

# Microsoft's UK website defaced

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Microsoft's UK website was defaced on July 6 by a hacker who goes by the pseudonym Apocalypse, according to information available at the web defacement archive, [Zone-H.org](#).

The hacker managed to upload a picture bearing the legend "Free Rafa - hack is not a crime".

Rafa is a reference to the Venezuelan hacker Rafael Nunez-Aponte who was arrested three months ago in Miami, Florida.

Nunez-Aponte is suspected of being part of the "World of Hell" hacking crew, according to [Zone-H](#).

Apocalypse is said to have been targeting US institutions and the US government ever since Nunez-Aponte was arrested.

According to the network services company, Netcraft, Microsoft's UK site is running Internet Information Server 5.0 on Windows 2000.

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**Source URL:** <http://www.tuxmachines.org/node/1662>

## Links:

[1] <http://www.tuxmachines.org/taxonomy/term/62>

[2] <http://www.theage.com.au/news/breaking/microsofts-uk-website-defaced/2005/07/08/1120704543517.html>