Subject: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Volred on Tue, 27 Sep 2005 14:23:40 GMT
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I have a really slow computer, and I was wondering if there are any tweaks I can do to the game to make it run faster.

I cannot play in a server with 30+ people cause I lag too much. My FPS is between 1-5. So I have to resort to playing on servers with 10 or less people.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Renx on Tue, 27 Sep 2005 22:18:15 GMT
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turn down the detail settings, all the way down.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Volred on Wed, 28 Sep 2005 21:39:31 GMT
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Well I have done that in game. Is there anything else that can be done?

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kanezor on Wed, 28 Sep 2005 22:50:48 GMT
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Open up WWConfig. Click on Video. Set your resolution to 640x480.

Make sure everything else is down as well.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by cmatt42 on Wed, 28 Sep 2005 23:37:55 GMT
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Don't forget windowed mode.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Nineball on Fri, 30 Sep 2005 23:45:13 GMT
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Windowed mode decreases FPS, so it's not gonna help.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by cmatt42 on Sun, 02 Oct 2005 16:06:54 GMT
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Nineball wrote on Fri, 30 September 2005 18:45Windowed mode decreases FPS, so it's not gonna help.

That is nonsense.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by ghost on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 00:12:00 GMT
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simply get a faster PC

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kamuix on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 01:42:58 GMT
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Renegade berely runs on my P3 500, 8 megs of video memory, Slooooooooow

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Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kamuix on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 01:44:01 GMT
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and i cant upgrade the video because its a laptop which really sucks.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Scythar on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 11:00:01 GMT
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I recall there being a topic way back which mentioned of a registry key that you can use to set texture resolution* to lower than what the game settings allow. I think I tried it and got max FPS, but I don't know if it works online.

*I think it was texture resolution, but it could've been something else.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kamuix on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 15:42:35 GMT

I think i found it.

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(Default)	REG_SZ	(value not set)
Brightness	REG_DWORD	0x00000004 (4)
Contrast	REG_DWORD	0x00000088 (136)
Difficulty	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Dynamic_LOD_Bu...	REG_DWORD	0x00002710 (10000)
Dynamic_Projectors	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Enable_Auto_Tra...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Gamma_Correction	REG_DWORD	0x0000006d (109)
Mesh_Draw_Mode	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)
NPatches (NOT S...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
NPatches_Gap_Fi...	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)
Particle_Detail	REG_DWORD	0x00000002 (2)
Prelit_Mode	REG_DWORD	0x00000002 (2)
Shadow_Mode	REG_DWORD	0x00000003 (3)
Static_LOD_Budget	REG_DWORD	0x00002710 (10000)
Static_Projectors	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Surface_Effect_...	REG_DWORD	0x00000002 (2)
Texture_Filter_M...	REG_DWORD	0x00000001 (1)
Texture_Resolution	REG_DWORD	0x00000000 (0)

My Computer\HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Westwood\Renegade\System Settings

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Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by AADude7 on Mon, 03 Oct 2005 19:11:49 GMT
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Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kamuix on Tue, 04 Oct 2005 02:41:57 GMT
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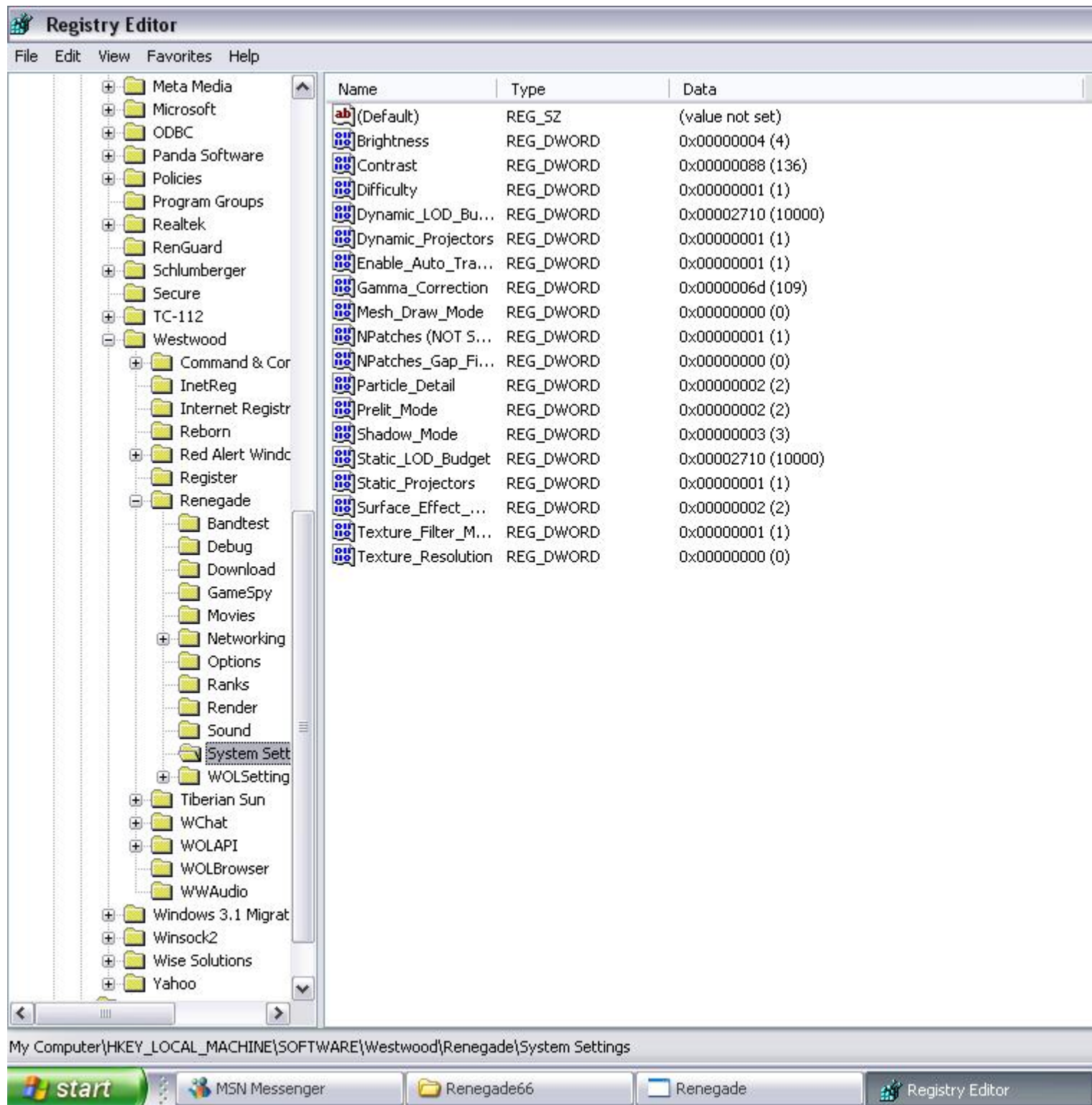Your right Scythar!! I set the Texture resolution to the number 6.
[img]index.php

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Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by ghost on Tue, 04 Oct 2005 23:08:03 GMT
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how do i access these files???
cause my fps is around 15-30.
i tried all of the things like run windows mode and it only gives me an extra 5-8

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Goztow on Thu, 06 Oct 2005 06:54:39 GMT
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A 8 MB videcard should never even run the setup... I tried it!

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Kamuix on Fri, 07 Oct 2005 18:21:46 GMT
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Actually, A 4 mb videocard wont run the setup. An 8 will though.
I've installed Renegade on 2 laptops that had 8 megvideo cards.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Caveman on Wed, 09 Nov 2005 06:29:00 GMT
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Maybe a bit late but anyhoo, i was playing around with the registry vales and i think i might have
given you some extra FPS..

Ok dont have texture res that high you dont gain any fps and it just looks very unplayable, change
it to about 3 or 4, then change the Texture fill mode to match the texture res... most importantly
change the shadow mode to something like 16-25, atm mine is at 1 which allows me to see the
shadows more clearly.

You should see more improvement to as prevs posted.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by icedog90 on Mon, 14 Nov 2005 07:53:25 GMT
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Windowed mode does not affect the FPS. If it does, it's because it disables vertical sync
automatically, so therefore, your FPS goes higher than your refresh rate. You can turn off vertical
sync without using windowed mode by going into your advanced video settings.

AADude7 wrote on Mon, 03 October 2005 12:11Get an Alienware

Alienware is overpriced. If you know how to shop for parts and build a computer, then you can get
a system just as good as an expensive Alienware system for a LOT cheaper.

Subject: Re: How do I tweak renegade to run faster?
Posted by Dan on Fri, 18 Nov 2005 19:57:09 GMT
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But you dont get that sexy ass case ='(