Subject: Mining question

Posted by Anonymous on Sun, 27 Oct 2002 10:25:00 GMT

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While defending a GDI base today I entered the Barracks to refill and I noticed someone had placed 8 or so mines neatly arranged around the end game spot (what's it called?), but none at the entrance or MCT. I think this isn't very effective, cause any intruder can just walk past the mines and blast the MCT away and very few people plant end game beacons anyway. What do you folks think about this "tastic" (sorry... I couldn't resist... )?

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Posted by Anonymous on Sun, 27 Oct 2002 13:17:00 GMT

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pedestal's a bad place to mine anyway...hardly anyone ever goes for them.

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Posted by Anonymous on Sun, 27 Oct 2002 13:34:00 GMT

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quote:Originally posted by thousand\_sun:Had the barracks already been taken out?That would be the only time you would want to mine the pedestal.Will the end-game beacon still work even in an already destroyed building?

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Posted by Anonymous on Sun, 27 Oct 2002 15:05:00 GMT

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quote:Originally posted by Darth Do'Urden: quote:Originally posted by thousand\_sun:Had the barracks already been taken out?That would be the only time you would want to mine the pedestal.Will the end-game beacon still work even in an already destroyed building?End game beacons can still work if the Hand or Barracks is already destroyed.To answer the question, the most valuable tactic is to mine the entrances. And a few near the MCT doesn't hurt.

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Posted by Anonymous on Mon, 28 Oct 2002 00:03:00 GMT

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Posted by Anonymous on Mon, 28 Oct 2002 08:58:00 GMT

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^Me too.

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Posted by Anonymous on Mon, 28 Oct 2002 12:59:00 GMT

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i go 4 end game beacon when the bar or hon is destroyed, becuase when they hear ion/nuke beacon placedost run and search the remaining biuldings.

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Posted by Anonymous on Mon, 28 Oct 2002 21:24:00 GMT

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Was this on a map with defenses or not, because alot of people try stealth/nuke on the ped on maps with no base defenses. I personaly hate useing the ped unless my team is getting messed up quite badly. [October 28, 2002, 21:25: Message edited by: Mpbgw]

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Posted by Anonymous on Tue, 29 Oct 2002 03:20:00 GMT

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Yes, it had defenses (still intact), the barracks were all right anf luckily they seemed to be early mines... And we could "move" them via minelimit.

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Posted by Anonymous on Tue, 29 Oct 2002 13:11:00 GMT

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Mining the pedestral when the building is not destroyed is a waste of mines. Mining the entrance(s) will do. After the HON or barracks is destroyed you should check the L button on your keyboard. If the end-game beacon is enabled, then is mining the pedestral VERY important. I have won and unfortunately lost quite a number of games where the pedestral was not mined.....when needed.GrtzDuc (WOL dutchduc)

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Posted by Anonymous on Tue, 29 Oct 2002 13:29:00 GMT

Hey, I didn't know the L key did anything special, thanks for that. Yes, I am kind of a newb still. Newb, mind you, not n00b!