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Subject: snow behind ice/water

Posted by [Slave](#) on Sun, 27 May 2007 20:21:08 GMT

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water

Posted by [zunnie](#) on Mon, 28 May 2007 21:42:42 GMT

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I tried using a magnifier glass and binoculars but i cant see the problem?

Try uploading a bigger image lol...

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water

Posted by [Slave](#) on Tue, 29 May 2007 06:22:10 GMT

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Nah, you are right, this bug is too minor to even be bothered with. Must be one of those w3d glitches.

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water

Posted by [Blazea58](#) on Tue, 29 May 2007 10:20:52 GMT

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Far as i know there really isn't much of a fix for this. I had problems with roleplay2 when we tried rain settings and the rain never even hit the map because i have a huge blocker at the very top of the map and that basically stopped everything from falling past it.

From what i know, you have to be sure that and any other mesh in the area doesn't have physical collision. So if players arent supposed to go on it anyways you could just setup blockers around the ice area.

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water  
Posted by [Scrin](#) on Tue, 29 May 2007 19:09:17 GMT  
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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water  
Posted by [Viking](#) on Tue, 29 May 2007 19:30:20 GMT  
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I think APB has a way to fix this? I dunno...

If I understand what ur saying.

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water  
Posted by [Slave](#) on Wed, 30 May 2007 22:30:45 GMT  
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This might be a better example of the same problem. The snow goes behind the "mountain".

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water  
Posted by [nopol10](#) on Wed, 30 May 2007 23:53:53 GMT  
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Put a large hidden box that extends beyond the height of the mountain and cover it (all in gmax). Make sure it has the normal collision stuff and the snow will just hit and disappear at the top of the hidden box.

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Subject: Re: snow behind ice/water  
Posted by [Slave](#) on Thu, 31 May 2007 05:04:01 GMT  
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No, that ain't really what i mean.

Lemme try again.

We have 1 snow particle. It's 5 meters in front of you. 200 meters in front of you is the mountain texture on C&C\_Under.

Once the snow particle falls down, and your eyes, the particle and the background mountain are in one line, the mountain appears in front of the particle, when in reality it is 195 meters behind it.

The game makes a wrong decision what to put in front of what. The snow wich is closer, apears behind the mountain wich is further away.

Better?

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