

Security Ratings

Tam per-resistant fastener security ratings explained.

Security fasteners are an essential component for protecting property and in keeping people safe. But what level of security fastener should you specify to protect an assembly from theft/ tampering?

'It all depends on what your application is and how important it is to you that it is protected.'

To help you decide on the right solution for your application we have created this simple security fastener guide.

We have categorised our fasteners into the below 1 -5 levels, 1 being the most popular/commonly used, 'Entry Level Security' and 5 being the 'Maximum Security Level' available.

There are serious consequences for not using the correct level of security fastener, which is why it's so important to get it right. Used correctly security fasteners can:

- Prevent theft and deter vandalism
- Protect the general public from harm
- Create cost savings
- Maintain civil and social order
- Reduce risk of litigation cases



Entry level security
Fasteners offer protection from vandalism and opportunistic crime. Driver tools can be purchased by the general public.



Enhanced security
Fasteners are less common and less recognisable. Driver tooling is non-standard and harder for the general public to buy.



Medium security
Rarer, less well-known products. Supply of driver tooling is controlled, less readily available to buy, enhancing the security of the assembly.



High security
Either 1 -way permanent fixings, or rare Hafren patented high security products requiring specialist tooling to remove (only available from Hafren approved distributors).



Maximum security
Highest security available. Products are either 1 -way permanent fixings, or require bespoke exclusive, custom made driver tools to remove.

