

# WebCount V2.0

## For Servers Running On Windows 95 and 'NT

### Announcing:

A 32-bit CGI program written in C++ that keeps track of the number of hits a HTML-page is chosen. A graphic counter is displayed where ever you choose. Allows unlimited number of counters and fonts.

### Tested with:

Website server 1.0g  
Website server 1.1  
ALIBABA server  
SAIC's HTTP server 1.1  
Netscape server  
EMWAC's HTTP server V 0.96  
Purveyor server V1.1  
Internet Factory's Builder Web server

### Credits:

This script makes use of the GD library written by Thomas Boutell of the Quest Protein Database Center.

### Usage:

Your path should look like this:

```
cgi-bin
| ---- digits directory
|         |----- A directory
|         |----- 0.gif thru 9.gif
|         |----- B directory
|         |-----0.gif thru 9.gif
|
WebCount.exe
```

**Note:** If using Website with windows 95 make sure you use directory. /cgi-shl/WebCount.exe

Insert this somewhere on your home-page. Here is a couple examples:

```
<IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?size=7&font=a&link=counter1">
<IMG SRC="/cgi-shl/WebCount.exe?size=9&font=b&link=counter2">
```

### Arguments:

**link**=counter\_name (the only argument necessary) This argument is used to point the counter program to a filename in the <counter.ini> .

Example: <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?link=yourcounter">

**size**=N (optional) Where the value of <N> can be 5 to 10. This means the counter can display as high as 999999999. The default value is 5 if omitted.

Example: <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?size=10&link=counter1">

**font**=A (optional)Where the value of <A> can be A to Z. This means the counter can display

different styles of graphics depending on what directory it points to. Default value is A.

Example: <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?font=b&link=counter3">

**advance=N** (optional) Where the value of <N> can be a positive or negative integer value. The default value is +1.

Example: <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?advance=3&link=counter1">

**show=NO** (optional) If used the counter will continue to function but will display no image. This is very useful if used on other portions of your site.

Example: <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?show=NO&link=whatsnew">

**client=ON** (optional) If used the contacting client's name will be saved along with other info. If the client's name can't be resolved it will use the IP address.

**check=ON** (used only for testing) When used it will return information and try to assist you in displaying the counter. Used only from a direct URL.

Example: <http://localhost/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?check=on&link=test>

Example: <http://joshua1.ni.net/cgi-shl/WebCount.exe?check=on&link=test>

## Counter.ini:

### [ Server ]

;ServerName=The name of your server DNS or IP address.

;Vandals=Fail

;Vandals=Complete path pointing to a GIF image. This image will be sent to the browser if the counter is tampered with.

;IPClear=127.0.0.1 You would use this field if you would like to explore your own web pages and not want to increment the counter.

**Note** - remove the semi-colon to activate that field.

### [ Secure ]

counter1=0124 ~ You can name the counter anything you choose.

counter2=0000 ~ Normally you would start the count at zero.

anyname=0000

**Note** - The difference between **Secure** and **Client** fields are the counters in the secure field are protected against someone tampering with the counter.

### [ Client ]

LWD783=xxxx ~ Where X's is some value.

RTW234=xxxx ~ Assign any name you choose.

**Note** - This field is optional and used if you would like to offer counter services to others. The link argument would be different for different counters.

### [ ClientPage ]

LWD783=PageName

RTW234=PageName

**Note** - This field is optional and used as an additional protection for client counters. If this feature is omitted, everyone can increment that counter.

Move the '**counter.ini**' file to your c:\windows or winnt directory. This file contains examples that you can change to your preference. Webcount will create a file for you if you don't have one in the correct place.

## Help:

If your having problems getting Webcount to work try this.

Step #1 Delete the 'counter.ini' from c:\windows\counter.ini or c:\winNT\counter.ini.

Put this on your HTML page somewhere.

Step #2 <IMG SRC="/cgi-bin/webcount.exe?link=counter1">

Step #3 Run your browser and examine the graphic counter.

Step #4 If unsuccessful look at the log file created in the cgi-bin directory.

If you still can't get WebCount to function. Go to your web browser and type this at the URL.

<http://localhost/cgi-bin/WebCount.exe?check=on&link=counter1>

Look at the information provided and see if the paths are correct.

## Errors:

In case of errors a log file is created to assist you. This file is created where your counter is located.

## Unregistered:

**WebCount V2.0 will fail to operate after the 30 day trial period.**

## To Register:

**WebCount V2.0 (C)1996**

**Cost \$15.00**

**To register we need your URL address.**

### REGISTRATION FORM

PROGRAM:		# COPIES	AMOUNT
WebCount V2.0	(\$15)	_____	\$ _____
Viewer3D V2.0	(\$20)	_____	\$ _____
RegWare V1.0	(\$20)	_____	\$ _____
- DISK** -	\$9 for Disk Handling Fee (add if a disk is requested. A single handling fee is charged regardless of the		\$ _____

number of programs registered.)

Specify disk: 360K, 5.25": \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

-SALES TAX- California residents add 7.25% \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Santa Clara County residents add 8.25%)

TOTAL . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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OR CHARGE TO: MasterCard \_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

We need the URL where the WebCount V2.0 is located!

http:// \_\_\_\_\_

**URL:**

**<http://endlessvisions.com>**

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