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Sponsor's Monthly Report for .coop TLD

Reporting period: January 2006

General

In this report the terms "dotCoop", "Registry" and "Sponsor" refer to DotCooperation LLC, the Sponsor of the dotCoop TLD.

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1. Accredited Registrar Status –

Table 1 displays the current number and status of the ICANN accredited registrars. The registrars are grouped into three categories:

Operational registrars: Those who have authorized access into the Sponsor's registry system for processing domain name registrations.

Registrars in the Ramp-up Period: Those who have received a password to access the dotCoop operational test and evaluation (OT&E) environment. The OT&E environment is provided to allow registrars to develop and test their systems with the dotCoop LLC registry system.

Registrars in the Pre-Ramp-up Period: Those who have been sent information by dotCoop, but have not yet executed the Registry Confidentiality Agreement and/or have not yet submitted a completed Registrar Information Sheet.

Table 1. Accredited Registrar Status

| Status | # of Registrars |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Operational Registrars | 6 |
| Registrars In Ramp-up Period | 1 |
| Registrars In Pre-Ramp-up Period | 0 |
| Total | 7 |

2. Service Level Agreement Performance

Table 2 shows the performance of the Registry in the reporting month.

Table 2. Service Level Agreement Performance

| Monitoring for January 2005 | Outages | Down Time | Availability |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------------------|--------------|
| epp.nic.coop | 3 | 5 hours, 7 minutes | 99.312% |
| whois.nic.coop | 3 | 5 hours, 16 minutes | 99.292% |
| www.communicate.coop | 6 | 5 hours, 7 minutes | 99.312% |
| www.nic.coop | 4 | 4 hours, 49 minutes | 99.353% |
| coop1.tlddns.net | 0 | 0 hours, 0 minutes | 100.000% |
| coop2.tlddns.net | 0 | 0 hours, 0 minutes | 100.000% |
| coop3.tlddns.net | 1 | 0 hours, 1 minutes | 99.998% |
| coop4.tlddns.net | 0 | 0 hours, 0 minutes | 100.000% |
| ns5.nic.coop | 0 | 0 hours, 0 minutes | 100.000% |
| ns6.nic.coop | 1 | 0 hours, 1 minutes | 99.997% |

- The downtime on servers epp.nic.coop, whois.nic.coop, [www.communicate.coop](#) and [www.nic.coop](#) was caused by a router failure by a third-party provider, Real Poptel. The router has periodically rejected all incoming traffic to their network, making it appear as if our servers are down when they are not. Internet access to the registry system will no longer be dependent on this router after a planned move of our servers to Oxford takes place. The move is currently scheduled for March 13th.
- The above data was collected by [www.server-monitoring.co.uk](#).

3. gTLD Zone File Access Activity

Table 3 summarizes the zone file access activity for the current reporting month. As required by the ICANN/dotCoop Registry Agreements, the dotCoop Registry provides third parties bulk access to the zone files for the .coop TLD.

Table 3. gTLD Zone File Access Activity

| | |
|---|----|
| Zone file access passwords previous month | 19 |
|---|----|

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|--|-----------|
| New zone file access passwords | 0 |
| Total zone file access approvals at end of reporting month | 19 |

4. Completed Software Releases

- epp.nic.coop was updated with a small bugfix on Jan 30.
- DNS hosting has been switched from UltraDNS to Dyn DNS

5. Domain Names Under Sponsorship—Per Registrar

Table 5. Domain Names Under Sponsorship—Per Registrar

| Date | Registrar | Totals |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Jan-06 | CORE Internet Council of Registrars | 32 |
| Jan-06 | Domain Bank Inc. | 1117 |
| Jan | Firstserver, Inc. | 18 |
| Jan | OSGCD | 4831 |
| Jan | Secura GmbH | 299 |
| Jan | Tuonome | 45 |
| Jan | TOTAL | 6342 |

6. Name Servers Under Management — Per Registrar

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| Date | Registrar | Totals |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Jan-06 | CORE Internet Council of Registrars | 42 |
| Jan-06 | Domain Bank Inc. | 678 |
| Jan-06 | Firstserver, Inc. | 29 |

| | | |
|--------|-------------|------|
| Jan-06 | OSGCD | 2504 |
| Jan-06 | Secura GmbH | 226 |
| Jan-06 | Tuonome | 28 |
| Jan-06 | Total | 3507 |

7. Domain Names Registered by Registry Operator

None.

8. Whois service activity

Whois information reflects only the external hits on the servers and does not include test and monitoring hits.

Table 8. Total Monthly "Whois" Queries

| Date: | Total | Daily Avg |
|--------|-------|-----------|
| Jan-06 | 74057 | 2388 |

9. Monthly Growth Trends

9.1 – 9.3 Total Monthly Domain Name Transaction Trend by Category

There are three main categories of monthly transactions executed by registrars:

Write – This category includes the following transactions: add domain, modify domain, delete domain, renew domain, and transfer domain.

Query – This category includes the following transactions: query domain and query domain transfer status.

Check – This category includes the following transactions: check domain.

This table shows the number of domain name transactions for each of these categories.

Table 9.1- 9.3 Total Monthly Domain Name Transaction Trend by Category

| Date | Total | Write | % | Query | % | Check | % |
|----------|--------|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|
| Jan-05 | 39311 | 1351 | | 28242 | | 9718 | |
| Feb-05 | 46104 | 761 | | 36304 | | 9039 | |
| Mar-05 | 46425 | 565 | | 36176 | | 9683 | |
| April-05 | 43586 | 497 | | 30525 | | 6282 | |
| May-05 | 40360 | 434 | | 30420 | | 9506 | |
| Jun-05 | 51921 | 3945 | | 38404 | | 9572 | |
| Jul-05 | 47448 | 288 | | 37368 | | 9792 | |
| Aug-05 | 41176 | 684 | | 30689 | | 9803 | |
| Sep-05 | 73042 | 2498 | | 60801 | | 9743 | |
| Oct-05 | 100098 | 6548 | | 83357 | | 10193 | |
| Nov-05 | 54766 | 2970 | | 49885 | | 1911 | |
| Dec-05 | 34253 | 671 | | 32690 | | 892 | |
| Jan-06 | 44165 | 3231 | | 39271 | | 1663 | |

9.4-9.6 Total Monthly Name Server Transaction Trend by Category

There are three main categories of monthly transactions executed by registrars

Write – This category includes the following transactions: add name server, modify name server, and delete name server.

Query – This category includes the following transactions: query name server.

Check – This category includes the following transactions: check name server.

This table shows the number of name server transactions for each of these categories.

Table 9.4-9.6. Total Monthly Name Server Transaction Trend by Category

| Date | Total | Write | % | Query | % | Check | % |
|--------|-------|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|
| Jan-05 | 311 | 180 | | 56 | | 75 | |

| | | | | | | | |
|--------|-----|-----|--|-----|--|-----|--|
| Feb-05 | 316 | 166 | | 91 | | 59 | |
| Mar-05 | 241 | 134 | | 16 | | 91 | |
| Apr-05 | 252 | 131 | | 19 | | 102 | |
| May-05 | 164 | 73 | | 7 | | 84 | |
| Jun-05 | 205 | 157 | | 5 | | 43 | |
| Jul-05 | 159 | 102 | | 8 | | 49 | |
| Aug-05 | 160 | 94 | | 0 | | 66 | |
| Sep-05 | 225 | 126 | | 34 | | 65 | |
| Oct-05 | 471 | 177 | | 134 | | 160 | |
| Nov-05 | 291 | 70 | | 83 | | 138 | |
| Dec-05 | 309 | 110 | | 3 | | 196 | |
| Jan-06 | 429 | 91 | | 0 | | 338 | |

9.7-9.9. Total Monthly Domain Name Contact Transaction Trend by Subcategory

There are three main categories of monthly transactions executed by registrars

Write – This category includes the following transactions: add contact, modify contact, delete contact, and transfer contact.

Query – This category includes the following transactions: query contact and query contact transfer status.

Check – This category includes the following transactions: check contact.

This table shows the number of domain name contact transactions for each of these categories.

| Date | Total | Write | % | Query | % | Check | % |
|--------|-------|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|
| Jan-05 | 2790 | 1019 | | 1769 | | 2 | |
| Feb-05 | 9230 | 919 | | 8311 | | 0 | |
| Mar-05 | 8794 | 998 | | 7795 | | 1 | |
| Apr-05 | 1977 | 1100 | | 877 | | 0 | |

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|--------|-------|------|--|-------|--|-----|
| May-05 | 4364 | 3592 | | 772 | | 0 |
| Jun-05 | 9581 | 871 | | 8710 | | 0 |
| Jul-05 | 8091 | 457 | | 7633 | | 1 |
| Aug-05 | 1509 | 555 | | 954 | | 0 |
| Sep-05 | 31490 | 1072 | | 30408 | | 10 |
| Oct-05 | 60629 | 7740 | | 52886 | | 3 |
| Nov-05 | 291 | 70 | | 83 | | 138 |
| Dec-05 | 2520 | 608 | | 1908 | | 4 |
| Jan-06 | 8932 | 443 | | 8489 | | 0 |

10. Total Number of Transactions by Subcategory by Month

Table 10.1. Total Monthly Domain 'Write' Transactions by Subcategory

| Date | Total | Add | Delete | Modify | Renew | Transfer |
|--------|-------|-----|--------|--------|-------|----------|
| Jan-05 | 1351 | 50 | 1 | 933 | 310 | 57 |
| Feb-05 | 761 | 62 | 2 | 517 | 137 | 43 |
| Mar-05 | 565 | 70 | 0 | 402 | 89 | 4 |
| Apr-05 | 497 | 59 | 2 | 347 | 82 | 7 |
| May-05 | 434 | 53 | 3 | 296 | 76 | 6 |
| Jun-05 | 3945 | 41 | 2 | 3839 | 60 | 3 |
| Jul-05 | 288 | 47 | 0 | 203 | 37 | 1 |
| Aug-05 | 684 | 55 | 1 | 583 | 45 | 0 |
| Sep-05 | 2498 | 61 | 8 | 2374 | 49 | 6 |
| Oct-05 | 6548 | 52 | 3 | 6451 | 41 | 1 |
| Nov-05 | 2970 | 76 | 1 | 2686 | 204 | 3 |
| Dec-05 | 671 | 31 | 1 | 457 | 182 | 0 |

| | | | | | | |
|--------|------|----|---|------|------|----|
| Jan-06 | 3231 | 52 | 0 | 1775 | 1339 | 65 |
|--------|------|----|---|------|------|----|

Table 10.2. Total Monthly Name server 'Write' Transactions by Subcategory

| Date | Total | Add | Modify | Delete |
|--------|-------|-----|--------|--------|
| Jan-05 | 180 | 121 | 1 | 58 |
| Feb-05 | 166 | 108 | 4 | 54 |
| Mar-05 | 134 | 101 | 2 | 31 |
| Apr-05 | 131 | 84 | 3 | 44 |
| May-05 | 73 | 54 | 5 | 14 |
| Jun-05 | 157 | 106 | 3 | 48 |
| Jul-05 | 102 | 63 | 4 | 35 |
| Aug-05 | 94 | 62 | 0 | 32 |
| Sep-05 | 126 | 87 | 3 | 36 |
| Oct-05 | 177 | 115 | 19 | 43 |
| Nov-05 | 70 | 53 | 12 | 5 |
| Dec-05 | 110 | 108 | 1 | 1 |
| Jan-06 | 91 | 86 | 4 | 1 |

Table 10.3. Total Monthly Domain contact 'Write' Transactions by Subcategory

| Date | Total | Add | Modify | Delete | Transfer |
|--------|-------|------|--------|--------|----------|
| Jan-05 | 1019 | 794 | 225 | 0 | 0 |
| Feb-05 | 919 | 801 | 118 | 0 | 0 |
| Mar-05 | 998 | 854 | 144 | 0 | 0 |
| Apr-05 | 1100 | 972 | 128 | 0 | 0 |
| May-05 | 3592 | 3474 | 118 | 0 | 0 |
| Jun-05 | 871 | 743 | 128 | 0 | 0 |

| | | | | | |
|--------|-------------|------|------|---|---|
| Jul-05 | 457 | 331 | 126 | 0 | 0 |
| Aug-05 | 555 | 447 | 108 | 0 | 0 |
| Sep-05 | 1072 | 843 | 229 | 0 | 0 |
| Oct-05 | 7740 | 5918 | 1822 | 0 | 0 |
| Nov-05 | 3915 | 2780 | 1135 | 0 | 0 |
| Dec-05 | 608 | 336 | 272 | 0 | 0 |
| Jan-06 | 443 | 195 | 248 | 0 | 0 |

11. Total Number of Failed Transactions by Subcategory by Month.

This section is not applicable; the .coop registry system doesn't allow failed transactions.

12. Daily Transaction Range.

| Date | Total | Range | Average |
|--------|--------------|---------------|---------|
| Jan-05 | 19306 | Not available | 622 |
| Feb-05 | 20463 | Not available | 730 |
| Mar-05 | 19319 | Not available | 623 |
| Apr-05 | 9488 | Not available | 316 |
| May-05 | 14490 | Not available | 467 |
| Jun-05 | 25013 | Not available | 833 |
| Jul-05 | 17731 | Not available | 571 |
| Aug-05 | 11523 | Not available | 371 |
| Sep-05 | 47196 | Not available | 1573 |
| Oct-05 | 79671 | Not available | 2570 |
| Nov-05 | 28860 | Not available | 962 |
| Dec-05 | 4002 | Not available | 129 |

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|--------|-------|------|----|
| Jan-06 | 16981 | 2460 | 21 |
|--------|-------|------|----|

13. TLD Geographical Registrations Distribution

Table 13 - TLD Geographical Registrations Distribution

| COUNTRY | "TOTAL DOMAINS TO DATE" | "PERCENT TO DATE" | "TOTAL DOMAINS THIS MONTH" | "PERCENT THIS MONTH" |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Argentina | 40 | 0.63 | 1 | 1.92 |
| Australia | 11 | 0.17 | 0 | 0 |
| Austria | 12 | 0.19 | 0 | 0 |
| Belgium | 13 | 0.2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bolivia | 3 | 0.05 | 0 | 0 |
| Brazil | 4 | 0.06 | 0 | 0 |
| Canada | 258 | 4.07 | 3 | 5.77 |
| Chile | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| China | 3 | 0.05 | 0 | 0 |
| Colombia | 25 | 0.39 | 0 | 0 |
| Costa Rica | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Cyprus | 7 | 0.11 | 0 | 0 |
| Czech Republic | 3 | 0.05 | 0 | 0 |
| Denmark | 12 | 0.19 | 0 | 0 |
| Dominican | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Finland | 7 | 0.11 | 0 | 0 |
| France | 267 | 4.21 | 8 | 15.38 |
| Germany | 33 | 0.52 | 0 | 0 |
| India | 60 | 0.95 | 0 | 0 |
| Indonesia | 3 | 0.05 | 0 | 0 |
| Ireland | 3 | 0.05 | 0 | 0 |
| Israel | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Italy | 388 | 6.12 | 4 | 7.69 |
| Jamaica | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Japan | 113 | 1.78 | 0 | 0 |
| Korea, Republic | 4 | 0.06 | 0 | 0 |
| Kuwait | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| Luxembourg | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| Malaysia | 9 | 0.14 | 0 | 0 |
| Malta | 6 | 0.09 | 0 | 0 |
| Mexico | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Mongolia | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Netherlands | 19 | 0.3 | 0 | 0 |
| New Zealand | 2 | 0.03 | 1 | 1.92 |
| Norway | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| Panama | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Peru | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |

| | | | | |
|--------------------|------|-------|----|------|
| Philippines | 8 | 0.13 | 0 | 0 |
| Poland | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Portugal | 12 | 0.19 | 0 | 0 |
| Puerto Rico | 43 | 0.68 | 0 | 0 |
| Russian | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Singapore | 6 | 0.09 | 0 | 0 |
| Slovakia | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| South Africa | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Spain | 163 | 2.57 | 4 | 7.69 |
| St Kitts and Nevis | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Sweden | 71 | 1.12 | 0 | 0 |
| Switzerland | 60 | 0.95 | 0 | 0 |
| Taiwan | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Tanzania | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |
| Thailand | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| United Kingdom | 1005 | 15.85 | 5 | 9.62 |
| United States | 3632 | 57.27 | 26 | 50 |
| Uruguay | 8 | 0.13 | 0 | 0 |
| Venezuela | 2 | 0.03 | 0 | 0 |
| Yugoslavia | 1 | 0.02 | 0 | 0 |