GitLab confirms it’s removed Suyu, a fork of Nintendo Switch emulator Yuzu



“GitLab received a DMCA takedown notice from a representative of the rightsholder and followed our standard process outlined here,” spokesperson Kristen Butler tells *The Verge*.

Suyu was a fork of Yuzu, the emulator that Nintendo successfully sued, but this isn’t about Nintendo now having the rights to Yuzu’s code — or maybe even Nintendo at all? Nintendo didn’t necessarily win the rights to Yuzu’s code in its settlement, and GitLab didn’t tell *The Verge* that Nintendo is behind the takedown.

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GitLab didn’t immediately answer a question about whether it’s

company policy to disable user's accounts *before* giving them the opportunity to delete their projects or file a DMCA counter-notice. The company's online handbook does not say why GitLab might decide to block or ban a user from its platform; only that "we may, in appropriate circumstances, disable access or terminate the account(s) of the reported user(s)."

Suyu appears to have already found a new home. About an hour ago, its leader wrote "I'm most certainly going to host a copy of the code." By that point, another member had already cloned the repository to git.suyu.dev.

https://www.theverge.com/2024/3/21/24108191/gitlab-suyu-nintendo-switch-emulator-takedown