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Thread: [Honest opinions needed about upgrading](#)

instas - August 11, 2017, 9:57 pm

I kind of want to upgrade, but I feel like if I do that I'm just going to get treated differently than other users who aren't and such, plus it's just money from the wallet.

Do you guys think its worth upgrading to 3pic or l33t? I can only afford 1 at the moment.

Trappy - August 11, 2017, 9:58 pm

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instas - August 11, 2017, 10:01 pm

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No. That doesn't happen.

?ystem - August 11, 2017, 10:01 pm

I'll just be blatantly honest: it's entirely up to you.

Yes, [n]some[/b] users may possibly see you in a different light unlike other users. But, personally, I don't give a frozen frogs ass what color your username is, if you're upgraded, or if you even mowed my lawn. Just be a considerate, appreciative, understanding, and sharing member with the community.

Bezo - August 11, 2017, 10:04 pm

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No one does that, it's against the rules to ask for rep in the first place.

People tend to trust upgraded users over non-upgraded users, as long as their profile looks someone legit (trust scan thing and background history).

It's up to you. If you use the marketplace a lot, you may want to consider getting L33T and eventually getting UB3R

as it helps. UB3R allows you to post in some status restricted sections like the non-free accounts section.

EDIT: If you get a PM asking for rep, forward it to staff and they will take of it.

Tohka - August 11, 2017, 10:05 pm

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Says the person with both L33t and 3p1c. They are worth the money if you want to be active on this forum.

NurSpec - August 12, 2017, 12:21 am

Definitely worth it. Your experience on Hack Forums will increase greatly. You will have access to a lot of cool features and be viewed differently by fellow members. It may sound wrong, but people honestly do view people differently based on their upgrade status, reputation etc.

Go ahead and upgrade, you won't regret it.

Zens - August 12, 2017, 12:41 am

I would recommended a l33t upgrade and then buy 3pic one, l33t allow you to wearing image as your signature.

Tony Stark - August 12, 2017, 12:49 am

100% worth it and best decision I've made.

You can read my testimony, as well as others members, in the link below, this should help you decide.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5613439>

<https://hackforums.net/upgrade.php>

Shows you all the benefits and allows you to upgrade, in-case anyone else reading this is curious.