Subject: Alpha Blending

Posted by Gen_Blacky on Sun, 14 Jun 2009 18:38:41 GMT

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Im trying to find a way to alpha blend 3 textures on one mesh. does anyone know how to make 2 alpha channels on one mesh in gmax. Vertex paint creates only one alpha channel and then alpha blending gets the gay scale of the alpha channel and applies the texture.

Edit:

I managed to make this effect

File Attachments

1) 3passblendtest.zip, downloaded 96 times

Subject: Re: Alpha Blending

Posted by MGamer on Sun. 14 Jun 2009 20:36:10 GMT

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i think that R3 posted a tutorial in the reborn forums long time ago

Subject: Re: Alpha Blending

Posted by Gen_Blacky on Šun, 14 Jun 2009 22:13:46 GMT

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I found this by RenXc but the images are no longer there for his little tut.

http://cncreborn.planetcnc.gamespy.com/forum3/viewtopic.php?f=6&t=1768&p =26579&hilit=alpha+blending#p26579

Subject: Re: Alpha Blending

Posted by MGamer on Mon, 15 Jun 2009 01:23:57 GMT

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ah sorry it was renXc

Subject: Re: Alpha Blending

Posted by Gen_Blacky on Wed, 17 Jun 2009 01:00:49 GMT

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First of all, follow this tutorial http://renhelp.net/index.php?mod=Tutorials&action=view&id=19, but skip the vertex paint part, you'll also have convert the terrain to an editable mesh/poly before adding UVW maps.

when you've done that, follow this tutorial.

Make sure Valpha is checked in the W3D export settings Export your map.

Put your terrain in Reborn Leveleditor, click on Lightning > Vertex Solve

check Occlusion and then hit Ok

that's about it now go be creative! ^^

oh, by the way, Pass 2 is still your *main* texture, but pass 1 swapped place with pass 3. black vertexes belong to pass 3, grey vertexes belong to pass 1.