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Subject: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [AtomCloud](#) on Sun, 29 Apr 2007 16:13:19 GMT

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my brother just got a new computer and it came yesterday with vista of course. we installed renegade but we can't open it. an error comes up saying....

"Renegade has stopped working

A problem caused the program to stop working correctly. Windows will close the program and notify you if a solution is available."

But of course it never comes up with a solution...anyone know how to fix it or if we can fix it? or is my brother fucked and can't play renegade?!

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [Blazer](#) on Sun, 29 Apr 2007 16:17:24 GMT

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I had that happen to me once. I just tried running it again and it worked. I still don't know why it happened.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [kopaka649](#) on Sun, 29 Apr 2007 18:39:22 GMT

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That happened to me all the time. Just keep trying, or try to jab the Renegade button before it crashes, then it works.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [Slave](#) on Mon, 30 Apr 2007 09:40:02 GMT

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Mon, 30 Apr 2007 11:40:58 GMT  
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With the latest vista updates I have noticed I no longer need to run it in SP2 mode, not sure which patch fixed the compatibility, or if my computer is just in a good mood

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Posted by [AtomCloud](#) on Tue, 01 May 2007 01:39:19 GMT  
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didn't work. lol. :/

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [Jonty](#) on Tue, 01 May 2007 06:28:00 GMT  
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I have the same experience.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [songokuk](#) on Tue, 01 May 2007 09:55:17 GMT  
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i had no problems.

i gave everyone full permissions on the westwood folder. set it on administrator mode. and i have had no problems at all.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [repairedude](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:06:22 GMT  
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hi, i wondered if you guys could help me.

i just installed vista ultimate.

vista doesnt let you install ren properly, so you have to copy the install folder from the cd and extract all the game folders.

only problem is that because ren is not officially installed, when i run the v1.037 patch update it cant find the ren install directory, and theres no way to browse to it.

please help me i need my renegade fix.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:18:13 GMT  
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There's no reason why Vista wouldn't let you install Renegade properly.

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!  
Posted by [repairedude](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:21:15 GMT  
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after i enter the cd key and asks me where to install, i click ok and it gives me a syntax error.

theres a message board about it somewhere that just says to copy files from the cd and extract the game files.

the game works i just cant update it...

### File Attachments

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1) [dfgsdf.jpg](#), downloaded 446 times

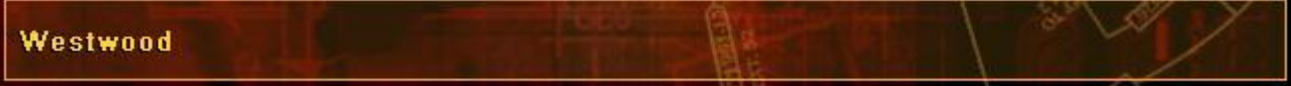
# COMMAND & CONQUER RENEGADE

Setup will add Renegade icons to the folder below. You may create a new folder name, or select one from the list below. Click Next to continue.

## Existing Folders



## Program Folders



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Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:42:57 GMT

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Give it a \ ....

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [repairedude](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:50:06 GMT

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i HAVE tried that. \ or even if i type the full path directory still the same syntax error. like i said

theres a message board that says ren install isnt compatible with vista.

god dammit help meeeeeee

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 12:51:35 GMT

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I installed it fine on vista. Just use the default settings.

NB: ALWAYS run installers in admin mode. (Right click setup.exe or w/e, hit run as administrator)

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [repairdude](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 13:03:17 GMT

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Still no joy, maybe its my version of vista or something.

anyone know a way to update to 1.037 any other way than using the official patch?

i need to shoot someone in the face

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Subject: Re: People with Vista, help ?!

Posted by [cmatt42](#) on Wed, 02 May 2007 17:49:18 GMT

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You can't.

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