Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by trunkskgb on Tue, 05 Oct 2004 22:29:56 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Hello, I very rarely post here, but I come with news today. I have created a 34 player server with fan maps and it went online yesterday. RenGuard enabled, Brenbot supported and here's a few other stats...

Hope to see many of you there!

Laddered 250\$ Starting credits Endgame beacon

Now the Rotation...

MapName00=C&C Alpine.mix MapName01=C&C_BasinTS.mix MapName02=C&C Battlecreek.mix MapName03=C&C Beach.mix MapName04=C&C Big Walls.mix MapName05=C&C BunkersTS.mix MapName06=C&C Cairo.mix MapName07=C&C_Canyon.mix MapName08=C&C_Carnage-Club_Xtreme.mix MapName09=C&C City Flying.mix MapName10=C&C_CliffsLX.mix MapName11=C&C Colossus2R1.mix MapName12=C&C Complex.mix MapName13=C&C_Country_Meadow.mix MapName14=C&C Country Side.mix MapName15=C&C_Cover of Night v1.2.mix MapName16=C&C_Death_village.mix MapName17=C&C_Delta.mix MapName18=C&C_Deth_Islands.mix MapName19=C&C Divergence.mix MapName20=C&C_Duel_Arena.mix MapName21=C&C Duel Death.mix MapName22=C&C Dusk.mix MapName23=C&C Field.mix MapName24=C&C Forgotten Town.mix MapName25=C&C_Frag_City.mix MapName26=C&C_Fusion1.mix MapName27=C&C_Golf_Course.mix MapName28=C&C_Haunted2.mix MapName29=C&C_High_Altitude.mix MapName30=C&C Islands KOTH.mix MapName31=C&C Jungle2.mix

MapName32=C&C Killer Cove v2.mix MapName33=C&C Land.mix MapName34=C&C_Lightwave2.mix MapName35=C&C_littlehillrumble.mix MapName36=C&C Mars.mix MapName37=C&C_Metropolis.mix MapName38=C&C MetroTS.mix MapName39=C&C_Miracle_2.mix MapName40=C&C Mutant Lab.mix MapName41=C&C Mutation.mix MapName42=C&C Niagra.mix MapName43=C&C Night0X.mix MapName44=C&C_Overlook.mix MapName45=C&C_Hangmans_Canyon.mix MapName46=C&C_Pacific.mix MapName47=C&C_Paradox_Harbor.mix MapName48=C&C Prison Camp DM.mix MapName49=C&C_Radiation.mix MapName50=C&C Ravine.mix MapName51=C&C River RaidTS.mix MapName52=C&C RP Vesuv.mix MapName53=C&C Ruins.mix MapName54=C&C SeasideSunset.mix MapName55=C&C_Secretbase.mix MapName56=C&C_Sidewinder.mix MapName57=C&C_siege.mix MapName58=C&C_Silent_Dawn.mix MapName59=C&C Slash0X Hideout.mix MapName60=C&C Snow.mix MapName61=C&C_Terrace.mix MapName62=C&C Tiberium Pit 2.mix MapName63=C&C_Tib_Pit_3.mix MapName64=C&C_Tiber_River.mix MapName65=C&C_Tiberium_Temple.mix MapName66=C&C_Titanic.mix MapName67=C&C Tobruk.mix MapName68=C&C_Tropics.mix MapName69=C&C Urban rush.mix MapName70=C&C Uphill.mix MapName71=C&C Volcano.mix MapName72=C&C Walls Flying.mix MapName73=C&C_Wasteland.mix

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Aircraftkiller on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 00:15:26 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Having a huge rotation made up of poorly made and designed levels isn't much of an incentive for people to join.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Doitle on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 00:24:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

That is one huge rotation. I think you should streamline it to maybe 10 maps, Think about it in day format... an hour a map, you have 3 days worth of maps before a map is repeated. Also, very few people will have all 74 maps. As I said I think you'll have better results and a more enjoyable hosting experience, and playing experience for your players by just streamlining to to a fraction of that, and picking out the best of the best from the great sea of all things mapped.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by cowmisfit on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 00:24:23 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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By that you mean maps like C&C_Mars ???

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by trunkskgb on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 01:09:34 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Well, since I played a server that had about this many maps, 57 If I am correct, and since it is WolSpy, it should fill up nicely.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by hunteroo2 on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 03:09:43 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

itll take a while to get tired of maps with that rotation....

Most of those are what causes people to get tired of playing.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Spice on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 04:02:51 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by sniper12345 on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 11:31:21 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

cowmisfitAircraftkillerHaving a huge rotation made up of poorly made and designed levels isn't much of an incentive for people to join.

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Funny, because it's true.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by SickOptometrist on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 13:09:12 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Can you post IP & port please for the RenIPers? Thanks!

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by DarkFish on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 14:58:47 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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says the person with a damn signature saying "use renguard on your server" nub

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by DarkFish on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 16:18:10 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Half RenGuard is good. Full RenGuard empties 'em

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by zunnie on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 18:29:56 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Clicky for a list of the 'better' Fan Maps around :

[zunnie]

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by WNxCABAL on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 19:57:06 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

lol zunnie, nice logo. Looks a bit rushed though

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Alkaline on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 21:35:33 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

This is what happens when you run a fan map server: You start with 10 or so maps, mostly made by well known mappers, like Aircraftkiller, sanda, somerhino, neosaber, TITAN, e.t.c.

ok so you have a rotation of 15 fairly solid maps...

then after about a month, PEOPLE say: "MORE MAPS "

ok so you add another 10 or so....

after 2 months... "MORE MAPS "

your like uhh ok, here are some more... this keeps happening for a while untill you have a monster rotation

as far as I can tell, people that play on new maps servers want to play a differnt new map every time they join... don't ask me, I would yank the rotation down to 25 if had a choice but I know like everyone would bitch whine constantly and it seems more people are happier with a large rotation...

My personal top 20 maps:

-Tib Pit 3 -High Noon 2.1 -Terrace -Cairo -Country_Side -Niagra -Siege -BunkersTS -FieldTS -MetroTS -RiverRaidTS -BasinTS -GlacierTS -Bio -ForgottenTown -Seaside_Sunset -RuinsOX -NightOX -MutationRedux -Marsh

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by SickOptometrist on Wed, 06 Oct 2004 21:47:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Where can I get Marsh Alkaline?

http://downloads.fanmaps.net/maps/sanada/C&C_Marsh_BETA.zip

You should visit the mod section more often.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by SickOptometrist on Thu, 07 Oct 2004 01:01:43 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Thanks EX - I will.

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Alkaline on Thu, 07 Oct 2004 17:33:40 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Even though marsh is only beta, I think its a really good one and I decided to put it into rotation

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Nightma12 on Thu, 07 Oct 2004 17:50:21 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Naamloos on Thu, 07 Oct 2004 19:15:21 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

It's not just maps that makes servers good or fun, it's the server sided stuff (IMO) like in BC.

But a little more then just WW maps would be great tho...

Nightma12& run RG

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hahaha... n00b probably thought renguard is a way for cheaters to guard themselves from being detected

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Opalkilla on Thu, 07 Oct 2004 23:01:05 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I actually think a server with a big rotation.. not HUGE... maybe about 20-25 maps... because you don't repeast as often, after about 5-6 cycles, It starts to get a little boring.

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The half renguard system is a way for everyone to play. Since renguard is made by the comunity not everyone is willing to download it. The point of this program is to give renguard users the assurance that they wont be convicted as cheaters. Non renguard users just play the game normally.

I personally feel half renguard servers would also refer a lot more people to renguard and encourage them to download the program. If a n00b joins a renguard server and gets kicked without knowing what renguard is chances are he will just go to a different server. If hes in a half renguard server he will ask people questions and actually learn what the program is.

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Well I agree with your half renguard thing... some incentives if added to regulation bots would be good also.

e.g.

the clientside could interface with server regulation bots like give them hotkeys for !nextmap, !vote map, !vote kick

instead of going into f2 chat, if you could just press say "N" for nextmap e.t.c.

I also thing bot commands should be limited to only renguard players... it really helps servers running new maps with the auto download (whenever that is implemented that is)

ALSO ZUNNIE, why do you have Land in your rotation? Don't you know it has a bug where you can't destroy the airstrip hut? YOu also can't repair it by the the mct, nor can you damage it by attacking the air strip hut.

the only way to repair/destroy the strip it to hit the strip part of it or run around like a clown slowly repairing the strip Pretty unfair for NOD I think...

Subject: DA fan Server now online Posted by Alkaline on Sun, 10 Oct 2004 04:16:14 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Thanks for the comment

I don't like clover either, but its a playable map, and brenbot has this nice command called: !vote map cyclemap. I have noticed many people don't like DM maps, they are usually vote skipped as well.