Subject: The renegade backround.
Posted by thrash300 on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 18:28:28 GMT
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Everybody knows when you open the infamous Renegade you get the Spinning wheel I want to make that Spinnging Wheel my backround desktop. Can anybody just remove the menu options and leave only the E.V.A. spinning with the Yellow circly line next to it and the MOST IMPORTANT PART the Spinning Wheel. Me and Xylaquin were working on how to do it but aparently he doesen't know shit how to edit Renegades menu options. Well Xylaquin I made a topic, maybe Renegade ancient player/fans will be able to do it.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by saberhawk on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 18:55:48 GMT
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Just open if_back<something> in w3dview and take a screenshot from there...

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by R315r4z0r on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 19:13:38 GMT
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It isn't a spinning wheel, it is a spinning nuclear power symbol.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by thrash300 on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 19:56:29 GMT
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Posted by thrash300 on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 20:44:59 GMT
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You can P.M. me if you want please!!!!

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by _SSnipe_ on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 21:10:44 GMT
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if its a texture file wont this work?

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Posted by saberhawk on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 23:35:31 GMT
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Do you at least know how to remove the Renegade menu options so that only the E.V.A. and the
Spnning Wheel can be left for me to record and make as my backround. I belive that it has
something to do with the Registry editor and the keys for Renegade because that I do remember
that you can edit something in the Registry editor to make make Renegade not ask you if you
want to quit to desktop that can probably work.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by R315r4z0r on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 23:46:06 GMT

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thrash300 wrote on Sun, 05 October 2008 15:56Thanks but I want my desktop back round to be a moving backround exactly to mimic Renegades bacround option screen.
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At the moment, the only Operating system (I know of) that supports full-motion desktop backgrounds is Vista. (Vista Ultimate, actually).

Using a Vista only program called Dreamscene.

You can mimic this effect for Windows XP, but it requires the media player VLC and its "Set video as wallpaper" function.

Alternatively, you can take a bunch of screen shots of the Nuclear symbol in motion and compile them into a gif image... then set that as your background.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by thrash300 on Sun, 05 Oct 2008 23:49:30 GMT

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I have Windows X.P. I spit on Vista I don't like it at all. Anyways I have a good computer and I don't mind the power that the backround would take.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by Veyrdite on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 00:06:54 GMT

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Animated GIF files work as animated backgrounds on XP.
Notice the spinny thing on the left of the main menu sometimes has a large orange part that spins slower than normal when you start the game.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by EA-DamageEverything on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 00:20:16 GMT
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Suggestion=

If you're using Vista Ultimate, then 'fraps' the Animation while chilling in the main menu. Then convert it into a compressed format and watch it via the Dreamscene plugin (it'll get stretched to fullscreen).

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by thrash300 on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 00:33:27 GMT
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Dthdealer wrote on Sun, 05 October 2008 19:06Animated GIF files work as animated backgrounds on XP.
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I know how to record it, my friend can just get me the full version of F.R.A.P.S. if anybody needs it just P.M. me. But recording it is not the problem!!!!!!!!! >:(The problem is removing the options in the menu like Single Player Multi Player things like that. If you click on single player you will see the whole menu dissapear for a second or two before it comes back but I want to know how to make the menu optons go away therefore in that way I would be able to record it.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by BlueThen on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 00:51:55 GMT
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Windows XP actually works with GIF animation backgrounds. However, it was extremely laggy when I last tried, and it just really wasn't worth it.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by Xylaquin on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 10:29:22 GMT
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What he's saying is, does anybody know how to remove the menu options for more than 2 seconds so he can record the spinning wheel in FRAPs.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by IronWarrior on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 11:44:02 GMT
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You don't want a animated background, it lags your computer like crazy.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by nopol10 on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 12:28:23 GMT
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If you want an animated background, just make a HTML page with a flash animation inside and set that as your background.

Use this link as a guide:
http://www.wikihow.com/Set-a-Website-as-Your-Desktop-Background-in-Windows
(works for XP, use http://mpj.tomaatnet.nl/vista/avedesktopsites.html if you have Vista)

Of course, the problem of how to capture the logo remains...

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by CarrierII on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 13:51:41 GMT
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flash animations can be created from video files? FRAPS the menu, then import that video into some program to make a flash anim and hey presto. Still laggy though, only worth it if you've an overpowered computer.

Subject: Re: The renegade backround.
Posted by thrash300 on Mon, 06 Oct 2008 23:13:40 GMT
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Is there really no way to remove the menu opions. >:(