Subject: computer questions on this system i'm getting Posted by forsaken on Fri, 12 Dec 2003 06:51:32 GMT

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well here are the basic stats of the computer i'm getting.

http://www.n00bstories.com/image.fetch.php?id=1160397734

with also black optical mouse, black keyboard, neon blue light inside...ect though dunno about a moniter yet.

I was wondering for-

CD-RW it says NEC ND-1300A DUAL FORMAT DVD-RW/DVD+RW + CD-R/RW DRIVE

Does this mean the CD drive can function as a CD-rom drive and a DVD drive?

and is a nVidia GeForce FX 5900 128MB 8x AGP w/ TVO, & DVI better than a Radeon 9700 pro 128mb?

Subject: Re: computer questions on this system i'm getting Posted by gibberish on Fri, 12 Dec 2003 07:55:18 GMT

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forsakenDoes this mean the CD drive can function as a CD-rom drive and a DVD drive?Yes

http://www.nec.co.uk/ND1300A.asp

forsakenand is a nVidia GeForce FX 5900 128MB 8x AGP w/ TVO, & DVI better than a Radeon 9700 pro 128mb?
On most stats yes.

http://www6.tomshardware.com/graphic/20030512/index.html

Note: This link is for the ultra not the standard card.

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cool, thx, looks like i'm getting the lesser of the FX 5900 series, but looking at the ultra 256mb review the 156mb shouldn't be bad at all

I got one more question,

I currently have on this buying list a AMD certified CPU Fan and Heatsink, and this was before I

threw the FX 5900 in instead of the FX 5600 it had before, should I pick out the option for:

AMD certified CPU Fan and Heatsink + 3 extra case fans

or AMD certified CPU Fan and Heatsink + 2 extra 3-color led case fans

So basically, will the FX 5900 run with just one fan, or will it need one of the 2 of above since it has a lot more power than the FX 5600?