

Unit 8 IT Security and safety

Word	Definition	German
advice (n)	an opinion you give someone about what they should do	Ratschlag (Sub.)
adware (n)	software that automatically plays advertisements on a computer	Adware (Sub.)
antivirus software (n)	a type of software that looks for and removes viruses in programs and documents on your computer	Antivirus-Software (Sub.)
browser hijacker (phr)	software that replaces the user's search engine with its own	Browser-Hijacker (Phr.)
cleaner (n)	a substance used to clean things	Reiniger (Sub.)
clearance (n)	the process of getting official permission or approval for something	Freigabe (Sub.)
damage (n)	physical harm that breaks or spoils something	Schaden (Sub.)
double check (phr v)	to check something again so that you are completely sure	erneut prüfen (Verbalphr.)
flat (adj)	smooth and level, without any raised parts	flach (Adj.)
gain (v)	to get something that is important, useful, or valuable	erzielen (Verb)
glare (n)	a bright unpleasant light which hurts your eyes	blendendes Licht (Sub.)
health and safety (phr)	an area of government and law concerned with people's health and safety, especially at work	Arbeitsschutz (Sub.)
incident (n)	something unusual, serious or violent that happens	Vorfall (Sub.)
infect (v)	if a virus infects your computer or disks, it changes or destroys the information in them	infizieren (Verb)
malware (n)	software designed to secretly access a computer system [= <i>malicious software</i>]	Malware (Sub.)
misuse (n)	the use of something in the wrong way or for the wrong purpose	Missbrauch (Sub.)
notify (v)	to tell someone something officially	benachrichtigen (Verb)
polish (n)	a substance used for polishing things	Poliermittel (Sub.)
replace (v)	to get something new to use	ersetzen (Verb)

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	instead of the one you use now	
safety (n)	the state of being safe from danger or harm	Sicherheit (Sub.)
sensitive (adj)	a situation or subject that is sensitive needs to be dealt with very carefully because it is secret or because it may offend people	sensibel (Adj.)
shut down (phr v)	to turn off a computer	herunterfahren (Verb)
spyware (n)	computer software that secretly records information about which websites you visit and sends information about the use of your computer	Spyware (Sub.)
tilt (v)	to move a part of your body, especially your head or chin, upwards or to the side	neigen (Verb)
transfer (v)	to move someone or something from one place to another	transferieren (Verb)
Trojan (n)	a type of computer virus	Trojaner (Sub.)
unauthorised (adj)	without official approval or permission	unbefugt (Adj.)
virus (n)	a type of software that can copy itself and can destroy or damage information stored in the computer	Virus (Sub.)
worm (n)	a type of computer virus that can make copies of itself and destroy information on computers that are connected to each other; it spreads without the user taking action	Wurm (Sub.)