

How China's Devastating Microsoft Hack Puts Us All at Risk

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The new battlefield, with its potential for attacks on power grids, hospitals, and sensitive facilities like nuclear power plants, puts entire populations in significant danger.



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