

ANPR System Security Checklist

Essential Security Features

- Strong password policies and hashed storage (bcrypt or argon2)
- Role-Based Access Control (Admin, Security, Registered User)
- Form input validation and XSS prevention
- Use of prepared statements to prevent SQL injection
- HTTPS with SSL/TLS certificate
- Secure session handling with timeout and regeneration
- CSRF protection in all forms
- File upload validation and storage outside public directory
- Secure Flask API with tokens and/or IP restrictions

Bonus Features

- Activity and access logging (login, ANPR events, etc.)
- Encryption of sensitive database fields
- Run vulnerability scans (OWASP ZAP, Nikto)
- Basic privacy policy for data handling transparency