

### Who we worked with:

#### Garlik Ltd

www.garlik.com  
www.qdos.com

#### When:

2006 – now

#### What we did:



Consultation



Co-Lo



Development

#### Nutch Search Engine

We worked with an Open Source Development for web-searches called Nutch, at that time in its infancy, to successfully build a system which allows Garlik to search the web, store millions of web documents locally and manipulate it for their needs.



### Consultancy & Strategy

Garlik aims to allow everyone to find out where their personal information is on the Internet and have control over it.

Started in 2005 by two of the founders of Egg - Mike Harris and Tom Ilube - Garlik has received considerable media attention both for its aims and its use of semantic web technology in its products.

Tom Ilube, who has worked with HouXou on two previous large-scale projects was quoted as saying "When I have embarked on a new technology project, my first call is to HouXou – they just know what needs to be done, and get it done."

We have worked with Garlik and their team in a number of different areas since their conception including functional innovation, information architecture, web development, and system build.

Their flagship service - DataPatrol - is now on version four. It has proved successful with both consumers and resellers who have added the functionality into their existing fraud prevention and insurance products.

#### Co-Location

We provide secure co-location space with 24/7 security, fire protection, redundant power with on-site power generation. We also provide networking support, provisioning, hardware and software monitoring, IP address space and internet bandwidth as well as remote hands and eyes.

### Development

We delivered the HouXou CMS platform, which looked after the customer details.

We built their own web-scale searching engine, using Nutch software, across a massively redundant cluster.

We also built version 1. of the web-site.

