

Android hacking and protective measures

Mobile device users outnumber desktop users. This trend is likely to continue. In order to stay connected to your target groups, it is important to have a mobile presence. Not only through a mobile customized website, but in a lot of cases also through a customized mobile app. Many mobile applications are mainly focused on functionality, but fail to include specific security building requirements. Ivan will demonstrate some common Android hacks and the requirements that help mitigate the vulnerabilities.



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