

The Global Name Registry, Limited Monthly Operator Report December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement between the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (“ICANN”) and The Global Name Registry, Limited (“Global Name Registry”) (the “Registry Agreement”), this report provides an overview of Global Name Registry activity through the end of the reporting month. The information is primarily presented in table and chart format with explanations as deemed necessary. Information is provided in the order as set forth in Appendix T of the Registry Agreement.

Table 1 – Accredited Registrar Status: December 2004

Table 1 states the number of registrars for whom Global Name Registry has received accreditation notification from ICANN at the end of the reporting month, grouped into the three categories set forth in Table 1.

Status	# of Registrars
Operational Registrars	74
Registrars in Ramp-Up Period	9
Registrars in pre-Ramp-Up Period	64
Total	147

Table 2 – Service Level Agreement Performance: December 2004

Table 2 compares Service Level Agreement (“SLA”) requirements with actual performance for the reporting month. As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.3), Global Name Registry is committed to provide service levels as specified in Appendix D and to comply with the requirements of the SLA in Appendix E of the Registry Agreement. The SLA is incorporated into the Global Name Registry Registry/Registrar Agreement that is executed with all operational registrars. Note: The SLA permits two 12-hour windows per year to perform major upgrades.

Metric	SLA Requirement	Actual Performance
Total Outage	8 hours	0h, 0 min
Unplanned Outage	4 hours, 27 minutes	0h, 0 min
Check Domain Average	3 seconds	0.0583
Add Domain Average	5 seconds	0.1428

Table 3 – Zone File Activity: December 2004

Table 3 summarizes the zone file access activity for the current reporting month. As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.9), Global Name Registry provides third parties with bulk access to the zone files for the .name TLD.

Total zone file access passwords: end of previous month	70
New zone file access passwords issued during reporting month	1
Total zone file access approvals: end of reporting month	71

Table 4 – Completed SRS/System Software Releases: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 4 shows significant releases that have occurred since the Effective Date of the Registry Agreement, 1 August 2001.

Release Name	Features	Target Date	Complete Date
v1.0 Live SRS	Implementation of EPP 05/03	15 April 2002	26 June 2002
2 nd Level Domains	Launch of the .name second level domain product	14 January 2004	14 January 2004

Table 5 – Domain Names Under Sponsorship and Nameservers under Management (Items 5 and 6 of Appendix T)– Per Registrar: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 5 sets forth the number of domain names under sponsorship and the number of nameservers under management per ICANN-Accredited Registrar for the .name TLD.

Registrar	Country	Domains	Nameserver
007 Names, Inc.	UNITED STATES	353	227
1 Domain Names International, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
1-877NameBid.com LLC	UNITED STATES	0	0
123 Registration.com Inc.	UNITED STATES	238	130
1stDomain.Net	UNITED STATES	118	97
4Domains.com	UNITED STATES	0	0
@COM	UNITED STATES	4	95
Abu-Ghazaleh Intellectual Property dba Tagidomains.com	JAPAN	0	0
Active 24 ASA	NORWAY	478	33
Alice's Registry, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Alldomains.com	UNITED STATES	3554	1902
AllGlobalNames, S.A.	SPAIN	2	2
American Domain Name Registry	UNITED STATES	0	0
Ascio Technologies Inc.	DENMARK	2641	302
BB Online UK Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	47	35
Berkeley Intellectual Property Services Ltd dba IPWizard	UNITED KINGDOM	0	0
Blue Razor Domains, Inc.	UNITED STATES	202	23
BookMyName SAS	FRANCE	156	7
BT	UNITED KINGDOM	0	0
BulkRegister.com	UNITED STATES	2258	1663
Catalog.com	UNITED STATES	36	3
CORE Internet Council of Registrars	SWITZERLAND	1111	624
Cronon AG Berlin Neiderlassung Regensburg	GERMANY	334	373
CSL Computer Service Langenbach	GERMANY	0	0
Cyidentity, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	71	525
Direct Information Pvt. Ltd.	INDIA	1025	1783
Directnic.com	UNITED STATES	4391	2139
Dodora Unified Communications, Inc	UNITED STATES	13	14
Domain The Net Technologies Ltd	ISRAEL	589	57
DomainDiscover	UNITED STATES	459	231

Domaininfo	SWEDEN	99	452
DomainPeople, Inc.	CANADA	1063	476
DomainProcessor.com	UNITED STATES	91	50
DotRegistrar.com dba IHoldings	UNITED STATES	1528	845
Dotster, Inc.	UNITED STATES	3596	2329
Easyspace Ltd.	UNITED KINGDOM	1034	69
Echo, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	0	0
eNameCo	UNITED STATES	0	0
EnCirca, Inc.	UNITED STATES	904	155
eNom, Inc.	UNITED STATES	3643	1099
EPAG Domainservices GmbH	GERMANY	7	12
France Telecom Transpac	FRANCE	0	0
Gabia, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	445	147
Gal Communication	ISRAEL	0	0
Gandi SARL	FRANCE	2142	1140
GKG.NET, INC.	UNITED STATES	221	1986
Global Media Online	JAPAN	902	180
Global Name Registry Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	90	52
Globedom Datenkommunikations	AUSTRIA	0	0
Go Daddy Software, Inc.	UNITED STATES	16255	5018
Hangang Systems, Inc	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	302	146
Hichina Web Solutions (Hong Kong) Limited	CHINA	2837	39
I.D.R Internet Domain Registry LTD.	ISRAEL	130	95
In2net Network Inc. d/b/a iRegister.com	CANADA	0	0
INames, Corp.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	57	235
Interdomain S.A.	SPAIN	160	43
Internetplaza City Co.,Ltd	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	0	0
Internetters Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	133	113
ltsyourdomain.com	UNITED STATES	0	0
Key-Systems GmbH	GERMANY	4289	961
Markmonitor	UNITED STATES	288	97
Melbourne IT Ltd trading as Internet Names Worldwide	AUSTRALIA	14158	1128
Name.com LLC	UNITED STATES	145	105
Namebay	MONACO	316	353
NameEngine, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	31
names4ever.com	UNITED STATES	217	2
NameScout Corp.	CANADA	2001	897
Namesdirect.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Namesecure.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
namesystem.com	CANADA	0	0
NameTree, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Namezero.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Net Benefit	UNITED KINGDOM	563	18
Netpia.com, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	100	51

Network Solutions, LLC	UNITED STATES	9067	2137
Nominalia Internet S.L.	SPAIN	395	239
Nordnet	FRANCE	0	0
Omnis Network, LLC	UNITED STATES	0	0
OnlineNIC	CHINA	237	250
Personal Names Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	1038	424
Philippine Registry	PHILIPPINES	0	0
Polar Software Limited	INDIA	0	0
PSI Japan	JAPAN	0	0
PSI-USA, Inc. dba Domain Robot	GERMANY	1371	581
R&K Global Business Services, Inc. d/b/a 000Domains.com	UNITED STATES	283	162
R. Lee Chambers Company LLC d/b/a DomainsToBeSeen.com	UNITED STATES	27	48
Register IT	ITALY	72	5
Register.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	15132	1897
Registrars.com	CANADA	0	0
RegistrarsAsia	AUSTRALIA	0	0
Registration Technologies, Inc.	UNITED STATES	119	16
RGNames.com	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	35	14
Rockenstein AG	GERMANY	89	7
Schlund+Partner AG	GERMANY	24283	1274
Secura GmbH	GERMANY	214	87
Signature Domains	UNITED STATES	0	0
Spot Domain LLC	UNITED STATES	1976	299
TLDs Inc.	UNITED STATES	872	1249
Todaynic.com, Inc.	CHINA	83	4
Total Registrations	UNITED KINGDOM	437	286
Tucows Inc.	CANADA	3303	50339
Virtual Internet Plc.	UNITED KINGDOM	0	0
Web Commerce Communications Limited	MALAYSIA	352	763
Wild West Domains, Inc.	UNITED STATES	2812	1163
Yesnic Co., Ltd.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	3279	786

Table 6 – Domain Names Registered by Registry Operator: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.6), a list of all domain names registered by Global Name Registry, other than a request submitted by a registrar pursuant to that registrar’s Registry-Registrar Agreement, in the .name TLD is provided in the separate zipped file provided with this document, entitled “Table 6”

Table 7 – Whois Service Activity: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 7 states the number of Whois queries during the current reporting month, including also the number of extensive search Whois queries.

Whois Queries (December)	2362377
Extensive Search Whois Queries (December)	30
Total Whois Queries	75,065,840
Total Extensive Search Whois Queries	607,125

Table 8 – Monthly Growth Trends: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 8 shows the monthly growth trend in total registry transactions. The transactions are divided into three categories:

1. Query: This category includes the following transactions: query a domain, query a server and query a contact.
2. Write: This category includes the following transactions: adding a new domain, modifying a domain, deleting a domain, renewing a domain, auto-renewing a domain (if any), transferring a domain, adding a nameserver, modifying a nameserver, deleting a nameserver, adding a contact, modifying a contact and transferring a contact.
3. Check: This category includes the following transactions: checking a domain, checking a nameserver and checking a contact.

	Total	Query	%	Write	%	Check	%
Jan-02	126,956	0	0	126,956	100	0	0
Feb-02	68,764	0	0	68,764	100	0	0
Mar-02	93,159	0	0	93,159	100	0	0
Apr-02	109,310	0	0	109,310	100	0	0
May-02	136,770	0	0	136,770	100	0	0
Jun-02	153,018	22,952	14.9	15,301	9.9	114,763	75.3
Jul-02	4,112,843	75,650	1.8	130,708	3.2	3,916,483	95
Aug-02	4,623,778	38,364	0.8	23,293	0.5	4,562,121	98.3
Sep-02	4,831,175	136,451	2.8	43,073	0.9	4,651,651	96.3
Oct-02	9,393,110	119,882	1.1	74,537	0.8	9,198,691	98.1
Nov-02	11,265,205	154,867	1.4	100,490	0.9	11,009,848	97.7
Dec-02	8,595,859	78,545	0.9	73,102	0.8	8,444,212	98.3
Jan-03	6,136,387	85,776	1.4	58,256	0.9	5,992,655	97.6
Feb-03	5,387,221	75,177	1.4	56,944	1.1	5,255,100	97.5
Mar-03	6,808,965	67,043	0.9	58,738	0.86	6,683,184	98.24
Apr-03	9,067,913	73,798	0.8	67,515	0.7	8,926,600	98.5
May-03	8,094,330	71,560	0.8	62,314	0.76	7,960,456	98.44
Jun-03	6,534,970	273,638	4.2	39,647	0.6	6,221,685	95.2
Jul-03	9,329,426	149,887	1.6	59,872	0.6	9,119,667	97.8
Aug-03	5,823,325	72,931	1.3	54,981	0.9	5,695,413	97.8
Sep-03	5,376,864	82,499	1.5	64,267	1.2	5,230,098	97.3
Oct-03	9,006,743	231,070	2.6	117,831	1.3	8,657,842	96.1
Nov-03	6,959,370	133,063	1.9	109,175	1.6	6,717,132	96.5
Dec-03	8,260,308	118,875	1.4	126,505	1.5	8,014,928	97.1
Jan-04	11,070,401	413,225	3.7	661,303	6	9,995,873	90.3
Feb-04	8,999,696	267,147	3	167,176	1.9	8,565,373	95.1
Mar-04	7,943,423	281,984	3.5	111,235	1.4	7,548,204	95.1

Apr-04	6,887,260	234,203	3.4	92,499	1.3	6,560,558	95.3
May-04	9,089,021	504,249	5.5	125,900	1.4	8,458,872	93.1
Jun-04	11,781,296	962,448	8.2	94,169	0.8	10,724,679	91
Jul-04	15,570,552	673,224	4.3	147,843	0.9	14,749,485	94.8
Aug-04	15,075,389	191,394	1.3	117,671	0.8	14,766,324	97.9
Sep-04	16,383,124	477,490	2.9	129,899	0.8	15,775,735	96.3
Oct-04	15,726,039	218,268	1.39	107,970	0.69	15,399,801	97.92
Nov-04	13,274,865	221,460	1.67	104,102	0.78	12,949,303	97.55
Dec-04	13,658,053	242,728	1.78	127,485	0.93	13,287,840	97.29
TOTAL	275,754,888	6,749,848	2.45	3,858,760	1.39	265,154,576	96.16

Table 9 – Total Number of Transactions by Subcategory by Month: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 9 shows the total number of transactions by subcategory for the current reporting month in the subcategories of the Write Domain, Write Server and Write Contact.

Write	Add	Delete	Modify	Check	Renew	Transfer
Domain	18,399	9,151	45,258	13,131,872	1,701	583
Server	4,864	268	29	50,857	0	0
Contact	37,166	180	1,066	105,111	0	0

Table 10 – Total Number of Failed Transactions by Subcategory by Month: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 10 shows the monthly growth trend for each failed transaction in the subcategories of the Write Domain, Write Server and Write Contact.

Write	Add	Delete	Modify	Check	Renew	Transfer
Domain	3,553	7,632	17,793	363	18	353
Server	663	227	6	1	0	0
Contact	857	47	4	0	0	0

Table 11 – Daily Transaction Range: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 11 sets forth the number of total daily transactions, as well as the average daily transaction volume.

	Total Daily Transactions	Avg Daily Transaction Volume
December 2004	13,658,053	440,582.35

Table 12 – TLD Geographical Registrations Distribution: December 2004

As required by the Registry Agreement (Section 3.15), Table 12 sets forth the total number of new domain name registrations within the .name TLD, as well as the

number, and the percent of the total, of such registrations broken down by geographical location (country code).

Country	Total	Total %	New	New %
AD	11	0.01	0	0
AE	148	0.07	2	0.01
AF	126	0.06	0	0
AG	41	0.02	2	0.01
AI	1	0	0	0
AL	5	0	0	0
AM	9	0	0	0
AN	34	0.02	1	0.01
AO	3	0	0	0
AQ	3	0	0	0
AR	132	0.06	3	0.02
AS	4	0	0	0
AT	1377	0.66	27	0.19
AU	6245	2.1	51	0.35
AW	7	0	0	0

AZ	19	0.01	2	0.01
BA	8	0	0	0
BB	28	0.01	0	0
BD	30	0.01	2	0.01
BE	534	0.26	17	0.12
BG	58	0.03	2	0.01
BH	14	0.01	0	0
BI	3	0	0	0
BJ	4	0	2	0.01
BM	27	0.01	0	0
BN	1	0	0	0
BO	17	0.01	1	0.01
BR	209	0.1	1	0.01
BS	11	0.01	0	0
BW	1	0	0	0
BY	35	0.02	1	0.01

BZ	10	0	0	0
CA	8566	4.11	855	5.88
CC	2	0	0	0
CD	1	0	0	0
CG	1	0	0	0
CH	4541	2.18	53	0.36
CI	4	0	1	0.01
CK	1	0	0	0
CL	313	0.15	1	0.01
CN	3260	1.56	118	0.81
CO	46	0.02	2	0.01
CR	68	0.03	1	0.01
CY	62	0.03	0	0
CZ	733	0.35	40	0.28
DE	20979	10.06	3475	23.9
DK	2053	0.98	31	0.21

DM	13	0.01	0	0
DO	13	0.01	1	0.01
DZ	20	0.01	0	0
EC	21	0.01	1	0.01
EE	21	0.01	1	0.01
EG	98	0.05	6	0.04
EH	3	0	1	0.01
ES	3431	1.65	72	0.5
ET	1	0	0	0
FI	421	0.2	7	0.05
FJ	3	0	0	0
FK	1	0	0	0
FM	2	0	0	0
FO	4	0	0	0
FR	2898	1.39	112	0.77
GA	7	0	1	0.01
GB	17545	8.42	1698	11.68

GD	3	0	0	0
GE	19	0.01	0	0
GF	5	0	1	0.01
GG	2	0	0	0
GH	8	0	0	0
GI	41	0.02	0	0
GL	7	0	0	0
GP	9	0	0	0
GR	216	0.1	41	0.28
GS	1	0	0	0
GT	8	0	0	0
GU	4	0	0	0
GY	1	0	0	0
HK	3488	1.67	10	0.07
HN	4	0	0	0
HR	36	0.02	0	0

HT	2	0	0	0
HU	65	0.03	4	0.03
ID	646	0.31	7	0.05
IE	364	0.17	2	0.01
IL	1584	0.76	20	0.14
IM	1	0	0	0
IN	516	0.25	19	0.13
IR	38	0.02	2	0.01
IS	26	0.01	1	0.01
IT	3075	1.47	57	0.39
JE	4	0	0	0
JM	15	0.01	0	0
JO	17	0.01	0	0
JP	18492	8.87	1338	9.2
KE	108	0.05	0	0
KG	2	0	0	0

KH	2	0	0	0
KI	2	0	0	0
KM	1	0	0	0
KN	3	0	0	0
KP	3	0	0	0
KR	7410	3.55	66	0.45
KW	96	0.05	0	0
KY	17	0.01	0	0
KZ	12	0.01	1	0.01
LB	76	0.04	2	0.01
LI	15	0.01	3	0.02
LK	19	0.01	0	0
LT	24	0.01	1	0.01
LU	84	0.04	1	0.01
LV	14	0.01	2	0.01
MA	22	0.01	1	0.01
MC	59	0.03	2	0.01

MD	13	0.01	0	0
MG	1	0	1	0.01
MK	1	0	0	0
MM	1	0	1	0.01
MO	4	0	0	0
MP	1	0	0	0
MT	50	0.02	0	0
MU	18	0.01	1	0.01
MV	4	0	0	0
MX	378	0.18	16	0.11
MY	2167	1.04	5	0.03
MZ	1	0	0	0
NA	7	0	0	0
NC	2	0	0	0
NG	41	0.02	0	0
NI	2	0	0	0

NL	1850	0.89	32	0.22
NO	1364	0.65	34	0.23
NP	13	0.01	0	0
NU	1	0	0	0
NZ	368	0.18	7	0.05
OM	19	0.01	0	0
PA	26	0.01	2	0.01
PE	55	0.03	0	0
PF	194	0.09	1	0.01
PH	508	0.24	1	0.01
PK	56	0.03	0	0
PL	286	0.14	10	0.07
PM	1	0	0	0
PR	44	0.02	0	0
PT	147	0.07	4	0.03
PW	2	0	0	0

PY	7	0	0	0
QA	10	0	0	0
RE	7	0	0	0
RO	135	0.06	11	0.08
RU	614	0.29	27	0.19
SA	174	0.08	1	0.01
SC	39	0.02	0	0
SD	1	0	0	0
SE	1142	0.55	57	0.39
SG	827	0.4	7	0.05
SH	1	0	0	0
SI	67	0.03	8	0.06
SK	66	0.03	11	0.08
SL	2	0	0	0
SM	2	0	0	0
SN	1	0	0	0
SO	1	0	0	0

SR	1	0	0	0
SV	2	0	1	0.01
SY	19	0.01	0	0
SZ	1	0	0	0
TC	4	0	0	0
TG	3	0	0	0
TH	160	0.08	1	0.01
TJ	1	0	0	0
TN	7	0	0	0
TO	1	0	0	0
TR	442	0.21	17	0.12
TT	7	0	0	0
TV	1	0	0	0
TW	395	0.19	12	0.08
TZ	5	0	0	0
UA	146	0.07	11	0.08

UG	3	0	1	0.01
UM	27	0.01	0	0
US	125627	60.26	6321	43.47
UY	34	0.02	2	0.01
UZ	11	0.01	0	0
VA	5	0	0	0
VC	6	0	0	0
VE	78	0.04	5	0.03
VG	21	0.01	0	0
VI	6	0	0	0
VN	85	0.04	14	0.1
VU	10	0	0	0
WS	2	0	0	0
YE	1	0	0	0
YU	38	0.02	3	0.02
ZA	355	0.17	6	0.04

ZM	6	0	0	0
ZW	10	0	0	0