



Drive Destruction Process



Documentation

Each drive is logged into our system and the serial number and brand are put into the Certificate of Drive Destruction



Digital Shredding or “Wiping”

This method does not alter the physical asset. Instead, it overwrites data with other characters like 1 or 0 and random characters with multiple passes (e.g. DoD 5220.22-M algorithm).



Degaussing

Degaussing uses a strong magnetic field to rearrange the structure of the HDD. Once the HDD is degaussed, it can no longer be used.



Physical Destruction

This method ensures the secure disposal and destruction of HDDs as they are hydraulically crushed or mechanically shredded, so that data can never be retrieved or reconstructed. This is done at our R2 certified recycler's location.