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Subject: Need help with a website

Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Mon, 26 Jan 2009 16:08:39 GMT

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I am creating a website to add all my stuff to, I have finished the design and got it on internet already. Only I want the downloads to have download counters.

I have been trying to add it for 10 hours already now but I can't get it to work :S Is there someone with PHP/website edit experience in here that could possibly help me with it?

Please contact me on [markreijrink@hotmail.com](mailto:markreijrink@hotmail.com) if you think you can help me out \

Thanks in advance

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website

Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 26 Jan 2009 16:25:37 GMT

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You know a bit of mysql? Add a field called "counter", when someone hits the "download" button, redirect him to a download page which checks what the field value is for that download at this moment, you set the variable + 1 and insert the new value in the field. Then you auto redirect to the real download page.

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website

Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Mon, 26 Jan 2009 16:32:35 GMT

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I don't really know much about SQL yet, here is a screenshot of when I got to my control panel and then click MySQL.

Then I created MySQL User

Then I got this screen. But I honestly don't know what to put there

### File Attachments

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1) [screenshot.PNG](#), downloaded 307 times

The screenshot shows the phpMyAdmin interface for a database named 'a6661448\_Di3Hard' on a localhost server. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Structure, SQL, Search, Query, Export, Import, and Operations. The main content area displays 'No tables found in database.' Below this is a form titled 'Create new table on database a6661448\_Di3Hard'. The form has two input fields: 'Name:' with the text 'counter' and 'Number of fields:' which is empty. A 'Go' button is located at the bottom right of the form. A link 'Open new phpMyAdmin window' is visible below the form.

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Prulez](#) on Mon, 26 Jan 2009 16:36:53 GMT  
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For the record, his website is coded in HTML and Frontpage. thus it has no PHP interaction at all.

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Tue, 27 Jan 2009 14:01:11 GMT  
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I have wasted my whole day yesterday trying to get the downloadcounter to work, without succes

I hope there is anyone that can help

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Tue, 27 Jan 2009 14:10:28 GMT  
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Catch me on MSN one of these days and stop wasting your time .

Subject: Re: Need help with a website

Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Tue, 27 Jan 2009 16:23:06 GMT

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I found a good .PHP tool for the download counting now tho Also GrimmNL helped me a explaining stuff, thank you.

But I am the only one that can see it, because if you want to view it you have to enter a password  
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I just want it displayed on my website like it does here, and gamemaps. Only it seems impossible since I can't find it anywhere on GOOGLE

Here you see the screenshot, when I give more files a downloadcounter there will be just 1 list, which is also cool ofcourse, but that might be the best I could get

#### File Attachments

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1) [Click Counter.PNG](#), downloaded 297 times

[Add a new link](#) | [Refresh stats](#) | [LOGOUT](#)

### Link statistics

Total links: **1**  
Total clicks: **1**  
Average clicks: **1.0**  
Maximum clicks: **1** (link ID 2)

|                   | ID                | Clicks            | Added | Web page | Graph      |   |  |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------|----------|------------|---|--|
| <a href="#">X</a> | <a href="#">0</a> | <a href="#">E</a> | 2     | <b>1</b> | 2009/01/27 | <a href="#">GDI Real Tiberium Refinery Interior</a> |  |

**TIP:** For best performance you should remove links you don't use anymore. Button functions are explained below:

- [X](#) - delete link
- [0](#) - reset number of clicks to 0
- [E](#) - edit link

### Add a link

Use this form to add a new link to track clicks on. Required fields are marked **bold**.

Start counting from:<sup>1</sup>

Link name:<sup>2</sup>

**Link URL:**<sup>3</sup>

- 1 CCount will start counting clicks from the number you choose (default: start counting from 0).
- 2 Link name is a unique name for this link (max 40 chars including spaces). This name will be displayed as "Web page" in the statistics. If you don't choose a name the link URL will be displayed.
- 3 URL of the link you want to count clicks on.

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Spyder](#) on Wed, 28 Jan 2009 08:57:50 GMT  
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I'd be glad to help you too

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Genesis2001](#) on Wed, 28 Jan 2009 19:55:20 GMT  
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If all you need/want are downloads, try out paFailDB. It's very easy to setup. Not quite as easy to skin yourself - then again, this coming from someone who is design-challenged. \*me\*

I actually recoded paFailDB to use phpBB3's template system. Not that hard actually. I even made it use phpBB3's database structure(after failing for trying to get phpBB3 to read from two databases )

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Subject: Re: Need help with a website  
Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Wed, 28 Jan 2009 20:49:56 GMT  
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Thanks man, I am trying it out right now Also Nero gave me a link to this! Uploading on my ftp now xD

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