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Meowtravgrad
Civilian

Posts: 0
Founded: Jul 21, 2020
Ex-Nation

by **Meowtravgrad** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:48 am

Austria-Bohemia-Hungary wrote:

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Hello. It's **Zitravgrad**. Y'all can stop talking about cats on my main now.

An AU in which Gaiaverse is run by sentient cats, humans never existed and cat civilizations somehow progressed to the point that Zitravgrad existed. Run by the meowvolutionary leader Katzimir Meowroslavsky. There will be factbooks which are parodies of my main nation's factbooks.

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Austria-Bohemia-Hungary
Postmaster of the Fleet

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Founded: Jun 28, 2011
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by **Austria-Bohemia-Hungary** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:49 am

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Valentine Z
Postmaster-General

Posts: 11602
Founded: Nov 08, 2015
Democratic Socialists

by **Valentine Z** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:50 am

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Crysuko
Negotiator

Posts: 7142
Founded: Feb 26, 2013
Left-Leaning College State

by **Crysuko** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:52 am

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It's particularly egregious when they nab a picture of said anime character to go along with it

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I USE Qs INSTEAD OF Qs



Zitragrad
Ambassador

Posts: 1218
Founded: Sep 27, 2017
Inoffensive Centrist
Democracy

by **Zitragrad** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:52 am

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*** * United Federation of Zitragrad * ***

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PMT/Early FT - Decopunk. Zitragrad is a crowned republic in a planet somewhere else in the universe. The formerly wartorn nation keeps a facade of normalcy and order while enjoying the societal and cultural decadence that marks the new Roaring Twenties. The paranoid authoritarian government tries its best to uphold order in the face of uncertainty, while its people want nothing more than a breathing space. A deal that works, but maybe not in the long run. | [My NS-Related Art](#) | Hehe bad meme as flag

Providenska's Herald: "Publish or Perish" culture contributes to s



Free Stalliongrad
Envoy

Posts: 338
Founded: Jun 01, 2020
Democratic Socialists

by **Free Stalliongrad** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:52 am

Crysuko wrote:

Free Stalliongrad wrote:

Someone called me?
Be that as it may, regions with MLP nations are there, they just don't actively participate here in the RP forum (much to my chagrin).

I wouldn't be opposed to it, as long as magic were used reasonably.

Oh well, at least I was able to interact with human nations as well. And if I ever have to deal with a RP in the world I can always rely on a canonic [anecdote](#) on the show.

The problem is that not everyone is willing to deal with Communist colored horses or non-human beings in general. And in an OOC sense.

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Socialist Macronesia
Negotiator

Posts: 6831
Founded: Jan 27, 2020
Ex-Nation

by **Socialist Macronesia** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:55 am

Austria-Bohemia-Hungary wrote:

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I dunno, I think it would be a zesty change of pace

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Kiu Ghesik
Powerbroker

Posts: 9373
Founded: Aug 25, 2020
Democratic Socialists

by **Kiu Ghesik** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:56 am

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Crysuko
Negotiator

Posts: 7142
Founded: Feb 26, 2013
Left-Leaning College State

by **Crysuko** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:56 am

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Ah yes... I think a couple of years ago, there were some nation with barebone factbooks with "Emperor Naruto" or something as leaders. It was tacky, for the lack of a better word.

The particularly woeful thing is they probably thought they were being cool

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Las Palmeras
Minister

Posts: 3375
Founded: Jun 15, 2012
New York Times
Democracy

by **Las Palmeras** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:58 am

Socialist Macronesia wrote:

Destyntine wrote:

although I have seen too many island nations that somehow exceed in advancement despite being isolationist so I'll add it.

That's a cliché that we... kind of fall into? Yeah, we may be pretty good in the tech department despite being an island nation, but that's A. pretty much entirely military technology, and B. how it came to be is explained quite a lot in our history, so I don't think much of it.

I actually take a lot of pride into trying to justify several of LP's actions and history based on it's role as an island. I've spent some time thinking about it's problems:

[Ego Trip](#)

Meowtravgrad wrote:

Las Palmeras wrote:

If not for LP where would Dark Lord Elon Musk get his Gaddafi-esque bodyguards?

I mean if you go by the rule of Catverse, everyone is a cat.

That's...adorable.

Azur Deutschland wrote:

Las Palmeras wrote:

Funny. I would've imagined the "magical portal" *Hellboy* route or something. Or "isekai portal" if we're gonna take the weeb stuff up to 11. Not that I care. I wanna do that in Tohorin.

Those are some pretty good ideas too. I just wanted to have it where a mage's willpower allowed her to grow wings and become a harpy or something.

I've never seen or read of that mechanism before, ngl.

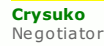
Last edited by **Las Palmeras** on Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:06 am, edited 3 times in total.

Hey hey, LP here: Too burnt out with this nation to make new lore or fix macrohistorical *longue durée* alt-his inconsistencies, too clingy to let it die.

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Summies be like: eWw WeEbSh*Ti aNiMu GiRl!
Enjoy the Chad fat old Diet man (◡_◡)

by **Crysuko** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 10:58 am



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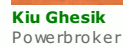
by **Zeloria** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:05 am

Crysuko wrote:

Gun wank. So much gun wank.

Lots of other people's military factbooks: gives the guns a detailed stat-list
My military factbook: this is a plasma gun, it does PEW PEW PEW

EXPAND



by **Kiu Ghesik** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:07 am

Crysuko wrote:

Kiu Ghesik wrote:

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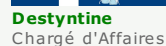
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by **Destyntine** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:09 am

Valentine Z wrote:

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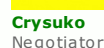
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I do **stuff** n' **thangs**. ~_ (ʔ) ~_

☐ Spaceship go Vrooom! ☐

NS stats are not 100% accurate, but they do represent my nation slightly!

Yeah, I'm sassy! Get over it!



by **Crysuko** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:11 am

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Founded: Feb 26, 2013
Left-Leaning College State

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Valentine Z
Postmaster-General

Posts: 11602
Founded: Nov 08, 2015
Democratic Socialists

by **Valentine Z** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:34 am

Destyntine wrote:

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I'm just paranoid, and also because I want to give credit to the best of my ability. ♥

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Dayganistan
Ambassador

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

by **Dayganistan** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:39 am

Crysuko wrote:

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Their attack: an entire Wikipedia page worth of jargon, technical specifications and highly detailed play by play of how everything works.

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Last edited by **Dayganistan** on Tue Apr 13, 2021 11:39 am, edited 1 time in total.

Republic of Dayganistan

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



Austria-Bohemia-Hungary
Postmaster of the Fleet

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

by **Austria-Bohemia-Hungary** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 12:02 pm

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Founded: May 02, 2016
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by **Dayganistan** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 12:10 pm

Austria-Bohemia-Hungary wrote:

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This is why I avoid most RP anyway.

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Menschlicher Sternenstaat
Spokesperson

Posts: 111
Founded: Apr 16, 2019
Ex-Nation

by **Menschlicher Sternenstaat** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 12:15 pm

Valentine Z wrote:

Destyntine wrote:

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Back in 2016 or so, some random deviantart guy forced the Moderation team to delete one of my old nation's factbooks (or clear it? i dont remember) because it had his art without citation. Giving credit is good and all, but it begs the question of if they just sit on Google Images and search all their shit over and over again.

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Miku the Based
Diplomat

Posts: 665
Founded: Dec 03, 2020
Ex-Nation

by **Miku the Based** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 12:31 pm

Azur Deutschland wrote:

Harpies, lamia, centaurs, nekos.

I need to develop this factbook more so that people can stop taking this out of context...

tbh, Mengele experimentation is leagues better than Bestiality.

January 8th, 2021 — I vow not to respond to anyone 000IC/OOC I'm 100% serious

Do not ask me my opinion of LGBT. the mods don't approve.

credit Khoronzon

My Opinion

Pro Anti



Das Kaiserliche Vaterland
Secretary

Posts: 38
Founded: Jul 20, 2019
Corporate Police State

by **Das Kaiserliche Vaterland** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 12:49 pm

Destyntine wrote:

Western Fardelshufflestein wrote:

No. I just made him using HeroForge.

His name is Dogboi.

Imagine making a catgirl parody nation with dogboi as the leader.. Oh no..

Hmmm...

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Sophia in England
Civilian

Posts: 0
Founded: Apr 06, 2021
Ex-Nation

by **Sophia in England** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 1:35 pm

Meowtravgrad wrote:

Why have catgirls when you can have.... yknow.... cats?

Because then Feyris couldn't have created this masterpiece:



"We might not always be the main character in the wonderful play known as Earth, but we can always be the protagonists of our own lives. And that, for me, is more than fulfilling."

-Lady Sophia Anna Cecilia Emma Kensington, Countess of Cheshire, Inheritor of the Great Mission, and Protector of Swans

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Aeritai
Minister

Posts: 2185
Founded: Oct 25, 2018
Ex-Nation

by **Aeritai** » Tue Apr 13, 2021 2:20 pm

Western Fardelshufflestein wrote:

Zeloria wrote:

catgirls are so overdone, when are we getting dogboys

Hang on, let me just

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Ah I forgot Hero Forge existed, I wonder if they have bipedal deer legs. Cause I need a better picture for the Kumami.

Just call me Aeri

IC: This is a fantasy medieval nation full of deer people... Yes you read that right, deer people

I am a **Human Female**

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