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Thread: [Inactivity and Bytes Policy](#)

Omniscient - December 23, 2019, 10:08 am

I have now added language to the HF [Help Docs](#)
<https://hackforums.net/misc.php?action=help&hid=24>.

Quote:My Bytes were deleted, where did they go?

The Bytes for a member are set to 0 if there is one year of account inactivity. They can't be recovered.

Thank you.

Lavish Living - December 23, 2019, 10:10 am

Change 1 year to 30 days

Hehehehe

Sucks to suck, suckers.

Inactivity means not logging in right? Like you don't have to post to be active?

Lavish Living - December 23, 2019, 10:12 am

(Dec 23, 2019 11:11 AM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How long have bytes been around now?
Over a year. Sometime in like June 2018 give or take a month

Xerotic - December 23, 2019, 10:16 am

(Dec 23, 2019 11:11 AM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How long have bytes been around now?

(Dec 23, 2019 11:12 AM)Lavish Living Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Over a year. Sometime in like June 2018 give or take a month

That's what I was going to say. June 2018. Just about the same time as contracts.

Eagle 95 - December 23, 2019, 10:57 am

This is very reasonable, hopefully nobody riots :P

Yin Yang - December 23, 2019, 11:01 am

Just wondering as to why this change was implemented?

Like I doubt if someone was inactive for a year, would care for their bytes at that point.

Omniscient - December 23, 2019, 11:10 am

(Dec 23, 2019 12:01 PM)Yin Yang Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just wondering as to why this change was implemented?

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Because we are going to show stats public for the Bytes economy. We have a lot of policies with pruning. This is just one more.

Sir - December 23, 2019, 11:20 am

Fair enough. I don't really see this really causing an issue at all.

Cooligan - December 23, 2019, 1:20 pm

(Dec 23, 2019 12:10 PM)Omniscient Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Because we are going to show stats public for the Bytes economy. We have a lot of policies with pruning. This is just one more. Ooo are we getting a new Bytes stats page?

That would be wicked cool to see.

Nuworld - December 23, 2019, 3:47 pm

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Question: does this also apply to members accounts being closed?

Xerotic - December 23, 2019, 4:12 pm

(Dec 23, 2019 04:47 PM)Nuworld Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I like this idea and think it's very fair.

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spiral - December 23, 2019, 4:19 pm

(Dec 23, 2019 04:47 PM)Nuworld Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I like this idea and think it's very fair.

Question: does this also apply to members accounts being closed?

every time I have seen a member be closed they always have 0 bytes, i think it happens instant

Mr Kewl - December 23, 2019, 4:22 pm

This is very fair I guess, no point of them bytes if you're not around for more than a year.

Nuworld - December 23, 2019, 5:53 pm

(Dec 23, 2019 05:12 PM)Xerotic Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) When a member's account is closed I believe there Bytes are wiped at that specific moment of closure already. I'm not 100% but I think that is what happens already.

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<https://hackforums.net/cryptogame.php?action=stats>

Mix - December 24, 2019, 8:39 am

Loving the updated page on the [Help Docs](#), A year is a very long time so I am sure that people who wait 365 days to not log in to find they have no bytes anymore are sure to not even notice.

Omniscient - December 24, 2019, 11:41 am

(Dec 23, 2019 06:53 PM)Nuworld Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's what I thought.

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We don't prune that table yet. I've added it to our projects list.

Lorem Ipsum - December 24, 2019, 11:45 am

(Dec 23, 2019 11:57 AM)Eagle 95 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is very reasonable, hopefully nobody riots :P With all due to respect, this reminded me immediately of that South Park episode ?

I'm glad to see this rule, would suck to see some people leave for a year and come back to sell the Bytes for \$50/k (or whatever the price will be). No Bytes going to waste! ?

Lavish Living - January 17, 2020, 6:42 pm

[Kawen](#)

Don't get gg'd for 130,000 bytes broski

genesiseher - January 17, 2020, 6:49 pm

(Jan 17, 2020 07:42 PM)Lavish Living Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) [Kawen](#)

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he doesnt care. guy made a boat load in crypto and moved on from this site.

?ytes - January 22, 2020, 2:00 am

1 year is more than enough to address your inactivity and stuff (Jan 17, 2020 07:49 PM)genesiseher Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) he doesnt care. guy made a boat load in crypto and moved on from this site.

I think he got active on December 2019 and inactive since then. So his Bytes are safe.

Prince™ - January 22, 2020, 6:54 am

Inactivity means not posting as well?

Omniscient - January 22, 2020, 9:10 am

(Jan 22, 2020 07:54 AM)Prince™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Inactivity means not posting as well?

No, it's actually based solely on last login.