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Austria-Bohemia-Hungary
Postmaster of the Fleet

Posts: 20539
Founded: Jun 28, 2011
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **Austria-Bohemia-Hungary** » Mon May 30, 2022
2:48 pm

Wejas wrote:

Tier lists are stupid bc the only good nations are the ones that don't use the forums.

why even bother with gameside beyond using it as a social media site and depository of writings of varying quality?

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Gandoor
Powerbroker

Posts: 9909
Founded: Sep 23, 2008
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **Gandoor** » Mon May 30, 2022 3:44 pm

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Meadowfields
Diplomat

Posts: 786
Founded: Jun 16, 2021
Left-wing Utopia

by **Meadowfields** » Mon May 30, 2022 3:49 pm

Gandoor wrote:

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Aw I like the challenge game, I still play it from time to time. Not an April fools, but still...

Last edited by **Meadowfields** on Mon May 30, 2022 3:49 pm, edited 1 time in total.

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Powerbroker

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by **Gandoor** » Mon May 30, 2022 3:56 pm

Oh no I was talking stuff like Cards Against NationStates

Who uses that feature, in fact IIRC I think a recent report thread in technical implies it literally doesn't even work anymore.

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Diplomat

Posts: 786
Founded: Jun 16, 2021
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by **Meadowfields** » Mon May 30, 2022 3:59 pm

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Oh, that. Yeah, that's dead.

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Dayganistan
Ambassador

Posts: 1453
Founded: May 02, 2016
Father Knows Best State

by **Dayganistan** » Mon May 30, 2022 4:03 pm

Gandoor wrote:

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Maybe they have the right idea considering the forum is objectively the worst part of this game outside of the abandoned April Fools' minigames that no one uses anymore.

Except for the trading cards. That one got a little out of hand and I'm amazed people still care about it.

Republic of Dayganistan

A secular, Tajik dominated state in Central Asia which has experienced 40 years of democratic backsliding. NS stats are NOT used.



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by **Gandoor** » Mon May 30, 2022 4:03 pm

I wish they wouldn't and would just accept that season 3 is never happening.

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The Jamesian Republic
Powerbroker

Posts: 9346
Founded: Apr 28, 2020
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **The Jamesian Republic** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:24 pm

Is being bad at war RPs a cliché?

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Karazicu
Spokesperson

Posts: 106
Founded: Feb 08, 2022
Iron Fist Consumerists

by **Karazicu** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:25 pm

The Jamesian Republic wrote:
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Powerbroker

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Founded: Apr 28, 2020
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by **The Jamesian Republic** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:29 pm

Karazicu wrote:

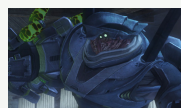
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I do better when it's formal events like parties funerals and weddings.

Though with my alt Mosarat I turned my first RP into a supernatural thriller. We had gothic style prophetic dreams spirits people turning into animals warps in time and astral projection. All because my character had a dream of a city burning.

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Valentine Z
Postmaster-General

Posts: 11602
Founded: Nov 08, 2015
Democratic Socialists

by **Valentine Z** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:41 pm

Joke, satire, or even for a hint of degree of seriousness, thanks for putting me up there even though I have not been, like, you know, here for reals, let's put it that way. It's much appreciated. <3

The high effort posts from me (if you can call it that!), unfortunately, have simply moved elsewhere, to greener ventures. Don't get me wrong, F7 is where I came from and I'll never forget the circle of friends I have made. However, I think it's time to admit that I'm genuinely happier on other parts of this forum, while occasionally coming back here.

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I've found a comfortable place in political threads RP has dried up but I'm hopeful they will come back. I might have to do a special dance to make them comeback.

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Hathian Prime
Spokesperson

Posts: 107
Founded: Nov 26, 2017
Psychotic Dictatorship

by **Hathian Prime** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:49 pm

The Jamesian Republic wrote:

Is being bad at war RPs a cliché?

Less cliché more just a staple of NS. War RPs either tend to have short posts and be long and drawn out, or have long posts and die thanks to inactivity. That or the promising ones never really take off or make it past the draft stages.

I also wanna state that the number of PT rps, regardless of era, are too low.

Hathian Prime does not use NS Stats.
HP and all other nations take place in an AU. HP is not Germany.



Gandoor
Powerbroker

Posts: 9909
Founded: Sep 23, 2008
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **Gandoor** » Mon May 30, 2022 5:52 pm

I feel like having a PT nation inherently limits you in regards to roleplays in ways that having a MT, PMT, or FT nation doesn't tbh.

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Frisemark
Bureaucrat

Posts: 46
Founded: Aug 07, 2021
Democratic Socialists

by **Frisemark** » Mon May 30, 2022 6:01 pm

Meadowfields wrote:

Karazicu wrote:

Not a big fan of gossiping about people, but apparently there's this mate by the name of Southern Atlantika whose been terrorising people's telegrams with messages about people's NS nation's languages. I know I've been on the receiving end of one of his TGs. Has anybody else here gotten a TG from them?

Yep, I have. Along with Arpasia.

Same here. No clue why. He asked about numbers in my language.

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BREAKING NEWS: Top Gun Maverick kicks ass. Go see it.

Denmark and the Netherlands had a kid, and it loves the color blue.

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Gandoor
Powerbroker

Posts: 9909
Founded: Sep 23, 2008
Civil Rights Lovefest

 by **Gandoor** » Mon May 30, 2022 6:11 pm

Like I said earlier, probably just a specific interest of theirs.

Like how I'm very into rail transport (but I don't randomly TG people asking them to tell me about trains in their nations).

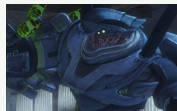
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In before someone asks "What is the fastest train in your nation? How many subway lines are there? How much is spent on trains? And bonus question: Names of train stations in your nation's language?"

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Afrikan Staat
Spokesperson

Posts: 150
Founded: Apr 23, 2022
Corporate Police State

 by **Afrikan Staat** » Mon May 30, 2022 6:26 pm

Cliché, although more personal: another day of "what the fuck did I just wrote"

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It is an apocalyptic total war of survival. A crusade between two forces: that of the civilization of the White race against the Serpent. Only one side will win and inherit all of Africa, for the other will be utterly and completely annihilated.

2022 May 21 | Southern Daily Herald | SILENT KILLER! The horrors c

Yes, I'm gonna use Makoto Naegi as the face of global racism | If this nation gives you brain cancer, [please check out my other works](#).



Broader Confederate States

 by **Broader Confederate States** » Mon May 30, 2022 6:36 pm

Gandoor wrote:

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Ambassador

Posts: 1531
Founded: Nov 11, 2018
Civil Rights Lovefest

I'm lucky I don't RP. Though, most of my PT nations have inadvertent mitigations if I ever wanted to. So that's cool.

Basic Facts

haha аляска | Rewrite un-canned, expect it before ~~2021 March~~ ~~September~~ 2030 maybe. | i honestly forgot basically every interaction i've had on these forums from before like july | **We're proud to present...**

Witty unattributed quote I'm using to pretend I'm more intelligent than I really am.



Diarcesia
Negotiator

Posts: 5373
Founded: Aug 21, 2016
Left-Leaning College State

by **Diarcesia** » Mon May 30, 2022 6:48 pm

Karazicu wrote:

So some mates decided to make an F7 tier list. Just gonna dump it here for you mates.

<https://tiemaker.com/create/f7-may-2022-15125078>

Cliche: Putting yourself in the bottom tier (full disclosure: I would put myself there also)

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Sort of a non-cliche as of now, not too many people have done that as far as I can see.

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The Jamesian Republic
Powerbroker

Posts: 9346
Founded: Apr 28, 2020
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **The Jamesian Republic** » Mon May 30, 2022 7:12 pm

I got B tier. So thank you whoever did that.

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by **Czardas** » Mon May 30, 2022 7:21 pm

Gandoor wrote:

Well the majority of players already don't visit the forums to begin with.

Czardas
Retired Moderator

Posts: 6876
Founded: Feb 25, 2005
Civil Rights Lovefest

Maybe they have the right idea considering the forum is objectively the worst part of this game outside of the abandoned April Fools' minigames that no one uses anymore.

RMB posts becoming permanent was, in retrospect, the game changer that completely shifted the balance of everything in favour of the game rather than the forums, it's just that at the time we had no idea what the ramifications of that would be. Prior to 2011 NS was basically a loose collection of forums and IRCs with a game attached; by 2015 (when Factbooks/Dispatches were introduced, I think) the two were probably of equal importance and now the forums are like this long-forgotten, nearly abandoned dusty corner and the game is where all the activity is. (Ok, more accurately the discords are where all the activity is.) Honestly probably a change for the better in the long run.

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I have devised a truly marvelous signature, which this textblock is too small to contain



-Astoria-
Senator

Posts: 3711
Founded: Oct 27, 2019
Civil Rights Lovefest

by **-Astoria-** » Mon May 30, 2022 11:02 pm

Karazicu wrote:

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Pleasantly surprised I made it on there.

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Drongonia
Ambassador

Posts: 1892
Founded: Feb 11, 2019
Inoffensive Centrist
Democracy

by **Drongonia** » Tue May 31, 2022 1:18 am

Karazicu wrote:

So some mates decided to make an F7 tier list. Just gonna dump it here for you mates.

<https://tiemaker.com/create/f7-may-2022-15125078>

>Left off the F7 tierlist

Time to end myself

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