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Thread: [So I bought a Domain and this happened...](#)

Shaggy - January 22, 2020, 5:39 am

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Thank you, HF Soon will be like:

Selling Emails [Software and Web Development] Niche

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LOL oh c'mon you gotta be kidding me... I need to get it together ?

Hoooly shit.

And yet another reason why I have the Dunce award.

I mean you just need to see this one for yourself [Omniscient](#) , it tops all the others by a long-shot..
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This is my post that [? Soufian ?](#) quoted:

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=6043151&pid=59352310#pid59352310>

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I honestly can't believe that I was quite literally typing in name.com and I didn't realize it even then lol.

Kill Joy - January 22, 2020, 8:22 am

Name.com has been whored around to so many companies in the last decade. Not surprised if they sell your data.

Namecheap has free whois protection.

V?rt - January 22, 2020, 11:48 am

I would have thought they did this to everyone who has bought a domain honestly.

Linux X - January 22, 2020, 11:53 am

Just remember 1 thing, always buy domains from namecheap. GoDaddy and etc bullshits are real shits. I got ~ 30 domains from namecheap and I don't have any problems.

Narzi - January 22, 2020, 12:04 pm

Whoever you signed your domain with is releasing your personal information. Open to the public for which these contractors are soliciting digital agency email

Stork - January 22, 2020, 3:42 pm

Kinda strange sorry this is happening

Shaggy - January 23, 2020, 10:21 am

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Update:

I have now 30+ Spam Messages on my Email Address </3

SIM-4033767 - January 23, 2020, 10:44 am

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