

GNet

an anonymous distributed backup system

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- computer raids of mp3 sharing students in Taiwan

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The media presents the whole issue exclusively in the context with **Napster**.

Napster's heirs

network	distr.	anon.	search	attack	encrypt.	persist.
Napster	no	no	central	court	no	local
Gnutella	yes	no	parallel	search	no	local
Freenet	yes	yes	serial	content	keywords	none
Freeheaven	yes	yes	local	detected	keys and dispersal	limited
GNet	yes	yes	adaptive	limited	keywords and dispersal	adaptive & local

LUG?

We are currently in the design phase. During the fall we will need beta-testers (nodes). Volunteers send mail to

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