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Thread: [Theoretically Remove a File from Someones Machine](#)

DrPanda - October 8, 2014, 1:29 pm

So Theoretically speaking from a mental skill challenge view, lets just say a guy brakes up with his girlfriend and moves out.

on the computer that is now in her possession, has scans of his birthcert, personal details, like bank account details and such, and he doesn't trust that she will use them to get payback on the guy.

lets say Theoretically that the guy has the IP addresses and knows the location of the files on the system, and this guy wants to hack into the computer delete the files and get out unseen.

This is all Theoretically speaking for the purpose of a mental hacking skills challenge...

How would you do this, without using a Rat or having physical access to the machine, also you have to be able to get away without a trace. the Theoretically machine has basic security and the current Owner/User doesn't know much about them.

Type how you would do it below...

Nigga From Africa - October 8, 2014, 1:31 pm

You probably wouldnt execpt if you found a remote exploit.

Mr. Miyagi - October 8, 2014, 1:31 pm

I'm not the best skilled in this area, but I don't think this is possible with just an IP since multiple computers can be on an IP address, but if the computer had some sort of ftp application for remote access or something it might be possible. Like I said i'm not the right person to be answering this question.

MrTing - October 8, 2014, 1:32 pm

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spidum - October 8, 2014, 1:43 pm

If the computer didn't have remote desktop disabled and considering that you lived there and had previous access to said computer it would be quite easy to rdp to the comp with the ip, and login with known info. Then simply navigate to the files and delete them. Or you should search for an rdp exploit in windows or just scan the IP with Kali and hope to be able to get a meterpreter shell. Honestly what you are trying to do is not that difficult with the right tools and knowledge.

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Why would a semi stupid pc user have rdp enabled.

Its disabled by default so i doubt that would work out.

MrTing - October 8, 2014, 1:56 pm

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Yeah you suggested rat but he didn't want a rat.

A stealer can't delete files or get remote access.

Supreme??????? - October 8, 2014, 2:01 pm

Your best bet is to social engineer your way into deleting those files. However, keep in mind that there's always a way to trace a person's activity.

Nigga From Africa - October 8, 2014, 2:02 pm

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Why would she trust you?

DrPanda - October 8, 2014, 2:22 pm

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Zabuza? - October 8, 2014, 2:25 pm

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(Oct 8, 2014 02:22 PM)DrPanda Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Ok lets Tease up the Parameters... lets say Dropbox is installed on the machine

Do you have access to the Dropbox account?

Gratitude - October 8, 2014, 2:27 pm

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a323109 - October 8, 2014, 2:35 pm

(Oct 8, 2014 01:29 PM)DrPanda Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Type how you would do it below...

Physical access

If i can put my hands on that computer i'll make files impossible to recover by a average user.

- 1.Enter Bios
- 2.Change boot
- 3.Boot my operating system
- 4.Mount the hd with root privileges
- 5.Find file and delete it
- 6.restart and restore Bios settings

8.Done

Zabuza? - October 8, 2014, 2:38 pm

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"lets say Theoretically that the guy has the IP addresses and knows the location of the files on the system, and this guy wants to hack into the computer delete the files and get out unseen."

He has the ip addresses of the victim
He knows where its located on system
Wants to hack into the computer and delete the files

What am I missing? or did I just misread it?

DrPanda - October 8, 2014, 2:54 pm

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PerseusGrey - *October 8, 2014, 6:46 pm*

While I don't know about hacking your way into a computer system, what I do know is that since the "theoretical" person had a relationship with the victim that ended and the other person had personal information. If that information was found to be missing, it would point back to you, who else would simply delete that info and leave it at that? The point I'm making is, it's difficult to make anything "100%" undetectable and without traces. I'm a bit tired at this point, so I hope I worded this in a way it would make sense.