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Configure DLP Policies - Overview

Manage Microsoft 365 Governance and Compliance (35-40%)

Configure Data Loss Prevention (DLP)
• Configure DLP Policies
• Design Data Retention Policies in Microsoft 365
• Manage DLP Exceptions
• Monitor DLP Policy Matches
• Manage DLP Policy Matches

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Configure DLP Policies - Overview

You can configure policies during or after creation.

What does a DLP policy contain?

A DLP policy contains a few basic things:

1. Where to protect the content: locations such as Exchange Online, SharePoint Online, and OneDrive for Business sites, as well as Microsoft Teams chat and channel messages.

2. When and how to protect the content by enforcing rules comprised of:

   • Conditions the content must match before the rule is enforced. For example, a rule might be configured to look only for content containing Social Security numbers that has been shared with people outside your organization.

   • Actions that you want the rule to take automatically when content matching the conditions is found. For example, a rule might be configured to block access to a document and send both the user and compliance officer an email notification.

Each policy can have 3 states:

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• Turned On
• Turned Off
• In Test Mode
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Rules can have 2 states:

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• Turned On
• Turned Off
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Policies can protect information in 4 locations:

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• Exchange
• Teams
• OneDrive
• SharePoint
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NOTE: If you choose to include or exclude specific SharePoint sites or OneDrive accounts, a DLP policy can contain no more than 100 such inclusions and exclusions. Although this limit exists, you can exceed this limit by applying either an org-wide policy or a policy that applies to entire locations.