blocking icmp, firewalls, ect...

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Debian Users,

What is the best solution IYO to blocking ICMP traffic. Comcast will get angry at me for running a web server, but I think Apache is the coolest thing so screw em! How can I block port scans to my debian linux server. So far my experience with linux firewalls is limited soley shorewall. I've heard port sentry is a good solution, but I have not been able to find much information on port sentry. If you could provide me with a link to some good documentation that would be awesome!

Chris