
Subject: Just curious who is still using and who's moved on?

Posted by [BradLyons](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 03:29:22 GMT

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>>>>>>>bands). Called up about 20 Ren Comps..

>>>>>>>Hit the space bar..

>>>>>>>Ran liek a champ.. No skips hiccups..

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Posted by [jp](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 03:52:52 GMT

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Posted by [Dedric Terry](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 04:18:55 GMT
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>support experience) I don't think it is legal in the US to sell a product
>retail without some level of support unless the product is completely
>unsupported and sold as a non-retail product (e.g. can't make a Mac version
>with full support and a PC version for the same price and none, but you
>could sell OSX for both platforms with limited support).
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>Regardless, as has been said before iWork is extra, not included, so that
>doesn't count. iLife is \$79 to upgrade to the new version, so it isn't
>exactly an OS "feature", and it's a h

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Posted by [LaMont](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 04:22:42 GMT
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Posted by [Paul Braun](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 04:25:39 GMT
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ome user/recreational set of tools,
not
>something I would consider a must for professional use (iChat might come
in
>handy for client communication, but Skype works quite well for free). iLife
>is an app just like any other.
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>\$299 for OSX? If it really provided some specific advantage for the price,
>but it's more than I pay for WinXP (I only pay \$139 for WinXP Pro (OEM)
>since I build my own machines (e.g. that meets the license requirement for
>the OEM version). Like Dave, I don't need iLife - just an OS, stripped
down
>running fast. iWork might come in handy for only \$79 vs. MS Office since
I
>don't need the full capabilities of Office and do get MS Word and Excel
docs
>from clients, but again, it is an add on, not an OS feature.
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>Beyond that, I'm not what the context of your question is. Is Apple
>considering such a move?
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>Regards,
>Dedric
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No, I was just curious.

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Posted by [dc\[3\]](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 04:33:48 GMT
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Posted by [Kim](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 05:14:05 GMT

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Posted by [audioguy_editout_](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 05:22:27 GMT

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>>>>>>>>>> of people get irritated by it.

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>>>>>>>>>> I'm not going to go to an Apple group for Apple updates but
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>>>>>>>>>> what's going on in Apple land so...

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>>>>>>>>>> Cheers,

>>>>>>>>>> Kim.

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Posted by [excelav](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 06:15:04 GMT

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>>>>>>>>>>> "John" <no@no.com> wrote:

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>>>>>>>>>>> It's 100 degrees in the shade here. I think I'm delirious.

>>>>>>>>>>>

>>>>>>>>>>> "Chuck duffy" <c@c.com> wrote:

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Subject: Re: Just curious who is still using and who's moved on?

Posted by [erlilo](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 06:53:01 GMT

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"Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message
news:46bd15ea@linux...
> doh.. I mean what's the RAM on the video card.
> Sorry, long day.
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> "Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message
> news:46bd1511\$1@linux...
>> Video related? I have to ask, what's the video card in question?
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>> "Martin Harrington" <lendan@bigpond.net.au> wrote in message
>> news:46bcff81\$1@linux...
>>> A question about PT, (off topic I know), but I have (sometimes use), PT M
>>> powered.
>>> I always thought my comp felt sluggish, or at least the screed redraws
>>> looked sluggish, and that was on an Intel Core2 Duo 6600 with 2 gig of
>>> ram..shouldn't be the case right?
>>> Everything else seemed quite snappy...put not PT.

>>> Well.... now I just built a Quad Core (Inte

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Posted by [rick](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 08:53:40 GMT

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Posted by [erlilo](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 09:07:42 GMT

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>>> >> No, I was just curious.

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>> > That's cool. Both Apple and MS add stuff not everyone needs, and both are
>> > just trying to provide apps a lot of people do use. For me, whichever OS
>> > runs better for what I do would be my preference, regardless of who makes
>> it

>> > - but without a standalone version of OSX it's hard to make that call since
>> > I can't pair it with the hardware I prefer. And without 3rd party support
>> > for Linux, that's out as well. If I ran Logic (which is a great app), no
>> > doubt, I'd have a Mac... or 2 or 3.

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>> > I'm also not knocking iLife - it is a nice suite of handy apps that MS
>> > doesn't have a comparable product (the functions are there in Media Player,
>> > Movie Maker, etc, but iLife's apps are more user friendly). I also
>> wouldn't

>> > mind iWork over Office - I've seriously considered a MacBook for that
>> reason

>> > (the "upgrade" to Office 2007 to run on Vista (I have Office 2003 or
>> > something like that) is \$275 - not exactly a bargain for more than I would
>> > ever use. I like that iWork supports MS Word Docs, Excel, and Powerpoint
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>> > Regards,

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Hey Aaron – I wil=

I give it a try – I’ve been meaning to for a while. It doe=

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Regards,

Dedric

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Posted by [John \[1\]](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 11:12:33 GMT

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;know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote:

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Posted by [TCB](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 11:14:14 GMT

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Dedric.. two words bro: Open Office =

<http://www.openoffice.org>

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Posted by [Rod Lincoln](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 11:32:46 GMT

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Posted by [gmmccurdy](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 12:29:25 GMT

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--B_3269632774_1331904--The just announced version of iWorks does look interesting.

I run NeoOffice on the Mac, a version of OpenOffice with an OSX interface. It does a great job for word processing and spreadsheets. The MSWord and Excel import/export works fine when I have to deal with those proprietary formats. I've also used it to view PowerPoint presentations

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Posted by [Cujjo](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 13:43:24 GMT

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It handles PDF export internally (although every app that can print can export PDF on the Mac).

Firefox and Thunderbird also run great on OSX. I prefer Thunderbird to

Apple's mail program, for the most part. But I tend to use Safari more than Firefox.

I don't currently use any of the iLife apps but I'll give 'em another look when I upgrade OSX in October.

This is completely off topic but I just performed my first standup comedy set tonight. It went well, and was fun. And just to get it back to computers, I wrote most of my standup set using my Psion handheld, still a great little machine. :^)

Cheers,
-Jamie
www.JamieKrutz.com

Dedric Terry wrote:

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> On 8/10/07 11:09 PM, in article

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Posted by [BradLyons](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 14:02:42 GMT
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>Not anti Mac at all... nothing wrong with the stuff for
>people that want to use it... but why should people have to
>have it loaded on their machine if they don't? Same goes
>for Windows... I don't want messenger, Exploder, and the
>rest of the bloat. I think people should be able to CHOOSE
>"at install time" on either platform what they do or do not
>want on their system.
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>I want these machines for work, not play. And as I
>mentioned, we use MacPro and well as XP machines at the
>office for audio.
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>David.

Well, if your a Mac user, then you know that you can remove any application you don't want. As a Mac user you would also know that those applications on your drive are not much of a performance hit, if at all. You might want to do a search on how to turn dash board off though, because it launches

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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 14:08:38 GMT

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>>David.

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>>>ps. YES, we use *both* here.

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>>>James McCloskey wrote:

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>>>>Dedric Terry <dterry@keyofd.net> wrote:

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>>>>>And if you are running an HD rig, the Mac route makes sense. (Of course
>>>>>there is no other option for Logic). I'm curious to see where the next
>>>>>version of Logic goes.

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>>>>>I've been wondering if Apple would give it more of a tie in with FCP

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>>>>>post capabilities. Maybe this time?

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>>>>><jjdpro@ameritech.net> wrote:
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Posted by [BradLyons](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 14:09:40 GMT
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>>>>>>>might have to load OSX on one of my PCs.
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>>>>>>>On 8/10/07 9:16 AM, in article 46bc8130\$1@linux, "LaMont" <

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Posted by [DJ](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 14:25:16 GMT
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edric,. The reason for this change is that I was over to a buddies
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>>>>>>studio
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>>>>>>>who btw runs PT-HD(8) Accel!! Yikes!! :) with a DM-2000.
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>>>>>>>>But, since his studio is commercial he has to run all the major DAWs.
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>>>>>>>>Cubase
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>>>>>>>>3 is one of them. His DAW computer in Studio A is an G5 (Quad-non
Intel)...

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>>>>>>>>>I'll covert my current dual opteron daw into a dedicated vsti
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>>>>>>>>>"Steve Helm" <shelm@radford.edu> wrote:
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Posted by [DJ](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 18:06:22 GMT

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price between a PC and Mac.... especially in

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>>>>>>>>>>>environment.

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>>>>>>>>>>>Steve

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>>>>>>>>>>>Jeff Hoover <jkhoover@excite.com> wrote:

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>>>>>>>>>>>>Jusr for fun, I priced out one of the new Dell Vostro laptops

>(small

>>>>>>>>>>>>business class)attempting to match the 15"macbook pro as best

>as

>>>>>>>>>>>>possible (proc, ram, and HD size and speed, screen res, etc.).

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>>>>>>>>>>>>software or extended warranties.

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>>>>>>>>>>>>The verdict:

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>>>>>>>>>>>>Dell Vostro 15" \$1443

>>>>>>>>>>>>Macbook Pro 15" \$2074

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>>>>>>>>>>>>Still a ways to go.

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>>>>>>>>>>>>>I would agree... i'm not a "Mac guy", per se' but I've used

>>>>>>>>>>>>>Macs & they're fine, and it's nice to know what other options

>>>>>>>>>>>>>are out there.

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>>>>>>>>>>>>>>I look at it this way - someday they'll get their shit together

>>>>>>>>>>>>>>& price things accordingly to make it worth my while to buy

>one

>>>>>>>>>>>>>>LOL!

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internally (although every app that can print can
>> export PDF on the Mac).
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>> Firefox and Thunderbird also run great on OSX. I prefer Thunderbird to
>> Apple's mail program, for the most part. But I tend to use Safari more
>> than Firefox.
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>> I don't currently use any of the iLife apps but I'll give 'em another
>> look when I upgrade OSX in October.
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>> This is completely off topic but I just performed my first standup
>> comedy set tonight. It went well, and was fun. And just to get it back
>> to computers, I wrote most of my standup set using my Psion handheld,
>> still a great little machine. :^)
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>> Cheers,
>> -Jamie
>> www.JamieKrutz.com
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>>> can live without a snazzy interface.
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>>> Regards,
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>>> On 8/10/07 11:09 PM, in article 46bd469e@linux, "Aaron Allen"
>>> <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote:
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>>> (the "upgrade" to Office 2007 to run on Vista (I have Office 2003 or
>>>> something like that) is \$275 - not exactly a bargain for more than
>>> I would
>>>> ever use. I like that iWork supports MS Word Docs, Excel, and
>>> Powerpoint
>>>> docs, and for only \$79. Seems like a good deal to me.
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Posted by [Paul Braun](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 22:24:37 GMT
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>>> Or use Google's free online docs/spreadsheets capabilities.
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>>>> On 8/10/07 10:22 PM, in article 46bd3997\$1@linux
>>> <[mailto:46bd3997\\$1@linux](mailto:46bd3997$1@linux)> , "James McCloskey"
>>>> <excelsm@hotmail.com> <<mailto:excelsm@hotmail.com>> > wrote:
>>>>> No, I was just curious.
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>>>> That's cool. Both Apple and MS add stuff not everyone needs, and
>>> both are
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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 23:02:36 GMT

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>>>>>>>>round. we were surfing the web ...Had about 4 pages open, along with

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>>>>>>>>Tools (HD) still open with a session..!!

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>>>>>>>>I was sold.. Because.. I assumes this machine as was one of newer

>(Intel)

>>>>>>>>bases Macs Pros.. Nope..The G5 quad.

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Posted by [jp](#) on Fri, 06 Jul 2007 23:36:13 GMT

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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 00:05:33 GMT
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Posted by [Neil](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 02:11:53 GMT
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"Martin Harrington" <lendan@bigpond.net.au> wrote in message
news:46bd48ff\$1@linux...
> N-Vidia GForce 8500 GT with 256 mg ram
> Martin Harrington
> www.lendaneer-sound.com
> 0414 913 247
>
> "Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message
> news:46bd15ea@linux...
>> doh.. I mean what's the RAM on the video card.
>> Sorry, long day.
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>> "Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message
>> news:46bd1511\$1@linux...
>>> Video related? I have to ask, what's the video card in question?
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>>> "Martin Harrington" <lendan@bigpond.net.au> wrote in message
>>> news:46bcff81\$1@linux...
>>>> A question about PT, (off topic I know), but I have (sometimes use), PT
>>>> M powered.
>>>> I always thought my comp felt sluggish, or at least the screed redraws
>>>> looked sluggish, and that was on an Intel Core2 Duo 6600 with 2 gig of
>>>> ram..shouldn't be the case right?
>>>> Everything else seemed quite snappy...put not PT.
>>>> Well.... now I just built a Quad Core (Intel Q6600) with 4 gb ram and
>>>> an N-Videaia 8500 card, (that was on the comp previously), and PT feels
>>>> just the same....
>>>> Is it PT?
>>>> The meters seem really sluggish although I can get really low latency
>>>> whist recording with no problems. the graphics are just crappy.
>>>> Any ideas guys?
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>Hey guys - been lurking for a long time, haven't posted in years. But I've just started working heavily with my Paris rig again, and though I've scoured the depths of the newsgroup and been through my manual cover to cover, there's one thing I can't seem to do. So I turn to you, oh wise and helpful compadres!

How do I move (or delete) a whole track in freeform mode? I had to insert some audio tracks to import all my audio, and my MIDI track got stuck as track 34 or some such. Now I want to make it track 23, and I can't seem to find any way to move or delete the track itself (not just the objects). I can certainly add another MIDI track at #23, but then I'd have this orphan MIDI track hanging out in the middle of nowhere. Granted this does nothing more than affront my slightly OCD sensibilities, but I have a hard time believing that Paris doesn't have a track move/delete function. Am I missing it?

On a side note, has anyone thought to make a package of the original Paris skin? I downloaded the new skins from the parisfaq site, but I didn't see the original skin. I'm working on the whole skinning for the Mac bit, and I need a copy of the original BMP for comparison. If anybody has them handy, could you send them along?

Thanks!!

Matthi Martin,

Are you using the machine for gaming?

What size power supply you trying to use with that 8500 card?

They need a minimum of 700 watt to even begin to be reliable.

Are you using the current drivers for the 8500 and are you using dual monitors?

Are you using PT 7.31? If you are using anything earlier then it could be PT acting up.

Chris

Martin Harrington wrote:

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 04:15:51 GMT

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TCB

P.S. As you might know, I run linux whenever I have the choice.

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Posted by [Tom Bruhl](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 05:31:02 GMT

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It's not ignorance, some people choose to not deal with the hassle of administrating and maintaining security software. Who wants to be a security administrator?
It is a costly, time consuming PITA! I think it's an unwillingness to suck up to Microsoft and their "crappy" software.

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>>>> I would agree... i'm not a "Mac guy", per se' but I've used
>>>> Macs & they're fine, and it's nice to know what other options
>>>> are out there.
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>>>> I look at it this way - someday they'll get their shit together
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Posted by [Martin Harrington](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 07:30:04 GMT
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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 11:29:45 GMT
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>>> box, so I can and do run my current DAW 2048 ms latency, which as you
>>>know,
>>> takes a "big" strain off the system resources..
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>>> I guess, I'm really really impressed with OS-X and the ability to run
>>>(true)XP
>>> (via Boot Camp)on one machine. As well as, being ready for the NEW Logic

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>>> having said that, I would run Os-X on my current DAWs if Apple allow
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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 12:29:31 GMT

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ruth is, we are all paying for the lack of scruples of hackers. MS and Apple certainly have to, and should protect the integrity of their OSs, but inevitably, users still pay for whatever does or doesn't work in that regard (we get almost weekly security updates from Apple via OSX update manager, so it isn't a non-issue).

But, when comparing the best choice for a given user and application, viruses are hardly a main concern for those of us that just don't put ourselves in a position to be at risk (just as I don't buy stereos from guys in white vans in 7-11 parking lots...yep, seen that one :-).

Not a virus or spyware in 10 years. Two system drives destroyed by kernel

panics (an OS should *never* crash a drive at the hardware level), a bad motherboard, and a bad combo drive,

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Posted by [Wayne Carson](#) on Sat, 07 Jul 2007 23:14:55 GMT

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