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November 20th, 2006

#101

stonymouse

First Cup of Ubuntu



Join Date: Nov 2006

Location: Barry, Wales

My beans are hidden!

Ubuntu 6.10 Edgy



Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

I tried this out and apart from it slowing down FF somewhat (like Torpark?), it works. I am however, showing an IP adress of 66.199.184.254, which it seems, has been banned from editing Wikipedia articles due to the possibility of it being a zombie computer... or a Tor open proxy address! Poo!

Thanks for the hour or so's worth of interesting reading to.

Jenny

[QUOTE](#)

November 25th, 2006

#102

pkjm17

5 Cups of Ubuntu



Join Date: Nov 2006

Location: Boston, MA

My beans are hidden!

Ubuntu 9.10 Karmic

Koala



Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

Where in the /etc/privoxy/config file do you add "localhost:9050 ."?

▶ QUOTE

📅 November 25th, 2006

#103

pkjm17

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Join Date: Nov 2006

Location: Boston, MA

My beans are hidden!

Ubuntu 9.10 Karmic

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Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

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📅 November 29th, 2006

#104

Stambo00

A Carafe of Ubuntu



Join Date: Jul 2005
 Location: Australia
 Beans: 121
 Ubuntu 6.06

**Re: HOW TO surf anonymous**

At the end

▶ QUOTE

December 2nd, 2006

#105

squidward_tentacels

5 Cups of Ubuntu



Join Date: Mar 2006
 Location: /dev/chair
 Beans: 30
 Ubuntu 6.06 Dapper

⚠ Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

Awesome tutorial, However how exactly would you edit the configuration files to disallow certain exit points by IP address? Ive searched around the tor site and hidden wiki, for an answer but havent found one. My understanding of Tor is that you connect to a random tor node with each restart, but about half of the time I get the same exit node!

149.9.0.59 (or something else in the 149.9.*.* range)

OrgName: PSI
 OrgID: PSI-1
 Address: 1015 31st St NW
 City: Washington
 StateProv: DC
 PostalCode: 20007
 Country: US

NetRange: 149.9.0.0 - 149.9.255.255
 CIDR: 149.9.0.0/16
 NetName: PSINET-B-9
 NetHandle: NET-149-9-0-0-1
 Parent: NET-149-0-0-0-0

NetType: Direct Assignment
NameServer: NS.PSI.NET
NameServer: NS2.PSI.NET
Comment:
RegDate: 1992-01-28
Updated: 1992-02-03

Frequently using the same exit node out of Washington, DC really seems a bit....well,lacking....
The only PSI out of DC I could locate (<http://www.psi.org/>) smacks of Government funding.
Excuse me while I put on my Tinfoil Hat here for a moment, but are these really the people you trust as the endpoint to your "private" communications;

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So anyway, If anyone knows how to restrict exit nodes, that would be awesome 🙄



▶ QUOTE

📅 December 2nd, 2006

#106

squidward_tentacels

5 Cups of Ubuntu



Join Date: Mar 2006

Location: /dev/chair

Beans: 30

Ubuntu 6.06 Dapper

**Re: HOW TO surf anonymous**

Ok, Ive got it now 😊 Its really not to bad to set this up.

The easiest way Ive found is to begin here; <http://proxy.org/tor.shtml> and copy & paste a list of servers (by nickname) that are exit nodes, and in locals you wish to use into a text file. In my case I choose servers outside of the US, Germany, China, & Belguim.

For example "ExitNodes fioyaZ3iuthaihiera,molly,ChlenNigeraTor,Aioe..... .." and so on, I would also recommened going all the way down the list and choosing as many exit nodes as possible, as some may be unroutable/offline.

OK, once you have your list of prefered exit nodes , we need to edit the torrc file. When I tried to open this with "sudo gedit etc/Tor/torrc" all I got was a blank file, and an error when attempting to save, additionaly I crashed Tor, and had to "sudo apt-get remove --purge tor", and then reinstall it to get it working again, so you DONT want to attempt to edit the configuration file that way. 😊

Rather "sudo nautilus" ,and then browse your way to /etc/Tor/torrc. The file will open and you will see many commented out configuration options for various aspects of Tor. What you want to do is add "ExitNodes YOUR,LIST,OF,PREFERED,SERVERS,HERE....." as in the example above, using the list you made. Then beneath that, make sure and add;
"StrictExitNodes 1" as this specifies only to use the exit nodes you have listed above. You may also wish to add the following to a new line "SafeLogging 1" If 1, Tor replaces potentially sensitive strings in the logs (e.g. addresses) with the string [scrubbed]. This way logs can still be useful, but they don't leave behind personally identifying information about what sites a user might have visited. Or I believe there was an earlier post that would effectively disable logging altogether. Make sure to save the file, and restart Tor for the changes to take effect.

I added those lines to the bottom of the file. You can also specify entry nodes in the same manner, or even servers that you never want to use as any part of the circut, and host of other cool commands, available here;

<http://tor.eff.org/tor-manual.html>

Under the client options heading. Please bear in mind, there is no such thing as complete anomnity on the web, only degrees. However I think I like this a little better than exiting in Washington half the time 😊

▶ QUOTE

📅 December 2nd, 2006

#107

ice60

Dipped in Ubuntu




Join Date: Aug 2005

Beans: 641

**Re: HOW TO surf anonymous**

Quote:

Originally Posted by **pkjm17** 
In the /etc/privoxy/config/ file, where do u add "localhost:9050 ."?

```
sudo gedit /etc/privoxy/config
```

i've always added it here -


Code:

```
#
#
forward-socks4a / localhost:9050 .
#
# 6. WINDOWS GUI OPTIONS
# =====
```

then use these settings in firefox -

then i suppose you can use ethereal to see where your port 53 (DNS) is requesting from -
 it shouldn't be your ISP 😊

Attached Images

 ff_settings.png (42.3 KB, 48 views)

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▶ QUOTE

📅 January 10th, 2007

#108

frodon

Ubuntu French Roast



Join Date: Jun 2005
Location: France
Beans: 6,453
Ubuntu 9.10 Karmic
Koala



Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

I updated this guide with more detailed explanations and screenshots on the UDSF for those who are interested.

http://doc.gwos.org/index.php/Surf_anon

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📅 March 22nd, 2007

#109

elysium444

5 Cups of Ubuntu



Join Date: Dec 2006
Location: Albania
Beans: 20
Ubuntu 6.10 Edgy



Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

It worked, And I wanted to use this for rapid share but couldnt achive it I dont know what they r using. any idea how to download from rapidshare without limitations...

▶ QUOTE

📅 May 4th, 2007

#110

sefs

100% Pure Ubuntu



Join Date: Apr 2006
My beans are hidden!



Re: HOW TO surf anonymous

How does one set up a US Proxy from the list given in the how to. It does not mention port numbers and such. just ip addy.

Thanks.

QUOTE

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