
Subject: Error running Renguard
Posted by [akumag2](#) on Fri, 30 Jun 2006 20:05:20 GMT
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Ok looks like I'm getting the same issue as everyone else, when I launch renegade with renguard installed i get the error
"renegae has encountered a problem and needs to close".

I uninstalled and reinstalled renguard, didnt work.

I uninstalled renegade & renguard and reinstalled and it didnt work

I formatted my HDD and reinstalled win XP Home (32 not 64). Still the same, yes I have all the latest microsof updates, but are you sure thats the problem.

Now see those microshit patched are there for a reason, hasnt anyone figured out what the issue is and got a work around for it.

I can play renegade launching from gamespy without rengaurd but I can only play on the UNRules servers, and they are always both laggy, and then you get the millions of popups to download rengaurd.

I tried the manual install to and the core patch one manual install, still the same.

Please help you guys gotta get this working, whats the point of buying the game if you cant play it? (oh and mine is the original not the TFD version).

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [=HT=T-Bird](#) on Fri, 30 Jun 2006 20:41:42 GMT
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It's one of M\$'s crap patches...they broke RenGuard

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Dr. Lithius](#) on Sat, 01 Jul 2006 02:59:10 GMT
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I can vouche for that. Motherfucking "Genuine Windows Authentication" bullshit... Not all of us can go out and pay three-hundred-fucking bucks for an Operating System, man...(Okay, lame excuse. But seriously...)

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Sat, 01 Jul 2006 15:57:41 GMT

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i always decline the WGA patch.... it serves no useful purpose

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [=HT=T-Bird](#) on Sat, 01 Jul 2006 17:13:22 GMT

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danpaul88 wrote on Sat, 01 July 2006 10:57i always decline the WGA patch.... it serves no useful purpose

Then, M\$ makes it so that updates beyond that point require authorization.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Dr. Lithius](#) on Sat, 01 Jul 2006 21:55:20 GMT

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I would've turned off Automatic Updates from the start, but XP has this nice little habit where it sits there and whines every five minutes about how "Your system may be at risk!" or something.

'course, if your system isn't "genuine," they could give a flying shit...which suits me just fine, really.

I'd rather they not care at all than care too much.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [light](#) on Sun, 02 Jul 2006 03:13:43 GMT

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Dr. Lithius wrote on Sat, 01 July 2006 14:59I can vouche for that. Motherfucking "Genuine Windows Authentication" bullshit... Not all of us can go out and pay three-hundred-fucking bucks for an Operating System, man...(Okay, lame excuse. But seriously...)

Feel free to use your favourite Linux/Unix distribution.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Sun, 02 Jul 2006 10:28:34 GMT

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I'm pretty sure a 2nd hand Windows 98 wouldn't cost 300 \$ if you really want a Windows...

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [=HT=T-Bird](#) on Sun, 02 Jul 2006 11:24:55 GMT

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Goztow wrote on Sun, 02 July 2006 05:28I'm pretty sure a 2nd hand Windows 98 wouldn't cost

300 \$ if you really want a Windows...

98? I'd rather have NT 4.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Dr. Lithius](#) on Sun, 02 Jul 2006 19:36:46 GMT
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I really wish I hadn't said that now.

Anyway, once I used Windows XP, it would be exceedingly hard to go back to something like Windows 98 Second Edition. Windows XP is just too damned awesome in comparison. XD So yeah. I suffer for my personal tastes.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 03 Jul 2006 12:53:20 GMT
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Windows 98SE was a pretty stable release. Much better than it's follow-up Windows ME...

Windows XP ain't stable itself, it's just better at reacting on all its crashing. It is indd handy that it doesn't need to restart everytime it crashes...

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Mon, 03 Jul 2006 15:40:46 GMT
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Dr. Lithius wrote on Sat, 01 July 2006 22:55I would've turned off Automatic Updates from the start, but XP has this nice little habit where it sits there and whines every five minutes about how "Your system may be at risk!" or something. 'course, if your system isn't "genuine," they could give a flying shit...which suits me just fine, really. I'd rather they not care at all than care too much.

Open start menu, click Run

Type in services.msc

Find Security Center and right click, select properties.

Set it to startup: Disabled and stop the service.

And that's the end of the annoying popups. Security Center service's only function is to provide

annoying popups about out of date virus definitions, and your system may be at risk crap.

NOTE that this does not disable automatic updates, just the popups that go with them. I am not sure if the 'you need to restart your computer because it has been updated' crap is disabled or not by doing this, but I havn't seen it since I disabled it a while back...

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Dr. Lithius](#) on Tue, 04 Jul 2006 01:55:54 GMT
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Now that's convenient! I'll have to write that one down when I finally get around to reinstalling with a different("authentic") CD-Key... Thanks, danpaul!

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [akumag2](#) on Tue, 04 Jul 2006 17:40:02 GMT
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yeah its all well and good blaming micro\$h1t and believe me I am trained in their \$h1tty products and I wont be defendign them. But the thing is I has the genuine software installed and running before as well as the lastest updates an it worked perfectly with Renguard. Now that I've had to reinstall everything (yeah Im a smuck that forked out \$200 for XP, though you can get an OEM version with SP2 for \$50 from Newegg.com) from scratch it dont bloody work. But if it is indeed microsofts fault then you would think that the makers of Renguard would send the software to microsoft for compatilvity testing and they would then be told what that issue is, or Oh i dont know, make a new version of Rengaued on a machine that has all the latest microsoft updates on it!

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Tue, 04 Jul 2006 18:25:14 GMT
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and that just proves you have no idea how hard it is to make software that is compatable with a patch that microsoft hadnt even thought of at the time renguard was released....

sheesh, talk about expecting miracles... and as for making a new version, they are busy doing so, but software is not created overnight! Sure, they could probably release it now, and I suspect it would work for 90% of people, but they are probably waiting until they can make it work for at least 99% of people, so they dont get idiots coming on the forums saying 'omfg your software is crap it doesnt work' etc etc.

sorry for the ranting, I just get so fed up of people moaning and whining about renguard, when they contribute nothing towards it....

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [akumag2](#) on Fri, 07 Jul 2006 12:16:54 GMT
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people should get to moan about renguard, see if you buy a game and it multiplayable out of the box thats the bloody way it should stay, but thats the way it is. Nearly all servers require you use rengaurd, if you manage to get on a server and it only "suggests" you download it then you get flodded with popups to down loan it, normally at critical times so you end up beign killed or not getting that C4 on the terminal just in time.

Or if you're a bloody good player and have MVP x8 like I do quite reguarly you get booted "because he must be cheating, he aint running renguard and must be cheating to get that many MVP".

Life would be easier if we didnt have to use it.

There is nothing on the Renegade box thats says "unless you have Renguard you life playing the game will be hell or impossible".

If the new version is 90% compatible maybe those whom wanted to can beta test it, I'd rather hopefully play 90% of the time with no trouble than 90% of the time getting pissed off!

Yes I do know how long it takes, but I also know how long Ive been having trouble with Rengaurd and it started before the windows update, and its been a very long time. No it aint me or my machine, and no I aint the only one.

Subject: Re: Error running Renguard
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Fri, 07 Jul 2006 13:31:39 GMT
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Live would be easier if there were no cheats, then Renguard wouldn't be needed. Don't blame servers for wanting a bit of a decent non-cheating game, blame the cheaters who oblige you to use Renguard to prove you ain't cheating.
