
Subject: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 12:00:16 GMT

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Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [zunnie](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 12:01:22 GMT

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looks like it..

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 12:07:27 GMT

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jesus fuck how is it even possible to have so much downtime on what's a modified IRC server

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 15:06:07 GMT

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10 cookies says it's related to storm and wilofag... awfully convenient timing isn't it?

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 15:13:01 GMT

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Why don't you guys gather enough evidence and call the FBI? Tell them your being ddos'd by some script kiddie.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 15:38:17 GMT

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danpaul88 wrote on Tue, 06 March 2012 08:0610 cookies says it's related to storm and wilofag... awfully convenient timing isn't it?

Could very well be.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 15:57:52 GMT
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halo2pac wrote on Tue, 06 March 2012 10:13 Why don't you guys gather enough evidence and call the FBI? Tell them your being ddos'd by some script kiddie.

People have already taken care of that. Also, it's DDoSed... Not "ddos'd".

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 16:01:14 GMT
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strike-team.net is down too, what the fuck is going on?

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 16:52:58 GMT
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So it seems...

Hope we can get an update from Olaf or w/e

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [braner101](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:01:15 GMT
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should create some backup wol ;o so can connect to it with wolproxy ;o

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:06:29 GMT
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That's because they run the site on the same box as xwis (however improbable that may seem to you).

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [TORN](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:08:34 GMT
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Saw Olaf on the forums earlier, but he didn't post to let us know anything.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:09:08 GMT
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NeoGrant was on too.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Xpert](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:21:48 GMT
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Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 19:59:44 GMT
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Yes, it's down

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 20:13:43 GMT
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Olaf van der Spek wrote on Tue, 06 March 2012 20:59 Yes, it's down
Very informative. Thank you very much

On a more serious note, no details available as to why it is down?

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Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 20:29:07 GMT
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This.

Oh cool Olaf responded but didn't say why it's down.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Ani](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 20:29:49 GMT
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Xpert; I don't know if it's on your side but AX-IRC has been lagging me out a lot (and others it seems as well..)

Olaf; you're a herb.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 20:44:03 GMT
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Thx

No, no why yet. But we hope to have it back up ASAP.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 20:45:10 GMT
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Okay, thanks.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 21:41:23 GMT
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http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W8_Kfjo3VjU

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [CVN71HT2](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 21:52:43 GMT
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Awesome

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Xpert](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 22:46:46 GMT

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halo2pac wrote on Tue, 06 March 2012 16:41 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W8_Kfjo3VjU

LOL I remember this!

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Tue, 06 Mar 2012 23:07:55 GMT

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They did post on their Facebook fan page.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Gen_Blacky](#) on Wed, 07 Mar 2012 00:25:44 GMT

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halo2pac wrote on Tue, 06 March 2012 14:41 http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W8_Kfjo3VjU

Omg that is awesome I cant believe I never seen that. I can relate to that.

haha

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 07 Mar 2012 01:26:45 GMT

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I patched Roleplay 2 Servers since they don't use XWIS and its annoying to have our servers down.

Have fun with your outage guys.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [TORN](#) on Wed, 07 Mar 2012 03:57:25 GMT

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Any more info anyone can give on this?

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [CVN71HT2](#) on Wed, 07 Mar 2012 15:34:36 GMT
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It's up.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [zunnie](#) on Sat, 31 Mar 2012 23:54:08 GMT
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its down again

Subject: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 00:02:20 GMT
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Why?

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [ehhh](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 01:18:11 GMT
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april fools

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 03:58:18 GMT
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it's still down

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 06:13:40 GMT
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Down again..... Just give me the word, I can have a replica XWIS server up in a week to replace the current one. And I will have it on a box that will never be down. I run my own replica for a few friends and for testing a bunch of my own stuff.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [FlaminGunz](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 07:31:39 GMT

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just trying to live up to their reputation, not fucking hard!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [reckneya](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 09:38:28 GMT

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Don't forget XWIS is a free service. I and everyone can use it and not pay a dime for it. Bitching is the easy way (and free too) but not very thankful.

That being said, I hope Olaf, or another person from XWIS will give us a some information on the down time, like how, or how long. I understand if it's just a few minutes, or maybe an hour or so, they don't. But, like last time, the down time is considerable this time. It's not good for the game.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ani](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 12:46:11 GMT

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Rumors are XWIS got DDoS'd... (More on this rumor claims a member of St0rm is doing it)

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 13:33:50 GMT

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Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 13:35:33 GMT

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Yeah we definitely should have the community run our own XWIS clone for 5\$ a month or so.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Reaver11](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 14:25:36 GMT

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I have to admit that I'm not an expert on the Xwis subject.

However I think it should be possible that the Renfds will keep running when Xwis is offline example a dualconnection or autoswitch to Gamespy (Still outputting a warning that Xwis is offline and cant connect however / checking every 5 min)

Without the need to switch to gamespy and manual check when Xwis is back online.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [reckneya](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 14:37:36 GMT

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How about the situation how it is now but then the other way around; host on gamespy, but also broadcast to XWIS. That would stop the FDS from crashing when XWIS goes down.

As for hosting our own XWIS; there is multiple reasons that I see to not desire that, the most important being that XWIS made legal agreements about it with EA games. The users of XWIS connect through it by a license from EA games. If we are to host our own XWIS we would not get the users, obviously. And why would we want to host our own XWIS if we can't get the users? And even so, it would not be prone to attacks/errors and (most importantly) rene drama. There would be no benefits to this idea, even more considering there is also gamespy, which is much less receptive for above listed destructive factors. But let's say we work that all out legally, who would host it? XWIS to me seems a very neutral host, and reasonable people will agree that neutrality is in danger when someone within the renegade community would host XWIS from now on.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 15:30:49 GMT

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BHS already controls the Renegade part of XWIS pretty much. Hosting in GameSpy mode isn't that smart as the FDS has special exceptions for GameSpy mode and that might cause unforeseen issues. I think putting the FDS in LAN mode with some third party software to broadcast to GSA should work just fine. If someone would write third party software to connect to a WOL master server and handle everything that would be great, the FDS shuts down around 30 seconds after loading a level if it isn't connected to WOL anymore in WOL mode (with a sound of the Commando saying "real tough guy" being played and an admin message shown telling that the server shut down).

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 15:50:15 GMT
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Maybe I'm wrong, but last I heard LAN mode is just as broken as you claim GSA to be.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 17:21:57 GMT
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I heard the kick and ban console commands don't work properly if the server isn't running 4.0 (which is easy to fix by replacing the console commands) other than that I don't know of any issues, but then again I've never seen a server online running in LAN mode so I'm not sure.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 17:36:20 GMT
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is not possible to join over internet a server running lan mode.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 17:46:57 GMT
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Yes it is.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Ani](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 18:25:18 GMT
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Using Hamachi for instance, allows you to play "LAN" over the internet... It's all simulated.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 18:37:31 GMT

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Where can I get in touch with Olaf? This is ridiculous. He needs to be more involved in this community.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:21:58 GMT

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someone ran the idea of st0rm being behind it

that wouldn't at all surprise me

"If we can't play on XWIS then NO ONE CAN!"

they don't realize that what happened to them happened because of flooding and other childish actions

their refusal to part with the childish individual was what kept the ban in place

now, quite surprisingly, a retaliation of *you guessed it* more flooding is their answer to being banned for flooding

someone somewhere feels like a knight in shining armor right now, but they either don't understand or care that their cause is the wrong one

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ani](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:27:21 GMT

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I only mentioned it because i'm a full moderator over at Atomix and Xpert said "XWIS got DDoS'd - probably that one guy from st0rm who said he'll bring down Renegade to it's knees"

Needless to say, i'm a bit disappointed in how long XWIS has been down. It also seems to be happening a lot more often.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:27:55 GMT

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for all i know Olaf is moving servers or something, or just has a strange sense of humor and this is an April Fool's joke

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ani](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:30:38 GMT

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If this was an April Fools joke, I say we put up a petition to allow someone else run XWIS.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [TankClash](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:39:50 GMT

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It is still the first of April, take nobody words seriously.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 19:41:04 GMT

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i don't

Olaf has done a nearly flawless job of it for years now, and people are far too quick to criticize him whenever something happens

i don't think it's an April Fool's joke by him (more likely it's by Wilo or another st0rm member that incorrectly feels it's justified)

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 20:37:49 GMT

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Animoskity wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 05:46Rumors are XWIS got DDoS'd... (More on this rumor claims a member of St0rm is doing it)

The "LAN" mode allows players to join over the Internet for some reason.

The downtime for XWIS is just ridiculous, when was the last time the GameSpy master list was down?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Xpert](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 20:58:45 GMT

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iRANian wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 16:37when was the last time the GameSpy master list was down?

Last month for 6hours ;o

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Jamie or NuneGa](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 21:27:44 GMT

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Animoskity wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 20:27 because i'm a full moderator over at Atomix

I am so glad you are here for us in this painful time

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 22:52:43 GMT

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The reason is not that weird. It assumes that if you don't know the IP and port, you won't join.

There are some IP ranges reserved for lan, but if you want, you could even use IP's like 1.1.1.1 in your LAN. Hence, it can't filter on IP's for lan more

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandan](#) on Sun, 01 Apr 2012 23:40:54 GMT

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**** Fixed for the most part ****

iRANian wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 08:30If someone would write third party software to connect to a WOL master server and handle everything that would be great

I actually made a backup XWIS server for Roleplay 2 so when XWIS does go down it does not affect our operations. Its actually very easy for any mildly skilled programmer to make a fake xwis server that renegade will accept. I wrote a documentary on the roleplay 2 forums on how to do it but Jerad deleted it and never made a backup copy of it.

I was able to contact one of my servers to get the source code. Heres an XWIS Emulator that will allow your FDS to start and load along with accepting connections from a IP Address and port (unlike lan, gamespy).

XWIS Server Emulator (ALPHA)

<http://brandanlasley.com/releases/WOL/XWIS%20Server%20Emulator.zip>

This is the first public test of this application and I would like to know the results from it. It may or may not work since its still a unstable version. Please note that this is not a WOLProxy as soon as

XWIS Resumes operations in order to be listed once again on XWIS you have to close the application this will not transmit FDS code to XWIS!

Directions:

1. Close FDS
2. Extract application anywhere.
3. Open application
4. Run FDS

Not tested on 4.0!

(on some computers you may need to make sure that hosts file has write access and you run the program as administrator!)

It should be ever server owners right to enjoy free uninterrupted XWIS service.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Speedy059](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 05:06:19 GMT

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How would you get new players to join the new XWIS? Or would they be joining the old? Not sure how it works, but if it involves splitting the community then don't do it. Not that many players look at these forums and wont know what settings they need to join any new XWIS's.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 05:58:58 GMT

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Can be easily done, but you're right about splitting the community in two. I already made a replica of the xwis server (posted in other thread) and I've studied xwis for 2 years and pretty much have it covered if anyone needs help just ask.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 06:31:29 GMT

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It's just a way to join a server. All xwis clones could just fill up the same servers.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 07:19:43 GMT

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why are two posts about same thing?

xwis didn't payed the bills or what? they moving again?
ren and other wol games losing players.
they could just tell us 'our servers have blabla' or just 'we are down.. we will be back soon'.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 07:48:08 GMT
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Goztow wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 23:31It's just a way to join a server. All xwis clones could just fill up the same servers.

Doesnt make sense, but what I think you're trying to say is it wont have the same function as XWIS. I guess later on ill make a backup XWIS server (like WOLProxy) that has a modified WOLAPI.dll so when you lose connection to XWIS it will drop FDS and the Renegade Client on to a backup XWIS until normal XWIS is restored. But this server would have to be hosted on a dedicated server with a dedicated ip.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 08:04:40 GMT
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It should be possible to do this easier. Since it's IRC, it would be possible to make the Ren servers connect to a different IRC/WOLAPI server which then could be linked to the real XWIS server. Advantage of this would be that it is unlikely that both would go down without notice and thus that the servers could stay up in XWIS mode.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Dethdeath](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 11:31:38 GMT
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Brandon wrote on Mon, 02 April 2012 07:58I've studied xwis for 2 years and pretty much have it covered if anyone needs help just ask.
How can you "study" XWIS for 2 years and still make mistakes like "Winodws" "Westwod". This would make me think there are a lot of mistakes in the rest of your code as well.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 11:56:54 GMT
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He must be using a shitty compiler if it doesn't catch syntax errors then.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

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Or paid more attention to the rest of the code in general. The Westwood and spelling errors were done by my laziness and poorly using the "replace all" and made a typo. I believe I fixed those issues that picture was from half a year ago I didn't want to upload another one. Yes, it's also poorly coded and doesn't meet my quality control checks but it works just fine on our servers and I felt that it worked good enough to help other people

Taking the time to reread 5000 lines of code and GUI code each time I publish it doesn't sound fun. It was a rush job yes I agree on that.
~ iPhone

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 15:33:59 GMT
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reckneya wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 02:38 Don't forget XWIS is a free service. I and everyone can use it and not pay a dime for it.
Xwis is *NOT* a free service. To play on it you need valid serials that you have paid for or an Xwis account that they sell for a ridiculous 10 €.

Animoskity wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 05:46 Rumors are XWIS got DDoS'd... (More on this rumor claims a member of St0rm is doing it)
Appears like it. The server is actually up but a SYN is answered with RST-ACK. Whoever is doing it is doing a damn fine job so far.

YesNoMayb wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 11:37 Where can I get in touch with Olaf? This is ridiculous. He needs to be more involved in this community.
He only cares about the money not the community. If you really want to waste your time then mail him at olafvdspek@gmail.com. He will read and if you're lucky he'll also reply with a one-liner, you can send him some nice regards from myself too.

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VB.NET apps are hardly closed source. Stuff seems legit though, good job. Alternatives to Xwis are always welcome.

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you compare a false-ban that you once experienced on some obscure server to this situation?
that's horribly inaccurate, at best

Wilost0rm was flooding and crashing other servers multiple times a day for literally months on end, non-stop

the only server that still filled up on a daily basis was his main target, and his goal was to get all of those players to join his server; this game is over 10 years old now, and terrorism of that magnitude isn't good for Renegade as a whole

once it was determined that it was indeed him both he and his servers were banned

it was made clear that if he was removed from the st0rm picture that st0rm would be allowed back on and everything would be fine

the fact that he did not offer to step down shows how much both he cares about Renegade

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Port 4003 does the actual xwis work.

It replies to the FDS requests makes and over all tries to make FDS happy with not running on XWIS. If the hosts file doesn't work I can always send to a modified WOLAPI.dll

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Ping response time would be affected by a ddos of any kind. A good ddos would take down the entire server to prevent the administrator from blocking the attack in general. Is it a ddos or just a dos then XWIS server is shit.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Jamie or NuneGa](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 16:19:53 GMT

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Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 16:26:27 GMT

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If any server is using RR and my program it should still populate a list gamespy as well for the xwis servers with gamespy program things.

Subject: Re: Is XWIS down again?

Posted by [Brandan](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 16:43:46 GMT

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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Mon, 02 April 2012 01:04It should be possible to do this easier. Since it's IRC, it would be possible to make the Ren servers connect to a different IRC/WOLAPI server which then could be linked to the real XWIS server. Advantage of this would be that it is unlikely that both would go down without notice and thus that the servers could stay up in XWIS mode. It's not just a IRC server a little bit more complex bit you're right you could just link them or have some DNS setting that shifts to another server if one of them fails. Pretty much summarized what I just said btw.

Can a mod merge both xwis down threads?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [reckneya](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 17:57:35 GMT

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Alex sounds like such a helpful guy. Alex, maybe you can help me out too. How do I add someone on my ignore listOHWAAIT nvm found it.

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So then get one? RenList is somewhere on here and is super useful.

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Posted by [TankClash](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 18:05:13 GMT

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You can use RenDirCon and find out the IP and port information for the servers you want by visiting their websites, they are bound to have the information in there, I know that n00bstories is up at the moment, possibly jelly's too.

<http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&goto=397626&rid=0>

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 18:19:25 GMT

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Anyone know if the actual XWIS program actually works, now that my network is online i can serve minor amount of XWIS server traffic if anyone needs some.

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Posted by [Sean](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 19:10:06 GMT

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Atomix doesn't seem to be affected too much by this problem as it runs on wolspy as well. Most of the mainstream servers are taking a real hit though. I know n00bstories has lost alot of players, not too sure how Jelly is coping... Let's hope Olaf fixes it sooner rather than later.

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Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 19:17:06 GMT

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Or you could just peruse the same forum section you posted in earlier.

<http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&th=38221&start=0&rid=4> 996

Why bother wasting time going to each website when that server listing is going to show the GSA servers?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 19:49:49 GMT

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jello: [15:57:16] <JellyMarathon> Gameinfo: (GSA) Map: C&C_Under.mix GDI: 8/50 players

n00b: [15:56:21] <phpRenBot> [08/50|Under]

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [TankClash](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 20:09:09 GMT

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Because some people don't use gayspy arcade..

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 20:16:04 GMT

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well thats a suprise, it was dead last night though, but alot of people use renlist.

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Dynamic or DNS pools take seconds.

Sounds like a hell of a better way than to just be down for 4 days until xwis is fixed.

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Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Mon, 02 Apr 2012 22:40:55 GMT

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 00:01:43 GMT

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Some networks have outstanding ddos protection. Facebook is one of them but they also have a shit ton more server than we do. Google is unddosable. More servers = slightly harder to ddos and would weaken the attack any good network administrator could stop a ddos also.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ani](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 00:18:58 GMT

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Posted by [Brandon](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 01:47:57 GMT

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That would mean that they are a terrible service even I keep backups of my entire server (20 GB) every week and MYSQL database dumps.

Being totally wiped and cannot recover tells you that there is some terrible server administrator!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 04:04:22 GMT

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Someone needs to be schooled in network administration seriously.. XWIS has been down for HOW MANY DAYS??

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Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 06:04:09 GMT

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they are afraid of telling what happens?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [marsh](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 06:16:19 GMT

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ohhh herbert, i'm sure THEY are doing a wonderful job. i see that xwis has been down a day or so now, you know loafy has probably given up.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 06:21:25 GMT
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They're *

(dick move, but funnyishism)

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Speedy059](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 08:41:16 GMT
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It would be ridiculous to think they don't have any backups. If they don't have any backups of this XWIS infrastructure, they should have never been entrusted with it as they are inexperienced. Any system administrator would know that you have to have some backups off-site that are not accessible in the event you are hacked or have hardware failure.

If it's not important to them anymore, then some other consortium should be in charge of XWIS.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [zunnie](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 09:51:20 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [FlaminGunz](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 10:00:33 GMT
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incompetency is the new thing....oh wait, its always been their thing

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Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 10:03:54 GMT
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And how would that be good for anyone? If they wanted to shutdown then it would've been helpful for the Renegade community to have a prior notice. This way we could've gone to EA and set up an alternative.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 14:53:06 GMT

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Interesting how I saw that Olaf was watching at these forums (even this topic if I recall correctly) and he didn't made a post...

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His mod is "dead" these days just like the rest.

Get off of his ass cheater boy. He might have a legit reason for being mad. It is a highly odd comment coming from him, he puts more time into renegade(and related games) than any cocksucker on here(just to see them burn).

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [havoc9826](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 16:22:14 GMT

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Erell on the Jelly forums <https://www.facebook.com/xwisonline>

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XWIS-Strike-Team shared a link.

Yesterday

Apologies for the continued downtime, this is currently out of our hands but we are doing all we can do to restore services quickly as possible.

Until then, we have some awesome playlists to be watching from our YouTube channel.

<http://www.youtube.com/user/CnCRedAlert2/videos?view=1>

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Imao ok cheater, be a faggot and see how many people care

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similar to st0rm huh?

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it's probably a good thing these people became keyboard warriors instead of religious fanatics; they would likely kill many people, but instead they're just inconveniencing a few thousand on the internet

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 18:35:56 GMT

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yeah but religious fanatics are actually funny so i dont give a shit if people die

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i hope they will be back and with better services

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I haven't been around for almost 1.5 years. So why would I do this just now?

I have never dodged any game ban or ever cheated for that matter. I was banned for an IRC relay that went wrong. Yes, I did release a cheat since everyone was cheating anyway and you were happy enough to use it, hypocrite.

You're a fucking moron if you think I would do something like that as you are a fucking moron for believeing I've been playing over the past year. So get off my ass and the drugs you seem to be on, cheater boy. I have a legit reason for disliking Xwis as many others do. I've put more work into making Xwis a better place than any other cocksucker from strike-team.

liquidv2 wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 10:54

why would he go through all the trouble? does he want to be #1 but sucks too bad to reach it without cheating?

For as little as I played I have several rank #1s attained without any cheating. I've always helped players on Xwis and helped making it a better place. I have many game recordings and still upload them to YouTube whenever I feel like it: <http://www.youtube.com/user/AlexGoMAD/videos>

It's just fucking ridiculous what people are accusing me of here, on MSN and on Skype. I'll just ignore/block/delete everyone with the audacity to come up with this stuff from now on.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 19:26:48 GMT

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why do they all believe you tampered with the ladder and whatnot?

Subject: Re: XWIS DROWNED

Posted by [TORN](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 19:33:10 GMT

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I blame liquid.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [marsh](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 19:34:13 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:13:04 GMT

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marsh wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 14:34

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Exactly. Some random dude just shows up bitching about XWIS that nobody's ever even heard of? I wonder why someone would do such a thing. And lol at you've never cheated, but you made cheats. It makes sense if you don't think about it too much I suppose.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Ani](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:18:11 GMT
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To me it just sounds like one guy (marsh) got butthurt after possibly losing to this guy and decided to blame him for bringing down XWIS...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [reckneya](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:23:06 GMT
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That guy is fishy indeed. Alex seems like the rapist who is visiting the crime scene to relive the power trip.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:30:38 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:38:16 GMT
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TORN wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 12:33I blame liquid.
Haha.

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Yeah, you're a fucking moron. Congratz.

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When have I ever once said anything like that?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Sean](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:46:31 GMT
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You may go fuck yourself as well.

XWIS is to be protected, not attacked like this, the child responsible should stop acting so immature.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:52:32 GMT
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if it were my call you'd be banned from it to help protect its users

for someone that cheats and lies about it as a moderator you seem to act like someone that cares about Renegade

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:53:27 GMT
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Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 20:56:23 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [TORN](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 21:46:10 GMT
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I'll shove a fucking pc up your ass.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [shaitan](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 22:25:14 GMT
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Sometimes you make me chuckle in RL, this is one of those times.
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pussy e-thug fuck.
I'll shove a fucking pc up your ass.
Buy me this and you can even pull my hair.
<http://www.newegg.com/Product/Product.aspx?Item=N82E16883227381>

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 22:27:47 GMT
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Yes, it's down again due to non-technical and silly reasons, but we'll be back.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 22:35:03 GMT
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thank you for the update

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [C4Smoke](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 22:49:27 GMT

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How did Alex and Marsh even find this forum?!?! wtf they don't even play this game?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [TankClash](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 23:33:25 GMT

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Glad to see you communicating with us again, Olaf van der Spek.

I'm pretty sure the reason why he hasn't commented on why its being down is because he doesn't want to get drawn into a mash fest of blames and name calling that has become the norm on these forums.

Maybe ask nicely and stop waving the pitchforks and torches, yall.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Major-Payne](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 23:50:21 GMT

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i love you so much

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 03 Apr 2012 23:51:34 GMT

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Or he could just make a post announcing XWIS is down and/or give an explanation why, and not doing it after it's been down for 4 days.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 00:02:57 GMT

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POsting the one sentence he posted now could've been done *slightly* earlier.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [tiberiansun](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 00:09:22 GMT

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Posted by [TankClash](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 00:16:49 GMT

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Get your two cents in yet? there's a pm function on these forums you know...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 00:18:53 GMT

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There's already an open-source working WOL clone too, although the coding quality for it isn't that high, it indeed isn't hard to write a clone.

But yeah I'd rather have the Renegade community itself host a clone so we might actually have advanced stuff like multiple servers serving traffic etc.

Not sure what all these Strike-Team forums retards are doing here...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 00:31:09 GMT

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tiberiansun wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 19:10words

GET THE FUCK OFF MY INTERNET

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [C4Smoke](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:11:08 GMT

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HOF

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:12:30 GMT

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Thanks for the update, Olaf. But it would be nice if you would've updated us earlier; preferably 3 days ago. If you're busy always busy, I understand.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Speedy059](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:38:32 GMT

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Umm...why not give it to someone else who is willing to do this...maybe even for free? Just because Olaf may not want to do it, doesn't mean there isn't 100 more people in line who would be willing to pay to support XWIS.

To Olaf - Can you maybe reach out to the C&C community and make a list of what you need to ensure XWIS has a contingency in place so that it can stay online? Maybe we could setup another hot-site to ensure it isn't offline for several days again? I'm sure if you made a list that would make XWIS more reliable, everyone would be on board and help out.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:41:42 GMT

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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 20:18 The WOL protocol isn't to hard to understand.

Rene-Buddy - Stickied to the parent forum of this post.

I'd update it with my code that allows you to direct-connect legitimately so it looks like your an actual XWIS player.. but I CBA since there is not enough players these days for the effort I would put into it.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:43:18 GMT

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Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:45:25 GMT

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Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 01:51:55 GMT

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Posted by [Ani](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 02:17:59 GMT

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I know haha, I just decided not to feed the troll

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [raven](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 02:25:39 GMT
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For the record, Ethenal is, indeed, blonde. Also an idiot.

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Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 02:28:37 GMT
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your very first post is a double post; wonderful

we're not all retarded; we just very much like our game and wish we could play it

Animoskity wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 14:30If this was an April Fools joke, I say we put up a petition to allow someone else run XWIS.

liquidv2 wrote on Sun, 01 April 2012 14:41i don't

Olaf has done a nearly flawless job of it for years now, and people are far too quick to criticize him whenever something happens

after playing Generals i think Tiberian Sun (and Firestorm) are way too slow-paced
i've been playing C&C shit since i was like 8 years old (way back in 1996) so i've been there the whole way

i even got most of the EA stuff, up to Red Alert 3

let's not talk about that though; it makes me far too angry

what makes you think TS is better than Renegade? did they release toys for that? are they anywhere near as cool as my super awesome MAMMOTH TANK?

i have a stealth tank and orca too

you can kindly suck my dick

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [BAGUETTE](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 02:41:41 GMT

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Looool whats with all the derp-tier people coming here from other games, and just flat out being idiots on their 1st post.

P.s renegade is bestest, why come to renegadeforums to say otherwise, homos.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 02:42:31 GMT

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i appreciate strategy games but Renegade is a game in its own genre
it's not simply a FPS; almost all FPS games are just death match style
it's a First Person Strategy game; it plays like a FPS for the most part but is team-based and set
up / laid out like a strategy game
damage ratios are similar, similar strategies are employable, etc.

the most popular server in Renegade has no time limit so it's even more like C&C 1 than a
standard timed server; you're doing the same thing basically, but from the ground rather than up
high

the multiplayer is (and always will be) fucking sick
i highly recommend you try it out when Olaf gets things working again

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [NACHO-ARG](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 03:12:27 GMT

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go play APB liquidv2, i heard it is like renegade but way better.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Wyld1USA](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 03:12:36 GMT

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OMG Liquid I want to come to your house and play toys!!!!

Yes I am jelus-o-ur-toys /me :cries:

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Starbuzz](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 03:14:15 GMT

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can't believe XWIS is still down...way to kill a game

liquidv2 wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 22:28did they release toys for that? are they anywhere near
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not exactly a toy but they did release pewter figurines of the Nod and GDI soldiers with the platinum editions of the game. This is my Nod soldier:

I don't think it is as super awesome as our MAMMOTH TANKS though...

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1) [Nod Soldier.JPG](#), downloaded 1081 times



Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 03:58:29 GMT

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i installed APB once

i ran for like 10 minutes with a rocket guy through the enemy base and eventually someone shot me

the next game i had a Tanya and 1-shot a couple people

it sucked; i uninstalled it and haven't played it since

that was at least 4 years ago

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 04:06:22 GMT

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XWIS is dead time to get the official server from EA and host it somewhere else instead of making clones because I suck at making my TCP server stable but I know how XWIS works.

R.I.P

XWIS

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Gen_Blacky](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 04:23:30 GMT

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Brandon wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 21:06 I suck at making my TCP server stable but I know how XWIS works.

You must have downs then. Just saying.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 07:51:42 GMT

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On Xwis.net now...

Quote:XWIS & Strike Team status

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Posted by [iRANian](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 07:56:25 GMT

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Look at those cool Renegade figures, and compare them to the shitty TS ones. Also compare the Renegade player count to the TS one.

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I can appreciate that it may have ruined your scheduled event but as liquid has said already, I don't think he is necessarily doing a bad job when it comes to operating XWIS, this isn't his fault, you can't blame him for being vulnerable to attacks, I'm pretty sure most of the communities here have been affected by attacks over the years and I guess now it is XWIS's turn, don't be so harsh on him.

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Posted by [iRANian](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 11:45:27 GMT

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Not really, they can update the DNS info for a few servers and run them off backups...which apparently don't even exist. Obviously those backups can be attacked too but that hasn't happened.

If you want to know how well XWIS managed the Renegade part of the network, try registering a new XWIS nick.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 11:57:34 GMT
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Guys, and girls, this is not related to any attacks.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Hypnos](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 12:11:15 GMT
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Olaf van der Spek wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 12:57Guys, and girls, this is not related to any attacks.

Then can you elaborate on what it is related to, to minimise speculation?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 12:16:59 GMT
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Olaf van der Spek wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 15:27Yes, it's down again due to non-technical and silly reasons, but we'll be back.
He made this post on the previous page (easy to miss).

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [reckneya](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 13:12:34 GMT
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So much speculation. I wish the communication from XWIS' end was better then it actually is now. A lot better. Sure I understand things can go wrong, but I wish that there was a post a lot sooner than now about what's going on.

On a different note; that tiberiansun guy is a complete moron. "Get a job?" It was not one of the renegade community people that posted that, but a troll from over at your island. And I request you go back to that island, cause obviously you can't even tell the difference between your own asshole and a hole in the ground, if that's what you conclude after reading what was said here, which means you're posts, no matter what the content is, will always translate "blablablabla" to

people that actually take the time to read and understand the cause and dynamics of a forum discussion.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Hypnos](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 14:26:47 GMT

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Didn't see that, nevertheless it's still a bit vague.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 14:27:31 GMT

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Posted by [TORN](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 14:39:38 GMT

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RACIST

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [nopol10](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 15:48:54 GMT

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RACIST

Completely UNACCEPTABLE.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 16:23:24 GMT
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Gen_Blacky wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 21:23 Brandon wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 21:06 I suck at making my TCP server stable but I know how XWIS works.

You must have downs then. Just saying.

Stable for public use a lot easier to debug on a local computer

Know how to fix it just a limited time to do it.

Wait I just remembered I can just use apache with port 4003 and 4005 and a php script wow im retarded.

I can do it once I get out of class

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Posted by [marsh](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 17:33:42 GMT
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lol i came to troll alex, which isn't a player of ra2 anymore, nor am i play sc2, your game is weak and can't compare to the server blizzard has

i guess you're the african country because renegade was always a shit game imo.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 17:39:24 GMT
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it would be nice if there were something to block all messages from Strike-Team community members, what kind of insult is "i guess you're the african country because renegade was always a shit game imo. "?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Speedy059](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 18:06:38 GMT
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It's crazy to see the social unrest that these games cause....lol

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 18:18:19 GMT

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Speedy059 wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 11:06It's crazy to see the social unrest that these games cause....lol

Grabs pitch fork.

Let's burn this place down!!!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 18:55:52 GMT

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Renegade is a hidden paradise

you're probably one of the refugees from one of the poor African nations that stumbled upon it by accident and didn't see it for what it really was

you have outsiders' eyes

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 18:58:58 GMT

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Being racist and a asshole is fun to the people who die everyday.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 18:59:31 GMT

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im not african

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [TankClash](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 19:00:24 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 19:02:03 GMT
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Hypnos wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 04:30Crimson wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 08:51This is pretty damn infuriating because we (n00bstories) had a huge event planned for today and now we can't do it.

I can appreciate that it may have ruined your scheduled event but as liquid has said already, I don't think he is necessarily doing a bad job when it comes to operating XWIS, this isn't his fault, you can't blame him for being vulnerable to attacks, I'm pretty sure most of the communities here have been affected by attacks over the years and I guess now it is XWIS's turn, don't be so harsh on him.

I'm not being harsh on him. I didn't insult Olaf or XWIS. I merely expressed my frustration at the inconvenient timing of the situation. I have not participated in the conversations about replacing XWIS. Olaf is doing a fine job.

Brandon wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 09:23Wait I just remembered I can just use apache with port 4003 and 4005 and a php script wow im retarded.

I can do it once I get out of class

LOL. Just LOL.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 20:00:44 GMT
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Hey that sure beats making a tcp server in vb, much rather do 10 lines of php

The programmer of wolproxy actually did everything correct except 1 thing he forgot the simplest process of xwis but did the hardest. He forgot to include the server list on 4005 if he did that it would work very well also. If someone knows mirc script.

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You are aware who made it right? Hint, it's she instead of he. Also, mirc is not a suitable platform for an entire XWIS replacement.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 20:24:14 GMT
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Actually fds just needs to connect to port 4005 say hi then it disconnects. It's not much stress on it at all not too much more code either.

Fds says one thing
Server says another thing
Fds disconnects and the cycle starts over once fds is restarted

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [TORN](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 20:50:25 GMT
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seems to be back up, though my server won't connect

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 20:53:13 GMT
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Brandon wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 13:58 Being racist and a asshole is fun to the people who die everyday.
i don't think i'm an asshole for not knowing the names of every country in Africa
i don't think that makes me a racist either
maybe you don't know what either of those words actually mean

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:12:40 GMT
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some mod please close this topic, goes nowhere and Xwis is back online.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:32:58 GMT
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XWIS & Strike Team status

Unfortunately XWIS and Strike Team are currently down but we hope to be back within a few days.

Olaf

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:35:39 GMT

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Brandan wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 00:32XWIS & Strike Team status

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Olaf

i talk about the XWIS IRC (WOL)

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Gen_Blacky](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:36:36 GMT

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server: xwis.net:4003 (82.139.85.101)

: 375 u :- Welcome to XWIS!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Dethdeath](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:43:55 GMT

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The XWIS IP seems to have changed from 88.198.24.17 to 82.139.85.101 which belongs to a different provider as well.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 21:52:46 GMT

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I didn't code WOLProxy. v00d00 did, but I made some significant improvements to it. What is the point of this other process you're talking about? WOLProxy works just fine the way it is...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 22:03:46 GMT

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Its about time! I was gettin' the shakes from not having my Renegade Fix.

I cant tell if

or Renegade more.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 22:16:02 GMT

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Now we wait till the community realizes that it's back on and the player count rises again.

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Wed, 04 Apr 2012 22:58:02 GMT

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WOLProxy doesn't work if the port 4005 server is down is the problem.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Kholdstare](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 02:00:23 GMT

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You are clearly retarded and trying to sound smart. Please stop posting, you have no idea how XWIS/WOL/FDS works.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 10:44:53 GMT

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you forgot

wait why is the :\mrgreen\ emoticon yellow if you type it out

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 14:54:49 GMT

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C4Smoke wrote on Tue, 03 April 2012 15:49How did Alex [...] don't even play this game? Doesn't matter. I've played Ren when I was 13. Although I've just been a member for a few days I've already made friends with puddles/fluids. So get off my back or he'll roll you over with his mammoth tank.

Dethdeath wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 14:43The XWIS IP seems to have changed from 88.198.24.17 to 82.139.85.101 which belongs to a different provider as well. Olaf appears to be hosting it from home, haha. The 88 server is some german datacentre not far from here.

Brandan wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 15:58port 4005 server
That thing is called "servserv".

HOF

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandan](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 14:57:41 GMT

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Thank you for your negative comment. XWIS is a very simple TCP/IP IRC-ish (not really irc protocol) service. FDS can run easily and its not that hard to understand.

Open wireshark.

tcp.port == 4003 open fds and boom you have everything the fds needs to run.

tcp.port == 4005 for the server list

Have a nice day douchebag.

~ Intel Programmer.

Quote:That thing is called "servserv".

HOF

Yeah I saw that in the WOLAPI.dll hex servserv.westwood.com;4005 but didn't exactly know that it was called servserv.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 15:20:00 GMT
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haha

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 16:13:09 GMT
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You guys are cool.

On another note, there's only five servers in the XWIS list for me.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ehhh](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 16:17:23 GMT
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That seems to be right, since theys only 5 active servers.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 16:19:17 GMT
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Same here, earlier today it showed the full list.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandan](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 16:30:14 GMT
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iRANian wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 09:19 Same here, earlier today it showed the full list.
Could be a DNS change slowly propagating across the Internet.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [C4Smoke](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 16:47:17 GMT

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Just crashed again...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Dethdeath](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 17:06:34 GMT

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The IP was changed again to 46.4.103.41

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 18:20:53 GMT

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Does he run a windows server or a Linux server anyone know?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandan](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 19:52:34 GMT

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It's up.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Sean](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 20:41:27 GMT

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Thankyou for bringing back XWIS.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 20:58:26 GMT

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Brandan wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 20:20Does he run a windows server or a Linux server anyone know?

He? He has a name.

```
$ telnet xwis.net 22
Trying 46.4.103.41...
Connected to xwis.net.
Escape character is '^]'.
SSH-2.0-OpenSSH_5.5p1 Debian-6+squeeze1
```

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:17:28 GMT
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Oh hey Olaf

What was the problem? Was it hardware/ISP or something along the lines of a hacker/dos/ddos?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:27:10 GMT
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Olaf van der Spek wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 00:27 Yes, it's down again due to non-technical and silly reasons, but we'll be back.
Olaf van der Spek wrote on Wed, 04 April 2012 13:57 Guys, and girls, this is not related to any attacks.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:31:17 GMT
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Ah I guess that's a good enough reason. Like a power failure or a ISP failure or the on button broke on the server ^^

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Posted by [Olaf van der Spek](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:34:25 GMT
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Brandon wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 23:31 Ah I guess that's a good enough reason. Like a power failure or a ISP failure or the on button broke on the server ^^
Those sound quite technical...

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:37:05 GMT
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Power failure isn't that technical.

I think of technical anything I can fix.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 21:43:54 GMT
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Silly you say? My guess would be you locked everybody out with a super-smart iptables entry considering <http://xwis.net/ra2/screenshots/> was spammed with porn just the day before this happened. Was it that? Hahaha, that'd be truly awesome.

If not it's probably very close. Ah, since the stuff seems to be running on a backup you must've trashed the system that day.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 22:47:38 GMT
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i wonder who would be mature enough to spam an anti-cheat measure with porn!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 22:52:32 GMT
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I doubt even Strike-Team would be dumb enough host their vulnerable automatic SS uploader image hosting server on the same one that XWIS uses.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Thu, 05 Apr 2012 23:09:51 GMT
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liquidv2 wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 17:47i wonder who would be mature enough to spam an anti-cheat measure with porn!
My money's on the newcomer

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Wyld1USA](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 03:06:30 GMT
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This is getting me all hot..

Oh and Olaf the double quote replies own lol

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 03:25:32 GMT
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it was a rhetorical question Ethenal

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 07:04:49 GMT
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Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 19:15:50 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 19:40:08 GMT
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autherzation of the user and I'm sure if you wanted to you could sue strike team for uploading personal Infomation even if it's a picture of a game and probably win.

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LOL.

Same I would think a Judge may throw the case out for being stupid but people have sued stupid stuff before and won so eh. But if you have evidence of a unauthorized screenshot that does break piracy law. It does also make scripts 4.0 classified as a malicious/spyware.

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Posted by [reckneya](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 20:48:14 GMT

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There's so many cheaky comments that would fit a reply to this, I can't decide which one is best. Please let me know your personal favorite.

Quote:

1. Hi and welcome to renegade, you must be new here.

Quote:2. Are you sure it's Renegade you've been playing these last couple of years?

Quote:3. You're right. The aim for TT should not be to stop cheaters. Pointless.

Quote:4. Good point. Just imagine if you lagged someone to prove or disprove they're cheating.

There's many more but I think I made my point.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 21:01:04 GMT

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iRANian wrote on Thu, 05 April 2012 15:52 I doubt even Strike-Team would be dumb enough host their vulnerable automatic SS uploader image hosting server on the same one that XWIS uses. How so? There's only one system running everything. For example crashing the RA2 results server takes it down for TS and YR as well. The protocols are basically the same for all games. So why have 15 apps when you can do it in three. And it's only vulnerable in the sense that anyone could upload any picture he wants to it, hence the porn.

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It's the same for all games. I think it's rather sad what they've done.

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No, there is no other reason. Also you can't even catch cheaters with it, considering you have to install it and it's not mandatory. Xwis has more than enough bandwidth. Using it is basically a way of saying "I'm not going to cheat (anymore)". Cheating had gone way out of hand since I've gotten banned.

And Olaf, could you please answer my questions or reply to the mail I sent you exactly a week ago? Thanks babe!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Major-Payne](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 21:28:27 GMT

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Wait.... WHAT?

Ren automatically uploads screenshots? In what manner? I run sensitive NDA data on my machine and its open sometimes I'm in game. I have a hug monitor setup and I run Ren in window mode... Does it take a full screen shot or just the DirectX screenshot????

It's for RA2...Olaf made an optional patch that randomly uploads screenshots of you playing the game online to XWIS, e.g. <http://xwis.net/ra2/games/2004/>

Scripts 4.0 server comes with a console command that will automatically make a screenshot for a 4.0 player and upload it to a site (PHP scripts actually) that the server owner provided with another console command.

What about my ahm... private skins. You know... those personal ones.....

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 21:38:33 GMT
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You answered your own question, you only need to take down one thing to take down everything, image uploading is really vulnerable even if you encrypt the images, putting the results server on the same box as the main "IRC" server too.

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Fri, 06 Apr 2012 21:50:51 GMT
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Fourth, PLEASE tell me you're trolling...

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Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 01:13:33 GMT

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So direct X only? Not full desktop? I'm not sueing anyone... but yes this is serious.

I could care less about an actual game screenshot, I don't cheat. I care about my full desktop.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 01:23:50 GMT

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Brandan wrote on Fri, 06 April 2012 15:15But if you have evidence of a unauthorized screenshot that does break piracy law.

wouldn't want XWIS being known as pirates now would we

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 02:09:49 GMT

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Was taking about the ra and strike team screen shot but yes if you have paid of very little bandwidth you'll be pissed if someone is wasting you money because they think you're cheating. Just because it's documented doesn't make it legal it's still unauthorized unless the user accepts a terms of service or has the ability to deny it.

* Fixed iPhone auto correct

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 03:06:27 GMT

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Brandan wrote on Fri, 06 April 2012 21:09~ Brandan Tyler Lasley

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 03:11:02 GMT

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LOL, chill Brandy. <_< It's your choice whether you download it or not. You're made aware of what it is and what it does. It basically hooks the screenshot function within the game and fires it every

so many frames. If you're a fair player there's no problem, if you're a cheater and can stop, well that's good for you but if you can't then just don't use it until there's a hack around it or roll your own, shouldn't be that hard.

Also as a private person you won't have any success suing a big-ass company like EA, they make sure anything they do stays legal with their EULAs and whatever. I mean they can fucking ban you for no reason from the services you have paid for and still win in court.

liquidv2 wrote on Fri, 06 April 2012 20:06
Brandan wrote on Fri, 06 April 2012 21:09~ Brandan
Tyler Lasley

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LMAO

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandan](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 04:07:40 GMT
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I know a person who sued EA for their SecuROM not being added into their EULA and won in a California court (Spores? I think it was called). Something about how someones DVD rom lit on fire because of it I dont exactly remember the reason behind it. Also in addition the person (you) wouldn't sue isn't EA because EA doesn't own TT/Stike Team uploader. Just saying people with low bandwidth would be very mad especially if they're paying for each megabyte they download. Probably if you care that much you could probably null the requests or hex edit if the game doesn't use checksums.

Theres actually several lawsuits that won for the spores DRM.

[https://www.google.com/search?btnG=1&pws=0&q=ea%10sued%10spores%10securo m](https://www.google.com/search?btnG=1&pws=0&q=ea%10sued%10spores%10securo+m)

Thanks also for taking the time to be extra creepy, its even direct from the Facebook server ^^.
Could have just gotten it from our project site <http://roleplay2.com>

(Personally I like the screenshot picture (server owner) it allows us to track bugs easier, would like it to notify the user of this illegal screen capture through)

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Aircraftkiller](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 04:51:26 GMT
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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 04:58:07 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ThisLittleGirl](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 05:04:20 GMT

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Everybody stop being so mean to Brandan, he just turned 17 two months ago!

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<https://www.google.com/search?btnG=1&pws=0&q=ea%10sued%10spores%10securo> m
We all know EA is a shit company but did you read it? It actually says that no legal action was taken.

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Stop with these posts though, it's not funny! xD

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 05:12:07 GMT

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Posted by [TankClash](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 05:34:55 GMT

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Posted by [Brandon](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 05:36:35 GMT

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No blazea doesn't sl anymore, now he's hooked on every other game he hasn't been able to play in the last 10 years.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 06:18:25 GMT
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I miss nes games.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 06:20:16 GMT
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Brandon wrote on Sat, 07 April 2012 00:18 I miss nes games.
Conker's bad fur day?

ah wait, that is n64 my bad.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 07:07:39 GMT
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Or Sega.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 11:14:01 GMT
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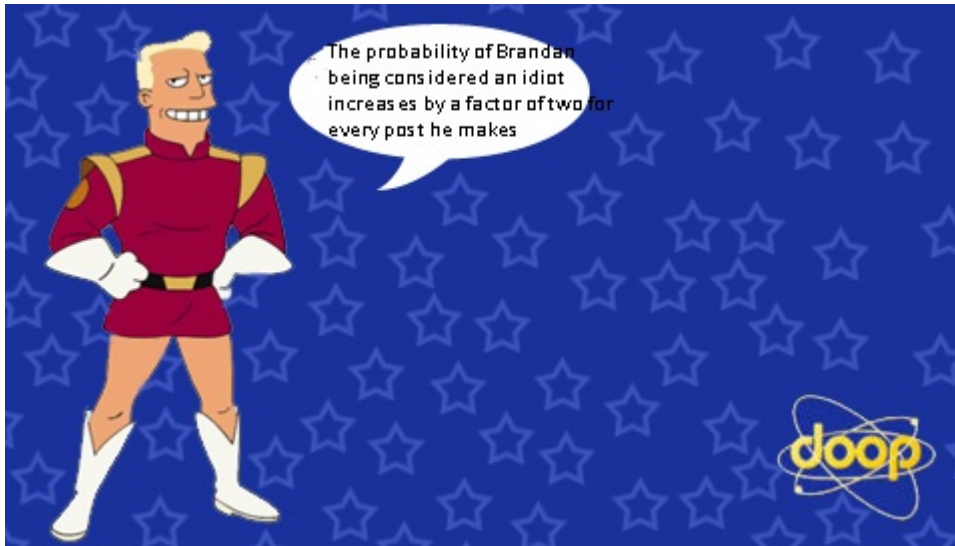
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Jamie or NuneGa](#) on Sat, 07 Apr 2012 11:33:27 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2012 03:48:12 GMT
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The Guy in your Tree wrote on Sat, 07 April 2012 04:33I now all I can think of is this...

That made the thread awesome.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Sean](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2012 17:24:00 GMT
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The topic has ran it's cause. Please lock?

Thanks again to Olaf for fixing XWIS in a timely manner.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandon](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2012 21:21:23 GMT
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Azazel wrote on Sun, 08 April 2012 10:24The topic has ran it's cause. Please lock?

Thanks again to Olaf for fixing XWIS in a timely manner.

if you call 4 days timely, then I guess you're right but he did a good job at restoring it. Not sure how non technical issues cause the server to go down.

Wait, unless he forgot to pay his bills and the server was suspended.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2012 21:53:57 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Sun, 08 Apr 2012 21:55:54 GMT

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Azazel likes to think that people care about him or that he in some way matters

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Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 00:52:49 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 01:03:01 GMT

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Then again, he is from liverpool, so it would be pretty difficult for him.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 01:53:19 GMT

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At least hes not in North Korea. =P

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [C4Smoke](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 02:08:50 GMT
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Brandan wrote on Sun, 08 April 2012 18:53At least hes not in North Korea. =P

How is that funny?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 04:17:08 GMT
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If he was from north Korea, he wouldn't just be evading bans, he would be evading the GOV just to play

Poor bastards... when will you ever overthrow your tyrannical dictator?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ehh](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 14:41:29 GMT
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Not any time soon, since he died and his son took over iirc.

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Posted by [Tiesto](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 18:39:07 GMT
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Simple steps: VPN, Different mac, different nickname and sometimes even different serial.

Get around server bans and xwis bans. Not even all those steps are required.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

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Pssh, only English PHD graduates know how to do those.

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Posted by [iRANian](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 21:26:16 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 21:59:22 GMT

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iRANian wrote on Mon, 09 April 2012 14:26well he's british, and brits cant spell so
What a terrible stereotype, they also have bad dental.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [reckneya](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 22:22:52 GMT

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Evade this:

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Oh silly me. He could always change internet provider, right..

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 22:47:44 GMT

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Does he even play nowadays?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Mon, 09 Apr 2012 22:55:47 GMT
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Yeah he has been playing on n00bstories all week.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [ehhh](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 00:00:11 GMT
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What names does he use?

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Gen_Blacky](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 04:09:37 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 05:25:38 GMT
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Most people know that VPS means virtual private server over which you can tunnel your connection using either VPN or SSH. So that leaves us with 4 options.

But wait, Tor/proxies have a too high latency to get you anywhere with gaming. So evading on that level isn't too easy, and certainly not free.

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Anonymous and all the programmers/hackers around the world are laughing at that comment. Dipshit? Such big a word for such little a man. How about you try playing ren via any of those methods and you tell me how well the game play is. With all the lag a banned player would experience I wouldn't even do anything about them evading a ban. It's probably worse than being banned. So I don't know about anonymous or any other programmers around the world, but I know for sure you, sir, made me giggle for a bit there.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [TankClash](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 06:20:37 GMT

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So XWIS is back-up apparently... pun-intended, but WTF is going on now? Spam spam heated spam, take it to PM or continue being dumbasses.

This has been modified once because most posts are, and those ones seem to be the most clever. Or what I meant to say was.....

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Major-Payne](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 10:23:36 GMT

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you mean to say PENIS

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 10:51:34 GMT
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ehhh wrote on Mon, 09 April 2012 17:00What names does he use?
Croatoan

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Sean](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 11:42:14 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Sean](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 11:43:40 GMT
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Brandon wrote on Mon, 09 April 2012 11:40Azazel wrote on Mon, 09 April 2012 11:32Brandon wrote on Sun, 08 April 2012 17:52YesNoMayb wrote on Sun, 08 April 2012 14:53Why do you care, Azazel? I thought you were banned from most servers for your triggerbot. What difference would it make if the server was fixed or not if you couldn't play? Its extremely easy to evade a ban its laughable that you couldn't. A 10 year old could figure out how to evade a ban.

Quite hilarious. I'd suggest you get your facts straight, well Brandon can't as he seem's to be unable to use his brain to it's full potential.

Liquid, I still love you.
It's Brandon,

Hey you're the one who can't evade a ban.
Simple steps: VPN, Different mac, different nickname and sometimes even different serial.

Get around server bans and xwis bans. Not even all those steps are required.

Posting via mobile sucks.

Brandon.

Why would I possibly want to be evade bans? Bans which don't actually exist anyway, lol. As I said, hilarious.

Liquid hasn't gotten anything to worry about anyways, Jelly marathon is long and boring. I did my time in rcs-marathon for long enough, aow's is where it's at - when I get the time that is.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [ehhh](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 12:07:12 GMT

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haha that's brilliant, I was calling him a faggot for like 2 hours the other day and it turns out I was right!

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 12:53:17 GMT

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haha

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 14:13:26 GMT

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Posted by [Hypnos](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 14:57:06 GMT

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Jelly has banned the entire BT ISP. Thank fuck I'm on Virgin now.

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And only anyone in the nearby residence using the same exchange box would also have that exact same crap at the start.

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 16:26:51 GMT

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Hamachi I believe not exactly sure how it works but it would make sense because you don't have to opens port is client - hamachi server - server. But I also believe it can be client - your server and it just uses the hamachi server for the sever list like xwis and renegade. Didn't exactly put too much effort into looking into that.

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Azazel's IP, as far as I can see, has always started with those numbers. They seem to be quite static. The last bit makes sure it's IPs from that ISP that get kicked, so not people that happen to have a similar IP but are not from that provider. The middle part was a guess, but it seemed like a part associated with his latest IPs from what I found in the IPDB. It's set so the chances that someone else get's auto-kicked are slim, though not impossible. Chiefpower and Mandai are banned in a similar fashion on most servers (all?).

It's not actually implemented though, Azazel. I don't know Azazel and I don't think I have any beef with you either, but I know the history from say say. That's all.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 17:22:20 GMT

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all you need to know is he was the most anti-cheating person in the history of renegade

when a player was suspected of cheating in a ren tournament he went totally apeshit and harassed the fuck out of them; it turns out that player was innocent and he himself had been cheating all along

he went on the Exodus server and harassed them with the whole "failadus" thing, telling them that they all suck and cheating his ass as he did

he repeatedly claimed how bad cheaters are and that they should basically be crucified and killed for ruining this great game

he said that he was a mod to catch these cheating faggots, and when people accused him of cheating he would deny it to the grave

i honestly am surprised he didn't kill himself after it all went down; my only conclusion is that he continuously lies to himself and thinks he was always just really good and that people only told themselves he cheated so they could sleep at night, and that he only got caught cheating by accident and that he had only just started cheating and that it was all just a horrible misunderstanding that blemished his great name and legacy

he's one of the biggest hypocrites in the history of this game
every time i see him post a part of me wishes i could knock his teeth out

another part feels immense pity and knows i couldn't do it
he's the most human form of a parasite, and though there's probably numerous reasons for that
they are neither here nor there; i just wish he would cut his losses and go away

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandan](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 17:25:20 GMT
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Who's "he" hard to follow on iPhone

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 17:41:38 GMT
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the fellow that calls himself Azazel
the name Azazel has ties to satanism and goats, so i used to call him goat boy

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [iRANian](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 17:49:58 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [TankClash](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 17:57:50 GMT
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Yes because in here, the way you think the internet works is how well we disconnect each other
from it... interesting.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [Brandan](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 18:19:26 GMT
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Yes lets all connect to the Internet the way we disconnect from it to take out the middle man.

Also for people like Reckneya when you see "From: *mycingular.net" that means everything I say
is being typed from a virtual keyboard and auto corrected (iPhone). No shit it's not going to make
much sense (I said that in earlier posts)

"Reckneya's signature"Brandan wrote on Tue, 10 April 2012 07:13

"Quoteception"Also what happened to you can change your ISP I doubt you even know what a VPN is or even a remote idea of how the Internet even works.
If I disregard the deficit of cohesion between his statements, and the lack of proper spelling and use of symbols I think I know what he was trying to say, and I lol'd. No hard feelings though
Brandan

But I do understand him being in the Netherlands and not knowing about AT&T's (major US wireless company) hostmask and hold no bitterness to him.

** for future reference only. **

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [reckneya](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 22:23:31 GMT
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And if you download it now, you get a 10 Mbit discount on your disconnects so you can reconnect for just 5 Mbits. A one time opportunity.

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Posted by [Brandan](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 22:24:55 GMT
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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN
Posted by [shaitan](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 23:33:09 GMT
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Finding out who you are(with a new IP) is not all that hard. Banning a region of your ISP or the whole ISP is easy as well.

They've got quite abit of tools at their disposal for keeping out the bad guys. The best is the collaboration between moderators and another server's moderators in sharing information.

Rene-Detectives.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 23:33:21 GMT

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LOL DNS does port numbers now. Sweet. And using your neighbor's internet connection over WiFi doesn't help much if he's on the same ISP as you.

I find it easier to not cheat and therefore not get banned from shit.

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Posted by [Brandon](#) on Tue, 10 Apr 2012 23:40:46 GMT

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Yeah I actually listed all those situations in evading the bans actually lol. (Server administrator) Its still very easy to exploit a ban unless its a hardware hash and not mac address (changeable on some cards) but I didn't know ren supported sending computer identification hashes those are a bit tricky unless you run the game under a virtual pc/wine in linux but whats the point in that.

EDIT: Well, I guess you can use cheat engine and modify the computer hash the game sends unless its encrypted then you'll have to break that first. Moderator with no life Vs. Computer Programmer with no life = nightmare.

And yes I accidently leaked DNS 2.0 to the public. The new DNS resolves port numbers because people with retarded browsers don't pick up the port and returns connection refused. Its going to

be implemented on Ipv10 (bullshitting.)

But Crimson is right. cheating is bad and highly annoying but rarely bans are unless if the user is smart. Luckily, its Renegade.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Wyld1USA](#) on Wed, 11 Apr 2012 02:28:20 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Brandon](#) on Wed, 11 Apr 2012 02:59:26 GMT

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Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [halo2pac](#) on Thu, 12 Apr 2012 01:25:02 GMT

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Brandon wrote on Tue, 10 April 2012 22:59 This thread is missing boobies.

Subject: Re: XWIS DOWN

Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Tue, 01 May 2012 14:54:09 GMT

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Okay, I think you're on the correct track; however we can further improve upon this method:

Once you obtain his phone number CONTINUIOUSLY call him, thus tying up his phone lines and preventing him from contacting his provider.

PROFIT
