

2.2.5 Passwords to protect Computers

You have a key to open the main door of your house, right? There is a key to home security

Such a computer needs physical as well as logical protection



Password

The password that can be given to the computer to protect the information stored in the computer from being accessed by outsiders is called the "password".

Access to the computer is allowed only when the password is correct.



1. Why give a computer a password?
2. What are the possible problems of not providing a password?