
Subject: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Tue, 24 Apr 2007 16:45:00 GMT

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Anyone know anything about getting Renegade to work on Linux? As I type this, my computer is backing up, so I can reformat into two partitions and install Ubuntu Linux as well as MS XP.

I will obviously get WINE, I checked their "Application database" which states Renegade is at Silver status, meaning they hope they can get it to work...

Anyone know anything? (Specifically, Does multiplayer work?)

Edit: According to the App DB, it works on some versions of Ubuntu, but they didn't test multiplayer, which is what I am after.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Jonty](#) on Tue, 24 Apr 2007 18:37:00 GMT

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Well.

I have it working with multiplayer here, but that's in Cedega.

I managed to get it installed in wine, but the fullscreen-ness seems to break everything (even when it's windowed).

And Renguard doesn't work, of course.

And you might need a no-cd.

And it runs slower.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Tue, 24 Apr 2007 19:20:02 GMT

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Ugh, the whole purpose of Linux was so that I paid less for software...

I'll try myself, it's possible my machine is different becuae Linux is like that

points at slow backing up program... GET ON WITH IT!

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [icedog90](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 04:42:31 GMT

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Yeah, Linux likes to act different on various computers. I had terrible experiences when I first started, but with more experience and the latest Ubuntu updates it's been much better. Which reminds me... I still need to burn Ubuntu 7.04 to a disc and try it.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [JPNOD](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 08:50:26 GMT

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Please keep us updated im really interested in doing the same project for myself later on.. good for my knowledge about Linux and I would like to see how it runs.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 09:52:43 GMT

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I'm currently adjusting my install of windows so I have space to fit Linux on my hard drives, also waiting for a reply about how I can utilise my hardware based RAID in Linux.

Only *counts* 9 disks to reinstall all my device drivers from! lol

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [rafkid](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 19:10:18 GMT

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Hi - this is something I have a fair bit of experience on. I have deliberately looked around for a linux distro that runs Ren in either wine, cxoffice or Cedega (to the uninitiated wine is the freebee by the linux peeps, cxoffice is the commercial arm with feedback to wine and cedega is a Canadian outfit who use wine to support gaming commercially on linux of what ever flavour)

I have tried - Suse 10.1, Mandriva, RedHat Fedora 6, Ubuntu, Damn Small Linux and a few others.....

Eventually I got it to work more or less out of the box on Cedega using Fedora Core 6 with the Gnome desktop.

You do need a failry pokey pc to do this though - mine is an SLI (does not work in Linux as SLI) GT7800 512Mb AMD 64 4400 with two Gig of RAM. At 1280X1024 with the sparkly bits turned on it manages a 60fps on a good day. The same system under WinXP pro turns in over 300fps using the DX9.0C fix. Also you get gliches all the time - the sparkly bits are not so good for many

reasons, sound is patchy at best, many sliding style instances of lag occur at the machine end - all in all not a satisfactory playing experience. I have not overallly bothered the support departments of the various api peeps - the game is so old it would be hard to justify thier time too much IMHO - which does not meant don't - I just have never bothered.

So guess who is about to partition his hard drives to allow Bill Gates back on his system so he can play Renegade as it was meant to be played?

yep - moi

Good luck with it - if you think I can help pm me on hotmail or AIM - dikfar on AIM and neillizatbath@hotmail.com

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Wed, 25 Apr 2007 20:21:34 GMT
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Thanks, I am currently reinstalling windows because it broke itself... I </3 windows. I'll still have Windows on my system, but I'm trying to make it so it's plausible to boot into linux by default, and do 90% of things from there, and only use windows when I have to...

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Thu, 26 Apr 2007 07:06:13 GMT
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If you want to know how to make Linux boot by default in grub, I can help you there (unless it already is on top of the list).

edit: Also, stickied.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Thu, 26 Apr 2007 07:51:14 GMT
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This is classic, it's taken me almost 8 hours to reinstall windows and it still isn't done, it keeps breaking...

I need GRUB to default load windows (Linux will scare my mum - lol)

Once I've fixed windows, I'll install Linux, I expect that to take less time lol

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Thu, 26 Apr 2007 08:18:11 GMT
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Okay once you have Linux setup let me know, and I'll help ya change the settings for grub.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Fri, 27 Apr 2007 23:17:36 GMT
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Ugh.

Eight. No I am not kidding. Eight installs of Windows later (Including one where I couldn't login without activating, and couldn't activate without logging in, and another where I had no CD drives...) I have now got windows installed, and am restoring the backups... 81 updates later...

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Sat, 28 Apr 2007 17:05:43 GMT
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Icedog, GRUB settings for Intel (Fake) RAID 0+1 (AKA 10)? Help please

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Mon, 30 Apr 2007 08:21:09 GMT
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Ok, for now, my Linux project is on hold, as it won't install on my Fake RAID (It's too complex for the Linux dmraid package)
I'm going to see if I can get another drive for it, probably a USB external one, around 20 GB. I'll post again when I have a working Linux install.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [3663Nixon](#) on Mon, 30 Apr 2007 13:20:05 GMT
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I had Renegade working just fine on Fedora Core 6 (minus Renguard, of course).

For the record I too managed it using Gnome, FC6 and Cedega.

Also I had the issue surrounding soft(-fake-)raid. With FC6 however it installed out of the box and detected the disks just fine. However, at the time I was using the Intel ICH5R softRAID. This is quite an old chip - the newer ones from Intel or other vendors might have problems, I dunno.

Some other observations:

The game ran just fine, as did installing the 1.037 patch + CP2.

The game play was just as comparable as to running it in Windows- the FPS was fine as were the graphics (was using an ATI 9800XT with the radeon open source drivers; the name escapes me)

You might have noticed my use of past tense - I had to remove Renegade (and in turn Fedora) as I was having major issues getting Ren and TeamSpeak to run. It turns out to be some sort of sound conflict. If that hadn't have happened I would still be running it.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [icedog90](#) on Mon, 07 May 2007 08:36:18 GMT

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Argh sorry I totally forgot to check this thread. Well, when you get back to this whole thing again, just PM me because I'll definitely see that.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Jonty](#) on Tue, 08 May 2007 19:00:44 GMT

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Next stop, making Renegade run natively on Linux.

(Seriously, if someone does that, I will buy them an island in the Pacific.)

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [jammen33](#) on Thu, 10 May 2007 05:32:08 GMT

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I have ren working in Kubuntu 7.04 feisty using wine 0.9.33 the only problems i have with ren is 1. no rengaurd and cp2 2. it will crash (ren) sometimes wile loading a map 3. nod apcs r sometimes pink and other veh also don't show up right. other than that it works great. you can even have teamspeak natively on linux. so now ill i need to to wipe the butterfly off my hdd is itunes 7.x in linux natively or through wine.

p.s.

Please make rengaurd for linux natively or run in wine with cp.x

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Thu, 10 May 2007 06:14:57 GMT
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Try the latest RenGuard that just came out (version 1.0322). It doesn't use SVKP so it might work under WINE.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [jammen33](#) on Sat, 12 May 2007 00:22:48 GMT
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no it doesn't work. it says "error verifying startup parameters."

also does it use internet explorer? that might be another problem.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [3663Nixon](#) on Wed, 16 May 2007 11:33:28 GMT
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You could try installing IE in Wine. From memory you need the redistributable package from MS and also DCOM too. I could be wrong but I thought IE was just used to display the MOTD and RG doesn't actually rely upon it?

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [jammen33](#) on Fri, 18 May 2007 20:24:40 GMT
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i don't know if it relies on IE or not, and i do have it installed but most people that use linux don't want IE. anyway it still won't work with IE or not and I'm not a developer of any sort other than basic web page layout and that doesn't help much here. so i can't fix it but i'll do all i can do to help.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Tue, 22 May 2007 18:24:26 GMT
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I wish there was a boot camp for Linux.

do you get that error when you install RenGuard in WINE or when you run it? If it comes up when you try to install, try manually putting the files in the Renegade directory under WINE. You'll have to mount your windows partition if you haven't already and get the files from there I guess.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Tue, 22 May 2007 20:47:42 GMT
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Meh, I have an external drive that Ubuntu mounted for me *Shrugs*

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [jammen33](#) on Tue, 22 May 2007 22:25:21 GMT
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its when i run renguard.
it installs just fine.

heres some debug info from wine for running renguard.

```
fixme:advapi:SetFileSecurityW (L"c:\\windows\\profiles\\All Users\\Application  
Data\\renguard\\PCGWIN32.LI4") : stub  
fixme:advapi:SetFileSecurityW (L"c:\\windows\\profiles\\All Users\\Application Data\\renguard") :  
stub  
fixme:process:IsWow64Process (0xffffffff 0x33f984) stub!
```

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [jammen33](#) on Tue, 22 May 2007 22:33:11 GMT
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icedog90 wrote on Tue, 22 May 2007 13:24I wish there was a boot camp for Linux.

do you want linux on a mac?
cuz you can.
also wine works in mac osx

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?
Posted by [kannies](#) on Wed, 16 Jan 2008 13:51:23 GMT
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To edit the boot menu of Linux, look for a text file in:

/boot/grub/menu.lst

run this command:

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vi /boot/grub/menu.lst
```

Have a play about (its pretty straight forward), making sure you ABSOLUTLY BACKUP the original somewhere and then restore it if you break it.

BTW, I managed to get renegade working on Ubuntu 7.0.4 and improved the FPS by tweaking vsync in /etc/xorg.conf.

Still cant get rengaard working though, I get error 000008 using wine.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Thu, 17 Jan 2008 15:56:55 GMT

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Renguard doesn't work under Wine, because it needs an execution wrapper. Anyways, I'm making this post from Ubuntu 7.10.

I'll edit this with details of how well it goes, I'll be installing it shortly.

Subject: Re: Renegade on Linux?

Posted by [dr3w2](#) on Sat, 10 Jan 2009 22:13:48 GMT

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Hmm think it'll work on fedora? I'm taking a class on Linux/Unix right now and we're using fedora. The proff said we are absolutely not allowed to use windows in the lectures or the lab , but we're allowed to do anything else as long as it is in linux (she even gave the example : If your gonna chat with your friends, use pidgeon to get on your msn account) ... She absolutely hates games, and never mentioned Wine. Think Reneage would work under wine on Fedora 10 ?
