Subject: Say bye to ads...

Posted by IRON FART on Fri, 23 Jan 2004 03:26:00 GMT

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Many of you will probably know of this, but if you don't or havn't done it yet, do it now!

http://www.ecst.csuchico.edu/~atman/spam/adblock.shtml

Do what it says untill the end of that long list of ad servers. And then add these ones:

127.0.0.1	download.abetterinternet.com
127.0.0.1	dst.trafficsyndicate.com
127.0.0.1	view.atdmt.com
127.0.0.1	adfarm.mediaplex.com
127.0.0.1	xlime.offeroptimizer.com
127.0.0.1	xadso.offeroptimizer.com
127.0.0.1	cdn2.adsdk.com

And many places you go on the internet, you will not see ads.

127.0.0.1 is simply referring to your computer (redirects you to your own computer) So if you are hosting a website, in some ad spaces you will see your site.

To add your own, type 127.0.0.1 then 7 spaces, then the ad server.]

Popups just become less annoying and flashing banners won't make you blind

Also be sure to read the section: "Enhanced Privacy"

I have used the Hosts file for a long time, but never saw such a complete list.

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Posted by Crimson on Fri, 23 Jan 2004 08:42:37 GMT

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Agreed... I've been meaning to do this for a while but I didn't feel like making the list. Great find.

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Posted by NHJ BV on Fri, 23 Jan 2004 09:29:06 GMT

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I already had quite a list in my HOSTS file; apparently KaZaA Lite added them

I added this list too, though. There might me some doubles in the list now but I don't feel like going through the whole list

Thanks!

P.S. XP users: follow the Windows NT instructions about where to find the HOSTS file.

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Posted by npsmith82 on Fri, 23 Jan 2004 15:52:06 GMT

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NHJ BVXP users; follow the Windows NT instructions about where to find the HOSTS file. Click start > Run

Type

%windir%\system32\drivers\etc\hosts

Then select the program to view it in... i.e notepad or another text editor from the list.

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Posted by General Havoc on Fri, 23 Jan 2004 19:45:36 GMT

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Yeah I did this before, only thing was something added google to it, I took me around a week to figure out why my computer was the only one on the network which couldn't access google.

I does come in handy though if you get a good selection of sites. May want to add lop.com to it too as that thing is like a virus once it is installed.

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Posted by Majiin Vegeta on Sat, 24 Jan 2004 05:50:29 GMT

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Thnxs.. my firewall blocks a fare deal of websites al ready but these can also help the ones it and google bar miss

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Posted by Sk8rRIMuk on Sat, 24 Jan 2004 22:40:02 GMT

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Great, this is excellent... stops all those annoying adds I keep getting on various websites.

If it does not block the ad I just add the adserver

Thanks a bunch :thumbsup:

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Posted by MrBob on Sun, 25 Jan 2004 02:49:48 GMT

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I just use "block image from server' with Mozilla.

Subject: Say bye to ads...
Posted by Yano on Sun, 25 Jan 2004 15:04:58 GMT

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nice:thumbsup: