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# YOUTUBE OUTAGE TODAY, FOLLOWS YESTERDAY'S TWITTER OUTAGE





first manifested itself in embedded links, showing the below error image. Upon noticing this problem, we went and checked on YouTube itself and it also appeared to display the same Google error image. And then, finally, we checked on IsItDown and were able to confirm that YouTube is in fact down.

This follows yesterday's Twitter outage of about an hour, which resulted in a lot of very confused users that were trying to figure out why they couldn't log in. The Twitter outage yesterday essentially logged all users out of all platforms, both mobile and web-based, and would not let them log in with their credentials. Leaving a lot of people asking on Facebook and Google Plus what exactly was going on. And as quickly as it happened, it was resolved and Twitter was back up. However, they never posted a Blog or any tweets explaining exactly what happened.

Hopefully these two events are not connected, but for two services of this size to go down a day apart, it does seem a bit odd to say the least.

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#### UPDATE: Major Outage Hits Skype

Update, May 27, 2011 13:22 UTC - Skype moved to offer an updated version for Windows users that doesn't require to manually follow technical instructions to fix the problem. An update for the Mac version is planned for tomorrow. Linux users probably have to wait a bit longer for an update...

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#### UPDATE: Skype Hit by Another Outage

Update June 7, 2011 at 20:17PM UTC - According to the official Skype blog the company started to address the problem at around 14:00 UTC. At around 17:00 UTC the situation has somewhat stabilized. Skype again did not give an explanation as to why it had another outage. Also unlike...

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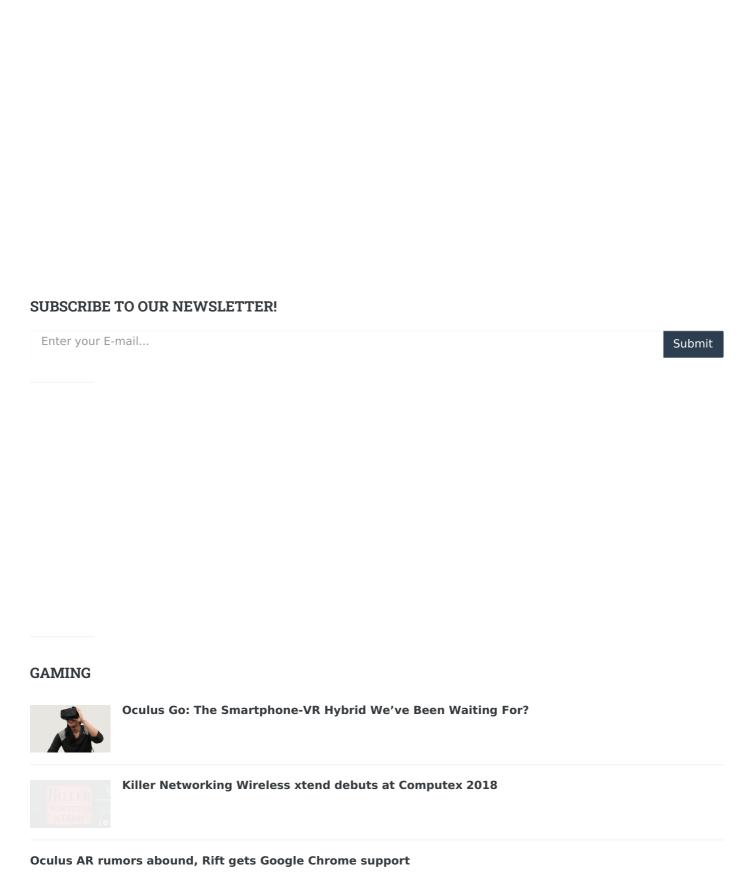
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