Copilot

Data Loss Prevention (DLP) systems are designed to protect sensitive data from unauthorized access, misuse, or loss. There are several types of DLP systems, each focusing on different aspects of data protection. Here are the main types:

1. Network DLP

- Function: Monitors and analyzes network traffic to detect and prevent the unauthorized transmission of sensitive data.
- **Features**: Tracks email, messaging, and file transfers; establishes a database of access records; and monitors data movement across traditional networks and the cloud.

2. Endpoint DLP

- Function: Protects data on endpoints such as laptops, desktops, and mobile devices.
- **Features**: Monitors and controls data transfers to external devices (e.g., USB drives), enforces encryption, and prevents unauthorized applications from accessing sensitive data.

3. Cloud DLP

- Function: Secures data stored in and transmitted through cloud services.
- **Features**: Monitors data in cloud storage, enforces data protection policies, and ensures compliance with regulations for cloud-based data.

4. Discovery DLP

- Function: Identifies and classifies sensitive data across an organization's entire IT infrastructure.
- **Features**: Scans file systems, databases, and other storage locations to locate sensitive information and apply appropriate protection measures.

5. Email DLP

- Function: Focuses on protecting sensitive information transmitted via email.
- **Features**: Monitors outgoing emails for sensitive content, applies encryption, and prevents unauthorized sharing of confidential information.

6. On-Premises DLP

- Function: Deployed within an organization's own data centers to protect internal data.
- **Features**: Provides comprehensive data protection for on-premises infrastructure, including servers and storage systems.

7. Cloud-Native DLP

- Function: Specifically designed for cloud environments, integrating seamlessly with cloud services.
- Features: Offers advanced data protection capabilities tailored to the unique challenges of cloud computing.

Each type of DLP system addresses specific data protection needs, and organizations often use a combination of these systems to ensure comprehensive data security.

