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Subject: Vista & Ren

Posted by [Knight](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 11:38:15 GMT

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Ok so I just installed Windows Vista Ultimate. Before I reformatted I had XP and Vista(2 os) on my PC. I had XP on it first for a while and had no problem with Ren. So I install my second OS (Vista Ultimate) and install Ren With no problem at all. Now that I reformatted (only 1 OS now) Vista Ultimate). I go and install, Agree To the Agreement, Put my CD Key in, Install 3 Components, Give the Dir where i want Ren to install in.. Then I get to here.. First SS leads to the Second SS. I've also tried many other names to put in that box "Renegade" "W3stw00d" they all didn't work! I ran the setup.exe as an Administrator.

WONT LET ME PAST THIS! Notice how the box above Westwood is blank? Usually it shows the Start > All Programs > (Program Folders).

Please HELP! THX!

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [Goztow](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 11:47:12 GMT

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What dir are you trying to install to?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [Knight](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 12:32:44 GMT

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C:\Westwood\Renegade

Usually When i install ren i jus put the cd key in and keep on hitting next til its installed.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 12:37:50 GMT

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Did you run the installer in administrator mode? Since it's not listing existing folders I suspect it doesn't have permission to read the relevant folders.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [Knight](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 12:42:21 GMT

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Yea I auto run the disc, then it ask(RUN AS ADMINISTRATOR) I say YES. Yea, I think the rest of the .exe in the ren disc probably arn't allowed do anything(even install and perform correctly). How would i Disable this Administrator mode for a bit so i can install Ren? or is there any way around this?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [The Party](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 15:01:37 GMT

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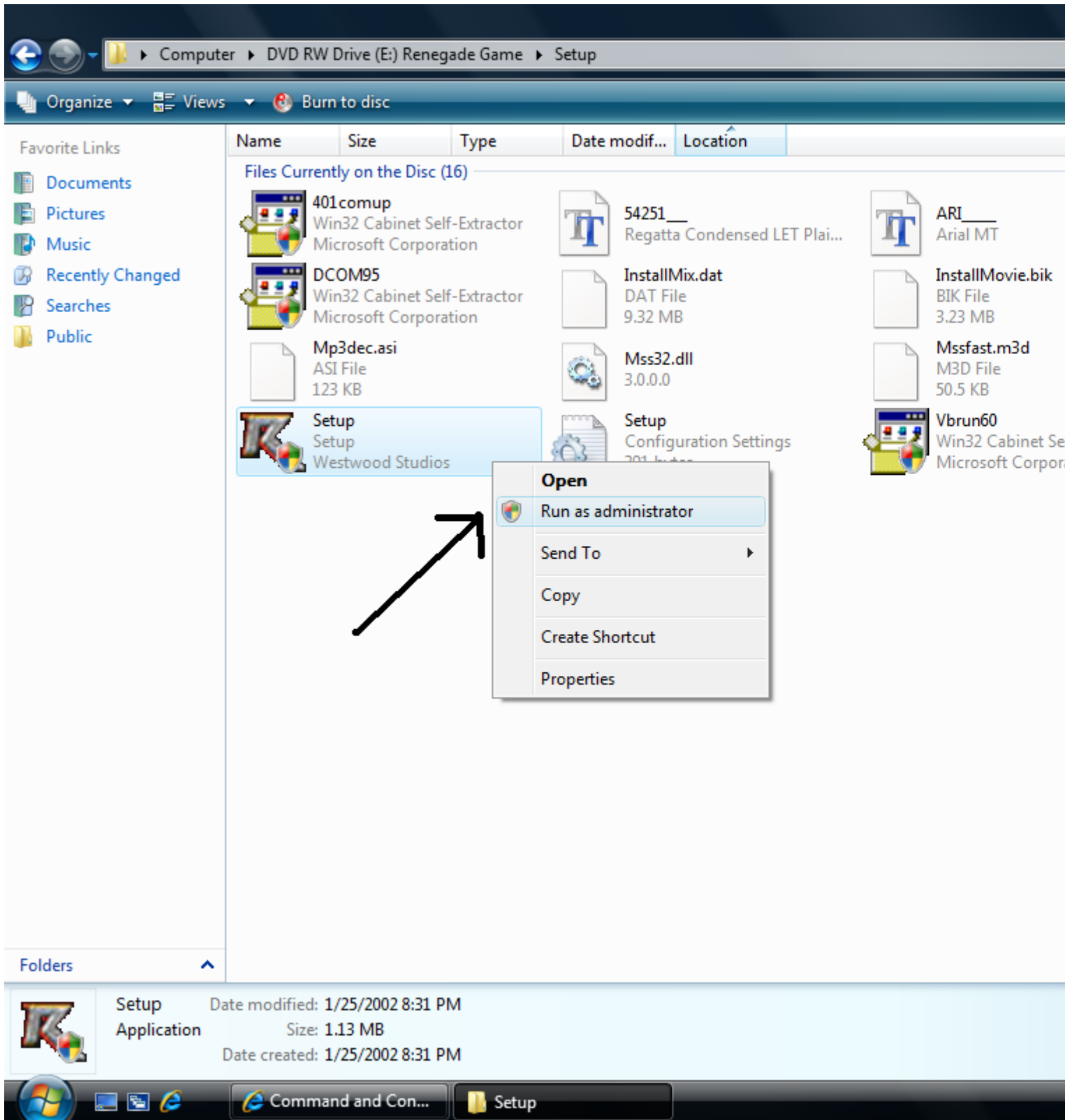
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Okay so on the go to the main disk and go into the Setup folder right click on the setup.exe and go Run as Administrator dont click on it, you will get diffrent results.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [ErroR](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 16:49:27 GMT

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MasterEvolution wrote on Thu, 07 May 2009 18:01 Okay so on the go to the main disk and go into the Setup folder right click on the setup.exe and go Run as Administrator dont click on it, you will get different results. Toggle Spoiler  
the last sentence of his first post states:  
I ran the setup.exe as an Administrator.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [The Party](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 17:10:46 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 18:43:41 GMT  
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MasterEvolution wrote on Thu, 07 May 2009 19:10 stfu lamo if you just double click on it it does the same thing  
Week ban for MasterEvolution:

warning: spam in general discussions subforum (09/04/2009)  
warning: posting a link to a cheat site (30/04/2009)  
next = week ban <--- flaming members (in technical support forum, even)

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Knight](#) on Thu, 07 May 2009 23:27:53 GMT  
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Ok I tried that same results. Any other way to Install it? Any Way to disable this Administrator feature? Any way around this?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [MGamer](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 03:48:46 GMT  
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this may help

Description: This program allows you to install Command & Conquer: Renegade without going through the multimedia heavy, default installation process which some people have trouble with.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Knight](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 04:49:51 GMT  
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Alright I'll check it out and edit my post with a result. Thx for for providing a solution! btw, are you the guy who made Renegade IP?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 06:25:53 GMT  
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I suppose you did try changing the install dir to a different one? Did you try creating the directory yourself manually before running the setup?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Knight](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 07:15:51 GMT  
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Yea i tried that. I tried to install ren on my other pc, and I guess my laser in my disc player is going to sit because it wouldn't get past 34%. So not sure how I am going to get an encrypted serial. I tried my friends who play but they won't give me theirs.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 10:08:23 GMT  
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Try the Renegade serial number changer application in General Discussion; use version 1.1 found near the end of the topic.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren  
Posted by [Knight](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 10:41:00 GMT  
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Not talking about a Serial changer, k thx.

Newayz, I tried to get that program to work, I put in all the correct information

Serial: 9980\*\*\*\*\*

Directory to install: C:\westwood\renegade  
Disc Tray: D

Then I click install, Then it asks am i Sure i want to install in the C:\Westwood\Renegade\ and I say "yes" then it says something about how always.dat and .mix files might take a while to extract so dont reboot your pc if its not responding so i click "ok" then i get this...

\*edit for Saberhawk\*

Sorry, I didn't know you were talking about it being able to create a encrypted serial in the registry with that serial changer. Should of said it did that in your first reply

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Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 10:50:59 GMT  
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I am kthx. It doesn't require the game to be installed in order to use it, and it encrypts your serial number and stashes it in that location in the registry...

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Posted by [Knight](#) on Sat, 09 May 2009 10:37:33 GMT  
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renegade folder, and look at my serial, I put in my encrypted serial, and try westwood online again, i get the same problem once again. How would i fix this?

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Sat, 09 May 2009 13:34:53 GMT

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Did you use version 1.1 of the serial changer from near the \*end\* of the serial changer topic? The one in the opening topic does not work.

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [Goztow](#) on Sat, 09 May 2009 15:02:44 GMT

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I took the liberty to update that first post .

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Subject: Re: Vista & Ren

Posted by [The Party](#) on Thu, 14 May 2009 19:17:58 GMT

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