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Subject: You're Downloading Communism  
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ToolstyleQuote:Pre-WW2 Germany and the USSR had a love-hate relationship. Their Political views were the same

WTF? Pre-WW2 Germany was a facist state (Extream Right), the USSR was a Communist state (Extrame Left) they were nothing alike Stalin and Hitler hated each other. The only reason they had an alliance was because Hitler didn't want to have to fight a war on 2 fronts like the Germans did in WW1 and Stalin felt he was being given the "short end of the stick" in having to fight half of Germany's far superior army with little or no help from Western Europe.

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If you take my post and the start of Laeubi's post you will see that you are wrong. A welfare state does not mean Marxism, Hitler set up parts of a welfare state yet he was facist. America has a welfare state, does that mean is't Socialist?

OK, well "love-hate" was perhaps the wrong phrase to use.

The real only differences between Fascism and Communism is their Economic policies, and the political decisions based around that aspect; and the idea of making people equal. Both styles offered NO political freedom.s whatsoever. There was ONE ruler (1 individual or 1 group), where the average person had no say in how the country was run. As I stated, the political views were the same (notice how they both oppose any type of democracy, that is what the cold war was about you know...), but the economic views were different; to the point of them dispising each other because of that.

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