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Thread: [Veracrypt encrypted file container vs full disk encryption](#)

SIM-2053312 - April 2, 2017, 3:59 pm

I have a veracrypt encrypted file container because I didn't know how to do the full disk encryption one. Which one is better for security? I put all my things that I want hid in my file container.

Riggs - April 2, 2017, 4:06 pm

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I have a dedicated ssd for system boot up. I don't understand all these different partitions it gives me. Like how do I identify which is which

Cyber Coder - April 2, 2017, 11:30 pm

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SIM-2053312 - April 3, 2017, 1:38 pm

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Zexus99 - April 4, 2017, 6:37 am

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