

O&O SafeErase 20 with Enhanced Fortress Mode

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O&O Software GmbH is releasing the latest version of its software for secure and permanent data deletion: O&O SafeErase 20 Professional. The new version has been comprehensively redesigned – with a modern user interface, a significantly enhanced Fortress Mode, and improved support for all current Windows versions.

"With O&O SafeErase 20, we provide our customers with a tool that not only meets the highest security requirements, but also enables the secure erasure of older PC systems before the upcoming transition from Windows 10 to Windows 11," says Olaf Kehrer, Managing Director of O&O Software GmbH. "Our goal is to make important data protection accessible, efficient, and reliable for everyone – developed in the heart of Berlin."

Highlights of the new version

New Fortress Mode for system-level security

Fortress Mode offers significantly more flexibility and control:

- Integration of drivers,
- Configuration of network interfaces, and
- Unlocking of BitLocker-protected drives.

Full support for current Windows versions

The optimized Fortress Mode now offers full support for current versions of Windows 10 and Windows 11, guaranteeing maximum compatibility and security in modern IT environments.

Modernized user interface

The O&O SafeErase 20 user interface has been completely redesigned. It offers a clearer design, improved navigation, and optimized user guidance – for even more intuitive operation.

Integration of the new Windows 11 context menu

O&O SafeErase 20 integrates seamlessly into the new Windows 11 context menu, making the secure deletion of files even faster and more convenient. A right-click is all it takes – the new feature is ready for use immediately.

Automated Updates

The revised automatic updates now provide even more convenience and speed for updates. New browser versions and Windows components can be responded to promptly, enabling the secure

deletion of internet and system traces at all times.

Pricing and availability

The recommended retail price of O&O SafeErase 20 is 29.95 USD. For use on up to five computers, O&O offers a 5-computer license for 49.90 USD. All prices include 19% VAT.

Interested users can find a free trial version of O&O SafeErase on the O&O website: <https://www.oo-software.com/en/safeerase-hard-drive-data-secure-deletion>. The trial version allows users to securely delete files and directories for 30 days.

Companies benefit from flexible licensing models tailored to their individual needs. Information on volume licenses and trial versions can be found at: <https://www.oo-software.com/en/oosafeerase-corporate>

About O&O Software

O&O develops solutions for corporate customers that not only support them in their daily activities, but also help substantially reduce their costs. Our products for system optimization, data imaging, data recovery, secure data deletion and company-wide administration are pioneers in the Windows technology sector. Together with our worldwide network of partners, we support corporations, companies, public authorities and private customers in over 190 countries, all from our headquarters in Berlin, Germany.

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