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Thread: [When did you last attempt a replacement of your web browsers?](#)

Xtreme™ - February 14, 2020, 6:51 am

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Exe - February 14, 2020, 6:53 am

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Bellagio - February 14, 2020, 6:53 am

Chrome or brave are my options.

Loukas - February 14, 2020, 6:54 am

I have heard of "Brave", but currently use Firefox. I'll have to look into Brave a little bit more. I know I absolutely can't stand Internet Explorer.

Xtreme™ - February 14, 2020, 6:55 am

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(Feb 14, 2020 07:55 AM)Xtreme™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Aight, giving this browser a shot.
Also by every ads they give you per hour you can earn some BTC as well

Moxxi - February 14, 2020, 6:58 am

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Takehito Morokuzu - February 14, 2020, 7:00 am

I'm using the new Edge browser, based on chromium. It works really well, it's like chrome but more optimised, and in the next version of Windows 10 is should come pre-installed, meaning that you basically have chrome pre-installed, just a Microsoft version instead of Google.

Xtreme™ - February 14, 2020, 7:05 am

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Yes I have my Rig running with 32Gigz of Ram but I hate to see the Ram usage high on the desktop widget ?

Pawnhub - February 14, 2020, 7:14 am

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This is exactly why I stopped using chrome and settled for opera.

Also notes on opera if anyone is interested, you couldn't go wrong using the browser it's pretty lightweight, built in adblock and VPN that you can use in incognito or during normal browsing and haven't seen any DNS leaks when using it.

V?rt - February 14, 2020, 9:05 am

Nope, I've been using Brave for a few weeks now, and before that, I used Chrome since it's release. I don't think I'll be changing browsers again.

passCODE - February 14, 2020, 9:06 am

Been using Chrome and will always use it, simple and fast.

SNAK - February 14, 2020, 9:19 am

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Xtreme™ - February 14, 2020, 9:22 am

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Paid for ads? being using it for 2hrs now not a single ad popped out for me

Citoa - February 14, 2020, 9:55 am

I am using brave. I have made a dollar so far just by using it for about a month in a country where there aren't a lot of ads. If you are in America or Canada you will make much more. And if you browse a lot this can go up to 30 dollars a month or something. Check out Mr. Robot's thread about the browser. He made some nice cash.

SIM-4483740 - February 14, 2020, 10:26 am

I still with my choice.

Chrome at first option and Mozilla as second.

yea i heard brave got best alternative browser.

But i still dont have interest.

Luca - February 14, 2020, 10:29 am

I switched to Brave back when it came out in 2017 but after a couple of months I went back to Chrome for the extensions lol

Deployed - February 14, 2020, 10:37 am

If you love your own web browser why even search for a replacement. Chrome is comfortable, Safari is convenient (iOS) - then again chrome has combatted this in past years as well with Sign-In. Also love my Developer Tools as a programmer here. Only instance that I open other browsers is for website testing purposes

- Deployed

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duplex - February 14, 2020, 10:42 am

Yes I switched to Brave about a year ago. Amazing. I can't back.

Geralt - February 14, 2020, 10:47 am

Used Opera for 5+ years, there is no competition. First, it doesn't suck the shit out of your ram like Chrome, then it has built it ad blocker, VPN, screenshot tool, can use all chrome extensions, connected app to your phone so you can send files/text with 2 clicks between the two, soon they will implement crypto wallet.

And you can download Opera GX (a gaming version of the browser) and see gaming deals and releases on the speed dial and most importantly set how much ram, cpu and internet it will use (for lower end PCs).

No other browser can top that.

Lynx - February 14, 2020, 1:35 pm

I've been using chrome for some time now. I am thinking about switching to firefox when I am reinstalling windows soon.

Threat - February 14, 2020, 1:40 pm

I use firefox, it's an amazing browser. Google chrome is cool and all but my ram gets rekt

funtela - February 14, 2020, 3:07 pm

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eXceptional - February 14, 2020, 3:30 pm

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I got some donations too on my website.

Herbert - February 15, 2020, 1:21 am

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Xtreme™ - February 15, 2020, 1:24 am

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Considered it a couple times, once when they started advertising other search engines and not being able to customize it, someone actually found a way to remove all of them.

Last month, they pushed out an update that messed with the video pop-out, everyone was outraged because of this, flooded their forums about it.

What they did was, took out all the functionality, capped out resizing. However some users found out that you could disabling 2 tasks in ://flags, others reverted to version 65.

I tried Chrome but man, it's just so far behind. Opera has a lot of really good features built in, and very optimized too!

AYMG - February 15, 2020, 1:50 am

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I think Mr. Robot made a thread about Brave, I'll try to find it.

Dhoroty - February 15, 2020, 4:11 am

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Xtreme™ - February 15, 2020, 5:27 am

(Feb 15, 2020 05:11 AM)Dhoroty Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm using Chrome for ages, tried Firefox multiple times, Brave. But still back to Chrome for some reasons.

I know , I am so attached to chrome that whenever I need to Google anything my motor skill makes me open chrome , always . i deleted the shortcut to chrome so that I use brave now :P

Xen - February 15, 2020, 5:30 am

I tried Brave, but I always switch back to Chrome.

I use it for everything so all of my accounts are linked across all devices so it's hard for me to leave this ecosystem.

Dotexe - February 15, 2020, 5:36 am

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I use that only when i watch adult movies

Nyx - February 15, 2020, 5:39 am

Brave is a chromium based browser so it should feel some familair to any chrome users.

Lorem Ipsum - *February 15, 2020, 5:40 am*

I am used to Chrome or Safari. Used FireFox in the past when Windows Vista was still 'great' although I never liked the OS.

Tried Brave for mobile, but I do most of the browsing on PC which I something I should use Brave for too I think.