Subject: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by TSS888 on Tue, 05 Jun 2007 05:17:53 GMT
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I installed rene and apb on my new com correctly. Then when i launched either of them, it said that i need to update my direct3d version to be compatible with the scripts (3.2.3).

I think its because my directx version is 10... and they want 9.0c. So i went to download directx 9.0c and tried to install it. But it did not work (worked for my friend though)

So, ya, please help!!

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by Goztow on Tue, 05 Jun 2007 06:19:50 GMT
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You could always fall back to scripts 2.9.1 (last stable release before 3.0) which doesn't use directx9. Don't forget to delete the 3d8.dll and possibly shaders.dll.

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by danpaul88 on Tue, 05 Jun 2007 06:54:23 GMT
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3.2.3 works fine on vista for me. I tend to get the DX error if I try to run DirectX in debug mode, if you have the DirectX SDK installed ensure you have it set to use the retail packages.

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by TSS888 on Wed, 06 Jun 2007 07:16:28 GMT
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danpaul88 wrote on Tue, 05 June 2007 01:543.2.3 works fine on vista for me. I tend to get the DX error if I try to run DirectX in debug mode, if you have the DirectX SDK installed ensure you have it set to use the retail packages.

Ok... can you please give some instructions or something to follow? cause i really dont know what the DirectX SDK or the retail packages are about.

Thanks in advance!

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by nopol10 on Wed, 06 Jun 2007 07:23:30 GMT
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You have a fresh new comp, meaning you don't have any DirectX SDK or whatever because you don't even know what it is.

+I know you have the nVidia 7600 GS, try updating your driver by downloading it from http://sg.nvidia.com/content/license/driver_license.aspx?language=en&url=htt p://sg.download.nvidia.com/Windows/158.24/158.24_forceware_winvista_32bit_intern ational.exe

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Subject: Re: How to make ren work on vista, tried most steps.
Posted by snpr1101 on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 08:15:45 GMT
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Yea, i have the same prob as he does, can't make ren work on vista, tried "run as administrator", tried all compatability modes, i've let it through firewall, everything. Some help would be greatly appreciated.

Subject: Re: How to make ren work on vista, tried most steps.
Posted by Havic on Sat, 22 Dec 2007 21:22:28 GMT
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ya i tried everything 2........ but it wont work. is there anything else someone knows about?? i dont think i have DirectX SDK and my comp is pretty new.... its a laptop and i dont have access to the internet on it atm so is there any way to intall Direct X using renegade? thanks

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Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by Goztow on Sat, 22 Dec 2007 22:32:07 GMT
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U need to run it in win xp sp2 compatibility and admin mode. If it doesn't work then, then I can't help u .

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?
Posted by nopol10 on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 09:01:22 GMT
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For Renegade without Renguard, you can run it normally. Only with Renguard would you need to activate Admin mode and Compatibility mode.
There's also no need to download the DirectX SDK. What you need is the latest DirectX version which can be found by searching on the Microsoft website.

Subject: Re: how to make rene work on vista?

Posted by Goztow on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 10:00:26 GMT

nopol10 wrote on Sun, 23 December 2007 10:01For Renegade without Renguard, you can run it normally. Only with Renguard would you need to activate Admin mode and Compatibility mode. There's also no need to download the DirectX SDK. What you need is the latest DirectX version which can be found by searching on the Microsoft website.
Renegade needs to write to the registry for your options and your nickname, so it does need admin mode.