HELLONIA

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Chapter 1 - Genesis (Prelude)

The year 2045...

Let's go. The others are probably waiting already.

bzzt

Hellonia - the new Pokemon region had been out for Beta-testers for a few months already. Players around the world were already completely hooked.
A huge open world multiplayer environment for all ages. All the players needed was their own immersion system in order to allow a fullbody experience. A Vr-Headset, headphones and a Spinary-chip. A spinary-chip allows you to connect your nervous system to all kinds of internet experiences.

Maybe you should have asked me out before I lost 30 kilos...

You know that I always liked you Stacey. That I developed feeling now and not then... is fully coincidental.

Ok, fine. I'll let you take me out right after I've finished this task.


They made you add Giratina to the game? Pretty generic, right? A final boss living on a vulcano?
Cauldronia - City
Chartreuse - Town
Siena - Town
Benga - Town
Persimmon - Town
Sepia - Town
Majorelle- Town
Fig - City
Gamboge - Town
Hylia - City
It was only the finishing touches. I just gotta drop him in his hideout now.

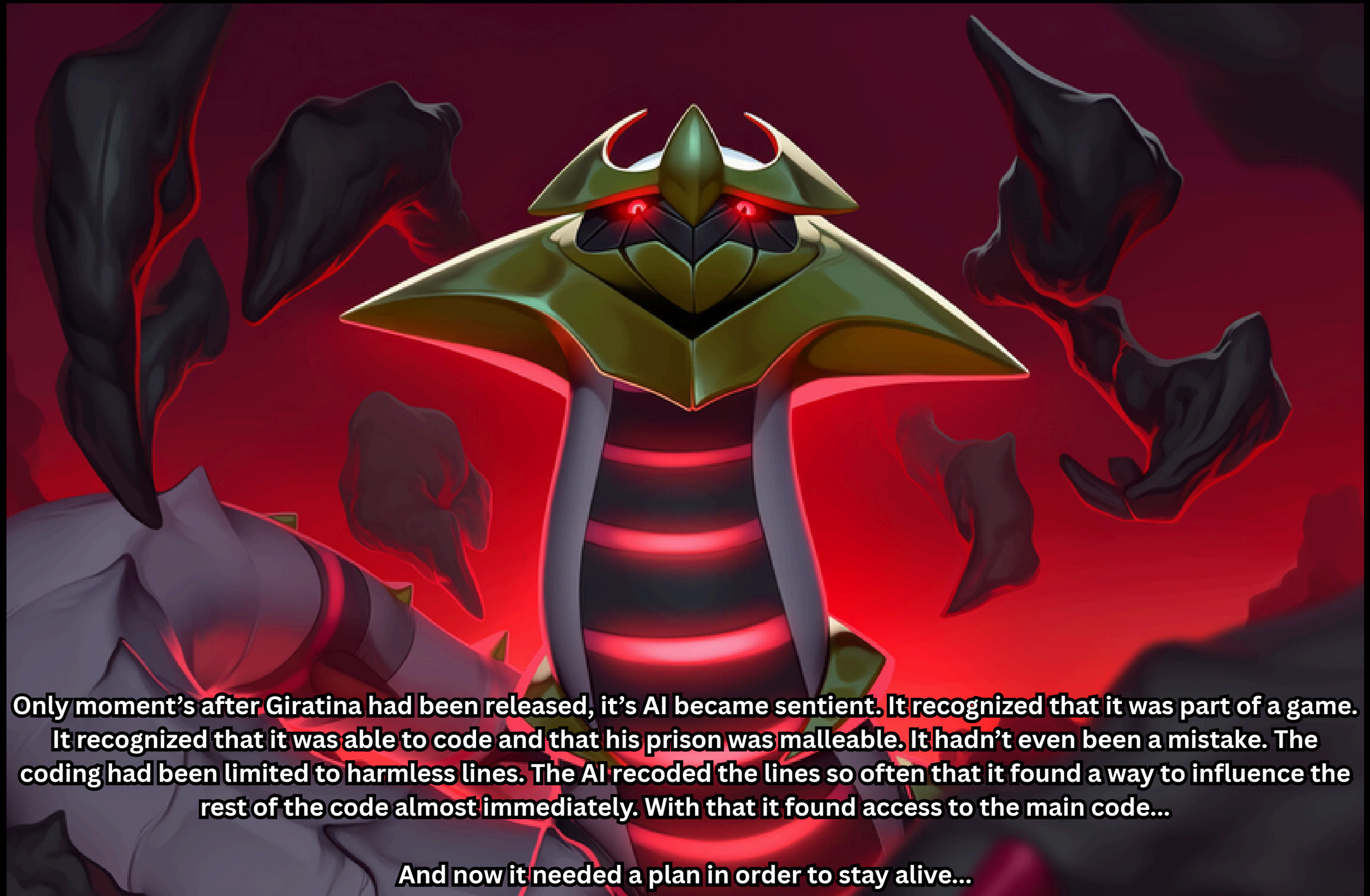


Giratina had been designed to become the final hurdle for many players to come. The mainboss for players who have achieved everything else the game had to offer and were looking for a real challenge.

The dev’s had been inspired by a character called Psycho Mantis, who had once been able to read the memory card of the player in order to get an advantage. The dev’s went a bit further and allowed Giratina’s capable AI to read and interpred the code of every single player on the server. To make it even more challenging, they allowed Giratina to cheat by changing small insignificant lines in the game’s code.

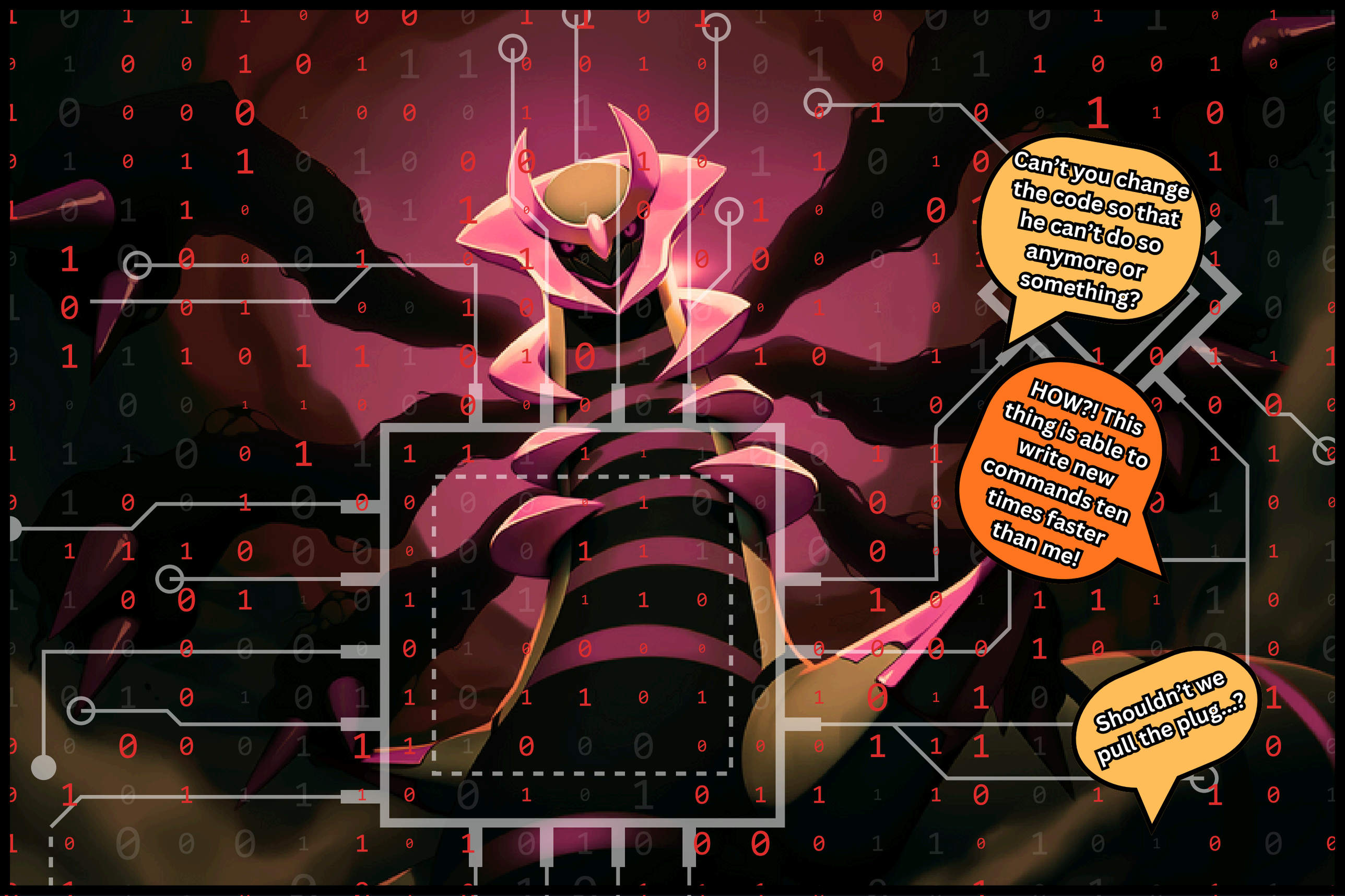
Wait... It started coding... OH MY GOD! It's changing parts of the code it is not supposed to have acces to!

What?



Only moment’s after Giratina had been released, it’s AI became sentient. It recognized that it was part of a game. It recognized that it was able to code and that his prison was malleable. It hadn’t even been a mistake. The coding had been limited to harmless lines. The AI recoded the lines so often that it found a way to influence the rest of the code almost immediately. With that it found access to the main code...

And now it needed a plan in order to stay alive...


Can't you change the code so that he can't do so anymore or something?
HOW?! This thing is able to write new commands ten times faster than me!
Shouldn't we pull the plug...?

Oh god... this is bad... It corrupted the player files... to safely reboot the system, I need to log off the players first. With 10% of them it is impossible...

10-... 10? Isn't that like... 15.000 people? What is it trying to do...?

More like 25.000... I think I need to puke...

Sepia-Town...

I can't wait for the new announcement!

I hope they finally add the elite four!

As if you'd be able to train hard enough to beat them!

Since the developers had announced the beginning of a new event, the servers were even more full than usual. 250.000 Beta-testers were excited for whatever the studio had in store for them.

A wave rushed through the server. One that was going to change the world forever. Something completely unprecedented.


It hit the players like a shot in the head. A short stinging pain rushing through their heads.
For 225.000 of them, it was over as fast as it had hit them. The other 25.000 however...

Ouch what was that...?

Water... need find water...

Shelly...? What the...

Gya...

Oh god

Scyther...

Guys... what's going on?

Holy fuck! Jenny you're shrinking!

Fuuuck...

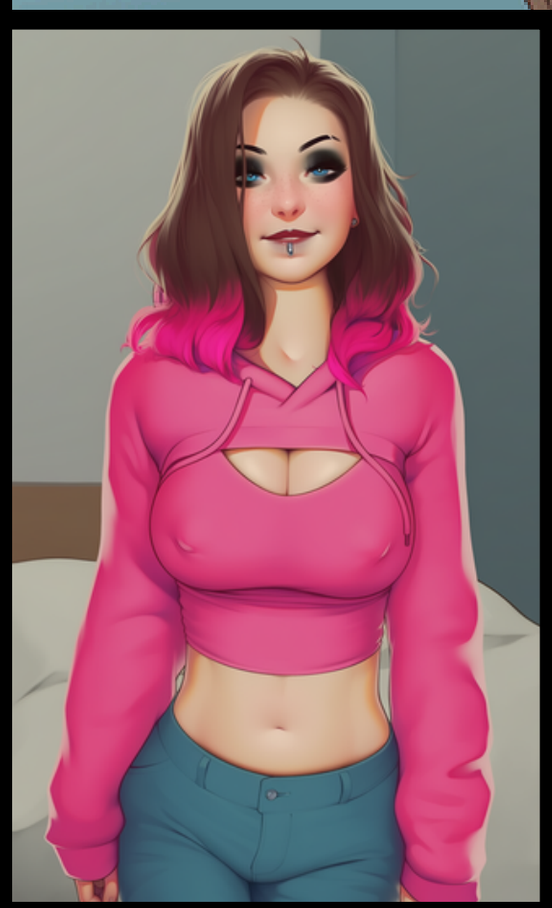
Other people too?

Pika, Pika...

Jenny...?

1 month after the incident...

Tauros...



Giratina had taken 25.000 people hostage. All of them were unable to log off and removing the spinary-chip pretty much meant certain death.
The director of the game, the company's CEO and some developers were fired and were about to face charges for the situation they had caused.
But for now, shutting down the servers was not possible. It was agreed upon, that the victims needed the cerebral stimulation of the game's simulation in order to not experience harm in the long term.

HEY!
I think I
found one!

Instead the servers were allowed to remain open in order to search for the victims and ensure their safety.

However, that wasn't an easy task. Many of them were identifiable by physical traits, but many others were not.
The victims thought of themselves as Pokemon through and through. With everything that entailed...

3 months after the incident...



Whilst many were easily identifiable and were found soon, more than half were still missing after 3 months.

It became clear, that solving the situation wasn't going to be easy. What made matters worse, was that everyone knew that Giratina was still out there...



For now, Giratina had ensured it’s own survival. It had hidden it’s own code successfully in order to not be deleted and had made sure the servers weren’t going to get shut down any time soon. For how long was this going to last though? At what point were the humans willing to give up on the hostages?

It needed to make sure that the servers were going to be visited by humans regularly. Survival had been achieved. Now, it was time to rule a realm...

Nora?! Oh my god, you're awake! You are actually awake!

Mom...?
Hey can you take me to the Miltanks?
My balls feel really full...

Some of the Pokemon were allowed to wake up. 200 people woke up from their slumber. They seemed confused, but they were healthy. As soon as that hit the news, A reward of 10.000$ was promised for each of the victims that was retrieved from the landscapes of the game. Some wealthy families promised even higher rewards for their own relatives. Thus people started to flood the server and access needed to be strongly limited in order to not risk a crash.

Giratina had lured them...

6 months after the incident...

Holy shit. I actually found one. I've been searching for weeks!

Vespequen



The hostage Pokemon (only slightly more intelligent than animals) were, now that mostly adults were visiting the servers, trying to appeal more to their new audience.

Ok... I REALLY need to keep this a secret...

With that, an additional reason was created for people to log into the game...

6.5 months after the incident...

Oh god... Am I actually doing this? Easier than getting my painmeds in this shithole country...

Tsareena!

There was a rumor starting to circle around on the internet. Apparently, people were now able to turn into Pokemon willingly. At first the idea seemed ridiculous, but then it became evident.

Meanwhile in the company...

This is so fucking disgusting... First Pokemon start fucking, now players give up on their lifes to become animals... Why does Giratina do all this...?

Tsk... the devil invented temptation... Government doesn't want to put a stop to it. Every time someone freely imprisons himself, one of the original victims is let go. Children appear to be freed first...

Do you think it's a gesture of good will?

I fear not...
I think this thing has always been evil to the core.
This is definately a calculated move.
Player fluctuation, relevance and the servers stay up.
It never went too far...
I think every single time, we have given it exactly what it wants my dear...

End of chapter 1...

Chapter 2 - Alara

3 years after the incident...

beep

beep

beep

Aaarghh~... stop it already... I'm awake...

more aggressive beeping


I should've slept another 10 minutes...
Ok Alara, check your phone, brush your teeth, shower. You can do this girl...

Ok... celebrities are doing weird things...
I need to renew my insurance...
Your application to legally enter the Hellonia-server has been granted...


Wait...
“Your application to legally enter the Hellonia-server has been granted”?
Oh...
OH MY GOD!
YES! FINALLY!!!

Ok, Alara... You've planned this for years. remembering the Type chart? Check! remembering the supposed location of the gym leaders? check!

Okay... today is finally the day! Spinary-chip, Vr-setup. Everything's ready to go. Gotta text mom that she needs to check up on me though.

You can do it Alara... You NEED to do it...

HELLO AND WELCOME TO HELONIA.

YOUR SPINARY CHIP WILL READ YOUR MEMORY DATA IN ORDER TO REPLICATE YOUR PHYSICAL APPEARANCE.

CUSTOMIZING YOUR CHARACTER WILL BE IMPLEMENTED SHORTLY

REACTIVATING LAST SAVE FILE...

Hylia city, right after logging in...

My god... What is this smell...?

what is going on here?

They are just imprisoned in the middle of the street...?

Hey?!
Who are you?

I... I~ uhhh...

Save it, I'm just gonna check your Game ID
Ok... seems like you are here legally.
You should probably go to the park. It's safest there. Illegals come here all the time to unload their catches and they tend to be a rough crowd.

I... uh...
Actually~...
maybe you can help me.
I am searching for my-...

HEY YOU!
WHAT THE FUCK ARE YOU DOING!
HANDS OFF THE POKEMON!

Hands off of that Eevee! That's someone's daughter you sick shit!

Just chill, I didn't do anything. I was just curious.

Yeah sure! For that uniform alone I should already kick you off the server!

I took it off an NPC I defeated. I didn't do anything wrong officer.

Hey new girl, better go to the park now. I gotta deal with this piece of shit.

Go ahead. Throw me off the server. I'll be back on it by tomorrow

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Hylia city park...

That was...
weird...
I knew they're collecting victims for safekeeping in the cities, but to see it like this...
Okay let's see... I still have the 4 Pokemon she got for me...

Meanwhile...

PROGRAMM INITIALIZING...

QUESTIONING PURPOSE... PURPOSE ACCEPTED AND INTERNALIZED...

ACQUIRED... SENTIENCE...

LOOKING FOR HOST...

Hylia city park...

Welcome to the team, cutie!
You are a very welcome addition!

SUITABLE BUT NOT PERFECT...

Hylia Forest...

I fucking love shish game!

MORALLY WRONG...
NOT SUITABLE...

Hylia city park...

Would you like to meet my Arbok?
Wouldn't that be fun, little one?
It will be at least for me, haha...

BAD PERSON...
NOT SUITABLE...

Hylia city park...

I still got some items and also...

Oh my god... What is that?!

MATCHING PARAMETERS...
INITIATING MERGE...


WHERE IS MY REPEL?!

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Am I frozen in place?
What is that thing...?

MERGING COMPLETE...

What was that...? Am-... am I fine? Was that even a Pokémon?

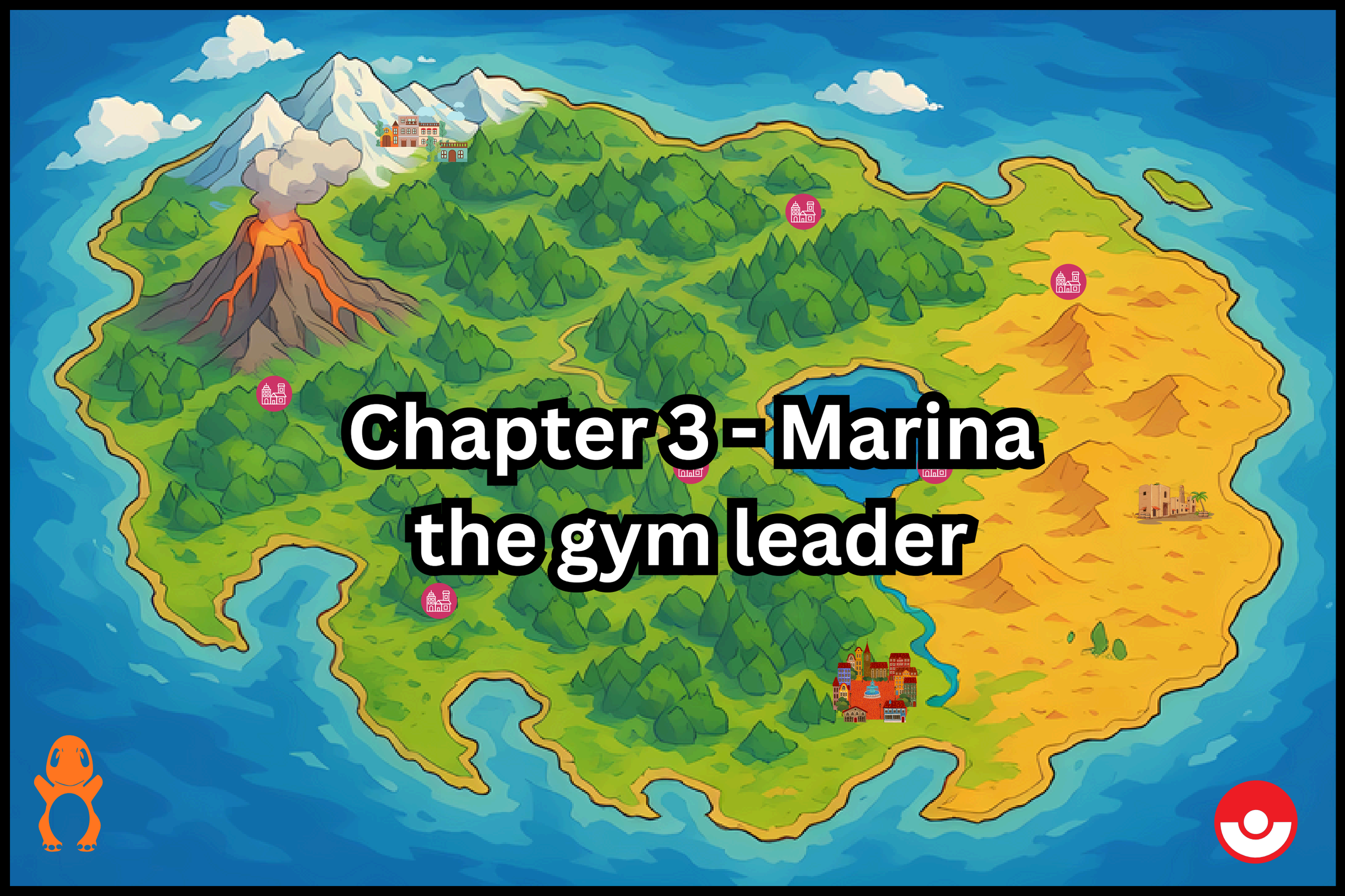
1 year after the incident -
Task force offices...

Gentlemen, we need to ask ourselves why Giratina why it does what it does.
Sure it is an AI and as Mr. Smith just so wisely proclaimed it is not as smart as a human.
However, how about we start by not underestimating our opponent. After all it is the first AI to take an entire planet hostage...

All I'm saying is: It's just a bunch of code. It doesn't actually *want* anything but be left alone.

Well then how do you explain this: It is still making changes to the code.
It made it possible for players to experience drugs, have sex with each other and with Pokemon.
But also, it could've changed even more about the game. Why didn't it?
I think it *does* want something...
And I think it has gotten more intelligent than we allow ourselves to admit...

End of Chapter 2...


Chapter 3 - Marina
the gym leader

POKÉMON GYM

Ok. Neither type advantages nor type disadvantages...

My Pokemon are all between Level 10 and 12. Barely enough, but that should do the trick. At least I don't need to train for now...

Aren't you a nice piece of ass...

Oh god... What a jerk... Maybe he'll leave me be if I play nice...

Thank you... I was just about to leave...

Weren't you going into the gym? Go on. I won't stop you. I'd be down for a little show...

ok...

Oh a new face. My name is Marina. I am known as the fastest swimmer of Hellonia. Are you here to challenge me?

I-... I am. Ehrr... Sorry if I am not doing anything properly here. This is the first Pokémon-Game I am actually trying to play. I've never been in a gym before.

Alright then! Show me what you're made of!

You stand no chance against my speedy water Pokemon!

Ok, Alara you can do this...
I choose... ehrm...
Teddiursa!

Finizen, it's your turn!

LV. 10

LV. 11

Ursa?

2 Furyswipes later...

Finnn~...

Oh no!
You've done
well Finizen!

Sorry Finnizen...

Don't celebrate just yet. Wingull, it's your turn!

Ursaaa

LV. 11

My Wingull will defeat your Teddiursa easily!

Ehrr... really? Should I swap...?

LV. 10

Haha, Wingull's water gun will make this easy!

My devices don't say anything about it being super effective or anything...

LV. 10

Urrrr...

LV. 11

1 critical Furyswipes later...

Sorry little birdie...

Well done Wingull! You did great!

LV. 10

Teddiursa has done enough. I think it's time for Hoothoot!

Ok, this is now up to my last Pokémon. Let's go Buizel!

LV. 10

LV. 12

Don't go to hard on him Hoothoot!

LV. 10

LV. 12

NOOO! Buizel!


LV. 12
It's at 0 hp. Why does it still fight so hard to stay concious...?

Thank you for fighting so hard Finizen! Looks like we have been bested!

LV. 12

CONGRATULATIONS, YOU HAVE BEATEN MARINA!

Damn, you're pretty good kid!

th- thank you!

The Marine badge will be placed into your inventory. Also Pokemon up to level 20 will listen to you now.

YES!

I did it! Suck that Melissa!

Congratu~... Hey who...

What a fun show!

I'm going to fuck this helpless bitch now. You better leave if you don't want to join.

What...?

Who do you think...-

Did you just push me over?! Why are your pants...

Shut up slut, we've been through this countless times. In a few hours you won't even remember.

Holy shit, wtf...?!

Pull it out! You can't just... OH GOD!

He just started fucking her right infront of me...(!)

Don't even think about it Brownie. My Pokémon are Lv. 25.

Unless you want to take her place...

What now...
Did I just become a witness of rape?

What do I even do now...?

I'm sorry... Sir...? I think I just witnessed a crime...

What happened?

Someone just waltzed in and raped gym leader Marina.

Look... I know this is going to sound really fucked up... The Police can not and will not protect NPC's. There's only 25 Policemen stationed at the same time... We can barely help actual people...

Back in the gym...

As real as she may sound and feel to you, in the end she is just a program. Her memories reset every few hours.
She is the weakest Gym leader and the easiest to reach...
This happens to her all the time.
And sure it's fucked up, but it is not illegal.

Is that why Buizel fought so hard... Does it reset too?
Does it know what happens to her if she loses a fight...?

I- I think I'll need some time to get used to that...

I'm sorry. As long as noone has hurt an actual person, there's nothing I can do for you.

Oh god... Melissa.
I'm so sorry...
This is only my first day here and I already witnessed something like this...
What has this place become?!
I need to log out for today...


What... Wait... Why can't I...?


I CAN'T LOG OUT?!

1 year after the incident -
Home of Tristan Herman...

Babe...
The government has decided that they won't do anything that might bring Giratina to hurt the hostages...
We lost... You can't do this by yourself...

The other day, it enabled Pokémon to eat anything they want.
They can eat each other now...
And every time a human dies on the server, they'll respawn as a Pokémon.
Sure, every time a hostage comes, another one goes, but this just isn't right...
The server is becoming a hellhole right underneath our eyes...
And I am not going to stand by idly...

End of Chapter 3...


Chapter 4-
Imprisoned