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Subject: Few questions

Posted by [Hubba](#) on Fri, 30 Oct 2009 05:10:50 GMT

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3 i belive u can find the models in the always.dat and always2.dat with the w3d.

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```

```

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Posted by [reborn](#) on Fri, 30 Oct 2009 21:58:43 GMT

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I think it's a timer, I never really delved too far into cinematic files, I just gleaned what I needed to know to make them work.

You can call these text files with "test\_cinematic".

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Posted by [cAmpa](#) on Sat, 31 Oct 2009 11:41:05 GMT

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Next time I will check there before i ask something about the methods.

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Hey. I have been wondering about this for a while. I made in level edit that refinery give +6 credits per second instead of 2.

But i want to make so if power plant gets destroyed it would only give +2. How can i change this? Can i attach a script to a building?

I thought something like this. If i can attach this script to the refinery if power plant gets destroyed?  
Attach\_Script\_Once(obj,"GTH\_Credit\_Trickle", "-4,2.00");

I just don't know how to attach scripts to buildings and where the "pp gets destroyed" thing is located.

If you have a better way in doing this please tell

Thanks

Hubba

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Posted by [reborn](#) on Fri, 06 Nov 2009 05:54:28 GMT

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On the level loaded event, attach a script to the ref to grant the +4 money. Then attach another script at the same time to the PP (if it exists) that removes that script when it's destroyed, and adds just +1 instead.

```
void Level_Loaded() {
    GameObject *GDIRef = Find_Refinery(1);
    GameObject *NodRef = Find_Refinery(0);

    GameObject *GDIPP = Find_Power_Plant(1);
    GameObject *NodPP = Find_Power_Plant(0);

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        Attach_Script_Once(GDIRef,"GTH_Credit_Trickle", "4,2.00");
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    if(GDIPP){ //Not sure what what happen if you tried to attach it if it didn't exist
        Attach_Script_Once(GDIPP,"hubba_pp_death", "");
    }
    if(NodPP){
        Attach_Script_Once(NodPP,"hubba_pp_death", "");
    }
    //etc etc
}

}
```

hubba\_pp\_death should simply have a ::Killed event, and on that event it should find out it's own teams ref, remove the gth\_credit script (if the ref still has any health), then re-attach a gth\_credit but add +1 instead.

Pretty crude really, but it's 05:55 here and I'm sleepy.

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hubba\_pp\_death should simply have a ::Killed event, and on that event it should find out it's own teams ref, remove the gth\_credit script (if the ref still has any health), then re-attach a gth\_credit but add +1 instead.

Pretty crude really, but it's 05:55 here and I'm sleepy.

Hmm "GTH\_Credit\_Trickle" doesn't seem to work like that

I think you can only attach it to players. Which would mean that i would have to attach the script when they join and reattach it to them when they die. And then it would probably be not in sync with the other credit\_tickle which would mean that you would get +6 one second and then -4 the other second.

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**Subject: Re: Few questions**

Posted by [YazooGang](#) on Fri, 06 Nov 2009 20:27:39 GMT

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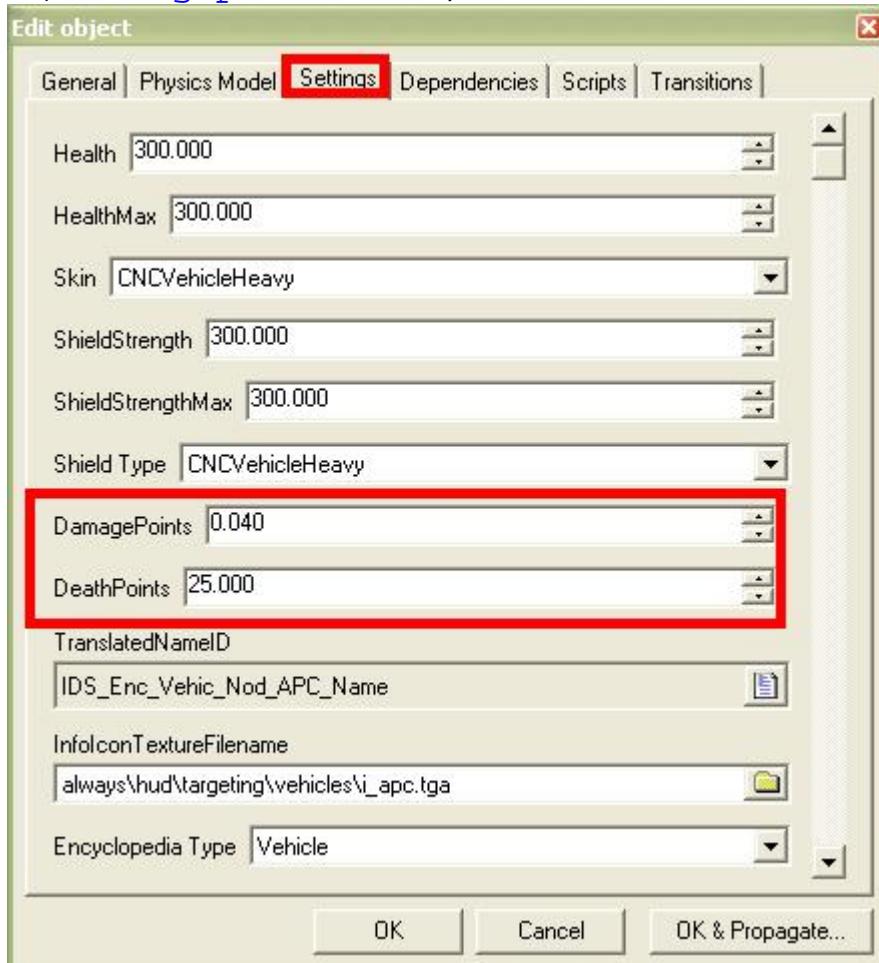
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Posted by [Hubba](#) on Fri, 06 Nov 2009 20:46:32 GMT

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Thanks but that problem had already been solved. I will add "solved" to the questions that has already been solved.

But pictures make it very clear so this will sure help others. Who might be wondering where in level edit the "damegepoints" is located

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Posted by [reborn](#) on Sat, 07 Nov 2009 08:00:57 GMT

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Posted by [Hubba](#) on Sat, 07 Nov 2009 10:05:52 GMT

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So i have to make a script with a timer which would loop and give +4 credits to the players? Which would be attached to the powerplant and then if powerplant gets destroyed it would remove that script. Is this what you meant?

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**Subject: Re: Few questions**

Posted by [raven](#) on Sat, 07 Nov 2009 20:47:41 GMT

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hook the building destroyed event, check if its the pp, if it is, attach the script to an invisible object or something

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