

Re: MCE 2005 Interface flickers

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Hi JW,

My problems only occur in the MCE interface. I have not noticed any other issues with other applications.

The specs of the card on the nvidia site indicates that it does have turbo caching.

link: http://www.nvidia.com/object/7_series_techspecs.html

The HP site also mentions that it has turbo caching and says that it can use up to 256MB. Here is the link:

<http://shopping.hp.ca/cStoreCA/BaseDetails.asp?PType=57&ProductLineId=49&FamilyId=136&BaseId=3339&BEID>

How do I know how much main memory is being shared with it?

When I am using just my PC or watching the TV directly on my computer, my resolution is set to 1280x1024... but when I am watching TV on my regular TV set, I have to change the resolution of my desktop to 800x600 or else I lose too much of the picture.

I have not tried just using my monitor and not my TV set too since my primary usage is to watch and record television shows on my living room TV set. My older Sony VAIO computer did not give me this problem. Unfortunately, that machine fried!

Thanks,

Mike

"JW" wrote:

What resolution is your PC desktop set to?
If your 7300 card uses Turbo Cache how much main memory is it set up to be able to share?

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Do you have any problems if the S-video connection is not in us?
Do you have any problem when not using the MCE user interface?

"msamario" <msamario@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Hi,

I'm having a slight problem with my HP Pavilion Media Center TV m7680n Desktop PC. The machine has 2GB of ram, 500GB hard drive, Intel Duo Core 2, and a nVidia 7300 LE graphics card. I just bought the machine in November.

For some reason, the MCE 2005 interface items will start to flicker, disappear, and reappear for no apparent reason. Entries in the television guide, the scheduled recordings list, and the recorder TV lists all have this problem.

I have a 19" Sony LCD Flat screen monitor connected through the VGA port and my TV connected to the TV out on my graphics card. I have the display settings set to clone mode.

The flickering happens on both screens. Does anybody have any ideas as to what I can do. Note: I have tried different display drivers. I also tried restoring the graphics drivers to the original ones that came with the machine.

Note: The recorded TV and Live TV shows and movies are coming in perfect. There is no stuttering in the playback. I am just having issues with the interface flickering.

Thanks,

mike