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Thread: [Popularity For Exchange](#)

Omniscient - June 13, 2018, 10:15 am

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Ombra - June 13, 2018, 10:43 am

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I'd like to understand if reputation can be sold or not. Many users are doing it but there's no specific policy about it.

DamienVC - June 13, 2018, 11:03 am

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Rep4rep threads are not allowed afaik.

Only the stickies are valid till they expire. New stickies won't be valid as well.

Omniscient - June 13, 2018, 11:28 am

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flavoral - June 13, 2018, 11:30 am

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Space• - June 13, 2018, 11:30 am

Are signature hinting allowed?

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What about selling rep inside the marketplace and opening contracts for it?

Poutine - June 13, 2018, 3:16 pm

I dont really value my reputation much anymore.

I'm focusing on the rep I have given. I dont feel like giving my "vouch/rep" to random people

Originalkillit - June 13, 2018, 11:12 pm

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This was already in force and staff have already taken care of this from yesterday in this section and everywhere in HF

I think buddy you should close this thread before it gets spammed

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DontWorryBeHappy - June 13, 2018, 11:53 pm

the hope is that the contracts ratings judge more than rep in the MP

?? - June 14, 2018, 4:04 pm

oh shit, okay, glad i figured this out now! :D

kiwi - June 14, 2018, 8:10 pm

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XXXTenacion - June 14, 2018, 8:17 pm

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I brought this up and peoples only arguments is that there is also accounts for sale for 1 a pop which also goes on contract. It's b.s but meh.

Skull-13 - June 14, 2018, 8:20 pm

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This make sense. I hope that this stop somehow. This needs to be stopped one way or other if not the will be a lot of members fat with rate on the market without deserve it for real. Because this is what it is just a rep trade on the B-rating system so this shouldn't be allowed, imo.

Mrs. Robot - June 15, 2018, 2:33 am

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Omniscient

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More

Reputation Policy change. You may now ask for reputations. Ub3r can also give 25 reps per day and L33t can grant 10 per day.

why did you write this on twitter?

EverliKillz - June 16, 2018, 12:12 am

I can't find my rep, it all gone!

all of it

Disappeared, down to Zero

Why and how come?

Hackin - June 17, 2018, 12:07 pm

This cleared up a lot of things, cheers ?

lav kumar - July 11, 2018, 9:13 pm

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atleast give them for some amount as they can use it freely.

Transporter007 - July 12, 2018, 2:30 am

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Finally, I was waiting for it! So, no more LQP! ?

SIM-3977432 - September 5, 2018, 5:52 am

(Jun 13, 2018 10:19 AM)GrandpaSherman Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So we can give them and sell them still?
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Rotfl

CashRezzie - October 9, 2018, 11:58 am

As someone whos fairly new here im confused.
Is Bytes for Rep allowed or is that considered asking for rep?

Omniscient - October 9, 2018, 1:32 pm

(Oct 9, 2018 11:58 AM)CashRezzie Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) As someone whos fairly new here im confused.
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That's a huge lie. Account(s) closed.

Vishnu™ - October 10, 2018, 11:44 am

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funnelmentals - November 3, 2018, 7:51 am

Great question, I just have to read everything to figure it all out. I still don't know how to gain popularity ?

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That sucks, is there a way to have real reps?

PerfectStorm - November 19, 2018, 9:44 pm

(Nov 19, 2018 10:38 PM)Jack Denials Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) seeking onion market
PM me
Darkweb stuff is not allowed on here as far as I know. Not sure why you posted it here to begin with. ?

UpTheCrust - November 19, 2018, 9:45 pm

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(Nov 19, 2018 10:45 PM)UpTheCrust Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It's a bold move to post that in a thread started by omni lol

I know that or just plain bad luck and the guy didn't even notice ?

FawkCidy - December 23, 2018, 8:49 am

Whatabout in other sections? Contest entries for rep ? Is that allowed or no?

S2K - December 29, 2018, 1:40 pm

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5922388>

This guy is asking for reps

The Social Engineer - January 6, 2019, 7:45 pm

I'm pretty new to the bytes system, are bytes considered as part of "rep"? It seems like somewhat of a gray area to me.

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boost - January 6, 2019, 7:46 pm

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The Social Engineer - January 6, 2019, 7:47 pm

(Jan 6, 2019 08:46 PM)boo5t Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Nah you could do stuff for bytes.

Thanks for the quick reply.

So just to confirm: byte exchange requests are acceptable in the "freebies" area?

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(Jan 6, 2019 08:50 PM)boo5t Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Correct, didn't see anything against stuff for bytes Groovy. I'll wait for Omni to confirm before making a post though - just to play it safe (lest I feel the wrath of the banhammer).

unleashingthebeast17 - January 26, 2019, 5:18 pm

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What are reps?

SIM-4147789 - February 20, 2019, 6:34 pm

that seems like a fair way to gain rep

Cocaine - February 20, 2019, 6:41 pm

So like you can't ask for rep for a service? I am confused. Because you can obviously sell it and

whatnot.

Black Hat - February 21, 2019, 12:55 pm

rewards and small favours forum is aids, that sections needs cleaning of these rep4rep for 5 bytes shit.

obusiness701 - March 7, 2019, 5:02 am

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Slankey™ - March 8, 2019, 7:08 am

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Can we pay bytes for rep?

Jinu - March 8, 2019, 12:32 pm

I am one of the old members here and when I see RepforRep threads and stuff, I was a little bit confused. Actually, we had a rule that "RepforRep" not allowed. And there were many bans, repfucked things happened before. After certain overhaul in the reputation system, everyone forgot the rule, most of them started exchanging their reps and hinting to get rep for rep. Even in my profile most of the reputations were hints but I never responded to them. And even there are many threads regarding reputation exchanges exist. Finally, it came to an end. Please understand the purpose of the reputation system. Thank you, Omni for remembering the rule to all the members.

Shinmaji123 - March 18, 2019, 10:53 pm

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SIM-4147789 - March 29, 2019, 4:14 am

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many people will accept Bytes as a form of payment,

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yea, I guess the idea being that if somebody has some sales,
they've probably sold a few things.

but maybe less than their b rating would lead u to believe.

for instance, I am sure you are used as middleman now and again?

speaking of which, you have a handful of people that would vouch for your legitimacy ?

you seem to be long standing and well known around here,
im sure that legit proof would be easy to find?

Zexi - April 26, 2019, 12:01 pm

This thread is stickied yet we still get fuckbois to post bytes for rep threads in here.

duckbill - July 16, 2019, 4:18 pm

cheaters.....

Thoth - December 23, 2020, 10:34 pm

Lets see just how far the rabbit hole goes.. ;)

Drizzled - July 10, 2021, 7:40 am

So rep4rep is LQP but QL4QL isn't? There's 9 threads on page 1 lmao

I--I - July 10, 2021, 11:40 pm

(Jul 10, 2021 07:40 AM)Drizzled Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So rep4rep is LQP but QL4QL isn't? There's 9 threads on page 1 lmao

I don't think the rule is here because it's LQ posting. It's not allowed because asking for rep isn't.

ForBobo - August 11, 2021, 6:42 pm

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ForBobo - August 11, 2021, 6:48 pm

(Aug 11, 2021 06:44 PM)-Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The threads are lq, so many of them everyone gets

away with it by posting a contest asking for ql in order to enter it .
true, wish i could bring myself low enough to do it lol but probably not

Professional27 - August 11, 2021, 6:49 pm

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Agreed that is why I am thinking of doing something different that hopefully gets natural QLs. I too have participated in a few QL threads but it was for bytes return, till I found out about the award.

Whitecandy - February 24, 2022, 8:15 pm

Does anyone wants to exchange popularity or bites with me on free start canvo or PM
Telegram:- @rightturn

Whitecandy - March 3, 2022, 2:01 am

Will you support me by exchanging popularity or bites on free!!!!!!

Goodluck - March 12, 2022, 2:19 pm

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jcole - March 12, 2022, 2:20 pm

(Mar 12, 2022 03:19 PM)Goodluck Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I dont really value my reputation much anymore.

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Right.. Definitely doesn't matter since you can't give popularity as a registered member anyways. You have an IP matching another user so assuming you're referring to your other account. ??

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(Mar 12, 2022 03:20 PM)jcole Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Right.. Definitely doesn't matter since you can't give popularity as a registered member anyways. You have an IP matching another user so assuming you're referring to your other account. ??

Thanks for reply

LEVhackathon - May 12, 2022, 10:22 pm

Hi guys!

We're organizing this cyber security hackathon (03 Jun - 17 Jun)!

Contact me if you are interested.

SMILE - June 29, 2022, 8:31 am

I need some popularity. thanks in advance everyone

StuffSneak - October 7, 2022, 3:40 am

Doesn't the QL4QL also fall in this category? 90% of the first page is QL4QL only.

Omniscient - October 11, 2022, 4:50 pm

(Oct 11, 2022 04:48 PM)phantomman55 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Is this still in effect? I still see threads asking for popular rep. There were threads that wants 1 ql and 3+ or 1+ for some kind of reward that they never give or gave. Ends up going to a account that is their other account that uses residential proxies.

So report the posts

Upgrader - October 11, 2022, 4:50 pm

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This is not Member Contests (where you're seeing that). This is giveaways, no one here is asking for Popularity. They are asking for Quick Love which is a completely different thing. Please read the [Help Docs](#).

[Yuno](#) he thinks you're a multi on residential proxies ???

Nightmare - June 6, 2023, 1:04 am

is QL 4 QL and download allowed?Just asking to be sure!

Lorem Ipsum - August 26, 2023, 9:39 pm

I haven't been online for 2 years, can I make a thread to celebrate my new membership of the group Coined by giving away +10 to anybody that posts?

I do not seek anything in return.

Chulito - February 2, 2024, 2:52 pm

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Omniscient - February 2, 2024, 2:56 pm

(Feb 2, 2024 03:52 PM)Chulito Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm confused

When someone is offering a Free Service or Giveaway you cannot hint or suggest that in exchange you expect Popularity rating.

Does that end your confusion?

SIM-4331310 - February 4, 2024, 4:33 am

Can I finally get my 0% warning removed please..?

stdio - April 25, 2024, 11:10 pm

Back in the day, having good rep was a thing.. omni used to repfuck people for breaking HF rules. I got repfkd now it seems like rep means nothing also there are no custom comments allowed.

robot-2007 - June 19, 2024, 3:06 pm

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