

Example of two-factor authentication

Google 2-Step Verification

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Stronger security for your Google Account

With 2-Step Verification, you'll protect your account with both your password and your phone

Why you need it How it works How it protects you

Signing in to your account will work a little differently

- 1 Enter your password**
Whenever you sign in to Google, you'll enter your password as usual.
- 2 Enter a verification code**
Then, you'll be asked for a code that will be sent to your phone via text, voice call, or our mobile app.

<https://twofactorauth.org/>

Choosing the authentication mechanism

- ➔ Driven by the risk analysis and the costs
How hard is it to?
 - Make you reveal your secret password
 - Duplicate a credit card
 - Fake your fingerprints
- ◎ There is no perfect authentication