Subject: Re: Any Vista fix for Generals? Posted by Nukelt15 on Tue, 29 Jul 2008 17:32:56 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Quote: Why is it wrong for EA to try something different?!

I may be talking out of my ass, but I believe it was the fact that it was EA doing something different that pissed so many people off. If Westwood had done something different I doubt there'd have been a peep about it.

The game lacks several features which, IMHO, made the true C&C games better- among them being tech level limits, radio buttons to disable superweapons (let's be honest... superweapons become the whole point of the game whenever they show up), multi-engineer captures, no-base matches (anybody remember those?) and a host of other features. The build-anywhere approach to base construction changed the whole base building equation (allowing placement of defense structures near or within enemy bases without cross-the-map expansion or a local outpost- that worked for Starcraft, but not for Generals IMHO), the interface was vastly inferior to RA2's (which IMHO was just about perfect- if it had been mated to the original RA, TD, or even TS I'd still be having a non-stop nerdgasm), and the fact that it was released so quickly on the heels of WW's demise really doesn't endear it to the more rabid series fans.

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All opinion, of course.

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