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Subject: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Mon, 11 Jan 2010 21:10:20 GMT

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Omar007](#) on Mon, 11 Jan 2010 21:54:53 GMT

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Gen\_Blacky wrote on Mon, 11 January 2010 22:10I tried installing DirectX SDK August 2006 but after i install it it corrupts my windows 7 and my screen will be black when i restart my pc. had to do a system restore. Can i use a newer version of directx sdk and still compile scripts.dll.  
You dont need DirectX SDK to compile scripts.dll only if you also want to compile shaders.dll

And you can use a newer version. I use March 2009 atm if i recall correctly

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Lone0001](#) on Mon, 11 Jan 2010 23:31:26 GMT

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I tried a newer version of the DirectX SDK (August 2009) and it's missing 2 files (d3d9caps.h and d3dx9.h if I recall correctly) from the August 2006 version, simply getting the two files from someone who has the August 2006 does not work (for some reason it can't find one of them ).

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 00:13:15 GMT

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yea i got this error

shaders.cpp(37) : fatal error C1189: #error : The Renegade shaders.dll requires the DirectX August 2006 SDK installed in order to produce a proper executable. If you wish to use a different version of the SDK, modify the delay load dll in linker settings to point to the newer d3dx.dll

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Lone0001](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 00:16:18 GMT

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That's new to me I didn't get that error.

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK  
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 11:07:14 GMT  
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You indeed have to update the linker to the new library (if it didnt by itself which it did for me )

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Also you'll have to modify a the import line 'd3d8\_caps.h' in engine\_d3d.h to 'd3d9\_caps.h'  
It will look like this after that;

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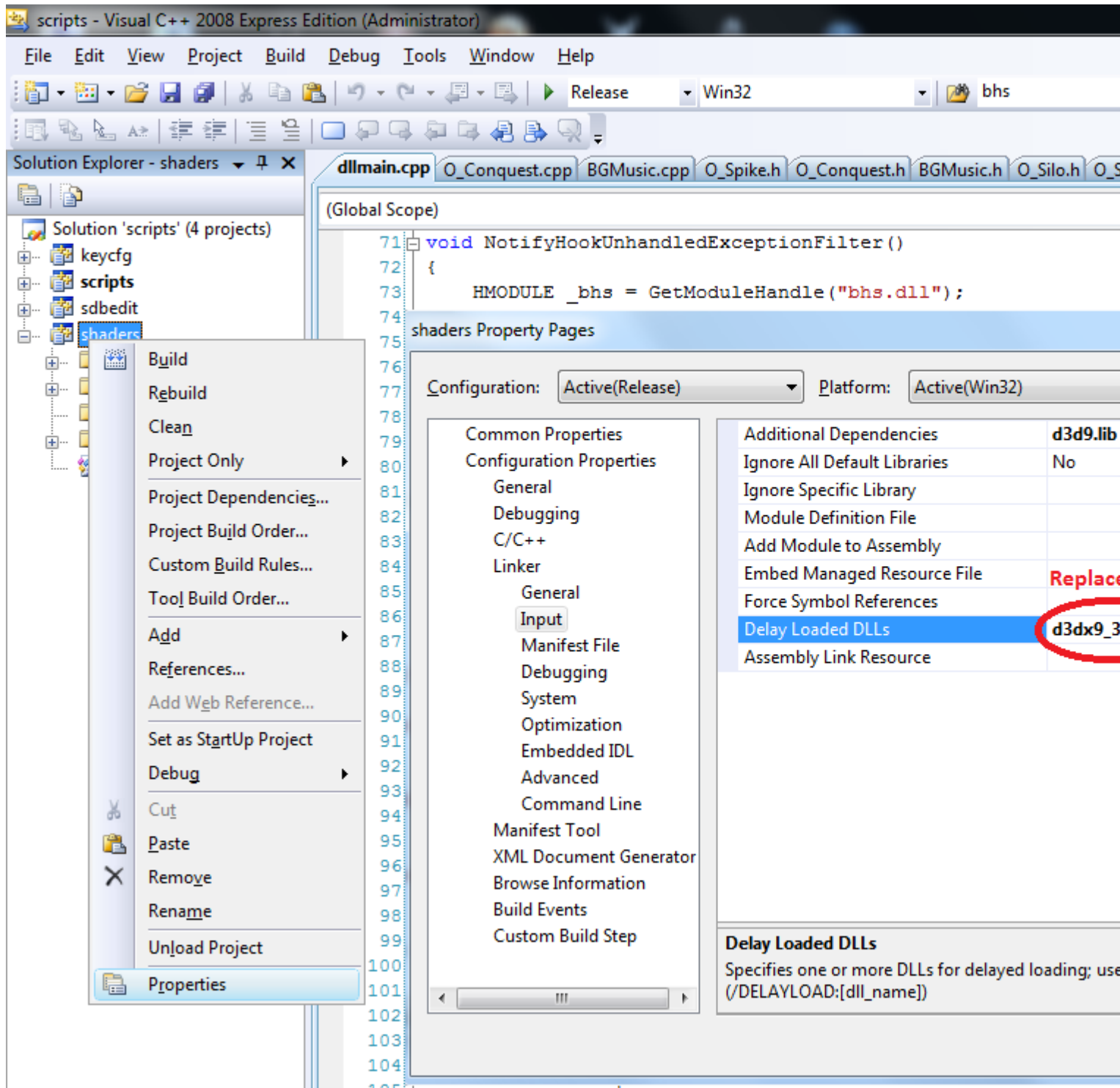
I believe that was all but if you encounter another problem just post it here and ill take a look at it again ^^

EDIT: Oh i forgot to tell this;  
In shaders.cpp change the line  
#if D3DX\_SDK\_VERSION != 30  
to  
#if D3DX\_SDK\_VERSION != 41  
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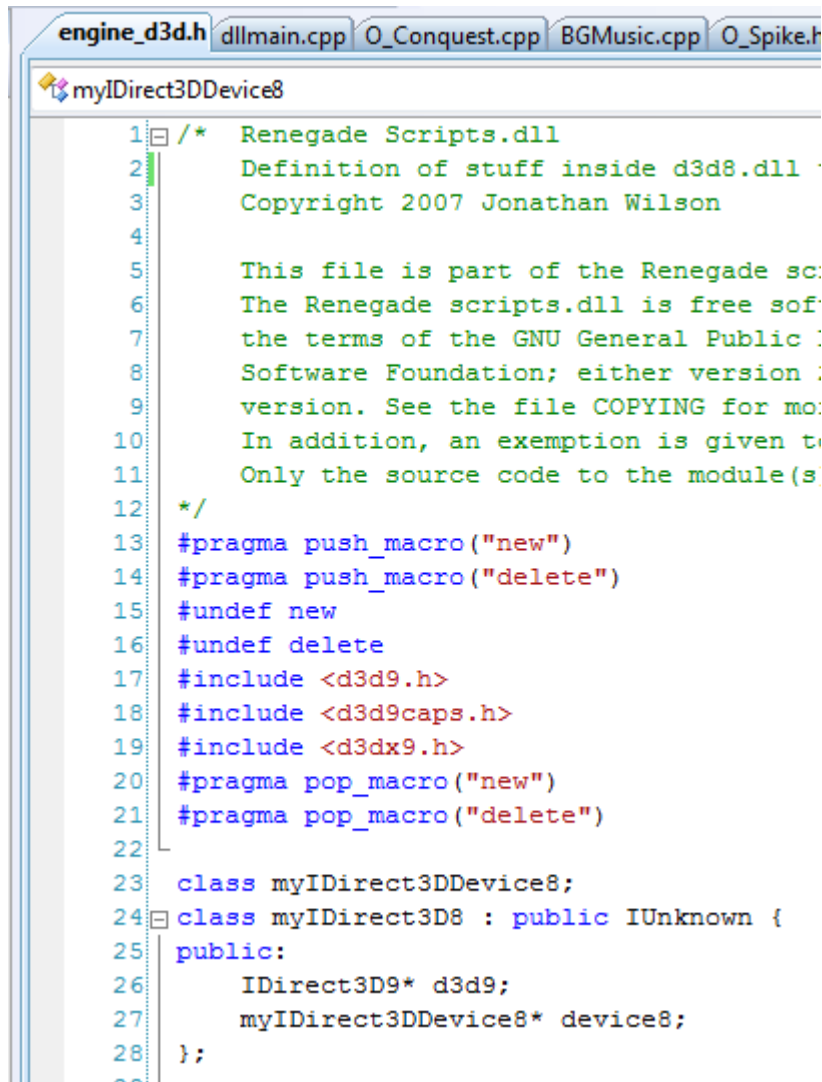
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1) [DelayLoad.png](#), downloaded 1101 times



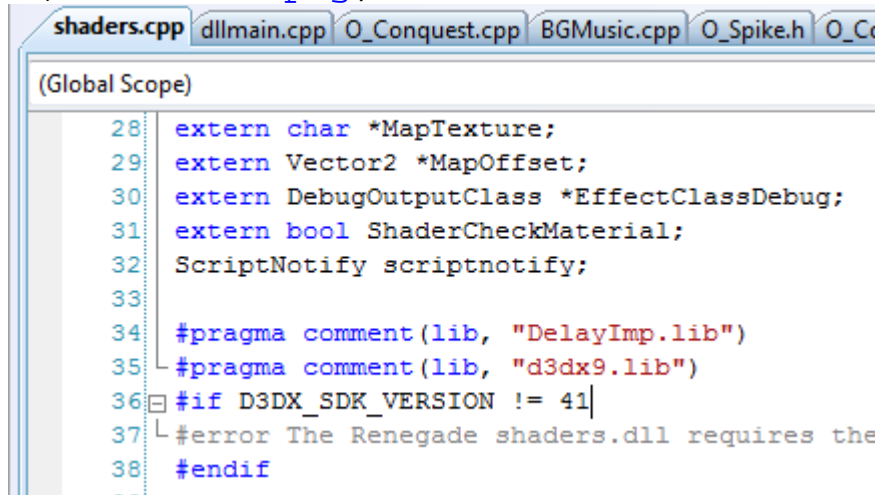
2) [d3d\\_caps.png](#), downloaded 1087 times



The screenshot shows a code editor with several tabs at the top: engine\_d3d.h, dllmain.cpp, O\_Conquest.cpp, BGMusic.cpp, and O\_Spike.h. The active tab is engine\_d3d.h, and the file name is myIDirect3DDevice8. The code is a C++ header file for the Renegade Scripts.dll. It contains a copyright notice for Jonathan Wilson (2007) and a license statement. The code defines macros for new and delete, includes headers for d3d9.h, d3d9caps.h, and d3dx9.h, and defines a class myIDirect3DDevice8 that inherits from IUnknown. The class has two private members: IDirect3D9\* d3d9 and myIDirect3DDevice8\* device8.

```
1  /* Renegade Scripts.dll
2  Definition of stuff inside d3d8.dll
3  Copyright 2007 Jonathan Wilson
4
5  This file is part of the Renegade sc
6  The Renegade scripts.dll is free sof
7  the terms of the GNU General Public
8  Software Foundation; either version
9  version. See the file COPYING for mo
10 In addition, an exemption is given t
11 Only the source code to the module(s
12 */
13 #pragma push_macro("new")
14 #pragma push_macro("delete")
15 #undef new
16 #undef delete
17 #include <d3d9.h>
18 #include <d3d9caps.h>
19 #include <d3dx9.h>
20 #pragma pop_macro("new")
21 #pragma pop_macro("delete")
22
23 class myIDirect3DDevice8;
24 class myIDirect3D8 : public IUnknown {
25 public:
26     IDirect3D9* d3d9;
27     myIDirect3DDevice8* device8;
28 };
29
```

3) [shader41.png](#), downloaded 1124 times



The screenshot shows a code editor with several tabs at the top: shaders.cpp, dllmain.cpp, O\_Conquest.cpp, BGMusic.cpp, O\_Spike.h, and O\_C. The active tab is shaders.cpp, and the file name is (Global Scope). The code is a C++ source file that defines global variables and includes headers for DelayImp.lib and d3dx9.lib. It also contains a conditional compilation block for D3DX\_SDK\_VERSION != 41, which includes an error message.

```
28 extern char *MapTexture;
29 extern Vector2 *MapOffset;
30 extern DebugOutputClass *EffectClassDebug;
31 extern bool ShaderCheckMaterial;
32 ScriptNotify scriptnotify;
33
34 #pragma comment(lib, "DelayImp.lib")
35 #pragma comment(lib, "d3dx9.lib")
36 #if D3DX_SDK_VERSION != 41
37 #error The Renegade shaders.dll requires the
38 #endif
39
```

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 16:49:23 GMT

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I got two new errors when i changed 'd3d8\_caps.h' in engine\_d3d.h to 'd3d9\_caps.h'

My linker looks exactly like yours and it still says it needs dx 2006.

engine\_3dre.h(267) : error C2146: syntax error : missing ';' before identifier 'Caps'

engine\_3dre.h(267) : error C4430: missing type specifier - int assumed. Note: C++ does not support default-int

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I think it might be because i did a system restore after installing 2006 and the files are still there so the lib and include files are still being added.

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [Omar007](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 18:08:40 GMT

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Subject: Re: Windows 7 DirectX SDK

Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 18:51:57 GMT

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Posted by [Omar007](#) on Tue, 12 Jan 2010 19:09:04 GMT

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Well i dont really know which files it where. I only got this far with my memory + looking through source.

And if you say there are more places then its certainly true but i dont know them right now

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Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Wed, 13 Jan 2010 01:05:12 GMT

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That solved my problem tahnk you. Also thanks Omar007 for your help you didn't have to give me screen shots .

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