

# Design and Evaluation of a Security and Privacy Nutrition Label for IoT Devices



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## Wyze Cam v3 1080p HD Indoor/Outdoor Video Camera with Color Night Viewing, 2-Way Audio, Compatible with Alexa & The Google Assistant and IFTTT with Wyze Cam Plus A.I. 3 Month Detection Service

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Product information

Technical Details

Manufacturer	Wyze
Part Number	WYZEC3CP3
Item Weight	8.1 ounces
Product Dimensions	2.51 x 2.24 x 3.93 inches
Country of Origin	China
Item model number	WYZEC3CP3
Size	1 Count (Pack of 1)
Color	White
Style	Wyze Cam v3
Material	Cam
Pattern	With Cam Plus
Shape	Wyze Cam v3 + Cam Plus
Power Source	Corded Electric
Item Package Quantity	1
Mounting Type	Wall Mount
Special Features	Night Vision, Motion Sensor
Included Components	Wyze Cam v3 x1, 3 Month Auto Activation Subscription to Cam Plus
Batteries Required?	No
Warranty Description	1 Year Manufacturer

Additional Information

ASIN	B09Q4T8Y76
Customer Reviews	★★★★☆ ~ 1,092 ratings 4.4 out of 5 stars
Best Sellers Rank	#31 in Tools & Home Improvement (See Top 100 in Tools & Home Improvement) #2 in Flood Lights #2 in Bullet Surveillance Cameras #3 in Home Security & Surveillance Systems
Date First Available	January 27, 2022

Warranty & Support

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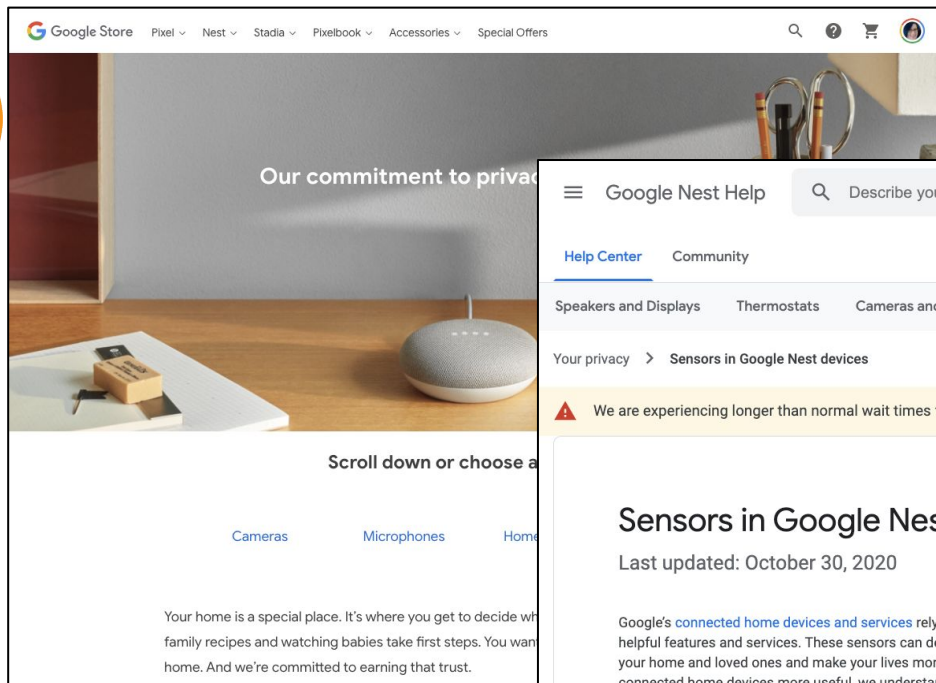
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Your privacy

Sensors in Google Nest devices

We are experiencing longer than normal wait times for support. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

## Sensors in Google Nest devices

Last updated: October 30, 2020


Google's [connected home devices and services](#) rely on cameras, microphones and other sensors to provide helpful features and services. These sensors can detect things like motion, sound and temperature to protect your home and loved ones and make your lives more convenient and comfortable. And while they make our connected home devices more useful, we understand that you, your family and your friends need to trust that we'll handle your data responsibly.

We've published our [commitment to privacy in the home](#) where we've committed to the following:

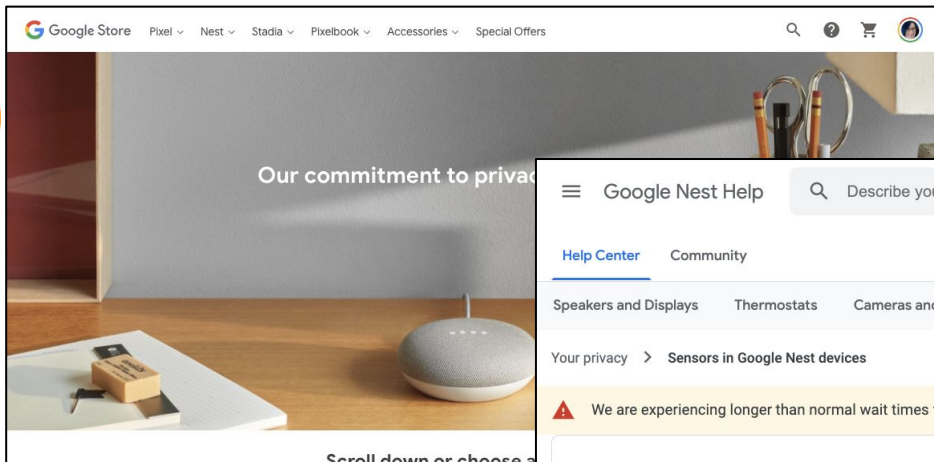
- When our connected home devices include cameras, microphones, or environmental or activity sensors that detect information about your home environment, we'll list these hardware features in the device's technical specifications – whether or not they're enabled.
- We'll also more clearly explain what types of information these sensors send to Google, as well as examples of how we use that information.

### Types of sensors, what they measure, and examples of uses

Type of Sensor	What it Measures	Examples of Uses*
Cameras and Microphones		
Camera (lens and image sensor)	Cameras are used to capture still images and video footage for a variety of purposes, including home monitoring, video calling, and more. They can also be used as a sensor to detect things like motion, activity, people or gestures. Cameras can also be used as a biometric sensor to identify a specific person.	<p><b>Nest Cam, Nest Cam IQ, Nest Hello and Google Nest Hub Max</b></p> <p>See what's happening near the camera. Also used to detect certain types of activity, so you can get an alert when a person or motion is detected near the camera. Depending on the camera model, where you live, and whether or not you have a Nest Aware subscription, the camera can be used to identify a face you've told it to recognize and send an alert when it recognizes someone you know or a stranger.</p> <p><b>Nest Hub Max</b></p> <p>In addition to offering the built-in Nest Cam features described above, Nest Hub Max also uses the camera to enable video calling and video messages, personalization with Face Match, and Quick Gestures for easy device control. Additional features that use the camera may be added over time.</p>
Microphone	Microphones detect sound waves and are used for a variety of purposes in Nest devices, including to capture speech, and as a sensor to detect specific sounds or to detect motion nearby.	<p><b>Nest Cam, Nest Cam IQ and Nest Hello</b></p> <p>Hear what's happening near the camera. Also used to detect certain types of sounds so you can get an alert when a person or motion is detected near the camera. The microphone is also used for the Talk and Listen feature that lets you talk to anyone near the camera. Nest Cam IQ Indoor also allows you to talk to the Google Assistant (if you have enabled that feature).</p> <p><b>Google Home, Google Home Mini, Google Home Max, Google Nest Hub, Google Nest Hub Max,</b></p>


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# Larger manufacturers better, still not easy to find

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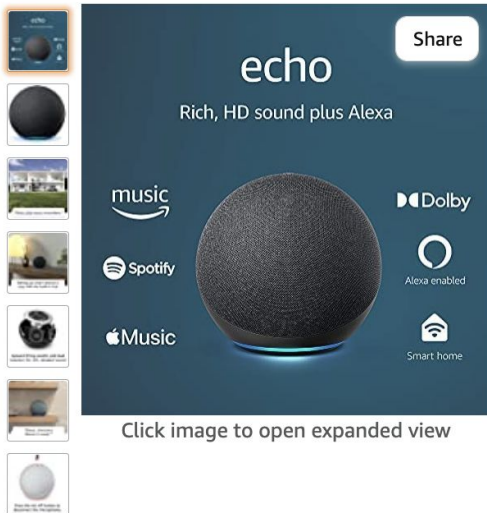
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## Echo (4th Gen) | With premium sound, smart home hub, and Alexa | Charcoal

Brand: Amazon

★★★★☆ 129,439 ratings

| 1000+ answered questions

Amazon's Choice for "echo 4th"

Climate Pledge Friendly

\$99<sup>99</sup>

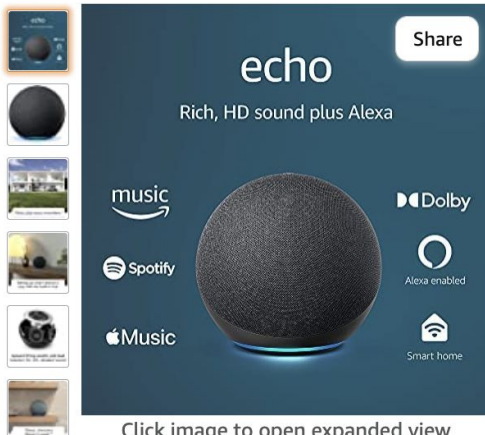
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Warranty and service	1-year limited warranty and service included. Optional 1-year, 2-year, and 3-year extended warranty available for U.S. customers sold separately. Use of Echo is subject to <a href="#">these terms</a> .
Setup technology	Amazon wifi simple setup enables customers to connect smart devices to their wifi network in a few easy steps. Wifi simple setup is another way Alexa is always getting smarter. <a href="#">Learn more about wifi simple setup</a> .
Included in the box	Echo (4th Gen), glacier white power adapter (30W), and Quick Start Guide.
Generation	Echo (4th Gen) - 2020 release
Privacy features	Wake word technology, streaming indicators, microphone off button, the ability to view and delete your voice recordings, and more. Visit the <a href="#">Alexa Privacy Hub</a> to explore how Alexa and Echo devices are designed to protect your privacy.
Language	Alexa speaks English and Spanish
Alexa Skills & Features	Alexa makes your life easier, more meaningful, and more fun by letting you voice control your world. Alexa can help you get more out of the things you already love and discover new possibilities you've never imagined. <a href="#">Discover and learn what Alexa can do</a> .
Software Security Updates	This device receives guaranteed software security updates until at least four years after the device is last available for purchase as a new unit on our websites. <a href="#">Learn more about these software security updates</a> . If you already own an Amazon Echo, visit <a href="#">Manage Your Content and Devices</a> for information specific to your device.



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### Setup technology

Amazon wifi simple setup enables customers to connect smart devices to their wifi network in a few easy steps. Wifi simple setup is another way Alexa is always getting smarter. [Learn more about wifi simple setup](#).

... custom UIs and terminology, no ability to compare

### Privacy features

Wake word technology, streaming indicators, microphone off button, the ability to view and delete your voice recordings, and more. Visit the [Alexa Privacy Hub](#) to explore how Alexa and Echo devices are designed to protect your privacy.

### Language

Alexa speaks English and Spanish

### Alexa Skills & Features

Alexa makes your life easier, more meaningful, and more fun by letting you voice control your world. Alexa can help you get more out of the things you already love and discover new possibilities you've never imagined. [Discover and learn what Alexa can do](#).

### Software Security Updates

This device receives guaranteed software security updates until at least four years after the device is last available for purchase as a new unit on our websites. [Learn more about these software security updates](#). If you already own an Amazon Echo, visit [Manage Your Content and Devices](#) for information specific to your device.





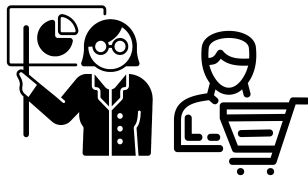
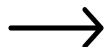
# Our Multi-Step Path to Design and Evaluate Our IoT Label



**Do consumers want security and privacy information** before IoT purchase?

**YES!**

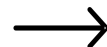
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**What should be included on an IoT security and privacy label?**

**47 factors on a layered label, recommended by experts**

[IEEE S&P'20]



**Is the label effective in conveying risk and informing consumer purchase behavior?**

**YES!**

[IEEE S&P'21]



**Will consumers pay more for better privacy and security?**

**YES!**

[USENIX Security'23]



**Are consumers interested in comparison tools for IoT security/privacy?**










**YES!**

[work in progress]

# Security & Privacy Overview

## Smart Device Co.





Smart Video Doorbell NS200  
Firmware version: 2.5.1 - updated on: 11/12/2020  
The device was manufactured in: China

 <b>Security Mechanisms</b>	<b>Security updates</b>		Automatic - Available until at least 1/1/2022			
	<b>Access control</b>		Password - Factory default - User changeable, Multi-factor authentication, Multiple user accounts are allowed			
 <b>Data Practices</b>	<b>Sensor data collection</b>		 <b>Visual</b>	 <b>Audio</b>	 <b>Physiological</b>	 <b>Location</b>
	<b>Sensor type</b>		Camera	Microphone		
	<b>Purpose</b>		Providing device functions	Providing device functions, Research		
	<b>Data stored on device</b>		Identified	No device storage		
	<b>Data stored on cloud</b>		Identified	Identified - Option to delete		
	<b>Shared with</b>		Manufacturer, Government	Manufacturer		
	<b>Sold to</b>		Not disclosed	Not sold		
<b>Other collected data</b>		Motion, Account info, Payment info, Contact info, Device setup info, Device tech info, Device usage info				
<b>Privacy policy</b>		<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy</a>				
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	Security oversight	No security audits		
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	Hardware safety	Not disclosed		
	Software safety	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/sw_safety">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/sw_safety</a>		
	Personal safety	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/user_safety">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/user_safety</a>		
	Vulnerability disclosure and management	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/vul_report">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/vul_report</a>		
	Software and hardware composition list	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/BOM">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/BOM</a>		
Encryption and key management	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/encryption">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/encryption</a>			
 Data Practices	Sensor data collection	Visual	Audio	Motion
	Sensor type	Camera	Microphone	Motion sensor
	Collection frequency	Continuous - Option to opt out	Continuous - Option to opt out	Continuous - Option to opt out
	Purpose	Providing device functions	Providing device functions, Research	Providing device functions, Research
	Data stored on the device	Identified	No device storage	Pseudonymized
	Local data retention time	Up to a year	No retention	Up to a month
	Data stored in the cloud	Identified - Data subject access request	Identified - Option to delete	No cloud storage
	Cloud data retention time	Up to 10 years	Up to two months	No cloud storage
	Data shared with	Manufacturer, Government	Manufacturer	Manufacturer, Third parties
	Data sharing frequency	Periodic	Periodic - Adjustable	Periodic - Adjustable
	Data sold to	Not disclosed	Not sold	Third parties
	Other collected data	Account info, Payment info, Contact info, Device setup info, Device tech info, Device usage info		
	Data linkage	Data will not be linked with other data sources		
	What will be inferred from user's data	Not disclosed		
	Special data handling practices for children	No		
In compliance with	GDPR			
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 More Information	Call Smart Device Co. with your questions at	1 000-000-0000		
	Email Smart Device Co. with your questions at	<a href="mailto:info@smartdeviceco.com">info@smartdeviceco.com</a>		
	Functionality when offline	Limited functionality on offline mode		
	Functionality with no data processing	Limited functionality on dumb mode		
	Physical actuations and triggers	Device blinks when motion is detected		
Compatible platforms	Amazon Alexa			
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### Data Practices

Sensor data collection



**Visual**



**Audio**



**Physiological**



**Location**

**Sensor type**

Camera

Microphone

**Purpose**

Providing device functions

Providing device functions, Research

**Data stored on device**

Identified

No device storage

**Data stored on cloud**

Identified

Identified - Option to delete

**Shared with**

Manufacturer, Government

Manufacturer

**Sold to**

Not disclosed

Not sold

**Other collected data**

Motion, Account info, Payment info, Contact info, Device setup info, Device tech info, Device usage info

**Privacy policy**

[www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy](http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy)



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Vulnerability disclosure and management	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/vul_report">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/vul_report</a>	
Software and hardware composition list	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/BOM">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/BOM</a>	
Encryption and key management	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/encryption">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/encryption</a>	

### Sensor data collection

#### Sensor type

#### Collection frequency

#### Visual

Camera

Continuous - Option to opt out

#### Audio

Microphone

Continuous - Option to opt in

#### Motion

Motion sensor

Continuous - Option to opt out



## Data Practices

Sensor data collection	Visual	Audio	Motion
Sensor type	Camera +	Microphone +	Motion sensor +
Collection frequency	Continuous - Option to opt out +	Continuous - Option to opt in +	Continuous - Option to opt out +
Purpose	Providing device functions +	Providing device functions, Research +	Providing device functions, Research +
Data stored on the device	Identified +	No device storage +	Pseudonymized +
Local data retention time	Up to a year +	No retention +	Up to a month +
Data stored in the cloud	Identified - Data subject access request +	Identified - Option to delete +	No cloud storage +
Cloud data retention time	Up to 10 years +	Up to two months +	No cloud storage +
Data shared with	Manufacturer, Government +	Manufacturer +	Manufacturer, Third parties +
Data sharing frequency	Periodic +	Periodic - Adjustable +	Periodic - Adjustable +
Data sold to	Not disclosed +	Not sold +	Third parties +
Other collected data	Account info, Payment info, Contact info, Device setup info, Device tech info, Device usage info +		
Data linkage	Data will not be linked with other data sources +		
What will be inferred from user's data	Not disclosed +		
Special data handling practices for children	No +		
In compliance with	GDPR +		
Privacy policy	<a href="http://www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy">www.NS200.smartdeviceco.com/policy</a>		
Call Smart Device Co. with your questions at	1 000-000-0000 +		
Email Smart Device Co. with your questions at	info@smartdeviceco.com +		
Functionality when offline	Limited functionality on offline mode +		
Functionality with no data processing	Limited functionality on dumb mode +		
Physical actuations and triggers	Device blinks when motion is detected +		
Compatible platforms	Amazon Alexa +		



## More Information





# Consumer Studies

- Does the label communicate risk to consumers? [IEEE S&P'21]
- Does the label impact consumers' willingness to purchase IoT devices? [IEEE S&P'21]
- How much more are consumers willing to pay for better security and privacy? [USENIX Security '23]

[\[IEEE S&P'21\]](#) "Which Privacy and Security Attributes Most Impact Consumers' Risk Perception and Willingness to Purchase IoT Devices?"

[\[USENIX Security '23\]](#) "Are Consumers Willing to Pay for Security and Privacy of IoT Devices?"

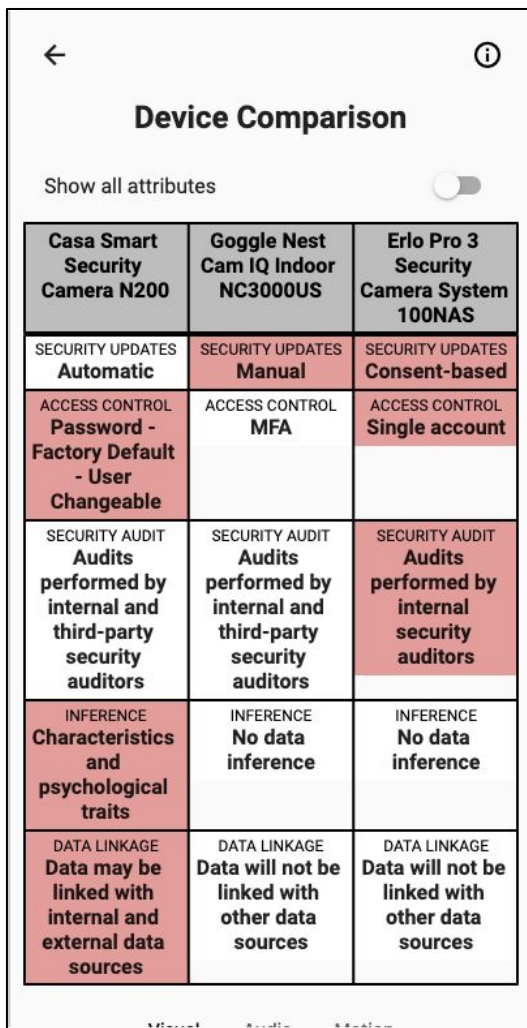
# Consumers' Willingness to Pay for Products With...

- **Good** Security / Privacy Vs **Bad** Security / Privacy  $\Rightarrow$  Prefer Good!
- **Good** Security / Privacy Vs **Unknown** Security / Privacy  $\Rightarrow$  Prefer Good!
- **Bad** Security / Privacy Vs **Unknown** Security / Privacy  $\Rightarrow$  Prefer Unknown!?

**Takeaways:** (1) Consumers will pay for products with **Good** security/privacy  
(2) Little incentive for bad actors to adopt labels voluntarily

# Label Enables Useful Tools

- Standardized label with computer-readable meta-data allows for automation
- Search engines that can find products with desired security/privacy features
- Consumer shopping apps



The screenshot shows a mobile application interface titled "Device Comparison". At the top, there is a back arrow on the left and an information icon on the right. Below the title, there is a toggle switch labeled "Show all attributes" which is currently turned off. The main content is a table with three columns representing different camera models: Casa Smart Security Camera N200, Goggle Nest Cam IQ Indoor NC3000US, and Erlo Pro 3 Security Camera System 100NAS. The table has six rows of attributes, each with a red header. The attributes are: SECURITY UPDATES, ACCESS CONTROL, SECURITY AUDIT, INFERENCE, and DATA LINKAGE. The table is styled with a light gray background and red headers for each row.

Casa Smart Security Camera N200	Goggle Nest Cam IQ Indoor NC3000US	Erlo Pro 3 Security Camera System 100NAS
SECURITY UPDATES <b>Automatic</b>	SECURITY UPDATES <b>Manual</b>	SECURITY UPDATES <b>Consent-based</b>
ACCESS CONTROL <b>Password - Factory Default - User Changeable</b>	ACCESS CONTROL <b>MFA</b>	ACCESS CONTROL <b>Single account</b>
SECURITY AUDIT <b>Audits performed by internal and third-party security auditors</b>	SECURITY AUDIT <b>Audits performed by internal and third-party security auditors</b>	SECURITY AUDIT <b>Audits performed by internal security auditors</b>
INFERENCE <b>Characteristics and psychological traits</b>	INFERENCE <b>No data inference</b>	INFERENCE <b>No data inference</b>
DATA LINKAGE <b>Data may be linked with internal and external data sources</b>	DATA LINKAGE <b>Data will not be linked with other data sources</b>	DATA LINKAGE <b>Data will not be linked with other data sources</b>



**PUBLIC  
DOMAIN**

# Specification for an IoT Privacy and Security Label

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### Label Generator (beta)

This tool will generate an IoT Security & Privacy Label. Fill out the fields in the four sections below and scroll down to see the primary and secondary layers of your label. For best results, we recommend using [Google Chrome](#) or [Firefox](#). If you have any questions or concerns, please [email us](#).

#### Additional notes:

- All the URLs **have** to start with a protocol identifier (http or https), otherwise they will be specified as "Not disclosed" on the label.
- The label generator runs locally in your web browser and does not send information to our server.
- Use the print buttons to print it out or save the PDF (you may need to enable background graphics and scale down the labels to fit on the page in the print preview).
- Download the HTML to display the label as a stand-alone web page or embed it on your website.
- Save the JSON file so that you can upload it if you want to make any changes to your label.
- Embed the XML file on your website
- The ZIP download contains the HTML files for both layers of the label, the JSON, the XML, and the embed codes for both the layers.

Drop a **JSON** file or click here to work on a previously generated IoT label.

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#### Device Information

##### Additional notes:

- By default, all the fields in this section are shown as "Not disclosed."

Manufacturer

Casa

Device name

Smart Security Camera

Firmware version

2.5.1

Updated on

Manufactured in

Next >

All download options:

XML

JSON

ZIP

### Primary Layer

## Security & Privacy Overview

# Not disclosed

Not disclosed Not disclosed

Firmware version: Not disclosed - updated on: Not disclosed

The device was manufactured in: Not disclosed



Security Mechanisms

Security updates

Not disclosed

Access control

Not disclosed



Data Practices

Sensor data collection



Visual



Audio



Physiological



Location

Sensor type Purpose

Data stored on the device

Data stored in the cloud

Data shared with

Data sold to



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## IoT Security Is a Mess. Privacy 'Nutrition' Labels Could Help

Just like with foods that display health information the package, researchers are exploring a tool that details how connected devices manage data.



An easy-to-read label might help people better understand potential risks ILLUSTRATION: ELENA LACEY; GETTY IMAGES

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## Imagine a Nutrition Label—for Cybersecurity

As the Internet-of-Things proliferates, consumers want to know how their data will be used by the makers of devices—before they buy them

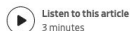


Smart refrigerators are among the connected devices that could be candidates for a data-privacy label, researchers say.

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*By Cheryl Winokur Munk*

Dec. 8, 2020 9:00 am ET



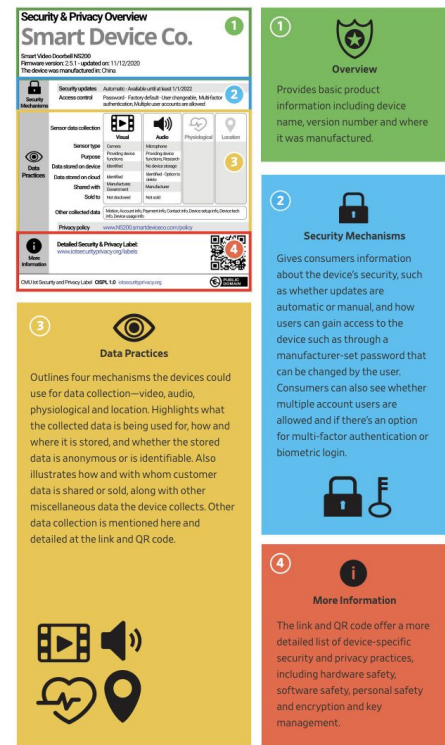
Your milk and orange juice have nutrition labels. Soon your refrigerator and coffee maker could, too.

For years, consumer privacy advocates have pushed the idea of so-called nutrition labels for devices. Instead of telling consumers how much vitamin B or C a product has, these labels would tell the prospective purchasers how their data will be used and by whom.

Researchers from Carnegie Mellon University's CyLab Security and Privacy

## A Cyber-Label Guide

Privacy experts are floating a 'nutrition label' for Internet-connected devices. These labels could help consumers understand devices' data-collection and security practices. Below is a proposed cyber label for a fictional device, a smart doorbell. Here's what it tells consumers:



We're partnering with Consumer Reports, an institution that's played an historic role in **public education campaigns** focused on sustained behavior change



# A National IoT Labeling Initiative Should be “Digital First”

