

## Re: MultMon woes

---

*Source:*

<http://www.tech-archive.net/Archive/WinXP/microsoft.public.windowsxp.hardware/2005-10/msg00892.html>

---

- *From:* "DL" <[dl@spoofoffmail](mailto:dl@spoofoffmail)>
  - *Date:* Sat, 22 Oct 2005 16:30:31 +0100
- 

I use multi mon, but not via winxp so I may not be on track with this but, Have you checked any nvidia driver utility settings to insure the nvidia monitors are enabled?

In my nvidia dual view there is a seperate entry under display devices for dual view.  
ie Display devices lists, Dual View and my Nvidia card.

Have you tried the nvidia card, alone, to see if it functions in multi monitor mode?

"Ender1618" <[Ender1618@xxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Ender1618@xxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message  
[news:1129814774.156524.50730@xx](mailto:news:1129814774.156524.50730@xx)

- > I just bought a new Dell XPS 600 PentiumD (running XP pro with SP2),
- > with a Geforce 6800 PCI-Express card as my main display card. Im
- > trying to get a 3 monitor setup so i purchaced an additional Geforce
- > 5500 FX PCI (with dual vga output), to use as a secondary vid card. I
- > plugged in the PCI card, rebooted, XP detects the PCI card, I install
- > the latest nVidia drivers, and reboot again.
- >
- > When i reboot, the second mon (plugged into the PCI card) says it is
- > recieveing signal but it is blank. I get to XP, i go to
- > display->settings to set things up, but i dont see the other display
- > adapter listed under the "Display:" label like it usually does for a
- > multimon setup, plus i dont see those things where u activate, extend,
- > identify, and reposition the other monitors displays in relation to the
- > main display. Its acting as if the second display adapter isnt there.
- > When i go to the device manager, under "Display Adapters", I see both
- > cards listed, and both are said to be working.
- >
- > Ive tried repositioning the PCI card, deleting the device under the
- > device manager and reinstalling the drivers, looking if there are any
- > bios related settings, kicking it, but nothing seem to work.
- >
- > Anyone have any clue why this doesnt work and how to fix it?
- >

- **References:**

- ◆ **MultMon woes**

- ◇ *From:* Ender1618

- Prev by Date: **Re: PCI Network Card Installation after Upgrading from ME to XP**
- Next by Date: **Re: PCI Network Card Installation after Upgrading from ME to XP**
- Previous by thread: **MultMon woes**
- Next by thread: **Re: Strange USB problem**
- Index(es):
  - ◆ **Date**
  - ◆ **Thread**