

Users are unable to access Facebook (Getty)

FACEBOOK DOWN: USERS COMPLAIN ANDROID APP VERSION OF SOCIAL MEDIA WEBSITE NOT WORKING

Some users took to Twitter to joke that the outage will boost global productivity

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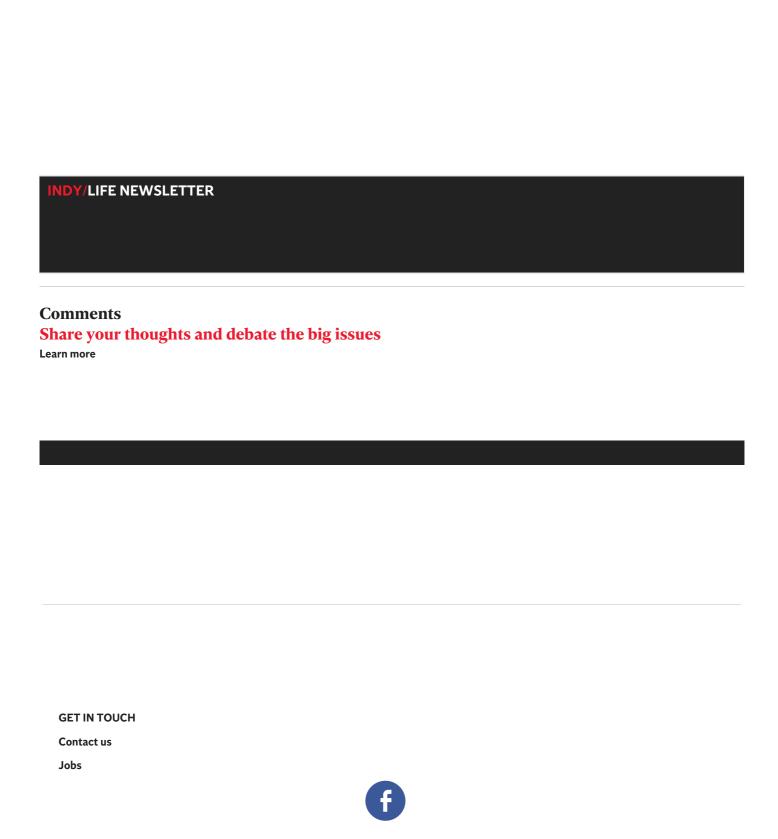


Social media users were unable to use Facebook on the Android smartphones earlier, after the app suffered a glitch.

Live graphs published by Down Detector, a website which tracks the status of websites, suggested that over 1,500 users experienced an outage at around 5pm (BST). These statistics have not been verified by Facebook.

A Facebook spokesperson told <i>The Independe</i> Android app had trouble loading notifications one of our updates. We quickly worked to res normal. We apologise to those affected for the	s and stories in News Fee olve the problem, and ou	d due to a technical issue with
Users took to rival website Twitter to air their	r frustratsions.	

Meanwhile, others joked that the outage will give global productivity a boost, and will allow users the opportunity to prize themselves away from technology.





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