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Subject: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Renardin6](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 08:07:12 GMT  
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Does Renegade and Script 4.0 works on Windows 8 ?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [raven](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 08:18:16 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 10:09:00 GMT  
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Yups.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [-TLS-DJ-EYE-K](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 21:13:51 GMT  
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Who would want to use Windows 8 on its own will?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 21:49:34 GMT  
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People that are not afraid of change and understand that the desktop is still perfectly usable.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [raven](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 22:49:31 GMT  
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It really isn't all that bad. I much prefer Windows 8 over Windows 7.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 23:06:38 GMT

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So far it's been faster than W7 and just as useable.  
The start menu is just more like a start window now.

I have not encountered a single thing that suggests moving to W8 was a bad choice. Everything works fine.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Good-One-Driver](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2012 23:29:23 GMT  
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wtf there is a windows 8 now?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [BAGUETTE](#) on Sat, 27 Oct 2012 00:22:37 GMT  
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Yea it came out officially in the UK 2 days ago

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Sat, 27 Oct 2012 01:06:08 GMT  
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VuLTiMa wrote on Sat, 27 October 2012 02:22: Yea it came out officially in the UK 2 days ago  
You mean for consumers ;P  
It has been out for a while for developers (yay; me )

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Sat, 27 Oct 2012 01:57:19 GMT  
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You can get windows 8 for \$40 right now.  
If you want to be legit that is.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Wyld1USA](#) on Sat, 27 Oct 2012 12:50:04 GMT  
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That's one install too correct?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [BAGUETTE](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 02:25:23 GMT  
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Installed Windows 8 today, its "usable", but annoying to use.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [ehhh](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 08:18:56 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 09:10:43 GMT  
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VuLTiMa wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 03:25 Installed Windows 8 today, its "usable", but annoying to use.  
I disagree. It works fine, just slightly different than you're used to.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [zunnie](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 09:37:07 GMT  
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I'm fine with Win 7 Ultimate x64 for at least another 3-4 years

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [UksRene](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 09:51:56 GMT  
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Is there a start button on BL on Windows 8?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [BAGUETTE](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 12:39:56 GMT  
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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 02:10 VuLTiMa wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 03:25 Installed Windows 8 today, its "usable", but annoying to use.  
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My major fault is the start menu/window, the Window itself is fine, however I'm not particularly

happy with the limited customisation available in terms of its look and feel.

What annoys me is its position, if you are inside another application, you have to go all the way to the top right, then down to the center of the screen, sure you can press the windows key on the keyboard but some people rather the ability to navigate through their entire OS with a mouse.

Also is Aero still available or is it removed?

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [roszek](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 15:24:30 GMT  
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Omar007 wrote on Fri, 26 October 2012 16:06SNIPThe start menu is just more like a start window now.

Widows 3.1 is back WOOT!

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Good-One-Driver](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 17:47:00 GMT  
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lol still running xp on one of my laptops, second one vista, third one is a mac.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Sean](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 17:56:17 GMT  
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Good-One-Driver wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 10:47lol still running xp on one of my laptops, second one vista, third one is a mac.

Ewww Vista

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Helios](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2012 23:10:23 GMT  
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zunnie wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 02:37I'm fine with Win 7 Ultimate x64 for at least another 3-4 years

This. I don't see a reason to upgrade, my desktop works just fine as it is lol.

This mindset is to be expected, I'm a debian Linux user.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Major-Payne](#) on Mon, 29 Oct 2012 06:44:05 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [sla.ro\(master\)](#) on Mon, 29 Oct 2012 17:16:11 GMT  
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Croatoan wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 19:56 Good-One-Driver wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 10:47 lol still running xp on one of my laptops, second one vista, third one is a mac.

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eww 7 & 8

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Creed3020](#) on Wed, 31 Oct 2012 22:47:47 GMT  
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VuLTiMa wrote on Sun, 28 October 2012 08:39 Also is Aero still available or is it removed?

Aero is gone. Replaced by the Modern style which are all solid colours and no more rounded edges as everything must conform to the "tile" look.

I'm considering the move to W8 with the use of Stardock Start8. I'm interested in the faster startup/shutdown, client side Hyper-V, and storage spaces. Metro can royally screw off.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Good-One-Driver](#) on Wed, 31 Oct 2012 23:01:22 GMT  
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I agree 100%

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [R315r4z0r](#) on Thu, 01 Nov 2012 17:07:54 GMT  
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There is nothing wrong with Windows 7... so I'm not wasting money on an upgrade.

I'll upgrade when Windows 7 is obsolete. If it ain't broke, don't fix it.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Thu, 01 Nov 2012 19:07:58 GMT  
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BUT BUT NEW APPLE PRODUCTS  
THEY ARE NEW  
WHY DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND????????

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Renardin6](#) on Thu, 08 Nov 2012 22:24:55 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Ethenal](#) on Fri, 09 Nov 2012 04:20:21 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Fri, 09 Nov 2012 08:27:27 GMT  
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W8 feels a lot faster in day-to-day things.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Gen\\_Blacky](#) on Thu, 15 Nov 2012 10:28:39 GMT  
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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Fri, 09 November 2012 01:27W8 feels a lot faster in day-to-day things.  
must be a windows bug.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 16 Nov 2012 05:34:19 GMT  
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I installed Windows 8 and Processor/RAM jumped from 7.9/7.8 to 8.4, but now the scale changed making my 256GB Vertex 4 SSD the "slowest" piece of hardware in my computer.

TL;DR -

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1) [winperf.png](#), downloaded 1501 times

| Component                 | What is rated                               | Subscore | Base score  |
|---------------------------|---|----------|---|
| <b>Processor:</b>         | Calculations per second                     | 8.4      |  |
| <b>Memory (RAM):</b>      | Memory operations per second                | 8.4      |   |
| <b>Graphics:</b>          | Desktop graphics performance                | 8.1      |   |
| <b>Gaming graphics:</b>   | 3D business and gaming graphics performance | 8.1      |   |
| <b>Primary hard disk:</b> | Disk data transfer rate                     | 7.9      |   |

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [BAGUETTE](#) on Fri, 16 Nov 2012 09:41:52 GMT  
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My SSD is apparently the weakest part of my PC also

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade

Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Wed, 28 Nov 2012 19:18:55 GMT

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I'll stick with standard hard drives for now, give SSDs a few more years to run into all the bugs; not in any real rush to get a faster disc yet anyway; I start my computer before I get into the shower in the morning, so boot time has never been an issue for me.

As for windows 8, our server owner was running a beta of windows 8 for a while for his server, and the FDS usually averaged around 6-8 fps slower than it does now that he moved back to 7 (internal test server, not actual). However, it's possible they have cleaned it up more since the beta and maybe it runs better now.

I am disappointed about the start menu being removed; back in the day I wouldn't have cared as I used to have stuff all over my desktop; but more recently the only thing I keep on it is recycle bin. It seems like this start window (whatever they call it) is more like another desktop instead of an organized list lol.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade

Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 30 Nov 2012 15:15:24 GMT

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At first, the new start screen didn't bother me. I'm normally using it for a few seconds at most. But then I realized that unified search is gone; no more finding apps/settings/files requires either starting search with a different keyboard shortcut than "winkey" or 3 other keystrokes to switch the filter afterwards. Then I found "Start8" which claimed to bring back the start menu from 7 and it does a great job (unified search and everything.)

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade

Posted by [EvilWhiteDragon](#) on Fri, 30 Nov 2012 16:56:19 GMT

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While not unified you can do <startbutton> <arrow down> and select what you're searching for that way. If that's the only problem...

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade

Posted by [Omar007](#) on Fri, 30 Nov 2012 22:56:22 GMT

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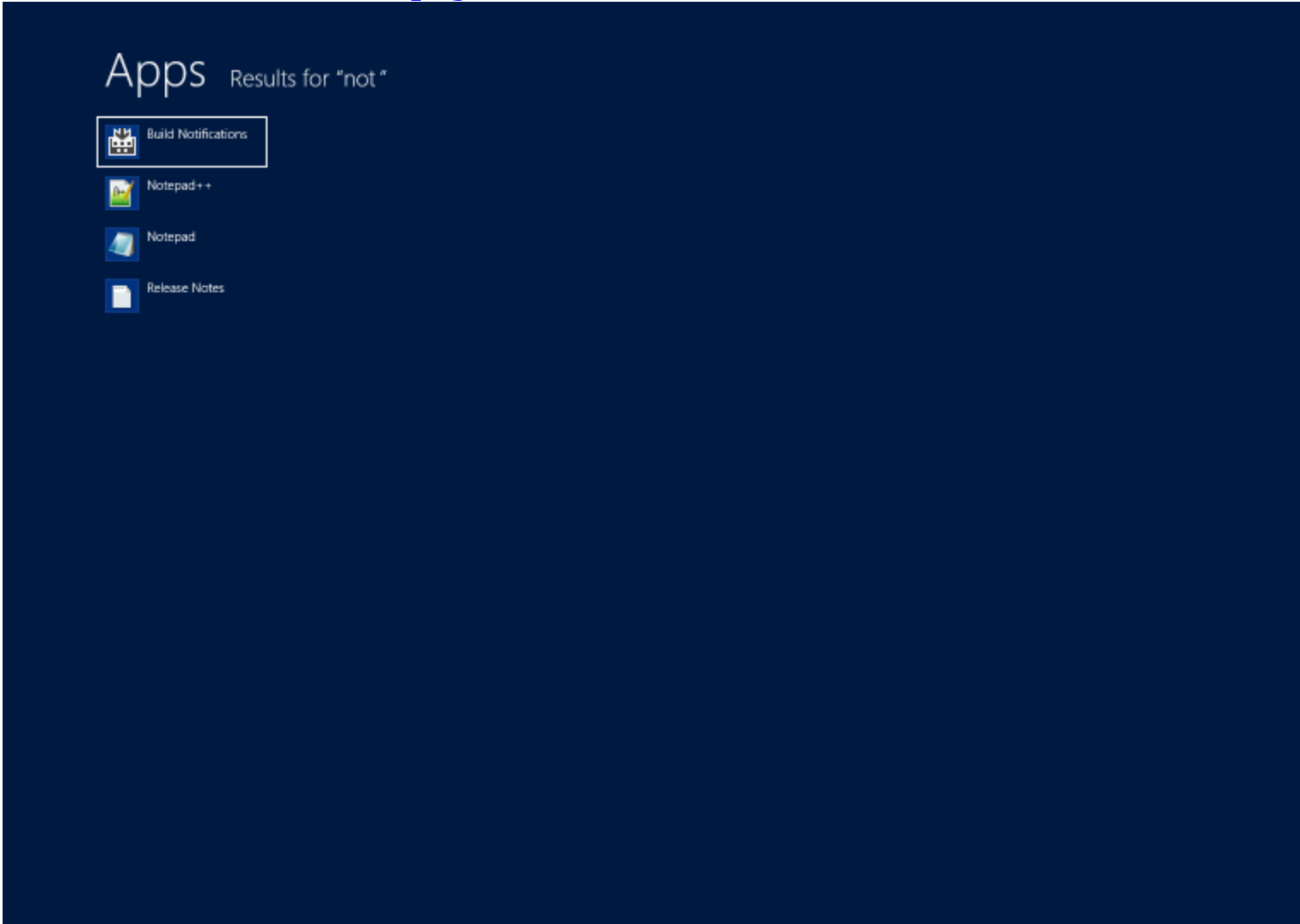
If I need to find something I just tap the "Win" key to open the Start Menu and then I just start typing my search query.  
It'll default to searching in 'Apps' (everything in your Start Menu) but you can select another location on the right hand side.

Search in Start Menu

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2012 00:52:41 GMT  
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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Fri, 30 November 2012 08:56  
While not unified you can do <startbutton> <arrow down> and select what you're searching for that way. If that's the only problem...

Doing that just selects the second tile on the screen, not what I want.

Omar007 wrote on Fri, 30 November 2012 14:56 If I need to find something I just tap the "Win" key to open the Start Menu and then I just start typing my search query. It'll default to searching in 'Apps' (everything in your Start Menu) but you can select another location on the right hand side.

#### Search in Start Menu

Right, and I've been doing that since Vista; I'm fine with the whole start screen because I'm usually only in there for a couple of seconds because of quick searching. With the filtered search (and the inability to just have it search \*everything\* at once) I'd have to remember to use the appropriate shortcut to start searching (winkey+w/q/f), click on the filter, or remember the non-intuitive keystrokes to change filter after I've already started searching; not cool.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2012 01:37:34 GMT  
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I haven't been bothered by the fact that it was filtered. TBH I hadn't even noticed they split up settings from apps/shortcuts until you mentioned the missing unified search. I automatically use the filter I need without a thought whatsoever. Been doing so since the first time I used W8 xD

/If you hadn't said anything I might have never noticed it tbh lol

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Sun, 02 Dec 2012 02:38:45 GMT  
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Bad enough to toss a couple of bucks at some other programmers that fixed it? Yeah. If I was using only this computer, I'd gripe a bit and then deal with it. But I need to use quite a few different computers for work and it's bad enough keeping Windows and Mac OS X keyboard shortcuts straight.

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Nurple](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2012 02:27:52 GMT  
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well i just bought windows 8 now when i play renegade my fps no longer goes from 2 fps to 100 fps now it just stays at 10 fps

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Tue, 04 Dec 2012 12:38:48 GMT  
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EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Fri, 09 November 2012 08:27W8 feels a lot faster in day-to-day things.

Have to agree, still keep tying myself in knots when transitioning back and forth between 'real' Windows and metroland though...

Going to resist installing start8 or similar to give it a chance...

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [F1r3st0rm](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2012 16:11:49 GMT  
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yeah i can see i won't be getting this crap on my desktop any time soon  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X0fsyb-ttcw>

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [zunnie](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2012 16:24:50 GMT  
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I'd have watched that video if it did not have adverts at the start of it...

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Omar007](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2012 16:54:59 GMT  
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That movie is flawed. Bunch of noobs using a system they know nothing about. They are even missing the most obvious stuff which is right on their screen!

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Subject: Re: Windows 8 : Renegade  
Posted by [Sean](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2012 18:37:35 GMT

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suppose zunnie never uses youtube =/

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