Subject: Re: Framerate in Renegade

Posted by Chuck Norris on Sun, 03 Aug 2008 02:51:11 GMT

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Caveman wrote on Sat, 02 August 2008 19:08Chuck Norris wrote on Sun, 03 August 2008 00:01As for FPS issues, I've found it's either something in the background taking CPU cycles, or a weak CPU period, which would cause it to run slow. Renegade's old, but it does need more CPU power than anything else. As I said.. a 1.5Ghz Celeron CPU with stock onboard graphics just doesn't have any bollocks in it. I was just commenting in general with my last comment, not specifically saying why the one with the slow game problems was having them.

To answer though, let's hold up for a minute and not just make assumptions on a name and number. This is a Celeron M here, not a traditional Celeron. The former is far better. The Celeron M (and Pentium M) are not based on the Netburst architecture, but on the Banias/Dothan core, which was Intel's attempt at a better architecture, and it was based on the Pentium III (it sits between a Pentium 4 and Core Duo/Core 2 Duo, in other words). Yeah, it's still a Celeron, and yeah, it has a lower frequency, but don't just assume something because of the name. The Celeron M and Pentium M were "okay", certainly enough for Renegade. I think it's the onboard video that's more at fault here.