

**From:** [REDACTED] </O=ITHAKA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 26, 2010 10:46 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@ithaka.org>; [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@ithaka.org>  
**Subject:** RE: woot... mit scraper is back

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Merry Christmas. :) I'll tip off MIT.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 26, 2010 10:33 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: woot... mit scraper is back

It's gotta be a small group of people in the Dorrance Building on MIT campus the day after Christmas -- it requires an id to enter <http://web.mit.edu/mitcard/services.html>. And, the scraper is the only one using jstor.org since I only see traffic from curl in the apache logs. In any case, 18.55.6.0/24 is sent to the abuse serverfarm rather than literatum in the [REDACTED]

I was able to make a few tweaks to the perl script that delivers: it will sleep 5 seconds to avoid sending back over 4k responses/minute, and it appends a megabyte of 0s to the page returned just for fun. More funs things could be done but he stopped sending requests about 20 minutes ago.

On Dec 26, 2010, at 9:30 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

> FYI:

> MIT Scraper is back. Time for some fun with my abuse filters on the [REDACTED] 18.55.6.240 is the ip that is blocked now. I will ramp up to class-c before I go to bed -- I just want to play with the sucker for a little bit now that I send him bits with a perl script 8).