

## Re: Question about securelevel

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On Feb 11, 2004, at 8:12 AM, [roberto@redix.it](mailto:roberto@redix.it) wrote:

> *Could this configuration be considered secure, according to you?*

There's no way to determine that without some consideration of the threats you are facing. Security considerations against simple attacks (e.g., kiddies) are a lot different than considerations against industrial espionage, against discovery by the secret police, and against very smart government spies.

What are you protecting? From whom? At what cost?

--Jim

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