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One-Time Use Credit Card Numbers

With all of the shopping that we do online it can be a little nerve racking to type in your credit card account numbers when making a purchase. You never know who may gain access to your credit account. Even if you feel confident that you are making a purchase from a reputable online company, there is always a chance that a hacker may gain access to that company's computer system and all of their customer information. Until recently I didn't realize my bank offered one-time use credit card numbers which is ideal for online shopping.



Many banks and credit card companies offer this service free of charge! Bank of America has "Shopsafe", Citibank has "Virtual Account Numbers", and Discover has "Secure Online Account Numbers". This feature is very easy and safe to use. When you are shopping online and ready to check-out, you simply open another browser, log in to your bank online and generate a one-time use account number. Some even let you set a specific dollar amount that can be withdrawn from the account. This would make it virtually impossible for someone to access your banking information!

Here are links to the aforementioned credit card companies:

[Bank Of America](#)

[Citibank](#)

[Discover](#)

Super WiFi May Become A Reality

In the last FCR Tech Tips I wrote about how to extend your typically weak WiFi signal in your home. Since then, I've learned that the FCC is considering opening up some "white space" in the spectrum, between TV channels, for a "super WiFi". The changes would come about if the FCC passes the vote at the end of September.

What this really means is that WiFi signals would more easily pass through walls and go from having a range of hundreds of feet to a range of a few miles! This may mean that it would be possible to receive your internet signal from home at the grocery store a couple of miles away!



Significantly fewer hotspots would be required to cover an area. People in rural areas could finally have increased access to the internet.

Learn more about super WiFi [here](#).

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