# Permanent Removal of Data: Made Possible by Arrow and Blancco Technology Group

Arrow takes data security seriously. A critical element of our data security process is the permanent removal of data from IT assets. For this reason, Arrow partners with Blancco Technology Group, the leading, global provider of secure data erasure solutions.

## Blancco Data Erasure Is the Most Proven Solution to Erase Data

### Unique and Customizable Solution

Arrow's Value Recovery group processes millions of assets each year. Blancco's highly robust, customizable and patented data erasure software easily supports the scale of Arrow's operations, enabling us to develop highly efficient data erasure processes around a variety of IT hardware to ensure data-bearing equipment is properly sanitized in accordance with the most stringent global standards.

### Cutting-Edge Patented Technology

Mobile devices have a much shorter life span, encompass a vast number of diverse technologies and require different data security processes than standard desktops and laptops do. Blancco's mobile erasure and diagnostics testing capabilities enable us to streamline our smartphone and tablet processing to provide the most current sanitization methods available, ensuring data is permanently erased from mobile devices.

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> Permanent erasure of SSDs, eliminating false positives that could result in data exposure

> The only patented data erasure method that overwrites over-provisioned areas using uncompressible data

> Tamper-proof and auditable certificate verifying data erasure for internal and external auditing

> Compliance with the most extensive list of international data security regulations and standards, including HMG/CESG, NIST, BSI and DoD

## Revolutionary SSD Erasure Method

Adoption of SSDs and flash media is evolving at a rapid pace and companies must stay ahead of the curve with emerging data protection technology. Verified through independent testing, Blancco's complete and patented SSD erasure method in the Blancco 5 solution is the most secure method to ensure sensitive data is removed. Incorporated into Arrow's data erasure process, Blancco's secure erasure method uses uncompressible streams to defeat the data compression mechanisms unique to SSDs in order to ensure a full data overwrite.

## Comprehensive Monitoring and Reporting

Blancco erasure software is fully integrated into Arrow's proprietary systems, allowing us to seamlessly collect hardware details and erasure reports. With the ability to monitor all data erasure activity performed, anywhere in the world, the Blancco data erasure solutions are exactly what's needed to meet the demands of our customers.

## Latest Hardware Support and Innovation

Blancco's support teams work closely with Arrow's engineers and integrate directly into our processes so all IT assets can be erased properly.

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