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Thread: [What is the real economy of the hacking forums and deepweb like](#)

**0xKATS** - January 25, 2026, 7:22 am

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**Artisan** - January 25, 2026, 8:39 am

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**0xKATS** - January 25, 2026, 8:41 am

I don't intend to buy or sell any products here. Just trying to get some real statistics.

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You can tell me what your average income is.

**Jamika** - January 25, 2026, 9:02 am

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**0xKATS** - January 25, 2026, 9:25 am

(Jan 25, 2026 10:02 AM)Jamika Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Sell your methods or services u have , you will not make fortune just lurking

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**Oh\_Well** - January 25, 2026, 2:41 pm

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**The Pact** - January 25, 2026, 7:57 pm

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We ban them all month long.

There are people here that have donated as much as \$41000 to Hack Forums so I guess there are

people that find it extremely valuable.

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Thanks for pointing that out.