



ICANN Monthly Report for March 2005

**The Global Name Registry, Limited Monthly Operator Report
March 2005**

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: March 2005

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	86
Registrars in Ramp-Up Period	4
Registrars in pre-Ramp-Up Period	61
Total	151

Table 2 – Service Level Agreement Performance: March 2005

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	7h, 24 min
Unplanned Outage	4 hours, 27 minutes	2h, 25 min
Check Domain Average	3 seconds	0.0610
Add Domain Average	5 seconds	0.1692

Table 3 – Zone File Activity: March 2005

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	73
New zone file access passwords issued during reporting month	0
Total zone file access approvals: end of reporting month	73

Table 4 – Completed SRS/System Software Releases: March 2005

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, 3 July

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 March 2004	14 March 2004

Table 5 – Domain Names Under Sponsorship and Nameservers under Management (Items 5 and 6 of Appendix T)– Per Registrar: March 2005

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	Nameservers
007 Names, Inc.	UNITED STATES	393	300
1 Domain Names International, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
1-877NameBid.com LLC	UNITED STATES	0	0
123 Registration.com Inc.	UNITED STATES	198	147
1stDomain.Net	UNITED STATES	118	97
@COM	UNITED STATES	4	95
Active 24 ASA	NORWAY	499	42
Alldomains.com	UNITED STATES	3572	1950
AllGlobalNames, S.A.	SPAIN	2	6
Ascio Technologies Inc.	DENMARK	2778	345
BB Online UK Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	55	39
Berkeley Intellectual Property Services Ltd dba IPWizard	UNITED KINGDOM	0	0
Blue Razor Domains, Inc.	UNITED STATES	249	50
BookMyName SAS	FRANCE	155	7
BulkRegister.com	UNITED STATES	2227	1838
CORE Internet Council of Registrars	SWITZERLAND	1191	671
Cronon AG Berlin Neiderlassung Regensburg	GERMANY	350	394
Cyidentity, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	73	1132
Direct Information Pvt. Ltd.	INDIA	1343	2510
Directnic.com	UNITED STATES	4283	2361
Dodora Unified Communications, Inc	UNITED STATES	13	14
Domain The Net Technologies Ltd	ISRAEL	599	66
DomainDiscover	UNITED STATES	451	281
Domaininfo	SWEDEN	111	758
DomainPeople, Inc.	CANADA	1026	527
DomainProcessor.com	UNITED STATES	81	54
DotRegistrar.com dba IHoldings	UNITED STATES	1775	948
Dotster, Inc.	UNITED STATES	3577	2532
Easyspace Ltd.	UNITED KINGDOM	955	85
EnCirca, Inc.	UNITED STATES	918	173
eNom, Inc.	UNITED STATES	3839	1452
EPAG Domainservices GmbH	GERMANY	9	14
Gabia, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	485	163
Gal Communication	ISRAEL	0	0

Gandi SARL	FRANCE	2442	1322
GKG.NET, INC.	UNITED STATES	298	2896
Global Media Online	JAPAN	866	188
Global Name Registry Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	91	59
Globedom Datenkommunikations	AUSTRIA	1	4
Go Daddy Software, Inc.	UNITED STATES	21426	6411
Hangang Systems, Inc	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	302	173
Hichina Web Solutions (Hong Kong) Limited	CHINA	3099	41
I.D.R Internet Domain Registry LTD.	ISRAEL	115	103
In2net Network Inc. d/b/a iRegister.com	CANADA	0	18
Inames Co. Ltd.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	103	469
Interdomain S.A.	SPAIN	211	61
Internetters Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	133	162
Itsyourdomain.com	UNITED STATES	0	0
Key-Systems GmbH	GERMANY	4604	1107
Markmonitor	UNITED STATES	332	118
Melbourne IT Ltd trading as Internet Names Worldwide	AUSTRALIA	16577	1158
Name.com LLC	UNITED STATES	170	157
Namebay	MONACO	336	394
NameEngine, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	31
names4ever.com	UNITED STATES	217	2
NameScout Corp.	CANADA	1909	966
Namesdirect.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Namesecure.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Namezero.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	0	0
Net Benefit	UNITED KINGDOM	556	26
Netpia.com, Inc.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	157	64
Network Solutions, LLC	UNITED STATES	8560	2391
Nominalia Internet S.L.	SPAIN	377	252
OnlineNIC	CHINA	225	266
Personal Names Limited	UNITED KINGDOM	1021	433
PSI-USA, Inc. dba Domain Robot	GERMANY	1518	677
R&K Global Business Services, Inc. d/b/a 000Domains.com	UNITED STATES	365	200
R. Lee Chambers Company LLC d/b/a DomainsToBeSeen.com	UNITED STATES	25	54
Register IT	ITALY	80	7
Register.com, Inc.	UNITED STATES	13488	1958
Registration Technologies, Inc.	UNITED STATES	119	16
Rockenstein AG	GERMANY	85	7
SafeNames Ltd.	UNITED KINGDOM	10	11
Schlund+Partner AG	GERMANY	26520	1588
Secura GmbH	GERMANY	198	91
Spot Domain LLC	UNITED STATES	2091	332
TLDs Inc.	UNITED STATES	697	1266
Todaynic.com, Inc.	CHINA	144	9
Total Registrations	UNITED KINGDOM	398	298

Tucows Inc.	CANADA	3347	56622
Web Commerce Communications Limited	MALAYSIA	368	974
Wild West Domains, Inc.	UNITED STATES	4307	1484
Wooho Technology Co., Ltd. d/b/a RGNAMES.COM	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	36	16
Yesnic Co., Ltd.	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	3239	827

Table 6 – Domain Names Registered by Registry Operator: March 2005

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: March 2005

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 (March)	3,572,077
Extensive Search Whois Queries (March)	52
Total Whois Queries	81,239,576
Total Extensive Search Whois Queries	607,207

Table 8 – Monthly Growth Trends: March 2005

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
Jan-05	14,851,483	287,822	1.94	151,541	1.02	14,412,120	97.04
Feb-05	13,996,838	271,403	1.94	129,114	0.92	13,596,321	97.14
Mar-05	17,117,244	349,619	2.04	149,732	0.87	16,617,893	97.09
TOTAL	321,720,453	7,658,692	2.38	4,289,147	1.33	309,780,910	96.29

Table 9 – Total Number of Transactions by Subcategory by Month: March 2005

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	9724	10876	51553	16397516	1848	1122
Server	8090	212	58	65962	N/A	N/A
Contact	32675	91	33574	154415	N/A	0

Table 10 – Total Number of Failed Transactions by Subcategory by Month: March 2005

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	2275	6453	12938	1856	78	686
Server	1753	134	27	22	0	0
Contact	6531	20	53	50	0	0

Table 11 – Daily Transaction Range: March 2005

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
March 2005	17,117,244	552,169.16

Table 12 – TLD Geographical Registrations Distribution: March 2005

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	0	0
AE	154	0.07	4	0.07
AF	127	0.06	0	0
AG	43	0.02	1	0.02
AI	2	0	0	0
AL	5	0	0	0
AM	10	0	1	0.02
AN	37	0.02	2	0.03
AO	4	0	0	0
AQ	3	0	0	0
AR	148	0.06	6	0.1
AS	4	0	0	0

AT	1470	0.64	18	0.3
AU	6452	2.83	55	0.92
AW	11	0	1	0.02
AZ	20	0.01	0	0
BA	8	0	0	0
BB	28	0.01	0	0
BD	32	0.01	1	0.02
BE	590	0.26	19	0.32
BG	72	0.03	9	0.15
BH	15	0.01	1	0.02
BI	3	0	0	0
BJ	4	0	0	0
BM	27	0.01	0	0
BN	3	0	0	0
BO	17	0.01	0	0
BR	217	0.1	2	0.03
BS	14	0.01	2	0.03
BW	1	0	0	0
BY	43	0.02	6	0.1
BZ	11	0	0	0
CA	9261	4.06	87	1.46
CC	2	0	0	0
CD	1	0	0	0
CG	1	0	0	0
CH	4740	2.08	54	0.9

CI	4	0	0	0
CK	1	0	0	0
CL	321	0.14	5	0.08
CN	3608	1.58	103	1.73
CO	48	0.02	1	0.02
CR	83	0.04	10	0.17
CY	73	0.03	3	0.05
CZ	936	0.41	81	1.36
DE	23715	10.39	714	11.96
DK	2188	0.96	32	0.54
DM	13	0.01	0	0
DO	16	0.01	0	0
DZ	28	0.01	0	0
EC	33	0.01	0	0
EE	23	0.01	1	0.02
EG	104	0.05	1	0.02
EH	3	0	0	0
ES	3600	1.58	46	0.77
ET	1	0	0	0
FI	478	0.21	12	0.2
FJ	3	0	0	0
FK	1	0	0	0
FM	2	0	0	0
FO	4	0	0	0

FR	3256	1.43	112	1.88
GA	7	0	0	0
GB	18274	8.01	216	3.62
GD	3	0	0	0
GE	19	0.01	0	0
GF	5	0	0	0
GG	2	0	0	0
GH	9	0	0	0
GI	45	0.02	2	0.03
GL	7	0	0	0
GP	9	0	0	0
GR	226	0.1	0	0
GS	1	0	0	0
GT	8	0	0	0
GU	4	0	0	0
GY	1	0	0	0
HK	3529	1.55	7	0.12
HN	4	0	0	0
HR	39	0.02	2	0.03
HT	4	0	0	0
HU	78	0.03	1	0.02
ID	655	0.29	4	0.07
IE	383	0.17	7	0.12
IL	1616	0.71	10	0.17
IM	1	0	0	0

IN	579	0.25	17	0.28
IR	44	0.02	4	0.07
IS	30	0.01	1	0.02
IT	3260	1.43	47	0.79
JE	4	0	0	0
JM	17	0.01	0	0
JO	19	0.01	0	0
JP	23098	10.12	1652	27.68
KE	108	0.05	0	0
KG	3	0	1	0.02
KH	2	0	0	0
KI	4	0	0	0
KM	1	0	0	0
KN	3	0	0	0
KP	4	0	0	0
KR	7623	3.34	45	0.75
KW	108	0.05	8	0.13
KY	17	0.01	0	0
KZ	14	0.01	0	0
LB	79	0.03	1	0.02
LC	8	0	0	0
LI	17	0.01	2	0.03
LK	22	0.01	0	0
LT	29	0.01	1	0.02

LU	91	0.04	6	0.1
LV	25	0.01	4	0.07
MA	26	0.01	0	0
MC	60	0.03	1	0.02
MD	16	0.01	2	0.03
MG	4	0	0	0
MK	1	0	0	0
MM	1	0	0	0
MO	4	0	0	0
MP	1	0	0	0
MQ	2	0	0	0
MT	51	0.02	0	0
MU	21	0.01	0	0
MV	4	0	0	0
MX	415	0.18	9	0.15
MY	2186	0.96	4	0.07
MZ	1	0	0	0
NA	8	0	1	0.02
NC	2	0	0	0
NG	43	0.02	1	0.02
NI	2	0	0	0
NL	2094	0.92	89	1.49
NO	1479	0.65	35	0.59
NP	15	0.01	1	0.02
NU	1	0	0	0

NZ	408	0.18	20	0.34
OM	20	0.01	0	0
PA	30	0.01	0	0
PE	60	0.03	2	0.03
PF	194	0.09	0	0
PG	1	0	0	0
PH	515	0.23	0	0
PK	57	0.02	0	0
PL	324	0.14	7	0.12
PM	1	0	0	0
PR	44	0.02	0	0
PT	162	0.07	2	0.03
PW	2	0	0	0
PY	7	0	0	0
QA	13	0.01	1	0.02
RE	7	0	0	0
RO	154	0.07	6	0.1
RU	749	0.33	46	0.77
SA	187	0.08	5	0.08
SC	41	0.02	2	0.03
SD	1	0	0	0
SE	1288	0.56	63	1.06
SG	854	0.37	3	0.05
SH	1	0	0	0

SI	82	0.04	10	0.17
SK	91	0.04	11	0.18
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	0	0
SY	19	0.01	0	0
SZ	2	0	0	0
TC	4	0	0	0
TF	4	0	4	0.07
TG	3	0	0	0
TH	180	0.08	3	0.05
TJ	1	0	0	0
TM	1	0	0	0
TN	7	0	0	0
TO	9	0	0	0
TR	483	0.21	13	0.22
TT	7	0	0	0
TV	1	0	0	0
TW	458	0.2	17	0.28
TZ	8	0	0	0
UA	194	0.09	10	0.17

UG	3	0	0	0
UM	29	0.01	0	0
US	137125	60.08	2236	37.47
UY	38	0.02	1	0.02
UZ	15	0.01	2	0.03
VA	5	0	0	0
VC	7	0	0	0
VE	80	0.04	0	0
VG	21	0.01	0	0
VI	7	0	0	0
VN	96	0.04	2	0.03
VU	13	0.01	0	0
WS	2	0	0	0
YE	1	0	0	0
YU	42	0.02	1	0.02
ZA	373	0.16	6	0.1
ZM	6	0	0	0
ZW	10	0	0	0