Subject: OT: video card
Posted by JeepRubi on Mon, 16 May 2005 01:02:54 GMT
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I am looking for a good video card and need some suggestions

My buget is $100-$200

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by flyingfox on Mon, 16 May 2005 01:51:48 GMT
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Posted by glyde51 on Mon, 16 May 2005 01:57:03 GMT
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http://renforums.com/viewtopic.php?t=14230&highlight=video+card

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Subject: OT: video card
Posted by Creed3020 on Mon, 16 May 2005 01:57:18 GMT
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What currency is your budget?

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by JeepRubi on Mon, 16 May 2005 02:00:23 GMT
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my budget is 100-200 canadian $

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by glyde51 on Mon, 16 May 2005 02:03:10 GMT
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Jeep Rubimy budget is 100-200 canadian $

REally? Mine too!

I got a Radeon Sapphire Atlantis 9600 Pro 128MB.

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by ViolentOrgy on Mon, 16 May 2005 02:07:03 GMT
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Posted by Renx on Mon, 16 May 2005 02:23:11 GMT
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Posted by Opalkilla on Mon, 16 May 2005 20:54:48 GMT
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http://www.ati.com/products/radeonx300/index.html

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Posted by Creed3020 on Tue, 17 May 2005 00:58:39 GMT
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With that budget in Canadian I would look for an ATi 9600XT, they have great performance/price
ratio. Your pocket won't feel completely lonely after your purchase either.

http://www.tigerdirect.ca/applications/SearchTools/item-details.asp?EdpNo=699286&CatId=0

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Posted by JeepRubi on Tue, 17 May 2005 01:07:40 GMT
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I was wanting a 256 and i just need a good model so i can get it on eBay.

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by cmatt42 on Tue, 17 May 2005 01:14:48 GMT
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eBay, huh? Don't buy anything that's sold as is. They're broken 99% of the time.

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Posted by glyde51 on Tue, 17 May 2005 01:22:56 GMT
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256MB isn't better than 128MB, 128MB apparently has better quality memory. Quality over quantity my friend.

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Posted by z310 on Tue, 17 May 2005 01:25:33 GMT
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Posted by Apache on Tue, 17 May 2005 05:43:36 GMT
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I just bought myself an ATI All-In-Wonder 9800 Pro (128 MB version) and I've had nothing but trouble with it. ATI's customer service has been pretty poor as well. They insist it is a driver error, however, I have reformatted my entire system and re-installed the drivers by their step by step procedures, all without any solutions...

The problem is that the card does not perform nearly to what a card of it's calibre should be, my brothers 9600 runs way better than my 9800 does. That and the TV tuner crashes randomly, without any error codes...

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Posted by _ToXiN_ on Tue, 17 May 2005 10:37:39 GMT
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Subject: OT: video card
Posted by Creed3020 on Tue, 17 May 2005 15:32:20 GMT
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Guys stop giving him links to Newegg. If his budget is Canadian that means Newegg is a source he cannot use, they don't ship to Canada.

Searching Ebay is another good place to look. I have a friend who has bought lots of hardware off of Ebay and had no problems to date with any of the products he purchased.

Having 256 MB of VRAM is not really advatageous for AGP. I recommended the 9600 XT for it's price, performance and quality. It's 128 MB of VRAM will be quite satifactory. I have another question though, what games do you currently play and what games do you plan on playing in the future.

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Posted by Opalkilla on Tue, 17 May 2005 23:51:43 GMT
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Don't blame ATI for some shitty motherboard you bought. I've had no problems whatsoever with my 128MB X300 SE.

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One of them was an ASUS and another one was a Gigabyte, both were supposed to be able to support ATI 9600's, but the ATI card just didn't want to, constantly giving off odd errors. Even ATI tech support admitted that it seems like a problem with the card itself.

So what was my 9600? A defective card, joy. I haven't had any problems with Nvidia.

But...since YOU said I got myself a shitty motherboard, you must be right and I must wrong! *gasp*

Subject: OT: video card
Posted by Opalkilla on Wed, 18 May 2005 00:04:52 GMT
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Posted by JeepRubi on Wed, 18 May 2005 19:46:43 GMT
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Posted by icedog90 on Thu, 19 May 2005 00:54:19 GMT
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j4S[p]I don't have a problem with my Radeon 9600 card.

You told me you paid around $150 for your 9600, and you bought it for that about a month ago.

Well,

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Posted by SuperFlyingEngi on Thu, 19 May 2005 02:06:40 GMT
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