Subject: RedAlert on XP?

Posted by spreegem on Wed, 26 Nov 2003 17:50:16 GMT

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How do you install redalert on XP? I know there have been topics on this before, but when I used teh search on teh forums, I came up with jack shit . . . any help would be greatly appreciated.

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Posted by gendres on Wed, 26 Nov 2003 19:19:56 GMT

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Posted by Sk8rRIMuk on Wed, 26 Nov 2003 22:18:57 GMT

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I put the exe in compatibilty mode as "Windows 95" and then I install the patch.

The patch is at: http://www.cncnz.com/features/tech/raxpfix.shtml

If I said anything wrong it is explained there anyway.

CNCNZ1. Uninstall Red Alert 1 if previously installed.

- 2. Insert a Red Alert CD into your CD-ROM drive. When the autoplay menu appears, choose "Explore CD."
- 3. Find "Setup.exe," right-click, and choose "Properties." Click on the Compatibility mode tab and set the compatibility to Windows 95.
- 4. Install Red Alert as you would normally, but do not reboot when it prompts you to.
- 5. Open up My Computer and navigate to your Red Alert directory (usually C:\Westwood\REDALERT).
- 6. Right-click on a blank area in the folder, and "Sort by file type."
- 7. Change the compatibility mode on all of the executable files (about 7-8) to Windows 95.
- 8. Extract "Thipx32.dll" contained in the zip file you download at the start of this guide to your Red Alert Directory, overwriting the existing Thipx32.dll. (Note this patch will disable network play for Red Alert under Windows XP).

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Posted by kopaka649 on Thu, 27 Nov 2003 00:46:50 GMT

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install red alert in dos mode, then install counterstrick or aftermath in w95 mode,

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Posted by IRON FART on Thu, 27 Nov 2003 02:58:37 GMT

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Old, new, its still up, all there. ftp://ftp.westwood.com

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Posted by Renx on Fri, 28 Nov 2003 03:22:48 GMT

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I think there is still the RA xp fix on renalert.com too.

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Posted by amid tha rubble on Sat, 29 Nov 2003 18:10:19 GMT

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run it in compatibility mode and get the latest patch. it worked for me In case you were condering, xp is the shits for backwards compatibility...it really sucks that way. Especially if you're a serious old-school gamer!

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Posted by rm5248 on Sat, 29 Nov 2003 23:03:35 GMT

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go here. click on tech support, then the FAQ. its an RA1 forum, so they can help you out a lot

http://dynamic5.gamespy.com/~ra2sw/index.php

Subject: RedAlert on XP? Posted by SkitBra on Sat, 29 Nov 2003 23:40:27 GMT

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lol it worked.

but i had to reread the cd 4 times before i could get a working iso of it and burn me a new CD. thats the third set of redalert cd's ive played until they have become unplayable.