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Thread: [Reputation "Schemes" - Educate Yourself](#)

YayHar - June 13, 2017, 7:08 pm

These reputation schemes have been happening WAY too often, mainly because users don't even know they exist.

A "Reputation scheme" is when a user gives a random negative or neutral reputation with the intention to change it later in exchange for positive reputation.

User A gives a negative/neutral reputation to User B.

User B gives User A a negative/neutral reputation in retaliation.

User A changes the reputation to positive.

User B assumes the situation is resolved and changes the reputation positive.

The worst part about these schemes is that they work. These users are gaining reputation faster than they should be.

My theory is that users who do this, are gaining reputation to scam. Unless you want to help a scammer, USE YOUR NOGGIN'.

Credit to [Maxim](#) for the idea.

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He posted a similar thread, he gave permission to post this one ?

M?xim - June 13, 2017, 7:13 pm

Love it. Exactly. Do not resolve with people who neg you and then goes "Oh sorry, wrong person, will resolve!"

NO! Neg 'em and swak 'em.

???? - June 13, 2017, 7:16 pm

lol I have never had this happen to me

Effexion - June 13, 2017, 7:19 pm

He gave you permission? Jumping Jellyfish, that was good of him.

This has been happening for as long as I can remember. Sadly, little can be done.

YayHar - June 14, 2017, 1:09 am

Keep an eye out for this, don't help people get scammed.

test - June 14, 2017, 1:11 am

Like 90% of my reputations are only people I have done deals or exchanges with. I rarely, if ever, rep for pointless reasons.

Yandere - June 14, 2017, 1:11 am

Never had this happen to but thanks for the heads up.

Kaleb™ - June 14, 2017, 1:13 am

Thanks for the heads up. Hopefully this doesn't ever happen to me because I don't like to neg people.

NA Riven - June 14, 2017, 1:17 am

This reminds me of this guy: <https://hackforums.net/member.php?action=profile&uid=3560790>

He had about 20+ rep and then he PM'd everyone who -3'd him with "I am sorry I had a bad day." So he changed the rep on my profile to +1 and later on when I didn't change my rep on his profile he changed it back to a 0.

Imo it's bad and it shouldn't be allowed

Deany - June 14, 2017, 1:21 am

Ya people who do this are honestly retarded as heck

God of Thunder - June 14, 2017, 1:22 am

Something or the other keeps coming. First it was the \$.1 BTC giveaway. Now this + facebook and instagram likes. meh

Nadisty - June 14, 2017, 1:22 am

Interesting to see this. Would you say its abusing reputation though? Possibly borderline?

M?xim - June 14, 2017, 4:07 am

(Jun 14, 2017 01:19 AM)TheChi?f Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

The irony.

How is that irony?

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Luxuryy - June 14, 2017, 4:31 am

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Mr. Robot - June 14, 2017, 4:33 am

Literally made a thread on this the other day.

hopeforme - June 14, 2017, 4:34 am

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Siacoin - June 14, 2017, 4:35 am

intresting.

Never tought people would SE in this kinda way.

Thx for the share and also maxim

Eagerkid - June 14, 2017, 4:35 am

You should also take into consideration that reputation doesn't mean your trusted. And DWC doesn't mean your actually dangerous. Who knows if a 12 year old repped a member saying it because they were mad. I dont even take into consideration reputation

Mr. Robot - June 14, 2017, 4:37 am

(Jun 14, 2017 04:34 AM)hopeforme Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) But only Uber's can do this?

No, normal members give neutral reps - then PM saying they gave it to you by mistake after you rep them back with a neg or neutral.

@Element - June 14, 2017, 4:42 am

what about the guy that always posts the same rep on everyones 'Positive (+3): This user is not a fan of Summer Glau. I would have to recommend avoiding him at all costs'

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Cylow - June 14, 2017, 4:45 am

(Jun 14, 2017 04:42 AM)Johnny_ShilsOn Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) what about the guy that always posts the same rep on everyones 'Positive (+3): This user is not a fan of Summer Glau. I would have to recommend avoiding him at all costs'

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No it's not against HF policy.

We recommend you take the time to read the [HF Help Documents](#) section. The answer to your questions should be contained in there.

YayHar - June 14, 2017, 8:00 am

(Jun 14, 2017 01:22 AM)Nadisty Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Interesting to see this. Would you say its abusing reputation though? Possibly borderline?

I would say yes, 100%.

It's hard to document this, however, so it's difficult to take action against users who do this.

Skrrrt - June 14, 2017, 8:16 am

(Jun 14, 2017 04:31 AM)Luxuryy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) did he inspect element your rep in that pic? ?

No lol. That's the number of people that gave him + rep

Gary - June 15, 2017, 12:13 am

I cant be asked to change reps on people now.

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No, ask any ub3r to check my given rep that doesn't come from this year. Its all "r u a hacker"

The Host - June 15, 2017, 10:04 am

Happened to me before. Someone randomly negged me saying DWC. Someone whom I never heard of. So i negged him back. And then he pms me saying. Sorry wrong person. So he changes to positive. I leave the neg and He negs back lol.

I checked that users rep given and noticed he does it a lot

Wet Rag - June 15, 2017, 10:06 am

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YayHar - July 13, 2017, 6:44 pm

(Jun 15, 2017 10:06 AM)Wet Rag Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is why I NEVER change my rep once i give it
Your signature says otherwise ?

lWrath - July 13, 2017, 7:22 pm

I guess thinking about something like that to scheme for rep only leaves two types of people.

A.) Scammers who just keep coming back and need a fast way to get rep

B.) Someone who cares wayyyy to much about rep. I mean way to much, it'd probably be easier just to make a few contributions if you're legit though.

nicksaban1 - July 13, 2017, 7:24 pm

It will always happen, one way or another. What sucks is, if you dont resolve it, the neg stays on your profile. All you can do is save the pm's and send to omni.

Armada - July 13, 2017, 8:11 pm

What can be said, you bring up a good and valid point in OP.

I think we have all seen this happen way too much at times.

Frankly last person who did that with me still has a neg from me.

@Jupiter - July 13, 2017, 8:38 pm

i just ignore them and neg them, , then they pm me asking to resolve like i care

JoshAllen - July 13, 2017, 8:43 pm

I thought everyone knew this was a thing?

Do people not realize, rep doesn't matter tho?

justtherehere - July 13, 2017, 8:54 pm

(Jun 14, 2017 01:13 AM)Kaleb™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks for the heads up. Hopefully this doesn't ever happen to me because I don't like to neg people.

HAHAHAH LMAO! this thread is all about people like you, You neg people who can't neg you back.

Younis Khan - July 13, 2017, 9:55 pm

yeah fuck that the first thing im doing if i ever get to uber is leaving a revenge rep on someone and then blocking them (unless they're r3kt - then they can pm to resolve pls)

Quinn. - July 14, 2017, 2:05 am

This thread seems like a reputation scheme, to seem trusted you call out the other people doing reputation schemes.. hmm.

/Jokes aside, good thread.

Tree of Life - July 27, 2017, 4:05 am

This is a good thread to have to spread awareness of these retards.

ß|?cksí-í?d?w™ - July 27, 2017, 4:25 am

heard about Ponzi schemes lol .. but here is REP Schemes .. amazing :D ; Glad you opened alert thread for it , i guess Omni is quite fast to ban those ongoing scheme around his community :P he he