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Thread: [Disadvantages of hacking on a Mac?](#)

Cheeb - July 2, 2015, 1:50 pm

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Thanks ?

Introvert - July 2, 2015, 2:56 pm

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Cheeb - July 2, 2015, 3:01 pm

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Introvert - July 2, 2015, 3:26 pm

(Jul 2, 2015 03:01 PM)Cheeb Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I mean limitations on the software side. Like what code can run on macs/and what things you can download. VPNs and stuff like that.

Most programs have an OSX / Unix / Linux port or alternative. Usually every program you would want will be supported.

I recommend Linux over Mac and OSX, but in reality, the OS you use doesn't matter. If you have skills, you will have those skills on every OS.

AyoltzDox - July 2, 2015, 3:33 pm

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Mr Whiskey - July 2, 2015, 3:34 pm

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I got a kick out of this, thank you.

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Lol. I do not support Mac / OSX at all because..you know....Apple. But, in all fairness, OSX is Unix-Like, so it doesn't differ much from Linux.
Having said that I personally prefer Linux and nothing will ever come close to replacing it for me. ?

Motiv - July 2, 2015, 3:45 pm
There are a lot of limitations. For one, Mac rats are generally hard to find, there are a few.

Retaw - July 2, 2015, 4:33 pm
People that say Mac's are very similar to Unix / Linux are wrong, at least from my POV.
Linux requires much more, tech savvy knowledge to be able to run to its full potential.

Also, Linux OS's tend to be more open to, anonymizing people, which I don't think is so true for the Apple developers.

Cheeb - July 2, 2015, 4:47 pm
I totally agree that linux is a great OS for hacking, thats why I made this thread. Im getting more into it, and I want to know if I should upgrade or not.

Fudster - July 2, 2015, 4:49 pm
Eh any OS is decent for hacking because a true hacker can program his own tools. Otherwise your just a skid. And yes I have some basic hacking via tools so I guess you can call me a skid

010101110110000101110010 - July 2, 2015, 4:56 pm
Disadvantages of hacking on a mac:

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bruce wayne1 - July 2, 2015, 10:45 pm
(Jul 2, 2015 04:56 PM)010101110110000101110010 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Disadvantages of hacking on a mac:

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lol let me convert my username to binary so i can look like a hacker h3h3h3h3h3

w34k - July 2, 2015, 11:21 pm
Yeah, but not for RAT... Save that junk for Windows. ?
A disadvantage would be not having knowledge.

(Jul 2, 2015 04:56 PM)010101110110000101110010 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Disadvantages of hacking on a mac:

1) You're using a Mac
There's a lot more you can do with Unix-based system than Windows.

Rokushi - July 3, 2015, 8:44 am
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Cheeb - July 3, 2015, 11:54 am
(Jul 3, 2015 08:44 AM)Dave Franco Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Because your skills and imagination are completely limited to an OS? If you can actually "hack" the OS doesn't mean shit lol these threads are stupid..No, there are limitations on mac OS on the software side. Also in vulnerability, and

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bruce wayne1 - July 3, 2015, 12:41 pm

(Jul 3, 2015 11:54 AM)Cheeb Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No, there are limitations on mac OS on the software side. Also in vulnerability, and development..

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Cheeb - July 3, 2015, 12:45 pm

(Jul 3, 2015 12:41 PM)bruce wayne1 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Please tell me a vulnerability in Mac OS X that you didn't get off of exploit-db.I mean if you are doing malicious activites, every OS has disatvantages and atvantages. That's why I made this thread to figure out if I was using the right OS or not to cater to what I am doing.