Subject: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by Soadfan1 on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 16:49:38 GMT

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Is this just as simple as with the original Ren disks?

I have changed computers and my old renegade cd is damaged and crashes at the 6% mark with always.dat.

I have a choice to buy a new copy of plain renegade or install the first decade with Renegade.

I have never used renegade on there so can anyone tell me if there are any special requirements when installing this way? I.e can I still get onto Xwis(WOL) as I could with the standalone? Will TT install just the same as with a standalone, or do you have to install things into special directories or otherwise mess around?

Thanks

Rob

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by Omar007 on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 17:17:56 GMT

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Installing Renegade & TT:

http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&th=39331&start=0&rid=2 3454

Using WOL:

http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&th=37326&start=0&rid=2 3454

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by Soadfan1 on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 17:23:23 GMT

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Ta.

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by ehhh on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 17:23:32 GMT

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basically just renegade with the 1.037 patch

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by Sean on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 17:46:10 GMT

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ehhh wrote on Fri, 14 December 2012 10:23basically just renegade with the 1.037 patch

Not required.

Install Renegade,

Download the scripts 4.0 RC1 client.

The scripts 4.0 RC1 client automatically downloads the 1.037 patch for you and then updates your files.

Make sure your run as admin for everything if your not using xp.

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by ehhh on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 17:48:14 GMT

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learn to read, i was describing what the first decade was :>

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by Soadfan1 on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 22:20:09 GMT

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Im getting a problem. When I click on the TT installer the directory seems right but the 'next' button is greyed out and I cant click on it. Any ideas?

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade Posted by Omar007 on Fri, 14 Dec 2012 23:05:19 GMT

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As you are using The First Decade, the folder selected by the TT installer is possibly incorrect. By default, the TFD installer installs to C&C folders with the '(tm)' suffix. The registry keys don't include those so the TT installer will select the wrong folder.

Sample:

TFD Install Path: C:\Program Files\Command & Conquer The First Decade(tm)\Renegade

TT detected: C:\Program Files\Command & Conquer The First Decade\Renegade

But since that folder does not exist (or not a valid Renegade installation), TT won't allow you to continue untill you select the right path.

EDIT: Per your other topic I see you already fixed it. At least this post lets you know what the problem was.

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by StealthEve on Sun, 27 Jan 2013 21:50:27 GMT

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The installer will now try the following paths in case it fails to detect the location from the registry:

C:\Program Files\Command & Conquer The First Decade(tm)\Renegade C:\Westwood\Renegade

(If program files is located in a different location, e.g. c:\Program Files (x86), then that is used instead.)

Omar007, is that the exact path? No space before "(tm)"? game.exe is located in C:\Program Files\Command & Conquer The First Decade(tm)\Renegade\game.exe?

[edit]

From another topic, I found:

C:\Program Files\EA Games\Command & Conquer The First Decade(tm)\Command & Conquer Renegade(tm)\Renegade

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by Omar007 on Sun, 27 Jan 2013 22:28:50 GMT

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I wrote that post from my laptop on which I was unable to verify the location. As you already found out, that one was incorrect.

The correct (default) path from TFD is:

C:\Program Files\EA Games\Command & Conquer The First Decade\Command & Conquer Renegade(tm)\Renegade

If you check that and C:\Westwood\Renegade, only different drives aren't covered by the TT installer yet.

If a key is found with, for instance, "Q:\Program Files\EA Games\Command & Conquer The First Decade\Command & Conquer Renegade\Renegade" which is invalid, maybe try the paths with the found drive letter?

So "Q:\Program Files\EA Games\Command & Conquer The First Decade\Command & Conquer Renegade(tm)\Renegade" and "Q:\Westwood\Renegade" in addition to the C:\ paths. If you do that I think there is no other way to cover as much as possible without searching every folder on every drive lol.

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by shaitan on Thu, 09 Apr 2015 16:54:05 GMT

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Would you be able to update the installer for Origin's new crappy install paths? Looks like they're releasing The Ultimate with that default.

C:\Program Files (x86)\Origin Games\Renegade\

C:\Program Files\Origin Games\Renegade\

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by danpaul88 on Thu, 09 Apr 2015 19:08:12 GMT

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The location of the registry keys is probably more important than the on-disk location

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by jonwil on Thu, 09 Apr 2015 21:32:07 GMT

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I have Ultimate Collection and I can confirm that the 4.x installer found it just fine.

Subject: Re: Installing TT with The first decade

Posted by shaitan on Fri, 10 Apr 2015 03:14:17 GMT

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One of our newer guys in Rencorner was saying the same issues plagued him as what was in these topics. heh