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Postado por u/Maddy\_the\_Mad há 11 dias



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## (l3+)Script Asics unable to mine due to Viabtc being down?



Troubleshooting

All 12 of my Script Asics went suddenly went offline a little while ago. They are still operating it seems but they are unable to mine as the miner keeps giving this error " local0.warn cgminer: Failed to resolve (?wrong URL) [l3.viabtc.com:3333](http://l3.viabtc.com:3333)" in the miner log. It is the only thing that i can find that is stopping the machines from mining. I do not know what this viabtc is but when i look for it the website seems to currently be down. So is something going on here? is anyone else having this issue?

To clarify the pool that i have my machines directed at is the nicehash pool stratum+tcp://script.usa-west.nicehash.com:3333 so i do not understand why it is even trying to connect to this other url that it is failing to do so.

So I was using NH firmware and i guess it's gone bad? Anyway I switched the firmware to BlissZ and now the miner I was testing the issue with is mining just fine. I guess it might be a NH firmware issue.



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No que está pensando?



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Ordenar Por: Melhores



bitcornminerguy +2 · há 11 dias

That's why you should have backup pools setup. Don't lose mining time — get those suckers pointed at NiceHash or the LiteCoinPool.

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Maddy\_the\_Mad OP · há 11 dias

They are pointed at nichhash pool though

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KeyAcanthocephala882 · há 11 dias

Post a picture of the status page

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Snoo\_5978 +1 · há 11 dias

I got this same issue on one of my l3s

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zqpmx · há 11 dias

It appears to be DNS problems:

<https://dnschecker.org/#A/btc.viabtc.com>

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I talked to a couple guys on discord having the same issue their Domain is down

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nonfatalexec · há 11 dias

I'm seeing this error message too when my miner stopped working about an hour ago. I'm using the Vnish firmware and the litecoinpool pool.



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Any updates? I can't seem to get it working again!

1 Responder **Compartilhar** ...



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Following solution mentioned by [https://www.reddit.com/r/litecoinmining/comments/r24g0x/comment/hm3tqm6/?utm\\_source=share&utm\\_medium=web2x&context=3](https://www.reddit.com/r/litecoinmining/comments/r24g0x/comment/hm3tqm6/?utm_source=share&utm_medium=web2x&context=3) worked.

I added this entry to /etc/hosts:

47.252.50.124 [ltc.viabtc.com](http://ltc.viabtc.com)

then restarted cgminer, and my miner is hashing.

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Where do you add this

1 Responder **Compartilhar** ...



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You need ssh access to the machine and login with root. Then edit the /etc/hosts file.

Open an ssh terminal:

1. Connect to IP of machine, with user root (same password as web login)



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4. Type: 47.252.50.124 ltc.viabtc.com

5. Type: [ESC]:wq [ESC] is the escape key. ":wq" saves and quits file

6. On web of machine, restart cgminer

↑ 2 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



rich188 · há 8 dias

[https://www.reddit.com/r/litecoinmining/comments/r24g0x/comment/hm3tqm6/?utm\\_source=share&utm\\_medium=web2x&context=3](https://www.reddit.com/r/litecoinmining/comments/r24g0x/comment/hm3tqm6/?utm_source=share&utm_medium=web2x&context=3)

Thank you. This really solve my problem!

↑ 1 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



WDTBB 🏆 +1 · há 7 dias

Many, many thanks!

↑ 1 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



winklerdane 🏆 · há 6 dias

47.252.50.124

ltc.viabtc.com

Got it! Didn't even have to restart cgminer. Thank you! Took me a second try but I got it. Thanks a ton.

↑ 1 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



nonfatalexec 🏆 · há 6 dias

No problem! I didn't realize cgminer didn't need to be restarted.

↑ 1 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



winklerdane 🏆 · há 4 dias

We had a power outage and I had to run this fix again to get my L3+ hashing again.

↑ 1 ↓ Responder Compartilhar ...



cryptotherm 🌐 · há 9 dias



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OK folks, I was posting updated I came across for this problem in another chat but thought it best to start a new one specifically for this problem. Basically China have spat the dummy out again and pulled the plug on several large mining pools. I personally use ViaBTC so this has affected me not being able to access the app or the usual ViaBTC.com website.

I've been following the admins comments from the ViaBTC TG site and below is the latest update from them. I have tried the sites and eventually managed to log on and see my workers for both BTC and LTC. I've successfully pulled funds yesterday from these accounts and for me, the mining pools are still working and earning without any changes. The sites they suggest (ViaBTC.net & ViaBTC.top) both work although it's taken several attempts to access them due to the server traffic flow. They are supposedly moving the servers to Hong Kong which apparently will fix the issue! We will wait and see! Here's what the TH admins have posted for the latest update. Hope this helps. 👍

Sorry for having kept you waiting.

Recently, due to the impact of DNS pollution, some of the users in certain regions experienced abnormal resolution of the ViaBTC domain name ([www.viabtc.com](http://www.viabtc.com)) and were unable to access the website properly. After emergency maintenance, ViaBTC has activated a new domain name ([www.viabtc.net](http://www.viabtc.net)). If you have ever encountered the above situation, please use the new domain name to visit the website.

Besides, if you have problem using App, please update your ViaBTC App to the latest version.

Simply put, please use ([viabtc.net](http://viabtc.net)) for visiting website and use([viabtc.top](http://viabtc.top)) for mining configuration.

The current available coins: BTC, ETH, LTC, BCH, and Smart Mining, please refer to the mining configuration page <https://www.viabtc.net/pool/state>

Updated mining URL : BTC: stratum+tcp://btc.viabtc.top:3333 BCH:  
stratum+tcp://bch.viabtc.top:3333 ETH: stratum+tcp://eth.viabtc.top:3333 LTC:  
stratum+tcp://ltc.viabtc.top:3333 Smart Mining: stratum+tcp://bitcoin.viabtc.top:3333

For example, if you are mining BTC, your new mining URL would be  
stratum+tcp://btc.viabtc.top:3333

Please stay tuned for the configuration of more coins later.

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I had the same problem. Miner also disappeared from nicehash rig manager, which is unusual. Generally, they take a full week to fall off when mining has been offline. I went to bitmain and swapped out the firmware, then set to mine for litecoin.org. The nicehash firmware wouldn't mine to Litecoin.org for some reason.

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



ImpressiveMushroom76 · há 8 dias

Hey bro, ive tried upgrading my NH firmware to hiveon using the network but its not working, how did u upgrade it through the sd card ?

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



ImpressiveMushroom76 · há 8 dias

And was the miner status screen only showing 3 chains and and all 0 values?

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



Arminkia · há 7 dias

Yo guys i have problem too with viabtc is -1003 error is that same as ur problem?

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



SodaTM · há 6 dias

My apologies if this has been asked and answered. I'm new to the mining game but not to networks so I 'm curious, why are my miners needing to lookup viabtc at all when I'm using NiceHash?

Thanks!

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



jazyjustinh · há 5 dias

same! I didnt realize nicehash went through viabtc. Both my machines still down right now :(

↑ 1 ↓ Responder **Compartilhar** ...



SodaTM · há 5 dias



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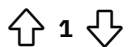
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my machines went back online right away.

1. You need ssh access to the machine and login with root. Then edit the /etc/hosts file.
2. Open an ssh terminal:
3. Connect to IP of machine, with user root (same password as web login)
4. Type: vi /etc/hosts This opens the /etc/hosts file with the vi editor
5. Type: O This adds a line above the current line
6. Type: 47.252.50.124 [l3c.viabtc.com](http://l3c.viabtc.com)
7. Type: [ESC]:wq [ESC] is the escape key. ":wq" saves and quits file
8. On web of machine, restart cgminer"

Thanks!



Responder

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