Vulnerable Mobile Devices Mobile devices are present in the cyber–environment of any company, be it on–premises or remote. Physical theft or misplacement is one of the most common issues regarding mobile devices. Another method hackers use to gain network access is creating lookalike apps that trick the user into disclosing private information. Thus, stealing such devices is, for an attacker, an open gate to accessing the network. Unfortunately, there are many ways in which laptops, smartphones and tablets can become a security risk. Employees connects their phones or tablets to the corporate network to access sensitive data.