

Packages - Bug #270

[pacman] misleading error message when cache contains a signed package of invalid checksum

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Description	
<pre>17:24 < fauno> ==> ERROR Package community/rxvt-unicode-9.15-3-mips64el.pkg.tar.xz already exists in another repository [...] 17:27 < fauno> i'll get this behavior on pacman 17:27 < fauno> community.db will say rxvt-unicode needs to update, but it won't download your vers ion because mine is cached 17:28 < fauno> then it will fail to upgrade because the signature doesn't verify the package 17:28 < fauno> instead of telling you the package is probably corrupt because the checksums don't match like before 17:29 < mtjm> easy to remove it from cache [...] 17:31 < fauno> mtjm: yes, but the message is misleading 17:31 < fauno> it suggest having a security issue rather than a corrupt package</pre>	
Expected behaviour: handle invalid signatures just like invalid checksums, i.e. remove the cached package and error.	