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Thread: [TrueCrypt Alternative](#)

Triops - March 29, 2018, 9:46 am

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Cyber Coder - March 29, 2018, 9:51 am

vera crypt obviously

Sheeple - March 29, 2018, 10:12 am

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bodhii - April 25, 2018, 3:24 am

encrypt on click....is good in my opinion..u can ecrypt evertinhng and also use delete on crypt so its not able to be recovered from the hard drive...i dont know if is better than truecrypt...but u can give it a try

Exodus - April 25, 2018, 3:43 am

VeraCrypt

[25 characters blah]

Kythx - July 3, 2019, 12:19 am

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I will expand on what i said previously Veracrypt is a really good option due to many things for example if i am not mistaken then it is based on the Truecrypt source code and is completely free and open source

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I agree with this however i would add stay away from anything MicroSoft based

SUI-3183372 - July 3, 2019, 12:24 am

<https://veracrypt.fr/>

However if you want to encrypt partitions with pre-existing data, you may have better luck with:
https://diskcryptor.net/wiki/Main_Page

gurlhackerclub - July 4, 2019, 1:34 am

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well, theoretically if you choose to export your backup locally and not on your microsoft account you should be safe, even safer if you dont have any microsoft account linked to your windows which will make it harder to identify you

on the other side, on that incident with apple refusing to decrypt an iphone for the feds, bill gates stated that apple should allow them access which makes it plausible for microsoft to implement a backdoor in bitlocker like a master password that can decrypt anything but if they did this what is stopping them to backdoor the whole operating system itself?

so is it safe to use bitlocker?depends from who you are trying to hide your data
if you are paranoid enough you could always have your date in a vera crypt volume inside a bitlocker partition