

Privileges

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Privileges in the context of computer security, are the concept of only allowing users to do certain things. For example, an ordinary user is typically prevented from changing [operating system](#) files, while a system administrator is typically permitted to do so, because this is part of maintaining a computer system. Maintaining user privilege is typically accomplished through the use of administrative accounts, file permissions and [Access Control List \(ACL\)](#).

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