-1053 or CSDSR\_NSA@nsa.gov.

#### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- 1. This list serves as guidance for the destruction of magnetic hard disk drives only. Refer to the NSA/CSS 9-12 Storage Device Sanitization Manual.
- 2. When used on their own, hard disk drive destruction devices DO NOT sanitize magnetic storage devices.
  - The hard disk drive destruction devices contained in this document are <u>only authorized</u> <u>in conjunction with a magnetic degausser</u> for routine magnetic hard disk drive sanitization, or by themselves only in emergencies as directed by the NSA/CSS 9-12 Storage Device Sanitization Manual.
  - Hard disk drive<sup>\*</sup> shredders do not sanitize unless a **2 millimeter particle size or smaller** is accomplished as directed by the *NSA/CSS 9-12 Storage Device Sanitization Manual.*
- 3. Each device offers different convenience features, footprints, throughput rates and power requirements. Contact the vendor to identify the unit(s) best suited to your site's needs.
- 4. The NSA/CSS conducts continuous research on data recovery and may remove products from this EPL as the data storage industry changes.
  - When a product is removed from this EPL, a six year grace period is in effect for DoD customers. IC customers should follow your organization's policy regarding this matter. Government Contractors should follow guidance/policy of their cognizant government industrial security oversight organization.

\* No hard disk drive shredder is approved to sanitize HAMR (Heat Assisted Magnetic Recording) media. Please refer to the NSA/CSS 9-12 Storage Device Sanitization Manual for alternative sanitization methods.

This document is updated on an as-needed basis. The procedures for administration and distribution of the EPL are subject to change without notice.

HARD DRIVE DESTRUCTION DEVICES	
VENDOR	MODEL
Applied Magnetics Laboratory, Inc.	AML-HD Distort
BOW Industries, Inc.	MHDD-N
BOW Industries, Inc.	MX2-N
Data Security, Inc.	DB-4000
Data Security, Inc.	DB-6000
Data Security, Inc.	DX-8
Dahle North America, Inc.	818HD
eDR Solutions LLC	HDC-V
Formax	FD 87HD
Garner Products, Inc.	PD-4 Rev. H
Garner Products, Inc.	PD-5
Intimus	Crusher
Phiston Technologies, Inc.	MediaVice Compact MV02
Phiston Technologies, Inc.	MediaVice Rackmount MVR-HDD
Proton Data Security	PDS-75
Proton Data Security	PDS-100
Secured Engineered Machinery, Inc. / Secure I.T. Engineering Solutions	0101 Sledgehammer / Model HDDC-A
VS Security Products	Crunch 250
Whitaker Brothers Business Machines, Inc.	ACD-HS
Whitaker Brothers Business Machines, Inc.	Datastroyer MVHD-1
Whitaker Brothers Business Machines, Inc.	MCD-HS

# HARD DRIVE DESTRUCTION DEVICES

NO LONGER MANUFACTURED	
VENDOR	MODEL
Data Security, Inc.	DF-4
Proton Data Security	PDS-50

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