Subject: Repair Gun alt fire

Posted by flyingfox on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 04:55:21 GMT

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Hi. I had an idea. Would a server side objects.ddb with elements from the Golden God Mod allow clients to use the alt-fire repair gun with that burning red beam that damages? The Golden God Mod allows this in single player, and I know there is a server side objects that is used in the renegade dedicated server.

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Posted by Blazer on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 05:30:45 GMT

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Yes, but it would be abused...think about it...a limitless ammo weapon that does a fair amount of damage...1 eng could get into a building, deploy his timed, and then alt-fire the mct to do extra damage, and then finish it off with his remotes.

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Posted by flyingfox on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 06:06:55 GMT

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That's easy, just edit armor.ini to disallow the warhead to do damage to buildings. Unless the warhead is the same as a used weapon..?

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Posted by Javaxcx on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 10:39:59 GMT

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Posted by KIRBY098 on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 12:16:51 GMT

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I've played against you. I do.

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Posted by m1a1\_abrams on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 13:12:33 GMT

It would mess with the game balance if Engineers could damage the enemy with their repair gun. They shouldn't be terribly effective against tanks and infantry because their ability to repair friendly units is so powerful on it's own. Imagine if you have a group of Engineers repairing friendly tanks in the field, but as soon as enemy units approach them they use their repair guns to attack them alongside the tanks. They would be too powerful, particularly since the standard Engineer is a free character.

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Posted by flyingfox on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 13:13:58 GMT

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That's pretty irrelevant though. I'm looking at

Quote:improvements for C&C: Renegade

in the name of variety and new features. Besides, the burn would be a lot easier to use and many people can't use the pistol that well. Not to mention it's range only reaches that of the normal blue repair module. If you were new or your skill was in the mid levels, wouldn't you want something that was easy to use? It's the reason people pick the flamethrower over the shotgunner for close range combat.

Anyway I would appreciate if someone could expand on my idea since I have no idea how to modify objects.ddb and can only run a 4 player anyway.

Edit: Abrams, the power of the burn would be symmetrical to the power of the heal. I'd say that was excellently balanced, and (without offence, because this applies to me too) you can't speak about balance in this instance without actually trying the mod out yourself. Who is to say the secondary function wasn't intended to have a burn anyway?

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Posted by Deathgod on Fri, 16 Jul 2004 22:19:25 GMT

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I thought that was stupidity... the shotgun is so much better it's not even funny.

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Posted by YSLMuffins on Sat, 17 Jul 2004 02:23:30 GMT

What will we laugh at though then when newbies try to 'blue beam rush' the enemy?

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Posted by flyingfox on Sat, 17 Jul 2004 09:55:48 GMT

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It's not impossible to have an auto announce telling you "Engineers now have the ability to attack by right clicking their repair gun. This does NOT damage buildings."

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Posted by Founder of YASA on Sun, 18 Jul 2004 06:44:19 GMT

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It throws the game into complete unbalance considering Hotwire/Tech now have far better chance of blowing up a building. Plus Tech/Hotwire become carrying an unlimited ammo Volt Auto Rifle. It just a really dumb idea to massively improve Tech/Hotwire and Engineer to killing machines

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Posted by flyingfox on Sun, 18 Jul 2004 08:45:39 GMT

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Please read the replies. The damage would be symmetrical to the repair power, just like it is in the Golden God Mod. Hotwire does not heal at the rate a volt gun kills someone. And I've also already said the damage properties on buildings would be removed. It would be a nice addition and it is a good idea.

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Posted by Majiin Vegeta on Sun, 18 Jul 2004 10:08:26 GMT

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Javaxcxl fail to see the point of having an alternate firing mode for the repair-gun when the pistol already is a powerhouse in a small package. I don't think many people appreciate how dangerous the pistol actually is.

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Posted by flyingfox on Sun, 18 Jul 2004 11:11:37 GMT

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Posted by jd422032101 on Mon, 19 Jul 2004 04:30:39 GMT

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Posted by z310 on Tue, 20 Jul 2004 21:36:35 GMT

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I like the idea and think the gun should only have an effect on people, and pistols shouldnt have unlimited ammo .... just alot

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Posted by Founder of YASA on Fri, 23 Jul 2004 15:41:05 GMT

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Go and test it on a tank. I did it before and hotwire repair the same speed as Mendoza hitting a MRLS and hot wire eventurally out repaired because no reload involved.

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Posted by havocide3 on Mon, 26 Jul 2004 21:41:07 GMT

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I just tested it. Yasa is right.

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Posted by flyingfox on Tue, 27 Jul 2004 00:29:39 GMT

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I said "kills someone"; that doesn't apply to vehicles and is beyond the point anyway. You said

Quote: Tech/Hotwire become carrying an unlimited ammo Volt Auto Rifle

which isn't the case, because the power on the repair module doesn't equal the power of the volt auto rifle on skin\_flesh. If it did, hotwire would be repairing soldiers at the rate a volt gun could kill them.

Against vehicles? She has to be close to do anything (as far as the beam reaches), whereas the volt auto rifle has much more range.

In any case this debate is absolutely pointless because I was only asking whether or not modified objects.ddb could be used server-side and have changes working on clients with the standard objects.ddb.

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Posted by frijud on Tue, 27 Jul 2004 18:37:33 GMT

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This is kinda funny because I am one of the people that can't aim with a pistol (or a ramjet, shotgun, etc). The one thing I can aim with is the "blue beam of death" because buildings don't move!!!

\*\*\*Note to self...Find a way to uninstall Gizbotvas' misbot\*\*\*

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Posted by Rex on Tue, 31 Aug 2004 18:55:26 GMT

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I have an other idea....

Sometimes when im a Eng and Im Repairing, I want to let my C4 explode, but I cant, cos i have to switch back to the "c4-gun".

Isnt it possible to let it explode with a right click (while having the repair gun?)

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Posted by WNxCABAL on Thu, 02 Sep 2004 11:32:26 GMT

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that sounds like a great idea!

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Posted by Aircraftkiller on Thu, 02 Sep 2004 19:23:13 GMT

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It might be possible but it would unbalance the game a few hundred more times than it already is.

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Posted by Rex on Fri, 03 Sep 2004 07:43:00 GMT

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I think ACK is right.

Just after I uploaded my idea, I also thought the same.... Oh well...