

error/issue	format / software	clear text problem	how to fix (if possible)
ret= -1	WAD file	Rare error describing a "404"... file/dir was not found	1) Your SD card is not formatted as FAT16/32 properly, reformat it 2) You deleted the file, after you selected it for install or removed the SD card... stop doing shit like this 3) Appears, when there is no "wad" folder on your device (sd:/wad/ or usb0:/wad/)
ret= -1	DVD backup	No platform found to run at	You should install a cIOS. It might have been bundled with your backup launching application. If this does not work try an newer/older cIOS revision.
ret= -6	DVD backup / Backup Loader	Application found no way to interpret the DVD; "Could not open disc subsystem"	Install DVDX and/or IOS249 (cIOS) in a proper way.
error 324	DVD backup	Media issue	1) Don't try to use DVD+R or any RW media. If you need to use DVD+R, you have to change the book type of the DVD to DVD-ROM. You can find various guides on the internet on how to do this. Note: Not every DVD-Recorder is capable of doing book type changes. Indeed some DVD+R media work, but I would prefer DVD-R's. 2) It may also help to update your cIOS.
ret= -1017	WAD file <i>OR</i> cIOS installation <i>OR</i> any installation	...when uninstalling titles/WADs. Means, that there was no data to remove from the Wii's NAND FS. ...when installing titles/WADs.	Nothing to do here. The problem fixes itself. It's just a hint for you, that the WAD you wanted to uninstall wasn't installed correctly before. Here you are missing a trucha capable IOS. Install cIOS to fix this problem or use 'specific tools' to patch an IOS to reenale trucha there.
ret= -1029	WAD file	Error finding capable (c)IOS.	Uninstall cIOS with cIOS Uninstaller or by deleting IOS249 in AnyTitle Deleter. Then install a newer cIOS (rev10+). The WAD should install fine afterwards.
ret= -1035	WAD file	IOS' are blocking the installation during to the fixed trucha signing bug.	This problem has many possible fixes. The most common one is to install a trucha capable IOS16 (IOS16-64-v257-prod.wad) and then use a WAD Manager which was modified to IOS_Reload to IOS16.
ret= -2011	WAD file <i>OR</i> cIOS installation <i>OR</i> any installation	Error in finding a trucha capable IOS / IOS selected isn't trucha activated	1) You could downgrade your Wii using some tools to enable the signing bug again OR using other tools, such as TBR or AIDI to enable trucha. Warning: Specific Wii consoles, known as LU64+ Wii's (referring to the serial number) brick when trying to downgrade. Here you must use tools like TBR. 2) Install cIOS or enable signing bug as mentioned at 1).
ret= -4100	WAD file	The SHA-1 hashes given in the .TMD file inside the WAD may be wrong according to the *.APP files bundled with it.	1) If you created the WAD file, you should check the .TMD regarding the hashes (as mentioned). For this, use a Hex-Editor such as XVI32. For more information see following: http://wiibrew.org/wiki/Tmd_file_structure 2) If it's your own WAD, there might be some *.APP files missing, resulting in the same error as above. 3) If it's a downloaded WAD, you can contact the author for help. If you don't know the author, you might search for a different source, since this WAD is simply broken. 4) When the WAD file contains pirated VC or WiiWare title the dump might be corrupt.
ret= -4100	DVD backup	Could not read disc (Note: This error is obsolete)	An issue with your burning method. You could try following: 1) Do not use no-name DVD manufacturer 2) Avoid using any RW (rewritable) discs (incl. DVD-RAM) 3) If using DVD+R media, you may have to set your DVD type to DVD-ROM manually 4) When using a decrypted (some call it patched) Image do not use special characters in the image's name (i.e. CMD: backup-creator.exe x:\folder1\this_game.iso) 5) Your Image might be a bad dump, although this is unlikely
black screen / back to System Menu	Virtual Console / WiiWare (most common)	IOS missing	Install the missing IOS. If you need help with finding what IOS is missing I'm willing to help you: Use title_lister_249 (requires cIOS) or title_lister and let it create a TITLES.TXT in your SD card root. Then send me an E-Mail with the file attached and a description of your problem (including what app/game has problems). My E-Mail: gamefox949 (think) hotmail (think hard) com