Subject: Ready to move to PARIS
Posted by chucklesmcfarland on Wed, 10 Sep 2014 18:35:15 GMT
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Hey all,

I have been following the adventures of you fellow Parisians for a few years now, but wasn't in a place where I could commit to build a system and keep it running.

Well that has changed and I would like to start assembling a rock solid system from the ground up.

Please let me know if you are selling any pieces or have any advice.

Cheers

Mike

Subject: Re: Ready to move to PARIS
Posted by Will The Weirdo on Thu, 11 Sep 2014 13:14:15 GMT
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Posted by chucklesmcfarland on Thu, 11 Sep 2014 14:06:10 GMT
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Hey Will,

Thanks for the helpful response.
I am in contact with Ron from this group and will be discussing what he has and where to go with that.
A few questions I have though -
Comparison between 2.0 and 3.0? I see there are issues with copy protection.
Mac vs PC? I can do either, but prefer Mac if possible, I have plenty of G4s around.

Thanks again for the guidance.

Cheers,

Mike

Subject: Re: Ready to move to PARIS
Posted by mikeaudet on Thu, 11 Sep 2014 20:12:50 GMT
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Hi Mike,

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I hope this helps!

Mike

Subject: Re: Ready to move to PARIS
Posted by chucklesmcfarland on Fri, 12 Sep 2014 11:34:56 GMT
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Mike

Thanks for the tips Mike

It sounds like going the PC route would make more sense at this point. And that is fine, I can go either way, and it's going to get bounced out for mixing anyway, or do any of you cowboys mix IN PARIS?

How or where does one find a copy of 3.0 then?

Cheers

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Posted by chucklesmcfarland on Fri, 12 Sep 2014 18:05:16 GMT

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Whoops, wait, so you can have version 3 on OS 9? Then I would probably go that route, not PC.

Subject: Re: Ready to move to PARIS
Posted by mikeaudet on Fri, 12 Sep 2014 23:42:24 GMT

Hi Mike,

You can buy a used copy or maybe Intelligent Devices will sell you one outright. Their contact information is here:

http://intdevices.com/contact_us.shtml

Be advised that they have stated they will stop providing copy protection response codes for PARIS 3.0 after the end of this year.

All the best,

Mike