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Subject: Re: Minecraft!

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R315r4z0r wrote on Mon, 03 January 2011 14:57I normally stay away from anything that has "craft" as a suffix. But what is this game about in a nutshell? I keep hearing about it but I'm not interested enough to look it up myself. >.>

Imagine lego. Now, imagine being one of the little lego figures.

Now imagine, an ENTIRE WORLD made of lego blocks was dynamically generated. And is infinite. As you continue to travel, the world is generated as you go along.

And you can break apart said blocks, collect them, and then place them somewhere else. Certain types of blocks, however, require you to make tools in order to actually break them and/or collect them.

You can make various tools- pickaxes, shovels, etc. Aswell as stuff like torches that actually serve a use because of dynamic lighting. Did I mention there's a day/night cycle? Because there is.

Also, at night, monsters come about. And they will kill you. And some of them explode (Creepers, the green things you always see), destroying nearly fucking everything nearby.

Anyways, you can continue to travel, or you can mine underneath the earth and get various ores to build an awesome (if a bit lonely, unless you play online, which did I mention totally exists) empire.

TL;DR: It's the ultimate sandbox game, and is also being continually updated and added onto.

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