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Subject: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [jonwil](#) on Sun, 13 Sep 2015 09:01:23 GMT

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After various things getting in the way (including a nasty cold that put me out of action for the best part of a week) I am now going to do some more scripts work. Can people here please advise me of (or link me to trello cards for if they have access to trello) the things I should be working on?

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [roszek](#) on Sun, 13 Sep 2015 21:12:59 GMT

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Thu, 17 Sep 2015 19:13:08 GMT

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roszek wrote on Sun, 13 September 2015 15:12LOD budget

I'm pretty sure I successfully knocked that up in the last release of 4.2, did you not see a change? Maybe it didn't make the last release, in which case its in the upcoming patch...

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [jonwil](#) on Thu, 17 Sep 2015 22:43:50 GMT

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Yep, the changes will be in the next update which will hopefully be available soon.

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [\[-HOH-\]szymek777](#) on Wed, 23 Sep 2015 09:51:32 GMT

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Maybe you could bring back flames on vehicle when it's damaged.

Something like this: Look at 1:40 youtube.com/watch?v=-ymuc23kReU

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [YesNoMayb](#) on Wed, 23 Sep 2015 16:38:08 GMT

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Could you implement an ignore function for non-XWIS users?

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**Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now**

Posted by [roszek](#) on Sat, 26 Sep 2015 18:53:01 GMT

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Never mind.

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**Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now**

Posted by [Neijwiert](#) on Mon, 28 Sep 2015 15:10:10 GMT

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**Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now**

Posted by [dblaney1](#) on Mon, 28 Sep 2015 18:11:40 GMT

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It doesn't currently work at the moment.

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**Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now**

Posted by [jonwil](#) on Mon, 28 Sep 2015 21:03:59 GMT

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There is no way to make Stop\_Sound work over the network due to how the sound engine works.  
Sounds in the sound engine dont have any kind of "ID" you could send to the clients so they know which sound object to look for.

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Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Wed, 30 Sep 2015 13:23:10 GMT

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Posted by [Neijwiert](#) on Wed, 30 Sep 2015 15:44:58 GMT

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Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Wed, 30 Sep 2015 17:23:04 GMT

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#### File Attachments

1) [Untitled.png](#), downloaded 822 times

# s\_alienAlarm - W3D Viewer

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s\_alienAlarm

## Edit Sound



Use the controls  
WAV, VOC, or M

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Name:

s\_alienAlarm

Filename:

2D or 2D Trigger  
Trigger Radius: 150.00

3D Sound

Dropoff at: 150.00

Max volume at: 10.00

Infinite loops

Stop when hidden

OK

Object controls



Ready



Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [jonwil](#) on Wed, 30 Sep 2015 21:23:41 GMT

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The use of a w3d file that plays a sound and has the "stops when hidden" box ticked (and is then hidden via Commands->Set\_Is\_Rendered to stop the sound) is probably the only way to get sounds you can control over the network. It would even work such that if the sound is playing and someone joins the server, they hear the sound.

Making the kind of changes to the sound engine that would be necessary to have Stop\_Sound work over the network would be too much work.

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Subject: Re: Back working on scripts now

Posted by [Neijwiert](#) on Thu, 01 Oct 2015 17:28:03 GMT

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Hmm too bad.

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Holy ballz does that work server-side? Like you change that in your objects file and load that?

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Posted by [jonwil](#) on Thu, 01 Oct 2015 20:16:36 GMT

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Thats got nothing to do with an objects file. Its something you make in w3dviewer that lets you embed sound data in a w3d file and have it play.

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