



HP LaserJet Enterprise flow MFP M525



Product security features

Security statements

The product supports security standards and recommended protocols that help you keep the product secure, protect critical information on your network, and simplify the way you monitor and maintain the product.

For in-depth information about HP's secure imaging and printing solutions, visit www.hp.com/go/secureprinting. The site provides links to white papers and FAQ documents about security features.

IP Security

IP Security (IPsec) is a set of protocols that control IP-based network traffic to and from the product. IPsec provides host-to-host authentication, data integrity, and encryption of network communications.

For products that are connected to the network and have an HP Jetdirect print server, you can configure IPsec by using the **Networking** tab in the HP Embedded Web Server.

Sign in to the product

Some features on the product control panel can be secured so that unauthorized people cannot use them. When a feature is secured, the product prompts you to sign in before you can use it. You can also sign in without waiting for a prompt by touching the **Sign In** button on the Home screen.

Typically, you use the same user name and password that you use to sign in to your computer on the network. Consult the network administrator for this product if you have questions about which credentials to use.


After you have signed in to the product, a **Sign Out** button displays on the control panel. To maintain security for the product, touch the **Sign Out** button when you have finished using the product.

Assign a system password

Assign an administrator password for access to the product and the HP Embedded Web Server so that unauthorized users cannot change the product settings.

1. Open the HP Embedded Web Server by entering the product IP address into the address line of a Web browser.
2. Click the **Security** tab.
3. Open the **General Security** menu.
4. In the **Username** field, enter the name to associate with the password.

5. Enter the password in the **New Password** field, and then enter it again in the **Verify password** field.

 **NOTE:** If you are changing an existing password, you must first enter the existing password in the **Old Password** field.

6. Click the **Apply** button. Make note of the password and store it in a safe place.

Encryption support: HP High-Performance Secure Hard Disks

The hard disk provides hardware-based encryption so you can securely store sensitive data without impacting product performance. This hard disk uses the latest Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) and has versatile time-saving features and robust functionality.

Use the **Security** menu in the HP Embedded Web Server to configure the disk.

For more information about the encrypted hard disk, see the *HP High-Performance Secure Hard Disk Setup Guide*.

1. Go to www.hp.com/support.
2. Enter **Secure Hard Disk** into the search field and press **Enter**.
3. Click the **HP High-Performance Secure Hard Disk Drive** link.
4. Click the **Manuals** link.

Lock the formatter cage

The formatter cage, on the back of the product, has a slot that you can use to attach a security cable. Locking the formatter cage prevents someone from removing valuable components from the formatter.

