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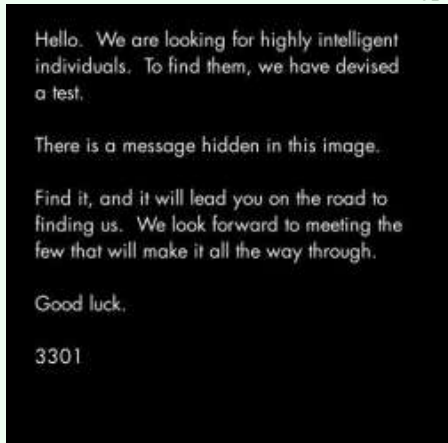
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☐ **Puzzle -> Solve It** **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:35:09 2012 No.4217623 [\[Reply\]](#) [\[Original\]](#) [\[archived.moe\]](#)

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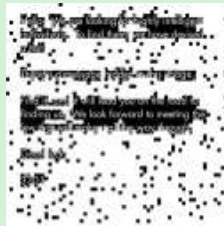
/b/ has been given a puzzle.

It is either a huge trolling effort, or a nice challenge. Either way - I'll just leave it here.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:40:40 2012 No.4217643  File: 74 KB, 509x503, Untitled.png [\[View same\]](#) [\[iqdb\]](#) [\[saucenao\]](#) [\[google\]](#) [\[report\]](#)

Quoted by: >>4217662 >>4217921 >>4217972

No idea what to do with the pattern.



>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:40:40 2012 No.4217645
Quoted by: >>4218603

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/gene/3301>

Work from there scrubs.

>> ☐ **OP** Thu Jan 5 01:43:03 2012 No.4217657
Quoted by: >>4217698 >>4217704 >>4218615

Also, this was decoded from the inside of the file:
<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:45:19 2012 No.4217662
Quoted by: >>4217690

[>>4217643](#)
It looks like The Game of Life for some reason.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:46:19 2012 No.4217665
Nope, go away.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:55:24 2012 No.4217689
Quoted by: >>4217710

If you open the image in notepad, the last bit of garbage says:
CAESAR says "lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

But, my work day has ended, fuck off.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** !x1aZpVg/mw Thu Jan 5 01:55:24 2012 No.4217690

>>4217662

does look GoLish, i can see a glider

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:55:24 2012 No.4217692

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Quoted by: >>4217706 >>4217732 >>4217867 >>4217964 >>4218130

This message shows up at the very end when reading it as Hex. Fuck if I know what that means

> UTIBErIVS CLAUDIVS CAESAR says "lxxt>>33m2qkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk" .

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:56:31 2012 No.4217698

Quoted by: >>4217701

>>4217657 <http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

Imageboard

Linking to image

WHAT THE FUCK, SERIOUSLY

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:57:39 2012 No.4217701

>>4217698

he's a redditor

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:58:47 2012 No.4217704

Guys. The message within the text is:
Tiberius Claudius Caesar says ... then the code.

A caesar cipher was used to decrypt it to the url given:

>>4217657

>>4217657

The duck image then left us confused. We aren't sure if its an ingenious troll, or a genuine puzzle.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** !x1aZpVg/mw Thu Jan 5 01:58:47 2012 No.4217706

Quoted by: >>4217711

>>4217692

convert the hex to ascii? there should be some online converters, or just post the hex here in a way we can copy/paste it

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 01:59:56 2012 No.4217710

Quoted by: >>4217718 >>4217728

>>4217689

TIBERIVS CLAUDIVS CAESAR says "lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:00:03 2012 No.4217711

>>4217706

>message has m q k y

>ITS HEX

delete your tripcode

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:03:27 2012 No.4217718

>>[4217710](#)

lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk

<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:06:44 2012 No.4217728

>>[4217710](#)

ceaser shift by 4

lxxt is probably http

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:08:59 2012 No.4217732

>>[4217692](#)

Obviously referring to the Caesar cipher.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:09:08 2012 No.4217736

Quoted by: >>[4217739](#)

>We are looking for highly intelligent individuals.

>Post this on /b/

either troll or retard.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:11:16 2012 No.4217739

>>[4217736](#)

You must be new. I used to post weekly cryptography threads on /sci/ when it was new and /b/ before that. They solved some hard stuff.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:37:27 2012 No.4217867

>>[4217692](#)

What about it having to do the 4th emperor. He had a speech disorder and it does state that he SAYS it.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:54:19 2012 No.4217921

Quoted by: >>[4217929](#)

>>[4217643](#)

I think the pattern has some significance.. Dunno what though

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:56:35 2012 No.4217929

Quoted by: >>[4217940](#) >>[4217956](#)

>>[4217921](#)

looks like game of life, maybe if you draw it on game of life it'll do something

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:57:44 2012 No.4217932

Quoted by: >>[4217937](#)

The message is 3301 not this bullshit you guys are chasing

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:58:51 2012 No.4217937

Quoted by: >>[4217941](#) >>[4217949](#) >>[4218030](#)

>>[4217932](#)
>>[4217932](#)
>>[4217932](#)

>message hidden in this image.

3301hurrurrurrurrurr

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:59:00 2012 No.4217940

>>[4217929](#)
too many cells I think

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 02:59:00 2012 No.4217941

>>[4217937](#)
sayidwehideinplanesight.jpg

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:00:00 2012 No.4217943

>m~~q~~kyv2
this bit in the code looks like it says mcgyver

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:02:24 2012 No.4217949

>>[4217937](#)

even so, 3301 is some vague shit, it could mean literally anything

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:03:31 2012 No.4217954

Quoted by: >>[4217959](#)

It's an encrypted RAR file. I opened it up and it was CP. (Reported, btw).

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:03:31 2012 No.4217956

>>[4217929](#)
nnope, all those spots will just disappear or become larger spots, nothing to see here

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:04:31 2012 No.4217959

>>[4217954](#)
>29kb
nice try

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:07:55 2012 No.4217964

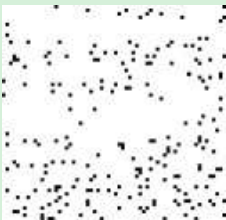
Quoted by: >>[4217692](#) >>[4217976](#) >>[4218216](#) >>[4218924](#)

<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

i recon its got something to do with this image, in that pink thing maybe, i'd do something, but this computer is so shit it can barely run chrome

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:10:12 2012 No.4217972

File: 5 KB, 512x496, heehey132572013594.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>[4217991](#) >>[4218053](#) >>[4218166](#) >>[4218275](#) >>[4219315](#)

The dots in >>[4217643](#)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:12:27 2012 No.4217976
Quoted by: >>4217992

[>>4217964](#)

The pink is just duck it seems..

>> ☐ **full !metalHJfCs** Thu Jan 5 03:16:59 2012 No.4217991

[>>4217972](#)

most of those are by themselves and would kill themselves in g2.

I doubt it has anything to do with the GoL

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:16:59 2012 No.4217992
Quoted by: >>4217997 >>4218006

[>>4217976](#)

looks so out of place though, must be something

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:17:07 2012 No.4217997

[>>4217992](#)

my thoughts exactly.

I can't find any message in the pink, though

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:19:23 2012 No.4218006
Quoted by: >>4218020

[>>4217992](#)

Not likely, the image is duplicated many places on the internet according to google, including the pink spot.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:24:56 2012 No.4218013
Quoted by: >>4218022 >>4218033

It's still possible it's a cypher, just not a Caesar shift as we thought.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:25:03 2012 No.4218020
Quoted by: >>4218031

[>>4218006](#)

we could convert this shit to hex like the other one, might even be another message

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:26:03 2012 No.4218022
Quoted by: >>4218150

[>>4218013](#)

maybe thats how the 3301 is relevant

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:27:20 2012 No.4218030

[>>4217937](#)

>too stupid to decode four numbers

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:27:20 2012 No.4218031
Quoted by: >>4218040

[>>4218020](#)

Tried, it's not as obvious as the last one at least..

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:28:27 2012 No.4218033

[>>4218013](#)

lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk
<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

looks like shift 4 to me

h i j k l
 t u v w x
 p q r s t

i can only assume 3 is /

2 works out to be .

all fits in

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:33:00 2012 No.4218040

[>>4218031](#)

upload a pic, see if we can make something of it

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:37:32 2012 No.4218053

Quoted by: >>4218063

[>>4217972](#)

How are we supposed to know that there aren't also black squares under the text and that you've omitted them? Cleaning that up seems impossible...

>> ☐ **anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:39:39 2012 No.4218058

Quoted by: >>4218065 >>4218068 >>4218078

Guys It easy u just have to find out all Tiberius Claudius Caesar quotes and then try to compare.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:40:48 2012 No.4218063

[>>4218053](#)

I was carfeul when I removed the text. All squares "inside" the text should be there. (there was some)
 They seem very consistent

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:41:55 2012 No.4218065

[>>4218058](#)

Veni, vidi, vici

This famous quote springs to mind

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:42:04 2012 No.4218068

[>>4218058](#)

<http://www.brainyquote.com/quotes/authors/t/tiberius.html>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:47:43 2012 No.4218076

Where are our torment players when you need them?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:48:43 2012 No.4218078

Quoted by: >>4218084

[>>4218058](#) Well I dont think that is the best solution, This shit is supposed to be I.Q test Not the test of general knowledge.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:49:52 2012 No.4218084

[>>4218078](#)
3301

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:51:07 2012 No.4218089

there's gotta be something that ties all this stuff together...

captcha: CND netweak

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:54:23 2012 No.4218096

Quoted by: >>4218113 >>4218878

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Traceback (most recent call last):
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/ext/webapp/_webapp25.py", line 701,
in __call__
  handler.get(*groups)
File "/base/data/home/apps/ffnp/1.355550137027778285/number.py", line 196, in get
  notes = db.Query(note.Note).filter('number_handle', handle).fetch(100)
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/ext/db/_init_.py", line 2084, in
  fetch
  return list(self.run(limit=limit, offset=offset, **kwargs))
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/ext/db/_init_.py", line 2237, in
  next
  return self.__model_class.from_entity(self.__iterator.next())
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/datastore/datastore_query.py"
, line 2655, in next
  next_batch = self.__batcher.next()
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/datastore/datastore_query.py"
, line 2525, in next
  return self.next_batch(self.AT_LEAST_ONE)
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/datastore/datastore_query.py"
, line 2562, in next_batch
  batch = self.__next_batch.get_result()
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/api/apiproxy_stub_map.py"&#44
; line 592, in get_result
  return self.__get_result_hook(self)
File "/base/python_runtime/python_lib/versions/1/google/appengine/datastore/datastore_query.py"
, line 2317, in __query_result_hook
  self._conn.check_rpc_success(rpc)
File
```

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 03:58:56 2012 No.4218113

Quoted by: >>4218128

[>>4218096](#)

what the fuck am i reading

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:02:20 2012 No.4218124

Quoted by: >>4218133 >>4218138 >>4218139 >>4218143

ok

So i used subsequent ceaser cipher decrpts of shifts of 3 then 3 then nothing (for zero) then 1 (which leaves it unchanged)

This gives this url:

HTTP>33I2IMGUR2COM3M=S]K2JPG

I don't know what = or] could be

however I don't know what = and] could correspond to?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:02:27 2012 No.4218128

[>>4218113](#)

The answer

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:03:27 2012 No.4218130

[>>4217692](#)

Wasn't one of the smartest things people did in a long time, and by smartest I mean deductive smart, was crack the enigma code?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:03:35 2012 No.4218133

Quoted by: >>4218138

[>>4218124](#)

So that's [http://i.imgur.com/M=S\]K.jpg](http://i.imgur.com/M=S]K.jpg)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:06:51 2012 No.4218138

[>>4218124](#)

[>>4218133](#)

Learn to read the thread. God damn. I'm not even participating and it's embarrassing to watch you.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:06:51 2012 No.4218139

[>>4218124](#)

[HTTP://I.IMGUR.COM/M=S\]K.JPG](http://i.imgur.com/M=S]K.JPG)

where 2 = .
where 3 = /

shits heading towards <http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:07:00 2012 No.4218143

Quoted by: >>4218155 >>4218183

[>>4218124](#)

Using the Caesar cipher gave the Imgur link with the duck.

Its either just a troll, a decoy or the duck is more important I.E the pink pixels.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:10:15 2012 No.4218150

Quoted by: >>4218157

[>>4218022](#)

There are a lot of cyphers, and according to my Code Book (by Simon Singh) the Caesar Shift is one of the easiest.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:11:31 2012 No.4218155

Quoted by: >>4218169

[>>4218143](#)

Who said it was pink and not perhaps purple?

in hex #3301 is=to a blueish color but one of the analogous colors of of this shade is #9a00, which is the same purple in the picture

So, 9a00, if you think it has any relevance. I don't

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:12:31 2012 No.4218157

[>>4218150](#)

its the sorta cipher you get with a happy meal

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:13:39 2012 No.4218160

Quoted by: >>4218174 >>4218188 >>4218202

[>>OP](#)

Really guys this type of test suck, It privilege persons with good IT skills. HOW the fuck I am supposed to know what is Traceback,subsequent ceaser, etc... I am definitely not Math oriented. this task is stupid --> fuck that secret company or what is it.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:14:48 2012 No.4218166

[>>4217972](#)

Is it Morse Code?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:15:55 2012 No.4218167

Has anyone run a steganograph program on the image yet?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:15:55 2012 No.4218169

[>>4218155](#)

its the only link we have to 3301, so its something

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:17:12 2012 No.4218174

[>>4218160](#)

>I am definitely not Math oriented
>posting on /sci/

ISHYGDDT

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:21:43 2012 No.4218183

Quoted by: >>4218208

[>>4218143](#)

It would seem that the Tiberius Caesar part would be the decoy, leading us to use the Caesar shift, thus the duck.

Again, there are many more cyphers.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:23:52 2012 No.4218188

Quoted by: >>4218200

[>>4218160](#)

Iam also able to prove that. I will give u another stupid task(I will use my native language, make u realised how hard is this shit for me) and if u solved it u will be able to trace my domicile.
Bydlím v zemi krásné

Pod velkým kopcem svatým
Vždyť je to přece jasné
V ulici, po umělci pokřetěným.
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>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:26:07 2012 No.4218196
File: 65 KB, 1118x634, duck.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4218201

So has anyone actually checked this image
thoroughly? (the duck)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:27:23 2012 No.4218200
Quoted by: >>4218222

[>>4218188](#)

I live in a beautiful country
Under the great hill saints
After all, it was obvious
The street, the artists pokřetěným.

google translate can fuck right off

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:27:23 2012 No.4218201

[>>4218196](#)

THATS THE SPIRIT

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:27:23 2012 No.4218202
Quoted by: >>4218250

[>>4218160](#)

>, It privilege persons with good IT skills

The point is that's the sort of person they're looking for, not just someone who's done a few cryptic
crosswords.

I know google have done this sort of recruitment before

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:28:31 2012 No.4218208
Quoted by: >>4218216 >>4218485

[>>4218183](#)

Two more considerations:

1) The notepad text led to the Caesar Shift duck - taken at face value, this could mean we should
reconsider the 3301 and dot pattern and look in other areas

2) The duck may actually be a decoy, in that the image really is the next clue...

Question, has anyone tried the notepad trick with the duck image - the end text may contain the next clue...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:31:47 2012 No.4218216
Quoted by: >>4218221 >>4218257 >>4218485

[>>4218208](#)

Just had another thought:

3rd consideration:

> UTIBErIVS CLAVDIVS CAESAR says "lxx<>>33m2qkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

this is not hex and would cause corruption within the image...

Maybe the purple on the duck is due to non-hex code corruption...

Find the code causing the odd color within the image - find the next clue - is my thought...

>> ☐ **full !metalHJfCs** Thu Jan 5 04:33:03 2012 No.4218221

Quoted by: >>4218229

[>>4218216](#)

>this is not hex

I get what you're saying, but all digital information can be expressed in hex

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:33:03 2012 No.4218222

[>>4218200](#)

U know nothing lord Snow

2 more help from me. In this context mean pokřtěný name as(also babtised). Under the great hill saints indicated the place (village) But u are still fucked up

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:36:20 2012 No.4218229

Quoted by: >>4218246

[>>4218221](#)

the non hex data was most likely just added to the file manually by the user, meaning the image won't be corrupted, hence the lack of corruption in the original pic

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:37:35 2012 No.4218233

Quoted by: >>4218257 >>4218273 >>4218294 >>4218577 >>4218857

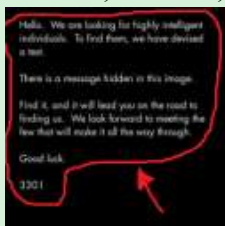
lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk

33m2mqkyv2gsq3q

this ^ part of the script might be a deep web link

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:38:35 2012 No.4218234

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I take it that doesn't count?

>> ☐ **full !metalHJfCs** Thu Jan 5 04:39:51 2012 No.4218246

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Quoted by: >>4218273 >>4218281 >>4218338

[>>4218229](#)

something of note in the duck image, right at the end in hex.

morse code?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:40:51 2012 No.4218250

File: 11 KB, 128x160, 1-1226952-7352-t.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]

[>>4218202](#) btw its not cryptic just poetic, but as I said u have no chance to solve it because u dont have geography info about my country. SEE?. They are also looking for high intelligent persons not for it



experts

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:41:00 2012 No.4218257

[>>4218233](#)

That part is already solved. Pay attention.

[>>4218216](#)

How would we know what part it is? Edit and check for differences?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:41:00 2012 No.4218258

Quoted by: >>4218509

Random thoughts...

3301 is prime... so an decryption key?

The duck has a purple colour on it: There is a cipher machine called PURPLE.

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Purple_\(cipher_machine\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Purple_(cipher_machine))

find out more here <http://www.hut-six.co.uk/purple/index.html>

you can download a simulator and it uses a 5 digit key

again... doesn't look promising to me but I'm just posting it in case it makes sense to anyone else.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:43:15 2012 No.4218272

File: 139 KB, 665x318, alphabet.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4218319 >>4218329 >>4219401

I've found this string of letters in the original image. It's alphabetical and is done in upper and lowercase, too much to be a coincidence?

CDEFGHIJSTUVWXYZ cdefghijstuvwxy

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:43:15 2012 No.4218273

[>>4218246](#)

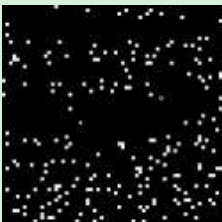
could well be, where dashes are displayed as the squares im assuming?

[>>4218233](#)

open TOR and try and get to it

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:44:15 2012 No.4218275

File: 5 KB, 512x496, wat.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4218318 >>4218372 >>4218467

[>>4217972](#)

I got some random artifacts while messing around with this, which I guess means that you messed up the colors on those areas, if that even matters.

>> ☐ **Imhotep** !jE19dxWPqM Thu Jan 5 04:45:24 2012 No.4218281

Quoted by: >>4218287

>>[4218246](#)

That bit at the end is probably hidden data. If it is another image, or an encrypted URL, I do not know. Someone should try to build an image out of it.

>> ☐ **full !metalHJfCs** Thu Jan 5 04:46:32 2012 No.4218287

>>[4218281](#)

it's too repetitive and simple.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:47:39 2012 No.4218293

Quoted by: >>[4218304](#)

So does anybody here know Morse code off hand?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:47:47 2012 No.4218294

>>[4218233](#)

no I think that has to be 16 characters - there are only 15 there.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:49:56 2012 No.4218304

>>[4218293](#)

doubt it, but this is the internet, and moorse code is some old shit, it'll be on wikipedia atleast

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:50:03 2012 No.4218318

>>[4218275](#)

Oh fuck. Yes I may have chosen the wrong color.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:50:03 2012 No.4218319

Quoted by: >>[4218354](#)

>>[4218272](#)

how do you open a program or image as a Hex good sir?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:52:11 2012 No.4218329

Quoted by: >>[4218332](#) >>[4218352](#)

>>[4218272](#)

Morse code translates to:

CN/INN/INN/INN (/INN keeps repeating)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:52:20 2012 No.4218332

Quoted by: >>[4218341](#)

>>[4218329](#)

tried inverting it (you may have dots vs. dashes wrong)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:53:27 2012 No.4218338

Quoted by: >>[4218352](#)

>>[4218246](#)

morse code translation, looks repetetive:

N/INN/INN/INN/INN/

Using the boxes as dash, dots as dots

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:54:27 2012 No.4218341
Quoted by: >>4218352

[>>4218332](#)
Inverted

AAI AAI AAI A

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:55:43 2012 No.4218352

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[>>4218338](#)
[>>4218341](#)

doesn't look like its moorse code

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:55:43 2012 No.4218353
Quoted by: >>4218355

Rotate the image and save it. Check the hex again.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:56:43 2012 No.4218354
Quoted by: >>4218367

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[>>4218319](#)

With your favorite hex editor

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:56:43 2012 No.4218355

[>>4218353](#)

this

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:56:43 2012 No.4218357
Quoted by: >>4218386 >>4218614

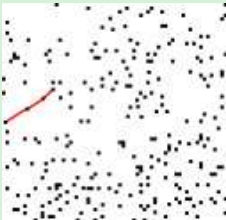
Don't what this means or if its even relevant but just chipping in a bit.

"Some reports say that the octal equivalent (3301) was the password to Xerox PARC's main computer."

That was from the wikipedia page of number 1729.

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1729_\(number\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1729_(number)).

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:56:51 2012 No.4218360
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Quoted by: >>4218364 >>4218373 >>4218375 >>4218384 >>4218388

I ran some advanced tracing algorithms.
I think you guy's will want to see this.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:57:51 2012 No.4218364

[>>4218360](#)
i lol'd

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:58:00 2012 No.4218367
Quoted by: >>4218374 >>4218378

[>>4218354](#)

any program name you could recomend?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:58:00 2012 No.4218372

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Space invaders!?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:58:00 2012 No.4218373

[>>4218360](#)

lol'd hard

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:58:00 2012 No.4218374

Quoted by: >>4218394

[>>4218367](#)

ghex in linux

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 04:59:07 2012 No.4218375

[>>4218360](#)

Fucking lol.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:00:16 2012 No.4218378

Quoted by: >>4218394

[>>4218367](#)

I suggest Hex Workshop

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:00:16 2012 No.4218380

Quoted by: >>4218395 >>4218401 >>4218413

Did anyone notice that there are four distinct bodies of text and four numbers at the bottom, Im trying to see if they are just trying to cue SOMETHING based on that line of thinking. So far doesnt seem to be yielding anything (Plus, in a counting system, 0 tends to create problems)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:01:16 2012 No.4218384

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lol! you got me there anon.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:01:16 2012 No.4218386

[>>4218357](#)

hmmm... vignere cipher w/ PARC as the key? I'll check it out...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:02:24 2012 No.4218388

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>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:03:31 2012 No.4218394

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[>>4218374](#)

thanks, bros

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:03:31 2012 No.4218395

Quoted by: >>4218401

[>>4218380](#)

you may be onto something

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:05:47 2012 No.4218401

Quoted by: >>4218423

[>>4218380](#)

[>>4218395](#)

Im no good with number-systems, anyone know of a way to convert 3301 to something relevant and get rid of the 0? what does it look like in hex?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:05:47 2012 No.4218402

Quoted by: >>4218410

1033 = loss ?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:06:55 2012 No.4218410

[>>4218402](#)

get the fuck out

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:06:55 2012 No.4218413

[>>4218380](#)

Have you tried steganography? Could try using the phrases you found as passwords?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:07:04 2012 No.4218415

Quoted by: >>4218418

3301 in hex comes out to 13057 in decimal and 0011001100000001 in binary. I dont think the binary is going to come out to anything interesting in Morse code, and the decimal notation still has that damn 0

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:07:04 2012 No.4218418

Quoted by: >>4218432

[>>4218415](#)

Why is the zero bad?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:08:11 2012 No.4218423

Quoted by: >>4218430

[>>4218401](#)

3301 is a valid hexadecimal number

however the decimal 3301 in hex is ce5

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:08:11 2012 No.4218426
Quoted by: >>4218439

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1280s_BC

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:10:19 2012 No.4218430
Quoted by: >>4218442 >>4218453

[>>4218423](#)

If the caesar cipher was +4 (I think?), why not do the same to that number?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:10:28 2012 No.4218432
Quoted by: >>4218556 >>4218580 >>4218597

[>>4218418](#)

in steganography you sometimes rely on a counting system, and zero fucks up counting systems because it can either mean 1 (and every other number is +1) or another instance of the previous result.

Either way, the Third of the first two and the first of the last text block spells "leg" not much of a help. Thought I was on to something before I realized the duck pic didnt have a leg.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:10:28 2012 No.4218433
Quoted by: >>4218485

The image of the duck is from:

www.frostwaterfowl.com/products/carved_decoys/carved_wooden_decoys.htm

A carved decoy store. The duck already has the purple on it, it wasn't placed there.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:11:28 2012 No.4218437
Quoted by: >>4218449 >>4218485

That purple thing is of no value, that picture is likely (NOT DEFINITELY) to be a decoy telling you to go back to the original picture. Look up decoy on google, and you should find that exact picture.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:11:35 2012 No.4218439

[>>4218426](#)

doesnt really help much...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:12:35 2012 No.4218442
Quoted by: >>4218458

[>>4218430](#)

4 in base 16 = 4 in base 10

so its still 4

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:13:44 2012 No.4218449
Quoted by: >>4218452

[>>4218437](#)

or maybe the text in the duck picture has the same encoding strategy as the original pic.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:14:51 2012 No.4218452

[>>4218449](#)

reported for not keeping up, enjoy your ban

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:14:51 2012 No.4218453
Quoted by: >>4218476

[>>4218430](#)
+3

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:16:00 2012 No.4218458
Quoted by: >>4218473

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[>>4218442](#)

I meant to 3301. And since the correction was made by an anon, that would be 6634?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:17:15 2012 No.4218467
Quoted by: >>4218482 >>4218518 >>4218958

[>>4218275](#)

Try rotating the image in 90 degree increments and the superimposing them on eachother to create an Aztec or boilerplate barcode.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:18:24 2012 No.4218473

[>>4218458](#)

could be, im thinking the ceaser cipher was part of a seperate puzzle though, it lead us to the duck, now we need to figure out what the fuck to do with the duck

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:18:24 2012 No.4218476
Quoted by: >>4218498

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<http://www.color-hex.com/color/6634>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:20:31 2012 No.4218482

[>>4218467](#)

this

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:20:40 2012 No.4218485
Quoted by: >>4218502 >>4218509

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[>>4218216](#)

[>>4218433](#)
[>>4218437](#)

I guess the decoy image is really just a decoy image. Although why that image should have a pink color is beyond me. It seems a little too useful as a means of sidetracking us to examine the decoy pic itself.

As to the problem at hand:

What cyphers work off a numeric key? The 3301 may not be part of the cypher itself, just the password.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:21:40 2012 No.4218488

Duck's hex color is #CC77DD, give or take.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:23:55 2012 No.4218498

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same but ce5 <http://www.color-hex.com/color/ccee55>
hexidecimal representation of 3301 assuming 3301 is base 10

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:23:55 2012 No.4218502

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try 6634

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:24:04 2012 No.4218503

Quoted by: >>4218524 >>4218556 >>4218597

<http://www.leog.net/>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:24:04 2012 No.4218505

The color was already there.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:25:11 2012 No.4218509

Quoted by: >>4218529

[>>4218485](#)
maybe purple is the name of the cipher machine and 3301 is the decryption key?
[>>4218258](#)
[>>4218258](#)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:26:20 2012 No.4218517

Quoted by: >>4218526 >>4218527 >>4218583 >>4218595

In case nobody noticed, the text blocks have 16, 8, 24, and 2 words respectively in that order. Seems too ordered to have no significance.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:27:20 2012 No.4218518

[>>4218467](#)
That'd be great if someone could do this.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:28:27 2012 No.4218524

Quoted by: >>4218541

[>>4218503](#)
? Page source is essentially blank.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:28:36 2012 No.4218526

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[>>4218517](#)

thats pretty interesting

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:28:36 2012 No.4218527

Quoted by: >>4218533 >>4218538 >>4218562 >>4218576

[>>4218517](#)
Maybe the pattern is $(3301)x(1/2)x(3)x(1/12)$ repeated until you reach an arbitrary value (zero or one?) to create a hex code which translates to a message?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:29:36 2012 No.4218529

Quoted by: >>4218538 >>4218544

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no the key is 5 digit. Also I think this simulator is way too complicated to run for it to be related.

Perhaps the duck really does have nothing to do with it - my bet would be concentrating on the original image. perhaps the duck really is just a decoy

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:29:36 2012 No.4218533

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Sad thing is, even though I proposed this, Im too lazy to do it, anyone here living in a place where the sun isnt about to rise?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:31:51 2012 No.4218538

Quoted by: >>4218559

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you seem to actually know what you're talking about, what do you think of this solution? > [>>4218527](#)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:32:59 2012 No.4218541

Quoted by: >>4218548

[>>4218524](#)

How the fuck do we see what that transparent gif image is?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:32:59 2012 No.4218543

File: 368 KB, 900x1099, 3301line.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4218551

Shifting bits and bytes from around line/chunk 3301

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:33:08 2012 No.4218544

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The duck is a decoy. Duck decoy - Too obvious. Someone was saying on /b/ that the decoy images is a hint to what steganography tool was used to place a message inside the original image.

Steganography seems to make sense to me, if you look at images of before and after images of it being applied. The images get slightly pixilated, just like the background of the original image.

Anyone know any steganography tools that can be related to the decoy image?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:34:15 2012 No.4218548

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Its nothing, if you open it its 1x1 pixels

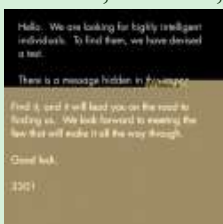
>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:35:15 2012 No.4218551

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that is the sorta thing id expect to see from shifting a small portion of an images hexadecimal data 4 chars

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:36:24 2012 No.4218555

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Quoted by: >>4218613

Wider chunk surrounding 3301. There's some neo-reader?? pattern in same place as 3301 but it's probably nothing. Though the exact same area highlights up quite often

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:37:32 2012 No.4218556

Quoted by: >>4218597

>>[4218503](#)

HOLY SHIT

do we have proof that this is actually related to this puzzle? because I just realized that if you use the 0 as an o with the method I used here>>[4218432](#) you get the fucking URL

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:38:39 2012 No.4218559

Quoted by: >>[4218562](#)

>>[4218538](#)

HA! lol no I don't.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:39:48 2012 No.4218562

Quoted by: >>[4218584](#)

>>[4218559](#)

Im just trying to unify our efforts. Ive been poking around with basic Steganography and Im getting what seem to be results. If you are a wiz with hex, mind giving this >>[4218527](#) a shot?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:43:20 2012 No.4218576

>>[4218527](#)

Just tried chugging this out a little. It doesnt terminate at 1, and there are too many messy decimals to get any real info out.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:43:20 2012 No.4218577

Quoted by: >>[4218585](#) >>[4218608](#)

>>[4218233](#)

Perhaps someone with tor should try this, worth a shot :)
(sorry for not keeping to date been paranoid with deep web)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:43:20 2012 No.4218578

is it just me or is there something purple sticking out from the decoy ducks wing?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:44:20 2012 No.4218580

Quoted by: >>[4218587](#)

Cathetus, in geometry, "leg" lines that form angles or triangles

>>[4218432](#)

got this from wikipedia

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:45:27 2012 No.4218583

>>[4218517](#)

convert this to hex and you get 22, 8, 36, and 2. Not really any pattern there.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:45:27 2012 No.4218584

Quoted by: >>[4218586](#) >>[4218591](#)

>>[4218562](#)

gave it a shot `for you - didn't go anywhere :(

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:45:27 2012 No.4218585

>>[4218577](#)

it was my idea, and i have tor, so i'll try
probably will get no results

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:45:35 2012 No.4218586

[>>4218584](#)

Thanks for trying.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:46:35 2012 No.4218587
Quoted by: >>4218594 >>4218596

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3301 Happens to be a Pythagorean triple :

$$3301^2 = 1501^2 + 2940^2$$

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:47:44 2012 No.4218591

[>>4218584](#)

Ty for trying mate :)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:47:44 2012 No.4218594

[>>4218587](#)

shit, so now we have the infamous legs I guess? I have no idea where this is going.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:47:44 2012 No.4218595

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What are those in binary?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:48:51 2012 No.4218596
Quoted by: >>4218602 >>4218603

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15012940 mean anything to anyone?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:48:51 2012 No.4218597

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Quoted by: >>4218857

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[>>4218503](#)

[>>4218556](#)

Nice find.

Pic shows the contents of the transparent.gif file.

Question - why is there a webpage on the net containing only a 1x1 pixel image for no apparent reason?
Coincidence?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:50:07 2012 No.4218602

[>>4218596](#)

Im trying to bend these numbers a little and find corresponding patterns in the text, so far nothing though.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:51:15 2012 No.4218603
Quoted by: >>4218606

[>>4217645](#)

[>>4218596](#)

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/15012940>

lol I don't suppose mongooses have anything to do with this...?!

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:52:15 2012 No.4218606

[>>4218603](#)
doubtful

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:52:15 2012 No.4218607
Quoted by: >>4218614

Tidbit: 3301 in octal is 1729, which is the smallest number than can be represented in two different ways as the sum of two cubes.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:52:15 2012 No.4218608
Quoted by: >>4218631

my tor didn't get the connection, perhaps someone with better internet than 5mb should do it and post results
[>>4218577](#)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:53:24 2012 No.4218613

[>>4218555](#)
those that square that is broken down into four more squares looks like a gmask thing. However, four is not enough to mask anything, and you can manually solve that in paint. The only problem is, you can't solve it. There must be more bricks, and it would be a working Gmask.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:53:31 2012 No.4218614

[>>4218607](#)

Thats already been said

See [>>4218357](#)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:53:31 2012 No.4218615
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Quoted by: >>4218622 >>4218629

[>>4217657](#)
go back to reddit.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:55:47 2012 No.4218622
Quoted by: >>4218630

[>>4218615](#)
dat thundertights

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:58:04 2012 No.4218629

[>>4218615](#)
that is juju salimeni, she's from Brazil in case someone want sauce

(inb4 go back to /b/)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:59:11 2012 No.4218630

[>>4218622](#)
>not noticing dem quads

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 05:59:11 2012 No.4218631

[>>4218608](#)

.onion domains have 16 character domains the one you're trying has only 15.

I googled 16, 8, 24, 2

The first thing that came up was about colour depth, could this be related? It only spoke about 8 16 and 24, no idea what it means but I guessed 2 would probably be black and white?

I may be miles off so feel free to ignore.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 06:12:40 2012 No.4218662

[>>4218660](#)

Yeah, you want to try to find a system; a rhyme to the reason so you can decode whatever the fuck is going on here.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 06:12:40 2012 No.4218663

File: 8 KB, 216x234, 1285944553601.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



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If you shift the image to the right using these patterns and then transpose the image matrix, then you get the answer.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 06:15:04 2012 No.4218669

Quoted by: [>>4218671](#)

well, Im done, Im starting to see patterns that I can quickly prove dont exist. Time to pack it in.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 06:17:20 2012 No.4218671

[>>4218669](#)

Disappointing as it may be... I think I'm also done for the night. Good luck... if it does turn out to be soluble, please archive the result thanks.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 06:45:31 2012 No.4218710

Quoted by: [>>4218754](#)

I'm working on it still.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:05:56 2012 No.4218754

Quoted by: [>>4218761](#)

[>>4218710](#)

any luck?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:08:20 2012 No.4218761

Quoted by: [>>4218805](#) [>>4218857](#)

[>>4218754](#)

I've spent the last 20 minutes reading about everybody else's efforts and have been ignorantly following along.

>Employ your time in improving yourself by other men's writings, so that you shall gain easily what others have labored hard for. - Socrates

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:23:04 2012 No.4218805

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[>>4218761](#)

Alright, done.

I can't solve it with what I know. Whoever is hiring is probably looking for somebody

with a lot more knowledge when it comes to computers and/or coding than me - and that's not saying a lot.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:28:35 2012 No.4218811

fake and gay

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:42:11 2012 No.4218826

Quoted by: >>4218857

[>>4218659](#)

I'd also like to know how this site was found.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:53:40 2012 No.4218857

Quoted by: >>4218899

[>>4218761](#)

>Employ your time in improving yourself by other men's writings, so that you shall gain easily what others have labored hard for. - Socrates

Pretty much all I've done this thread - as well as summarizing current efforts here and there for the benefit of newcomers.

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Here:

[>>4218597](#)

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Yet another observation - if 33m2mqkyv2gsq3q may be an incomplete deep web address, the 3301 may provide a clue as to the last digit. A 7 or a 0 or perhaps a unicode symbol...

This is unlikely to yield results, since the tor address thing is a long shot at best and surrounded by conflicting data...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:56:56 2012 No.4218869

Quoted by: >>4218875 >>4218890

σ is 3301 in unicode... Anyone got some info they would like to share about that symbol?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 07:59:20 2012 No.4218875

[>>4218869](#)

In QM, we use σ for the Pauli matrices; in EM we typically use it for conductivity; and in statistics, σ is the standard deviation.

Not sure how that helps you lol.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:00:27 2012 No.4218878

[>>4218096](#)

> using python

not using based perl

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:04:52 2012 No.4218885

I GOT IT, I GOT IT!

OP is a fag.

brb, throwing on some nice clothes, combing my hair, and heading down to the gay club to interview for my new high-paying job!

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:06:07 2012 No.4218890

Quoted by: >>4218897 >>4218899 >>4218913

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Lowercase greek letter sigma - 18th letter in the Greek alphabet.
Corresponds to r as the 18th letter of the English alphabet forwards or i backwards.

As a symbol:
(mathematics, statistics) The symbol for standard deviation.
(linguistics, phonology) The symbol for a syllable.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:09:31 2012 No.4218897

[>>4218890](#)

could it have something to do with 6-sigma maybe? just throwing that out there, and if it's a company that might have significance.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:10:31 2012 No.4218899

Quoted by: >>4218915

[>>4218857](#)

[>>4218890](#)

If σ is meant as an 18th letter, then the tor address may be 33m2mqkyv2gsq3q(r) or 33m2mqkyv2gsq3q(i)

Personally I believe the CAESAR text holds the real point of this problem. It led to the duck with a caesar shift, so the question is what it may lead to with other approaches.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:10:31 2012 No.4218900

Quoted by: >>4218914 >>4218938 >>4219315

3301 is the steg key. remove #000000 from the image, and decode the various 8x8 pixel blocks based on position of color #010101. i thought you guys were smart

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:16:11 2012 No.4218913

[>>4218890](#)

it's the symbol used for minimum distance decoding in algebraic coding theory

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:16:20 2012 No.4218914

Quoted by: >>4218922 >>4218942

[>>4218900](#)

And? Post results nigger....

Personally I think we're thinking too elaborate. A simple Caesar shift led to the duck image... What other forms of cypher could be used - especially ones based around the number 3301?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:16:20 2012 No.4218915

Quoted by: >>4218942

[>>4218899](#)

but the duck image says

>"just decoys THIS WAY, looks like you can't figure out how to get the message out"

meaning that method will only lead to decoys, and there's something else to be extracted

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:21:51 2012 No.4218922

[>>4218914](#)

3301/sigma is probably just the handle of the guy who made the puzzle; it's his signature

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:21:51 2012 No.4218924

Quoted by: >>4218945

Lets start fresh, what could
CLAUDIVS CAESAR says "lxt>>33m2qkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

be besides a Caesar shift?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:22:59 2012 No.4218928

Quoted by: >>4218932

Intelligence allows people to make educated guesses, in reality the greatest discoveries come down to luck. Intelligence only increases your luck in the discovery.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:24:15 2012 No.4218932

[>>4218928](#)

I would have to say that intelligence can DRASTICALLY improve the likelihood of discovering something. For example, professors that publish in Nature / Science often tend to do so fairly consistently, whereas most are lucky to get one in their careers. But yea, luck's definitely involved.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:25:15 2012 No.4218934

Also what test did the people who you are going to meet have to pass to prove their intelligence? Did they simply assume they are of the high intelligence required or does the secret simply lead to some kind of place in which the people you are meeting are your fellow puzzle solvers?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:26:24 2012 No.4218938

[>>4218900](#)

Thanks.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:28:40 2012 No.4218942

Quoted by: >>4219025

[>>4218914](#)

Possible ciphers - monoalphabetic substitution - caesar shift - Vigenere cipher - from then on they're rather complex and I don't fully understand them myself...

[>>4218915](#)

On one hand I think the caesar message is too important to be discarded - currently as the only approach that has yielded results of any kind...

On the other the wording of the decoy image:

>looks like you can't figure out how to get the message out

is ambiguous but could be taken to mean that pursuing the caesar message is wrong and there are other approaches to extracting the right info, or that the caesar message is the correct path but using the wrong approach to the message, indicating the need for another type of cypher.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:29:48 2012 No.4218945

Quoted by: >>4218952 >>4219179

[>>4218924](#)

a Vigenère cipher based on the letters of "CLAUDIVUS" "CAESAR" or both?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:31:04 2012 No.4218952

Quoted by: >>4218973

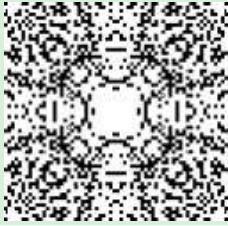
[>>4218945](#)

Can't believe haven't thought of that yet, workin on it now

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:31:04 2012 No.4218954

TIBERIVS CLAVDIVS CAESAR says "lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:32:11 2012 No.4218958
File: 8 KB, 512x496, flip.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4219064

>>4218467

done

90/180/270 rotate plus horizontal and vertical
flips

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:33:20 2012 No.4218962

Quoted by: >>4219105

Nobody seems to have realized yet that the string at the end of the image file is:
TIBERIVS CLAVDIVS CAESAR says "lxxt>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

There's also "Tiberius" in there - that could make a difference!

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:38:52 2012 No.4218973

>>4218952

Just tried all 4 as keys with no luck, gonna try substituting the V's for U's, on a related note what language did they speak at that point was it italian or latin? and if latin how many letters are in that alphabet and do you guys think that might play a role in the encryption

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:40:07 2012 No.4218983

Quoted by: >>4218997

OK, I've gotten to a point where my head hurts. This seems to be related in some way to the RSA algorithm. I've extracted a private key, decrypted a jumble of letters and numbers in various ways that I either: don't understand, or it's just a jumble of letters and numbers that could be put together in various ways. My only conclusion is that there's WAY more beyond the initiation phase of this puzzle...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:43:31 2012 No.4218994

Quoted by: >>4219037

Also, I believe that this puzzle was constructed to find individuals that excel at observation as well as math logic.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:44:40 2012 No.4218997

Quoted by: >>4219017 >>4219063

>>4218983

How did you extract a key?? And also, how do you know it's a key?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:46:47 2012 No.4219007

File: 22 KB, 479x422, 09inokl.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



A puzzle within a puzzle.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:47:56 2012 No.4219013

I doubt that if it's a deep web link the emplotment would be anything close to legal anyways.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:48:03 2012 No.4219017

>>4218997

I've tried many different primes, an inversion of 3301 (1033) seemed to make the most sense. I also might not be looking hard enough.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:50:19 2012 No.4219025

File: 16 KB, 711x351, Vigenere.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



>>[4218942](#)

Attached are the results of mucking around with Vigenere found on <http://rumkin.com/tools/cipher/vigenere-keyed.php>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:52:35 2012 No.4219035

www.3301.com ?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:53:35 2012 No.4219037

Quoted by: >>[4219050](#)

>>[4218994](#)

No. It's shit.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:56:59 2012 No.4219050

>>[4219037](#)

You're just mad because you probably have a prestigious degree in some money-making field, but can't solve an easy image steganography.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:57:08 2012 No.4219054

File: 17 KB, 1100x395, Wjjfk049MMNJFkj456.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>[4219070](#) >>[4219071](#)

You guys.

I made this over a year ago and posted it to various places of the web/deep web. I am crying right now I swear I am fucking crying I can't believe nobody has been able to get it. I can't believe the emptiness I experienced finding this on /b/ today. The solution is defunct and was as of 6 months ago.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 08:59:23 2012 No.4219062

Quoted by: >>[4219069](#) >>[4219081](#)

>>[OP](#)

This is either part of the puzzle or the creator(s) aren't too smart themselves.

There shouldn't be a comma after "Find it".

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:00:23 2012 No.4219063

>>[4218997](#)

Forgot to give you a link.

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/RSA_\(algorithm\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/RSA_(algorithm))

You can also just google it.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:00:32 2012 No.4219064

Quoted by: >>[4219079](#)

>>[4218958](#)

What happens if you rotate each quarter by 90 degrees... and hit it with a QR code scanner? Just curious.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:01:32 2012 No.4219069

>>[4219062](#)

That comma isn't necessary, but isn't nonsensical to be there.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:01:32 2012 No.4219070

>>[4219054](#)

Then post it solution or it didn't happen and fail troll is fail.

Interesting filename too: >Wjjfk049MMNJFkj456

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:01:40 2012 No.4219071

>>[4219054](#)

could not be the case.

The duck image was uploaded to imgur 11 hours ago.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:02:47 2012 No.4219079

Quoted by: >>[4219087](#)

>>[4219064](#)

tried and tried. nothing. sorry.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:03:47 2012 No.4219081

>>[4219062](#)

Yes there should, grammatical newfriend.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:04:55 2012 No.4219086

<http://rumkin.com/tools/cipher/affine.php>

Check this shit out guys - coprime numbers for a can be 3 and 1 - hence 3301....

Just gonna toss shit and see what sticks.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:05:04 2012 No.4219087

File: 28 KB, 406x391, 1188415731416.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



>>[4219079](#)

Hmm.. Interesting. I see someone else thought of that before me.

This is entertaining.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:07:11 2012 No.4219091

At this point, I'm pretty sure it's just a huge trolling effort...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:07:11 2012 No.4219092

File: 8 KB, 245x251, 1308979335811.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>[4219146](#)

Anyone else remember Operation Falcon Punch?

http://encyclopediadramatica.ch/Operation_Falcon_Punch

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:12:51 2012 No.4219105

>>[4218962](#)
read the thread.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:23:11 2012 No.4219146
Quoted by: >>4219162

>>[4219092](#)
That is some of the most ridiculous bullshit I've ever seen. Reading it has made me lose all interest in even trying to decrypt OP's message.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:28:51 2012 No.4219162
Quoted by: >>4219168 >>4219196

>>[4219146](#)
>implying you're not just using that as a half-assed excuse so you don't have to admit you're too stupid to figure out the puzzle

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:33:16 2012 No.4219168
Quoted by: >>4219175

>>[4219162](#)
>implying you ar...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:34:31 2012 No.4219175
File: 24 KB, 366x301, aragorn-aragorn.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



>>[4219168](#)
...what?
>implying you aragorn!

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:35:31 2012 No.4219179
Quoted by: >>4219188 >>4219281

>>[4218945](#)
>a Vigenère cipher based on the letters of "CLAUDIVUS" "CAESAR" or both?

There may be a clue in that name, since that's the wrong emperor. Gaius Julius Caesar invented the cipher. So our puzzle maker may have just messed up, or he may have used a different emperor to make it stand out as a clue.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Julius_Caesar
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Claudius>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:36:40 2012 No.4219188

>>[4219179](#)
Did Tiberius Claudius Caesar have a cipher that you know of?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:39:56 2012 No.4219196
Quoted by: >>4219216

>>[4219162](#)
The image can only be found on 4chan. It was only posted on 4chan. It wasn't posted anywhere else - you can check yourself.

"They" are looking for intelligent people on a Japanese image board.

Cute idea, but this really belongs on /x/.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:43:35 2012 No.4219212
Quoted by: >>4219219

I figured this out!

Answer is th...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:44:35 2012 No.4219213

check for clues based on Roman numerals of 3301 and the other sides of the Pythagorean triple.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:45:44 2012 No.4219216

File: 27 KB, 482x321, laughing-women-friendship-greetings.jpg [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4219224

>>4219196

>intelligent people

>/x/

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:45:44 2012 No.4219219

>>4219212

This joke worked slightly better before captchas.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 09:46:51 2012 No.4219224

>>4219216

>The point ---> .

>Your head ---> o

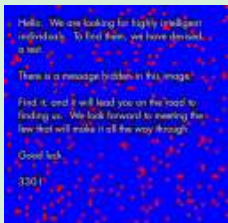
>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 10:06:15 2012 No.4219281

>>4219179

I spotted this... And yet the Caesar shift cypher led somewhere... AFAIK Tiberius never invented a cypher.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 10:22:04 2012 No.4219315

File: 108 KB, 509x503, out.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4219329 >>4219406 >>4219579

>>4217972

You missed some squares.

By the way, the reason it's being done in 8x8 squares has to do with the way the JPEG format works. If you tried to encode a message in scattered pixels, JPEG's lossy compression algorithm would it.

I suspect what's been done is that the DC component of each 8x8 block has had its last bit changed. In that case, the picture here, made by converting (0,0,0) to blue and (1,1,1) to red, will also be missing some of the squares, because the text obscures the effect. I'll look into it and see if this is what's been done.

>>4218900

is probably correct. If so, the problem then reduces to finding the right steganography program to extract the message. We need to look for any hints in the image as to the program used, and test the image with various programs that hide data in JPEG files (especially ones whose algorithm is similar to what I described).

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 10:26:31 2012 No.4219329

>>4219315

someone mentioned earlier on in the day that the duck might have something to do with the steg tool does <http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg> remind you of any steg tools by any chance

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:01:39 2012 No.4219401

>>[4218272](#)

this image here not sure what it means or if its has anything to help but ive noticed that there is 16 number letter combinations for both rows and 16 characters corresponding on the right seems far too coincidental to me.

Also that the first numbers in the row corresponding the upper-cased characters are 2 lower than the other row might be something might not.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:04:04 2012 No.4219406

Quoted by: >>[4219412](#)

>>[4219315](#)

Yeah it definitely looks like the Caesar text is a dead end - stego is next up - I'm trying a tool now.

Could you explain it to a noob? Do I need a specific algorithm or will any stego tool dealing with the jpg format contain the right algorithm anyway?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:06:11 2012 No.4219412

Quoted by: >>[4219438](#)

>>[4219406](#)

You need to use the same program that was used to hide the data in the image. Every program does it differently.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:21:03 2012 No.4219438

>>[4219412](#)

Soo... we hunt through exif data? Has that already been done?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:22:03 2012 No.4219439

Quoted by: >>[4219477](#)

www.3301.com leads to www.novagraaf.com
so what they are recruiting /b/ now?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:39:12 2012 No.4219470

File: 247 KB, 1366x768, dumbass.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



you fucking idiots. crack the code.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:44:43 2012 No.4219477

>>[4219439](#)

You are obviously not intelligent enough to participate

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:50:32 2012 No.4219485

Quoted by: >>[4219498](#) >>[4219505](#) >>[4219506](#) >>[4219570](#)

CLAVDIVS CAESAR leads to
<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

However, in latin, V was used where we now use U

so by replacing V by U we get

<http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

Coincidence that this is a valid link?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:55:03 2012 No.4219492

also, faggots, read up on your JFIF <http://www.jpeg.org/public/jfif.pdf>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 11:57:12 2012 No.4219498

>>4219485
Interesting

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:01:43 2012 No.4219505

>>4219485
Those eyes...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:01:43 2012 No.4219506

>>4219485
><http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>

If you click on different areas of this link you are re-directed to different websites. What does this mean?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:04:07 2012 No.4219513

Quoted by: >>4219587

<http://i.imgur.com/4c4c4.jpg>
about to check this image for some clues

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:18:44 2012 No.4219542

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3301} \int_0^x \frac{\sin\left(\frac{3301}{x}\right)}{x} dx$$

That should do it.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:24:24 2012 No.4219554

Quoted by: >>4219556

it says this for me:

TIBERIVS CLAVDIVS CAESAR says "lxx>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:26:40 2012 No.4219556

>>4219554
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tiberius_Claudius_Caesar_Augustus_Germanicus

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:36:51 2012 No.4219561

HAY, HAY GUYS, I FOUND THIS STRING AT THE END OF THE IMAGE AND IT SAYS:
>TIBERIVS CLAVDIVS CAESAR says "lxx>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"
DID ANYBODY ELSE NOTICE THIS WHAT DO I DO HURR?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:45:55 2012 No.4219570

Quoted by: >>4219586 >>4219615

>>4219485
The image is actually a flash player with clickable sections.
These are the links I've found so far:

<http://www.autoshoop.com/>
<http://www.flash-gear.com/>

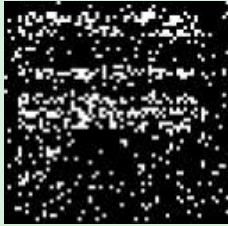
What is this shit - it can't be related to this puzzle...

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:52:51 2012 No.4219578

The title of <http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg> is <http://i.imgur.com/Z7HrB.jpg>, which is the same flash animation. <http://i.imgur.com/Z7HrB.jpg> is thumbs for some anime.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:53:51 2012 No.4219579

File: 13 KB, 509x503, y-dc-lsb.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



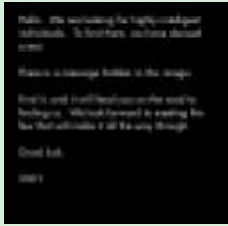
Quoted by: >>4219583 >>4219588

>>4219315

This idea seems not to have panned out. These are the last bits of the DC components of each 8x8 block, for the Y channel. In the blocks containing text, the # even > # odd pattern no longer holds.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:55:08 2012 No.4219583

File: 12 KB, 509x503, y-dc-orig.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4219588

>>4219579

Also posting a map of the DC coefficients.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:57:24 2012 No.4219586

Quoted by: >>4219593

>>4219570

I think it's a dead end, that picture was made 25/09/2011 so is too old, and I can't see how the puzzle creator would manage to get the "m9sYK" part of the url the same on both imgvr and imgur.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:57:24 2012 No.4219587

>>4219513

That's more like it... I had a look though - nothing seemed out of the ordinary. It's likely the clue lies in a specific clickable section of the flash object.

Anyone know how to capture and reverse engineer the flash object to find the clue?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 12:57:24 2012 No.4219588

File: 25 KB, 1379x829, histogram.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>4219727

>>4219579

>>4219583

And here's a histogram. It doesn't seem to show any of the artifacts you'd expect from LSB steganography.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:01:47 2012 No.4219593

Quoted by: >>4219599

>>4219586

except the site called imgVr is a fake - or at least it's a one-off thing built as a possible clue for all intents and purposes...

Current clue sites/areas found

- the duck pic on imgur
- the www.leog.net transparent.gif
- this flash object on the imgVr website

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:03:04 2012 No.4219596

Quoted by: >>4219601

imgvr is no good: http://i.imgvr.com/any_string_goes_here

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:04:11 2012 No.4219597

Quoted by: >>4219612

Just glossed over the thread and I definitely feel like there's more to the

TIBERIVS CLAUDIVS CAESAR says "lxx>33m2mqkyv2gsq3q=w]O2ntk"

than people are giving credit. Think about that, maybe consider things like Roman Numerals, Constellations, the fact that there are 3 names and 4 groups of letters.

Could the letters have something to do with chemistry?

Keep going it's fun to see the exact moment when a puzzle is solved, unless you're watching someone play Portal and they suck ass at it.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:04:11 2012 No.4219599

Quoted by: >>4219602 >>4219604

[>>4219593](#)

What bothers me is how this guy managed to anticipate every action we would take and then set up sites for them.

Something as obscure as the leog site find? Either the original creator posted it here in order to keep us hooked, or it's just a retardedly huge coincidence.

What's with these convenient one page sites just showing up.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:09:44 2012 No.4219601

Quoted by: >>4219611

[>>4219596](#)

Actually that makes even more sense - the website only expects visitors using the m9sYK.jpg link and thus it hasn't gone to the trouble of specifying the exact link - basically any string will redirect to the desired page.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:10:17 2012 No.4219602

[>>4219599](#)

The creator is obviously doing some samefagging

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:11:17 2012 No.4219604

[>>4219599](#)

Can someone fully explain how www.leog.net was discovered?

I've read the thread and it seems "leog" was somehow constructed from 3301, I'd like to know how though.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:11:17 2012 No.4219606

I'm not convinced leog.net has anything to do with this puzzle

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:13:20 2012 No.4219611

[>>4219601](#)

No, it shows that the website has nothing to do with m9sYK; entering any string in brings you to the same page, and we just happened to try that.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:14:20 2012 No.4219612

[>>4219597](#)

Other than the fact that it's the wrong Caesar (Tiberius didn't invent the Caesar cipher, Julius did), there is no way this string says anything more than the decoy duck url.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:16:23 2012 No.4219615

Quoted by: >>4219625

[>>4219570](#)

i got redirected to two.drawball.com when i moved my mouse such that eyes in the flash image were in the same location as the 4c4c4.jpg original

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:31:44 2012 No.4219625

[>>4219615](#)

i found this link too, but in my case it was only sheer luck....

anything in this drawball worth our time? Because it would take ages to check every part if this picture....

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:37:52 2012 No.4219635

Quoted by: >>4219647 >>4219718

The imgvr thing looks like it came from reddit, so it's definitely unrelated:

http://www.reddit.com/r/funny/comments/kqouq/my_wife_took_away_my_googly_eyes_after_this/

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:49:10 2012 No.4219647

Quoted by: >>4219650

[>>4219635](#)

Great, I'd still like to narrow it down more though. Where did www.leog.net come from?

I think it's a mistake to make jumps of multiple unverified steps, we should have given up with imgvr for the sole reason there was no verification on the image.site that it was related to the puzzle. If you don't do this you could end up literally anywhere on the internet (such as searching drawball, lol).

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 13:53:17 2012 No.4219650

Quoted by: >>4219727

[>>4219647](#)

Well... it seems this eludes us still. Where the fuck else do we find clues? Steganography seems to come up without anything as well...

Maybe tomorrow morning the first bunch of guys will be back and can begin looking at this problem afresh, and I can sleep without worrying about this thread 404-ing on me.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:17:53 2012 No.4219684

Got redirected to here from the flash image.

<http://www.flash-gear.com/eye/>

It asks to insert an image URL

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:32:13 2012 No.4219718

[>>4219635](#)

Actually I mentioned that independent of reddit, though it is common knowledge latin uses v instead of u, so two people coming up with it is hardly suprising

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:37:19 2012 No.4219727

>>[4219650](#)

>>[4219588](#)

I check all the image files so far. The 1px gif the duck and the original. None of them have any signs of steg

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:48:38 2012 No.4219744

Quoted by: >>[4219763](#)

Checking the duck pic on tineye shows this:

http://www.frostwaterfowl.com/products/carved_decoys/carved_wooden_decoys.htm

The full Sample Black Duck image at

http://www.frostwaterfowl.com/products/carved_decoys/images/blackduck-decoy.jpg has the purple stuff, so it looks like it was a false lead (unless that site is relevant, which I doubt)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:53:44 2012 No.4219754

Quoted by: >>[4221312_1](#)

>>[OP](#)

I think we are all complicating things too much, looking through images, searching them etc. These aren't smart steps, they're the obvious steps. We need to try and think more abstract, I think the duck is a dead end, I don't think it's a bluff. I'm going to spend an hour reading the text of the image to see what I can get from it

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 14:58:53 2012 No.4219763

>>[4219744](#)

Everyone else got there hours ago, read the thread, dumbass.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 15:19:23 2012 No.4219787

Ausfag keepin' this alive.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 16:08:36 2012 No.4219856

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>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 17:06:00 2012 No.4219951

bump

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 18:10:50 2012 No.4220078

Quoted by: >>[4220145](#)

Any progress yet? I'm excited-

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 18:42:20 2012 No.4220145

>>[4220078](#)

Yeah we found the answer, turns out it was the wife who killed him

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:08:38 2012 No.4220224

File: 49 KB, 1192x311, Untitled.png [[View same](#)] [[iqdb](#)] [[saucenao](#)] [[google](#)] [[report](#)]



Quoted by: >>[4220233](#) >>[4220275](#)

I have been staring at the hex all morning, all I see is cells of alpha-numeric data.

Messed with the god damned duck for a while.

I played with the stupid fucking drawball.

Checked out the eyeballs picture.

Looking back at the original possible troll picture, is it normal for images to list characters sequentially?
Pic related.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:12:12 2012 No.4220233

Quoted by: >>4220483

[>>4220224](#)

Perhaps a new thread summarising everything here is in order, since this thread is autosaging

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:24:26 2012 No.4220275

Quoted by: >>4220297

[>>4220224](#)

as far as i know, no, an image should literally just be binary (displayed as hexadecimal) which relates to the image, all of that alphabetical shit shouldn't be there, meaning its gotta be something to do with this puzzle,

plus, thats not all, look at all those symbols with accents and shit, they're in order too..

no idea what the fuck it could mean though

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:31:57 2012 No.4220297

Quoted by: >>4220309

[>>4220275](#)

Tiberius Claudius Caesar proposed a reform of the Latin alphabet by the addition of three new letters, two of which served the function of the modern letters W and Y. Perhaps this has something to do with the alphabet being placed "randomly" in the image file?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:35:33 2012 No.4220309

[>>4220297](#)

could well be, the alphabet in the hex is missing:

ABKLMNOPQR

dunno if that could mean anything, in the meantime, we need a new thread, this one keeps sageing

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:37:33 2012 No.4220310

OP here. This thread isn't on /b/ anymore - we couldn't solve it, you guys have apparently come a fair bit further. Honestly, it is probably not worth your time xD

Thanks anyways :)

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:53:51 2012 No.4220362

Quoted by: >>4220367

Im sure we could solve it if we were all in the same room with four laptops and eight graphing calculators. Its the slows speed of correspondence which is fucking with out synergy.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 19:54:51 2012 No.4220367

[>>4220362](#)

oh god, fucked that up big time, sry, gave up on the thread and decided to get drunk

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Thu Jan 5 20:32:25 2012 No.4220483

[>>4220233](#)

[>>4220480](#)

I am sure I left out tons of shit...please fill in as necessary.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Fri Jan 6 00:00:27 2012 No.4221312

what's weird is I woke up this morning with a 3 day ban for "posting garbage".

I lol'd.


This thread still alive?

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Fri Jan 6 02:55:54 2012 No.4221312,1 

>>4219754
good thinking

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Fri Jan 6 02:58:44 2012 No.4221312,2 

are there any similarities between JFK and emperor Tiberius apart from the fact that they were both leaders of a powerful nation.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Fri Jan 6 21:38:09 2012 No.4221312,3 

I clicked on this image: <http://i.imgur.com/m9sYK.jpg>, and it brought me here: <http://www.flash-gear.com/index.php?a>.

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Fri Jan 6 23:34:15 2012 No.4221312,4 

<http://six.flash-gear.com/eye/eye.php?c=e&id=468206&k=51458119>

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Tue Jan 10 03:17:02 2012 No.4221312,5 

Perhaps this will shed some light on the subject:
http://www.reddit.com/r/codes/comments/o343d/weird_code_found_on_4chan_maybe_nothing_but_seems/

>> ☐ **Anonymous** Mon Jun 29 21:39:08 2020 No.4221312,6 

lmao just run the original 3301 white text image through Outguess

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