Subject: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 11:39:50 GMT

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Hey guys, I haven't been here forever, wow it's bee awhile. I was feeling nostalgic and looking through some articles about Renegade, when I decided I really missed playing this game and would love to give it a shot. Are there still multiplayer servers out there? Are there people still playing? This game is 8 years old (I've been playing it for 7 of those years) and I've never come across another game like it. It has a really unique multiplayer experience that keeps bringing me back.

But enough of me rambling. Is it worth me to dig out the disk and install it?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 12:03:06 GMT

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Actually, there are still about 88 gameservers using the FDS still online on XWIS/WOL. Now this does include some moded servers like APB and Reborn, but still it is a lot.

You can view the entire list here: http://www.blackintel.org/renegade/xwiswol

On playercounts: They are declining, but there are still enough players to get a decent game going.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sat. 20 Mar 2010 12:11:11 GMT

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Wow, for an 8 year old game that's a lot more than I expected. Does everyone still use the text chat or is teamspeak being used? I don't know how I'll deal with text communication after being able to yell at my teammates over Xbox Live.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Goztow on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 12:13:21 GMT

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Still quite a lot of players here . Come get some games .

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 12:40:23 GMT

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I expected. Does everyone still use the text chat or is teamspeak being used? I don't know how I'll deal with text communication after being able to yell at my teammates over Xbox Live. I think all major communities have something like Teamspeak or Ventrilo. I know BlackIntel has a teamspeak 3 server for the purpose of yelling at each other

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by GEORGE ZIMMER on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 13:52:22 GMT

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Very worth it to dig it out and install it.

There's still plenty of servers out there. I highly recommend n00bstories.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 13:54:17 GMT

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GEORGE ZIMMER wrote on Sat, 20 March 2010 07:52Very worth it to dig it out and install it.

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Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by ErroR on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 14:23:35 GMT

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Also check the mod release section for alot of awesome models and textures ranging from weapons to maps

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 18:27:16 GMT

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Haha, Jelly Server, they've been around forever. I've been reading up on the Renegade Wiki on all these new strategies, mods and other new stuff; it looks pretty cool. I'm going to go find my serial code and get back into the action.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by Good-One-Driver on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 18:56:43 GMT

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Welcome back

btw watch out there are so many pro players thies days

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by zeratul on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 19:07:38 GMT

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and a few cheaters

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 19:11:39 GMT

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I found both of the disks (game and data) but I no longer have the cd case for them (meaning no serial number). What are my options? Can WW send me another one?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Clark Kent on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 19:20:07 GMT

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Could buy TFD, it is pretty cheap and has all of the older C&C games.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by zeratul on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 19:29:22 GMT

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Clark probably has the best idea... also i highly doubt that WW would send you it due to the fact they no longer exist... EA wouldn't even take the time to send you one because then you wouldn't buy a new game causing them to not gain money

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 23:31:50 GMT

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I took your advice and got Command and Conquer: The First Decade. It was only \$20 so it was a pretty good deal. It's installing now so hopefully I will soon be back to murking people in Renegade.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 23:32:54 GMT

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Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 23:52:49 GMT

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Ok I've run into a bit of a snag. Apparently TFD isn't compatible with Windows 7, so it doesn't want to work. I can get to the WOL screen then it says an error message along the lines of "your version of westwood online is not compatible blah blah blah". Has anyone dealt with this? Will installing the unofficial 1.03 patch solve this?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 23:54:59 GMT

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i use win7 and it works, as for the WOL thingy, download APB (http://apb.game-maps.net/index.php?act=category&id=101) and install the wol components only, and replace it

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:09:59 GMT

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I got the internet components updated, now it's telling me (when I try to log in for WOL) that my serial number is not valid. The hell?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:13:49 GMT

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A48943849 wrote on Sat, 20 March 2010 18:09I got the internet components updated, now it's telling me (when I try to log in for WOL) that my serial number is not valid. The hell? the TFD serials may not work online Back of TFDONLINE FOR GAMES IN THIS COMPILATION MAY BE DISCONTINUED AND IS NOT GUARANTEED

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:18:24 GMT

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So... why the hell did I just buy TFD? I'm in the same spot as I was before I bought this thing: no valid serial number meaning no online play. Did I miss something or am I just plained fucked?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:20:15 GMT

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A48943849 wrote on Sat, 20 March 2010 18:18So... why the hell did I just buy TFD? I'm in the same spot as I was before I bought this thing: no valid serial number meaning no online play. Did I miss something or am I just plained fucked?

nahh, i got TFD too, and my serial dont work online, so it might be a valid reason to get your money back, as it did not work as intended, sorta

gladly i found my 2002-3 version, dusted it off, and installed it

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:22:35 GMT

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Thanks for being patient and answering my questions. I'm just a little pissed I spent \$20 for a serial so I could play online and I still can't.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:24:14 GMT

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Some of the serials work, but not all of them work online. Thats why its so f\*\* lame by EA to do that, but o well. Best way to get a valid serial is finding your old one, or buy a old copy of the

game, as i linked you

you could also see in your regedit if your serial is added there, if it is, the serial is invalid, if not, enter it, and it might work

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by nopol10 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:32:27 GMT

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Try this:

http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&th=19368&start=0&rid=4 231

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 00:45:20 GMT

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I get an error when using the serial changer program. I'm using the regedit tool included with Windows 7. What file do I change to edit my serial code manually?

EDIT: Nevermind I found it, and it's the right serial number. Doesn't work. Goooood.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 01:05:40 GMT

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Ok, here's a conversation I just had with a support guy:

Quote: Garth: Hi, my name is Garth. How may I help you?

: Hi Garth I'm having a little trouble with a game I bought today, Command and Conquer: The First Decade

Garth: May I know the issue in detail?

- : I installed it fine and I'm trying to play Command and Conquer Renegade
- : But when I try to play online it says my serial number is invalid.

Garth: Okay, I would like to inform you that this is the known issue, an dour engineers are working hard to fix it.

: Ok, so what does that mean for me? I'd like to play online and I cannot.

Garth: I request you to please try after 24 hours.

: The game has been out for 4 years, why is it going to work after 24 hours?

Garth: There is some temporary issue and we need some time to fix it.

: So is this just affecting people who just bought the game?

Garth: Know, this issue is with old customers as well.

: So is it like the whole online component is just not working? Sorry if my questions suck I'm just trying to understand the issue.

Garth: \*No, this issue is with old customers as well.

Garth: Yes, you got it right

: Ok so it's not just me, everyone who is using C&C: The First Decade to play C&C: Renegade is getting the invalid serial error?

Garth: Yes

: And people who are using the original C&C: Renegade are not getting this error and are able to play?

Garth: Actually whole C&C servers are effected, some of the users are able to play the game, and others not.

: Ok so my serial number is good and it will let me play online once you guys get things fixed on your end?

Garth: Yes

Garth: Is there anything else that I may assist you with today?

: Nope, that's it. Thanks for being patient with me.

Garth: It was pleasure chatting with you today. For your convenience and future reference, you will receive a detailed transcript of our chat by email.

Garth: Have a nice time

Garth: Bye

So I guess there is hope after all? Has anyone else had trouble playing?

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?
Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 01:10:21 GMT
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A48943849 wrote on Sun, 21 March 2010 01:22So there's no way to work around this? The serial included with TFD will not work online? Not even if I install RenGuard or update to 1.03 or any of this other crap?

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There is, use the renegade key changer to reset your serial, and then it will be updated properly. Then it will work with XWIS/WOL.

Oh, and the employee is (as defined by EA guidelines) bullshit. XWIS/WOL has been online for at least the past 6 hours, but more likely longer.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 02:46:57 GMT

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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Sat, 20 March 2010 19:10

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Oh, and the employee is (as defined by EA guidelines) bullshit. XWIS/WOL has been online for at least the past 6 hours, but more likely longer.

I tried to use the serial changer and this is the error I get: Quote:Error opening woldata.key for write

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by nopol10 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 05:49:06 GMT

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Maybe you could try locating the woldata.key file in your Renegade folder to see if it exists or try running the Key Changer program in administrator mode.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 06:12:58 GMT

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Yes, woldata.key exists in the folder. I tried deleting it and running the serial changer, same error. I tried running it as Administrator. Same error. Ugh.

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by zeratul on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 06:58:02 GMT

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Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade?

Posted by A48943849 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 08:00:59 GMT

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Zeratul wrote on Sun, 21 March 2010 00:58try compatibility mode
Jesus Christ... it worked. I went to the Renegade folder, and ran game.exe in compatibility mode
(Windows XP SP2)... and it worked. I had tried running TFD in compatibility mode, but I guess I
had to do the actual renegade file itself.

I owe all of you big time for putting up with all my questions. Thanks for all the help.

Time to play for the first time in 3 years. It better be worth it!

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by zeratul on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 09:04:01 GMT

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i'm even a little surprised that worked.... Glad to hear i helped someone for once

Anyway have fun!

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Goztow on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 09:29:09 GMT

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That's the first time I heard of a TFD serial not working online :-S.

Good to hear the comp mode worked!

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Omar007 on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 11:41:31 GMT

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Goztow wrote on Sun, 21 March 2010 10:29That's the first time I heard of a TFD serial not working online :-S.

Good to hear the comp mode worked! What he said ^^

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by Kimb on Sun, 21 Mar 2010 11:56:45 GMT

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Omar007 wrote on Sun, 21 March 2010 05:41Also welcome back. I hope you enjoy renegade again

Subject: Re: Does anyone still play C&C Renegade? Posted by halo2pac on Thu, 01 Apr 2010 15:45:15 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

We should fix renegade completely.. then put a TV Commercial on G4! Then you'll see that count go up a bit.