

I think we all have the right to customize our own devices for our personal use, adapt them to use in projects. Also we should have the option to buy/sell apps from alternative sources, as Apple has clearly created an illegal monopoly by creating a platform for 3rd party (not apple) to make and sell apps for their operating system, but then restricting these third party app developers to only being able to sell through them. What if Microsoft said no one can sell software for windows other than through them, you couldn't go to the store and buy them, couldn't download them from other sites?

If you really look at, that is EXACTLY what Apple is doing, iOS is just a computer OS just like Windows, and Apple themselves encourage 3rd party developers, but they arbitrarily reject apps that they don't want to sell, OR THAT directly compete with their apps! Is that not EXACTLY the definition of a monopoly? Jailbreaking allows other avenues to buy legitimate apps that Apple rejects from their app store.

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