

Collaborative Discussion 1 – Received Response – Beran Necat

Hi Michael,

Informative post.

In addition physical security is often overlooked. It can be a good idea to physically lock dvd-drives, usb ports as well as to disable start-up from a cd or usb-stick in the bios.

However, if the attacker is really dedicated he could remove the bios battery and force a hard-reset of the bios to the standard password. What would be a good mitigation strategy against this?

Locking a laptop away would defeat the purpose of a mobile device.

Regards, Beran