

Is exark.com a scam? TrustSniffer's high-risk assessment: 0/100

exark.com

Verdict

0

OUT OF 100

CRITICAL RISK

exark.com shows high-risk / scam indicators.

This assessment found strong scam indicators. Do not pay, sign in, or share personal details with this site.

Sensitive Interaction Risk

Governance Risk

Assessed 2026-08-21 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Corporate website for Exark, an RFID hardware provider listing products, solutions, contact details and downloads; appears to be a standard B2B product site.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	6 flagged it VirusTotal	RISK
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	9.2 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2001 Public history exists	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by Sectigo Public Server Authentication CA DV R36	NOTED

The page as captured

<https://exark.com/>



What exark.com served when TrustSniffer captured it on 2026-08-21. The page may look different now.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Sensitive Interaction Risk.
- Domain age: 3 to 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2001.
- At least one reputation service TrustSniffer consulted had flagged this domain at assessment time.

Full analysis

Security Alert

Fortinet flagged this site in external intelligence checks, indicating elevated compromise/scam exposure that requires immediate caution.

Exark.com presents a corporate product website for Exark, describing a manufacturer and reseller of RFID and IoT hardware, including handheld readers, tags, gateways, and related business solutions for sectors such as retail, healthcare, asset management, and warehouse distribution.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No conflicting legal-entity names or page-level brand-impersonation indicators were identified, and the site's corporate presentation is coherent and product-focused. However, the domain is subject to a confirmed blacklist finding, with multiple external malicious detections, including a Tier-1 security-vendor detection. This contradiction is materially more significant than the site's benign content profile. Runtime analysis also identified suspicious inline scripts and a suspicious network classification, although no login form, hidden sensitive form, wallet connection, clipboard hijacking, or cloaking behavior was observed. The available evidence therefore supports a clearly cautionary posture for credentials, account access, purchases, or other sensitive interaction.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage presents a coherent corporate/product structure with RFID readers, tags, gateways, industry solutions, contact facilities, reseller information, and downloads.
- External reputation telemetry recorded 6 malicious and 2 suspicious detections from 13 evaluated results, with Fortinet identified among the flagged vendors; a confirmed blacklist status was also recorded.
- Runtime inspection recorded 2 suspicious inline scripts, 4 console errors, and a corrected suspicious-network classification across 2 successful runs.
- Domain registration evidence shows creation on 2017-06-21T18:37:31Z, registered through NAMECHEAP INC, with an age of 9.17 years.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site appears to operate as a physical-goods B2B supplier rather than presenting itself as a financial or otherwise regulated service. Licensing or regulatory authorization is not claimed in the supplied site material, so the principal regulatory issue is disclosure clarity rather than evidence of unlawful operation. The site's identity remains independently unverified. The absence of a match in the available broker-reputation dataset provides limited contextual reassurance only and is not a legal, licensing, or regulatory determination.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and associated product content identify the business as an RFID and IoT hardware provider and include contact, reseller, solution, and download sections.
- No license authority or license number is claimed in the supplied business-model and page-content evidence.
- The available broker-reputation dataset returned no match for the site.

What to Verify Next

Before any purchase, supplier relationship, or exchange of business information, independently confirm the legal entity behind Exark, its physical business details, and the authority of the named sales or reseller contacts using records obtained outside the website. Confirm product ownership, warranty, delivery, refund, and dispute procedures through independently sourced contact channels, and ensure that any payment is protected by an established commercial payment process. If the engagement involves a regulated activity or jurisdiction-specific compliance obligation, obtain confirmation directly from the relevant regulator or registry.

EVIDENCE

- The site's contact and reseller sections provide channels that can be cross-checked through an independent route.
- The downloads section provides business and product material that can be compared with manufacturer documentation obtained from separate sources.
- The terms, purchasing, warranty, and returns disclosures supplied for review do not establish a verified legal operator or regulatory authorization.

Summary Verdict

The overall posture is **critical risk for sensitive interaction**. Although the website has a credible corporate presentation and an established online presence, the confirmed external reputation contradiction prevents the available evidence from supporting safe login, credential submission, purchasing, or financial engagement. Identity verification remains incomplete.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is protected by CDN/WAF infrastructure, which mitigates some direct exposure and limits the evidentiary value of individual observed addresses; protective infrastructure does not establish legitimacy. The infrastructure record also includes potential origin candidates, so the protection should be treated as a mitigating control rather than a trust determination.

EVIDENCE

- Hosting is recorded on AS22612, NAMECHEAP-NET — Namecheap, Inc., US.
- Observed CDN edge addresses include 216.198.79.1 and 216.198.79.65 on AS16509, plus 2a01:4f9:3070:3934::2 and 37.27.135.61 on AS24940; 4 edge IPs and 1 likely origin candidate were identified.
- The site's TLS certificate is DV-validated and issued by Sectigo Public Server Authentication CA DV R36, valid to 2026-10-11T23:59:59+00:00.

Closing Assessment

Pending independent identity and reputation resolution, interaction should remain limited to passive review; credentials, account access, purchases, and financial transactions should not be initiated through the site.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-21 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

2 findings contributed to this verdict, raised by registration and ownership, analysis engine, behaviour in a sandbox, external reputation.

01 Governance Risk

- Registration details are held behind a privacy service, so no operator is named publicly. This is common and legal, and it also means there is nobody to check.
Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_PRIVATE
- The registration record withholds contact details for the operator.
Registration and ownership rule:KF_WHOIS_HIDDEN

02 Sensitive Interaction Risk

- The analysis matched a pattern TrustSniffer treats as a direct threat to a visitor.
Analysis engine signal:direct_threat
- The page carried inline scripts written in a style TrustSniffer treats as suspicious.
Behaviour in a sandbox rule:BEHAV_SUSPICIOUS_INLINE_SCRIPTS
- An external threat feed lists this domain: either Google Safe Browsing marked it malicious, or a significant number of malware engines flagged it.
External reputation rule:EXT_BLACKLIST_CRITICAL

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	25%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of exark.com.

- The request stayed on exark.com. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under NAMECHEAP INC. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by registrar-servers.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-06-21. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2001-11-15. CLEAR
- It is hosted on NAMECHEAP-NET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	NAMECHEAP INC
Hosting	NAMECHEAP-NET - Namecheap, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	162.0.212.6
Name servers	PDNS1.REGISTRAR-SERVERS.COM, PDNS2.REGISTRAR-SERVERS.COM
SSL issuer	Sectigo Public Server Authentication CA DV R36
SSL expiry	2026-10-11
Domain age	9.17 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2027-06-21

Archive first seen	2001-11-15
Archive snapshots	Not counted (archive lookup incomplete)
Reputation	VirusTotal: 6 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about exark.com at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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