Security at Deduction

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Protecting the confidentiality and integrity of your tax and financial information is our top priority. Our multi-layered security program combines hardened cloud infrastructure, rigorous engineering practices, and continuous monitoring to keep your data safe while you file with confidence.

1. Security Principles

- **Defense in depth**: multiple, complementary safeguards across infrastructure, application, and people.
- **Least privilege**: access is granted only when required, logged, and periodically reviewed.
- Encryption everywhere: all customer data is encrypted in transit and at rest.
- **Continuous improvement**: policies, controls, and training are reassessed at least annually and after every tax season.

2. Infrastructure & Data Protection

Control	What We Do
Cloud foundations	Built on Google Cloud Platform (GCP), which maintains ISO 27001, SOC 1/2/3, and FedRAMP certifications.
Encryption at rest	All customer data—including tax documents and PII—is encrypted with AES-256.
Encryption in transit	Transport Layer Security (TLS 1.2+) is enforced for every network connection between your browser, our application, and internal services.
Private storage	GCP buckets are configured to block public access; signed URLs expire automatically.
Backups & disaster recovery	Point-in-time database backups replicated across regions; quarterly restore tests validate recovery objectives.