Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by xSeth2k2x on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 01:03:34 GMT
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I've been saving now for a while and ive finally saved up enough for a decent card

ive had my eyes on
http://www.ebuyer.com/customer/products/index.html?action=c2hvd19wcm9kdWN0X292ZXJ2aW
V3&product_uid=27272

is it any good?

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by smwScott on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 01:07:12 GMT
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Well it can't be too good:

"Sorry, this product is currently unavailable / discontinued."

The link doesn't work .

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by xSeth2k2x on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 01:22:14 GMT
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Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Xtrm2Matt on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 01:36:24 GMT
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15 Monitor SM150T/15 TFT .30 75kHz TCO99 Digital
(QuickFind: 27272) - Sorry, this product is currently unavailable / discontinued.
Try searching for something else:

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by DaddyD302 on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 02:18:42 GMT
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Be easier if you just tell us.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by L3f7H4nd3d on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 19:35:12 GMT
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Whatever it is, you can get it cheaper at http://www.newegg.com

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Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by smwScott on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 22:10:44 GMT
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I.tried.that

Your link is fucked up. Just tell us the name of the card.

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Posted by xSeth2k2x on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 23:00:37 GMT
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Geforce 4 MX400

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by L3f7H4nd3d on Fri, 25 Jul 2003 23:55:36 GMT
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Roofles. Unless you're really strapped for cash, do NOT get that graphics card. Get a low-end GF
FX model, or the Radeon 9000-9500.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by DaddyD302 on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 00:39:12 GMT
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xSeth2k2xGeforce 4 MX400
Let me ask you this, how much are you willing to spend? I need to know what games you are
planning to play. Do you want a card for now or for a few years down the road? If you're short on
cash, get the GF4 Ti4200. It's around $100. For cost/performance, you're better off with the
9500pro, but ATI has stop making them so you gotta hurry. If not, maybe the 9600pro. Don't
bother with anything less than these, they're not fast enough now, and will be a waste for future
games.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by L3f7H4nd3d on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 02:41:54 GMT
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/me points to the Radeon 9800 Pro in his sig...it's already obsolete, dammit.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Yano on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 02:46:10 GMT
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Quote:/me points to the Radeon 9800 Pro in his sig...it's already obsolete, dammit.
Well if it helps you sleep at night, I'm still using a Geforce2 mx400.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by L3f7H4nd3d on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 02:47:12 GMT
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YanoQuote:/me points to the Radeon 9800 Pro in his sig...it's already obsolete, dammit.
Well if it helps you sleep at night, I'm still using a Geforce2 mx400.

Meh.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by gendres on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 05:23:39 GMT
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Radeons 9800 0wnz j00 all

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Walrus on Sat, 26 Jul 2003 11:10:01 GMT
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If your in England and on a small budget, go with the MX400, its a good card and should keep you happy for a while.

overpriced over here. Unless you buy them over the net you end paying threw the nose every time.

 http://www.planetmicro.co.uk

 Not the cheapest but I have always had excellent servis there. They have a good range of cards

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and have prices and brands to suit every one, there are even some extremely cheap Chaintec and msi cards there. Worth a look.

'Yossarian Lives!'

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Bearxor on Sun, 27 Jul 2003 20:22:41 GMT
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Please buy at least a DX8-level card if you plan on using it for the next year or two.

DX8 Cards:
Radeon 8500
GeForce 3
GeForce 4 Ti
Radeon 9000
Radeon 9100
Radeon 9200
Matrox Parhelia

DX9 Cards:
Radeon 9500
Radeon 9600
Radeon 9700
Radeon 9800
GeForceFX 5200
GeForceFX 5600
GeForceFX 5900

You can pick up a GFfx 5200 for around the same price as a GF4MX usually. But beware, these cards are just as slow as a GF4MX.

I would personally recommend a Radeon 8500LE, or if you can find one cheap enough, a GF4 Ti4200.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by ohmybad on Sun, 27 Jul 2003 20:28:21 GMT
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Im useing a gforce 4 mx420 and I range 55-60 fps in renegade

Subject: Is this a good card?

Posted by Bearxor on Sun, 27 Jul 2003 20:56:12 GMT
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I use a Radeon 9500 Pro, and I only get 40-50FPS in game.

BUT, I play @ 4XAA and 16XAF. Odds are my visual quality is leaps and bounds above yours.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Xtrm2Matt on Sun, 27 Jul 2003 21:30:38 GMT
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I'm running a GF 4MX440 128DDR, im happy..

i'm happy

(sure beats my old one, nvidia tnt2 pro)

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Walrus on Sun, 27 Jul 2003 23:33:54 GMT
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I got me one of them there Gf4mx420's. Not the best card but it works fine for me. With any luck, well alot of luck, and some cash, I should be upgrading soon.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by abakshi on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 14:39:00 GMT
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I wouldn't recommend the GF4MX to anyone for any reason (before maybe for extremely budget-strapped requirements but not anymore) because now you can get cards like the ATI Radeon 8500 for about $60 - a DX8 card that just about matches an nVidia GeForce4 Ti4200 and provides better features in many areas. If $60 is too high for the range you are looking at, now you can get DX7 cards like the Radeon 7500 for $30 and if that's not the range you're looking at, you can get DX7 cards like the Radeon 7000 for free (if you get a good deal) that will provide performance better than the GF4MX.

IMO the Radeon 8500, GeForce4 Ti4200, and the Radeon 9500 Pro provide the best bang for your buck in the graphics market.

Of course, again none of this matters too much for Renegade because Ren's graphics don't require too much. I have an old PII-450 system running with an ATI Rage 128 32MB AGP that runs Renegade fine at about 50FPS at 1280x1024 with decent quality.

The systems that I actually use (see my sig) - one with a Radeon 8500 and one with a 9800 Pro - both are set to 1280x1024 with highest settings and highest AF and run at the default Renegade max of 60FPS. (does anyone know if the max can be changed?)

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Bearxor on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 15:09:36 GMT
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It useless to try to convince some people who have never experienced good AA/AF quality into buying a more expensive card usually.

But have you changed the refresh rate of your monitor?

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by z310 on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 19:58:36 GMT
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Or a honda XR100 what should i get??

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by z310 on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 20:00:14 GMT
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Posted by Yano on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 20:12:28 GMT
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Laptop!!!!!!

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by z310 on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 21:38:46 GMT
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What should i look 4, 4 a good laptop??

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by Bearxor on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 21:43:55 GMT
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Make sure you get a Pentium4, not a Pentium4-M.

Get at least a 2.4ghz
Get a good graphics card.
At least a ATi Radeon Mobility 9000 or a nVidia Geforce 4 4200 GO.
A Radeon Mobility 9600 would be ideal.

AVOID a Radeon Mobility or Radeon Mobility 7500 or a Geforce 4 GO.

If you get one with the GF4, make sure it says 4200. If it does not say 4200, then it is a basically a GF4MX-440.

You could also try and get like a Centrino or a P4-M, but the only advantages these is longer battery life. Most laptop users plug their laptop into the wall wherever they go. Purchase accordingly.

Subject: Is this a good card?
Posted by z310 on Mon, 28 Jul 2003 21:53:28 GMT
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thnx

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