Title: Ape historian. first ssd has bitten the dust in the array after a solid performance of 157.6tb written. You will be framed little buddy. I've been real quiet about just how much data i have stored - here is the full extent of the data that i will be releasing.
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Hi everyone,

I've been real quiet about just how much data i do store and of what, and whether i even have it all backed up. Now that I do, there is no more need to hide it.

So without any further ado, I wanted you all to know that if for any reason there is a video or a post that you forget to find - you will always be able to find it in the archive of ape historian - if its missing - please do let me know as i know for a fact i dont have 100% of everything, butttt, its pretty fucking close.

sad news: first ssd is down.

[this guy has been diligently working to backup everything: his only job was to take all the data for the day, save it , and send it to the server for long term storage.finally, a few days ago he gave up and gave me IO errors, which i then realised that he can no longer write and went to read only mode. 157tb write isnt that difficult when you run an ssd for 24√7 and it can write at 500mb√s. they weren't really designed for this. looking for a frame for this fella.](https://preview.redd.it/ueof63vn2zm81.png?width=1512&format;=png&auto;=webp&s;=1b63b9c2a3c6d8fc4cc659c818873e0f89899d15)

happy news: the data (short version):

1. post and comment data (in various formats, as flat files, csvs and as HTML individual posts with comment threads).
2. ALL memes and videos, shitposts, etc. - the file names are appended by post_ID_FLAIR_and_video_id_if its not from reddit.
3. all youtube videos that were linked to here- i had to do some cleaning and priortisation otherwise it would have been rip internet. but most of the stuff that is worth saving is saved.
4. All FINRA filings - thanks to jhkhalar who originally found the way to do this quickly.
5. every sec filing that has been shared in a post or comment.
6. Every tweet that was shared - backed up in the same way - redditpost_id_tweet_idname.
7. every news story (but you know all this)
8. A massive data dump of absolutely every singl link, withe columns for post id, url to link, subreddit, date. if its in that list i hope someone has backed it up.
9. if you want to help me out in creating the biggest collection of fuckery - if you see any link - please head to https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/archive-page/ \- get the addon - and then archive the post or the twitter feed or the whatever else you have - as long as the original url is known, people will be able to see the extent of the fuckery.
10. if there was a youtube link. i um, also have that backed up.
11. the "goodmorning everone today is the day", is um, also, um, backed up. every single copy.
12. so are the daily [/u/mr_boost](https://www.reddit.com/u/mr_boost/) updates in video form.
13. **There is probably much more crap in there than i ever hope to sift through - one day.**
14. there is a log of almost EVERYTHING that was ever mentioned, including links, posts, youtube videos, pdfs, the lot. i am happy to share small exports of this data with anyone who wants it - they will either be on my site (in torrent and resilio form eventually) and as adhoc links.

this "archival system" was designed so that all you need to know is you need to know the ID of the post.

from there, you can:

1. search by ID from any of your downloaded files
2. you can find the backed up versions of those posts online (on archive.today)
3. you can filter for the ID if you downloaded any of my big exports and you will not only get the backup of the post but also the backup of any videos that were embedded, and even links to videos that were shared in the comments section (i am still working on this).
4. you will be able to search for "meme" and get all the meme videos, and this time i really mean all of them. i made sure. and the shitposts as well.

TLDR- if reddit goes down and i stop posting for whatever reason, i hope there is one or 100 apes crazy enough to download the whole export or parts of what they think should be preserved and educate others as to the fuckery that we all uncovered.

I will be dropping the links to all the video files in this post and (and in due course to my site)

links to videos: **please stand by , they will be here**

any feedback, please do let me know of course.

but ape historian, what about the site? when is that getting an update?

I am working on that right now, its been, its been a crazy few weeks and I am only just making plans on how to keep publishing data.

the changelog: there is a new page on the site, called the changelog - where i will document any and all changes as well as identify any parts of the site that shall remain.

my immediate priorities is to summarize and create a section of top content on the site as youtube links, and continue to expand my DD sections. the gme **dd** will never die. between me and zedinstead, there is for sure enough backups.

Thanks,

Ape historian, destroyer of free disk space