

# PCSX2 Configuration

Emulation Settings - PCSX2

Notice: Most games are fine with the default options.

**EE/IOP**

EmotionEngine

- Interpreter
- Recompiler**
- Enable EE Cache (Slower)

IOP

- Interpreter
- Recompiler**

**VUs**

EE/FPU Advanced Recompiler Options

Round Mode

- Nearest
- Negative
- Positive
- Chop / Zero**

Clamping Mode

- None
- Normal**
- Extra + Preserve Sign
- Full

Restore Defaults

Preset:  2 - Safe (faster)

OK Cancel Apply

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**EE/IOP**

**VU0**

- Interpreter
- microVU Recompiler**
- superVU Recompiler [legacy]

**VU1**

- Interpreter
- microVU Recompiler**
- superVU Recompiler [legacy]

**VUs**

**GS**

EE/FPU Advanced Recompiler Options

Round Mode

- Nearest
- Negative
- Positive
- Chop / Zero**

Clamping Mode







- None
- Normal**
- Extra
- Extra + Preserve Sign

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### Framelimiter

Disable Framelimiting  
Useful for running benchmarks. Toggle this option in-game by pressing F4.

Base Framerate Adjust:  %

Slow Motion Adjust:  %

Turbo Adjust:  %

NTSC Framerate:  FPS

PAL Framerate:  FPS

Use Synchronized MTGS  
For troubleshooting potential bugs in the MTGS only, as it is potentially very slow.

### Frame Skipping

Disabled [default]

Skip when on Turbo only (TAB to enable)

Constant skipping

Frames to Draw







Frames to Skip

Notice: Due to PS2 hardware design, precise frame skipping is impossible. Enabling it will cause severe graphical errors in some games.

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Enable speedhacks  
Speedhacks usually improve emulation speed, but can cause glitches, broken audio, and false FPS readings. When having emulation problems, disable this panel first.

#### EE Cyclerate [Not Recommended]

-2 2

0 - Default cyclerate. This closely matches the actual speed of a real PS2 EmotionEngine.

#### VU Cycle Stealing [Not Recommended]

0 3

0 - Disables VU Cycle Stealing. Most compatible setting!

#### Other Hacks

Enable INTX Spin Detection  
Huge speedup for some games, with almost no compatibility side effects. [Recommended]

Enable Wait Loop Detection  
Moderate speedup for some games, with no known side effects. [Recommended]

Enable fast CDVD  
Fast disc access, less loading times. [Not Recommended]

#### microVU Hacks

mVU Flag Hack  
Good Speedup and High Compatibility; may cause bad graphics... [Recommended]







MTVU (Multi-Threaded microVU1)  
Good Speedup and High Compatibility; may cause hanging... [Recommended if 3+ cores]

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**Game Fixes**

Enable manual game fixes [Not recommended]

It's better to enable 'Automatic game fixes' at the main menu instead, and leave this page empty. ('Automatic' means: selectively use specific tested fixes for specific games). Manual game fixes will NOT increase your performance. In fact they may decrease it.




Gamefixes

- VU Add Hack - Fixes Tri-Ace games boot crash.
- VU Clip Flag Hack - For Persona games (SuperVU recompiler only!)
- FPU Compare Hack - For Digimon Rumble Arena 2.
- FPU Multiply Hack - For Tales of Destiny.
- FPU Negative Div Hack - For Gundam games.
- VU XGkick Hack - For Erementar Gerad.
- FFX videos fix - Fixes bad graphics overlay in FFX videos.
- EE timing hack - Multi purpose hack. Try if all else fails.
- Skip MPEG hack - Skips videos/FMVs in games to avoid game hanging/freezes.
- OPH Flag hack - Try if your game freezes showing the same frame.
- Ignore DMAC writes when it is busy.
- Simulate VIF1 FIFO read ahead. Fixes slow loading games.
- Delay VIF1 Stalls (VIF1 FIFO) - For SOCOM 2 HUD Spy Hunter loading hang.
- Ignore Bus Direction on Path3 Transfer - Used for Hotwheels
- Switch to GSdx software rendering when an FMV plays
- Preload TLB hack to avoid tlb miss on Goemon

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OK
Cancel
Apply

Components Selectors - PCSX2

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**Plugins**
-   
BIOS
-   
Folders

GS	GSdx 20160105132032 (MSVC 19.00, AVX) 1.0.0 [gsdx32-avx]	▼	Configure...
PAD	LilyPad (20151231175709) 0.11.0 [lilypad]	▼	Configure...
SPU2	SPU2-X 20151231175709 2.0.0 [spu2-x]	▼	Configure...
CDVD	cdvdGigahertz (20151231175709II) 0.9.0 [cdvdGigahertz]	▼	Configure...
USB	USBnull Driver 20151231175709 0.7.0 [USBnull]	▼	Configure...
FW	FWnull Driver 20151231175709 0.7.0 [FWnull]	▼	Configure...
DEV9	DEV9null Driver 20151231175709 0.5.0 [DEV9null]	▼	Configure...

Plugins Search Path:

Click the Browse button to select a different folder for PCSX2 plugins.

Browse

Use default setting Open in Explorer

OK
Cancel
Apply

# GSdx Settings



Adapter:

Renderer:

Interlacing (F5):

## Hardware Mode Settings

Allow 8-Bit Textures

Internal Resolution:

Custom Resolution:

Texture Filtering:

Anisotropic Filtering:

CRC Hack Level:

Enable HW Hacks

## Software Mode Settings

Edge Anti-aliasing (AA1)      Rendering threads:

Mipmapping

Shader Configuration:

PCSX2 1.4.0



System CDVD Config Misc Debug

Reboot CDVD (full)

Reboot CDVD (fast)

Run ELF...

Resume

Load state F3 >

Save state F1 >

Backup before save

Automatic Gamefixes

Enable Cheats

Enable Widescreen Patches

Enable Host Filesystem

Shutdown

Exit

