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Operating Systems I Have Used

1. **Microsoft Windows**

Windows is the operating system I have used for almost my entire life. As a result, it is the most familiar to me.

Advantages:

1. Affordable computers (Usually more affordable than Macintosh computers)
2. Ubiquity (the most common OS in the world)
3. Endless library of software

Disadvantages:

1. Virus are more common for Windows (Since there are more of them)
2. Compatibility with older software/games (Especially a problem with Windows 10)
3. Microsoft’s handling of Windows 10 (e.g. Advertisements in start menu, computer manufacturer’s bloatware, constant push for Microsoft’s applications)
4. **Apple iOS**

Recently, I have transitioned over to iOS from Android. Despite my familiarity with Android, I prefer iOS for its streamlined user-interface, and software support.

Advantages:

1. Very user-friendly interface (Easy for anyone to navigate)
2. Excellent software support (Guaranteed updates for 5 years or more)
3. Better integration with Apple’s ecosystem (Macintosh computers, Airdrop, Apple TV)

Disadvantages:

1. Far less customizable (Widgets were just introduced, a decade after Android)
2. Restrictive file management (You must use iTunes or iCloud to load files, videos, and photos onto the device)
3. Less available apps (Many apps that exist for Android are simply not available for iOS)

