Subject: fraps + youtube

Posted by Spoony on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 11:09:59 GMT

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Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 11:36:22 GMT

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Spoony wrote on Wed, 23 June 2010 13:09what's a good file type for putting fraps from renegade on youtube?

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Avi is the container, Fraps uses it's own useless codec. Useless in the sense that files are 23542465435 times as large as they need to be when you use xvid or X264. I'd recommend converting them with mediacoder.

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Posted by Stefan on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 13:02:07 GMT

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I recommend using the h264 codec. You can find plenty of encoders on google for it.

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Posted by Zion on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 14:08:08 GMT

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Yeah, Fraps will only record to uncompressed avi, you need to compress it, Youtube will support a vast amount of file types.

A list of the valid file types it can upload:

- .avi
- .mkv
- .mov
- .mp4
- .flv
- .wmv
- .mpeg
- .3gp

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Posted by Lone 0001 on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 16:12:30 GMT

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I'd say the easiest thing to do is to import the video into Windows Live Movie Maker (Although it might not be the best video editor, it works still) and use the "publish on youtube" feature it has, that is if the file isn't too big.

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Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 23 Jun 2010 16:18:02 GMT

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fraps @ 30fps (half size, .avi) -> winavi (.wmv, compressed even at 100% quality will split the file size in half) -> youtube