



UK Government Seeks Access to Apple Encrypted User Data

Description

The UK government wants to see data stored by Apple users, but Apple won't let them. The government asked under a law called the Investigatory Powers Act. Apple says privacy is very important. The demand is about data protected with strong encryption. Only the user can see this data. The government would only access it if there is a national security risk. Apple might stop offering this service in the UK instead of giving in to the demand. This has happened before in the US. Both the UK and US governments have struggled to get tech companies to compromise on encryption. Privacy groups worry that giving in to these demands will hurt everyone's privacy, not just criminals'. It's a tough balance between security and privacy. The government needs to think carefully about the consequences.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Encryption** /ɪn'krɪptʃən/ (noun): The process of converting information into a code to prevent unauthorized access.
2. **Compromise** /'kɒmprəmaɪz/ (verb): To settle a dispute by mutual concession.
3. **Consequences** /'kɒn.sɪ.kwəns/ (noun): The result or effect of an action or condition.
4. **Privacy** /'prɪvəsi/ (noun): The state of being free from public attention or unsolicited intrusion.
5. **Demand** /dɪ'mænd/ (noun): An insistent and peremptory request made by someone.
6. **Security** /sɪ'kjʊə.rɪ.ti/ (noun): The state of being free from danger or threat.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What are costs that a company incurs to generate revenue known as?
Option: Assets
Option: Liabilities
Option: Expenses
Option: Income
2. What process involves converting information into a code to prevent unauthorized access?
Option: Encoding
Option: Decoding
Option: Encryption



Option: Decryption

3. Which term refers to the efficiency of production or performance in a given period of time?

- Option: Profitability
- Option: Efficiency
- Option: Productivity
- Option: Sustainability

4. What is the way in which a living organism or person acts or conducts oneself?

- Option: Personality
- Option: Intelligence
- Option: Behavior
- Option: Emotion

5. What is the state of being free from public attention or observation?

- Option: Security
- Option: Anonymity
- Option: Privacy
- Option: Exposure

6. Which term refers to the state of not being easily moved or changed?

- Option: Flexibility
- Option: Adaptability
- Option: Stability
- Option: Variability

7. What is the process of taking care of one's appearance especially to look well-groomed?

- Option: Hygiene
- Option: Grooming
- Option: Cleaning
- Option: Dressing

8. What are groups of people working together in a structured way for a common purpose called?

- Option: Societies
- Option: Associations
- Option: Firms
- Option: Organizations

9. What occurs when the number of existing human population exceeds the carrying capacity of Earth?



- Option: Overgrowth
- Option: Overpopulation
- Option: Overcrowding
- Option: Overdensity

10. What is a machine capable of carrying out a complex series of actions automatically?

- Option: Droid
- Option: Automaton
- Option: Robot
- Option: Android

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

- 11. He always pursues his goals _____ to achieve success.
- 12. She is struggling to recover _____ after the unexpected expenses.
- 13. In any negotiation both parties may need to _____ to reach an agreement.
- 14. Being _____ in your approach allows you to adapt to changing circumstances.
- 15. The user was denied access to the system due to _____ login attempts.
- 16. To be successful in this role you must be highly _____ in your work.
- 17. The construction company ordered quality _____ for the new building project.
- 18. Every action has its own set of _____ so it's important to choose wisely.
- 19. The charity _____ raised a significant amount of money for the cause.
- 20. A customer satisfaction _____ showed areas for improvement in service.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. Social beings require opportunities to connect and with one another.
22. With dedication and hard work individuals can unlock their true for success.
23. The firefighters the family from the burning building just in time.



24. Ensuring the of customer data is a top priority for online businesses.
25. To maximize productivity it's crucial to streamline processes and be highly in tasks.
26. Adapting to changing circumstances requires a approach to problem-solving.
27. The artist painted a beautiful portrait of the majestic mountain .
28. The grand opening featured music food and entertainment for all attendees.
29. After years apart the long-lost siblings were finally and celebrated their reunion.
30. The popular product experienced a surge in due to its innovative features.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Expenses 2. Encryption 3. Productivity 4. Behavior 5. Privacy 6. Stability 7. Grooming
8. Organizations 9. Overpopulation 10. Robot

Gap-Fill: 11. Aggressively 12. Financially 13. Compromise 14. Flexible 15. Unauthorized 16. Efficient
17. Materials 18. Consequences 19. Event 20. Survey

Matching sentence: 1. Interact 2. Potential 3. Rescued 4. Security 5. Efficient 6. Flexible 7. Landscape 8. Event
9. Reunited 10. Demand

CATEGORY

1. Sci/Tech - LEVEL2

Date Created

2025/02/08

Author

aimeeyoung99