Apple Encryption Engineers, if Ordered to Unlock iPhone, Might Resist



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Apple employees are already discussing what they will do if ordered to help law enforcement authorities. Some say they may balk at the work, while others may even quit their high-paying jobs rather than undermine the security of the software they have already created, according to more than a half-dozen current and former Apple employees. Among those interviewed were Apple engineers who are involved in the development of mobile products and security, as well as former security engineers and executives. The potential resistance adds a wrinkle to a very public fight between Apple, the world's most valuable company, and the authorities over access to an iPhone used by one of the attackers in the December mass killing in San Bernardino, Calif.

With "Smog Jog" Through Beijing, Zuckerberg Stirs Debate on Air Pollution



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In a Friday morning post, Facebook's cofounder and chief executive, Mark Zuckerberg, announced his arrival in Beijing with a blithe message about what must have been a dizzying jog through the center of China's capital, which has been suffering from a weeklong bout of hazardous air pollution.

Instagram May Change Your Feed, Personalizing It With an Algorithm



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That could mean that if your best friend posted a photo of her new Bernese mountain dog's puppies five hours ago while you were on a flight without Internet connectivity, Instagram might place that image at the top of your feed the next time you open the app. Based on your history of interaction with that friend, Instagram knows you probably would not want to miss that picture.