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Subject: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [Viking](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 07:39:02 GMT

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I was thinking, you could make say... a HUGE script zone that take up the entire map. Than put a script on it, the script will than be triggered when someone leaves the script zone (enters blue hell) and it than teleports said person to a location. (to their base?)

Posted here too.

<http://www.apathbeyond.com/forum/index.php?showtopic=13322>

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [jnz](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 07:41:18 GMT

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If you go under the "world box" for a map (which isn't actually there) it kills your character anyway.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [Viking](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 07:48:31 GMT

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What? Whats that have to do with this idea?

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [jnz](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 07:57:46 GMT

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Its practically the same thing.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [nopol10](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 08:54:50 GMT

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [jnz](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 09:00:43 GMT

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In that case, a massive script zone wouldn't work. The best option is to just implement !killme

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [StealthEye](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 10:51:32 GMT  
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For now, I'm able to detect blue hell, but teleporting you out of it is something different. (Possible, but not as easy as just teleporting you). Actually when you are in blue hell you are extremely high above the map (or low, but then you get killed instantly and respawn). I'm still hoping to be able to prevent blue hell though.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [IronWarrior](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 11:41:55 GMT  
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Thats an good idea to be honest and I bet I know someone who could get it to work.

But testing it would be hard, re-creating bull hells when you want them is well.. hard to do.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [StealthEye](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 15:17:24 GMT  
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It was much easier than I thought actually. Start a 1p lan game, mod the humvee engine torque to be 10 or 100 times as high as normal (using the edit\_vehicle console command or in objects), make sure you can somewhat drive it, buy two and keep driving into the other humvee while pushing it into a corner. Driving into it under an angle seems to make it go somewhat faster.

As for it being a good idea, yes, it would probably detect blue hell, but there are other ways which I tested already and which seem to be working properly too.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Canadacdn](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 16:38:13 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Viking](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 18:36:42 GMT  
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I have never 1 time died in blue hell, I always just fall and go up, fall and go up, thats all I do...

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Zion](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 20:23:46 GMT  
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I know of a way, although i may not work.

Edit all the vehicles worldboxes to be more rounded instead of just being a box covering the vehicle (since that's what causes the problem, when they collide. Not quite sure exactly what would happen but it's worth a try is it not?)

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Viking](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 21:30:31 GMT  
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Or make the vehicles hull into the world box?

Like the APC body is the worldbox of the APC?

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Zion](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 22:19:05 GMT  
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No, there's still a square worldbox around the APC. I remember playing a game, we parked one next to the bar, got ontop of the bar and jumped on it and we could stand on nothing over the front of the APC where the front slopes back.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [nopol10](#) on Thu, 07 Jun 2007 23:54:53 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [c0vert7](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 06:32:32 GMT

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I was gonna do this, I always thought that mabey blue hell was the cause of 2 different collision types colliding one to push and one to kill and it just triggers it. Im probally wrong tho.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [c0vert7](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 06:33:56 GMT

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Guess canada beat me to it

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [Zion](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 07:27:55 GMT

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nopol10 wrote on Fri, 08 June 2007 00:54I still don't get what Worldboxes are for (squishing?), Westwood could make it such that you just had to check the collision settings and the vehicle would collide...

Worldboxes are for collisions. Only the mesh itself has the projectile collision setting and that's all. The worldbox has everything else.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [nopol10](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 07:33:41 GMT

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So a vehicle without a worldbox would just fall through the ground?

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?

Posted by [Cpo64](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 08:29:47 GMT

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No, if it had no world box the vehicle does not work.  
Or, things pass threw it...

Been a long time since I modded vehicles. But i'm pretty sure all the vehicles bones must be inside the world box. Its the wheel bones that prevent it from falling threw the ground. There may actually be "two" boxes, a world box and another one I can't recall the name of, one for physical collisions, another for the vehicle bones, but the practically do the same thing.

The world mesh must be a box, because if it has too many corners, the game begins to have trouble calculating physical collisions. At least this is what I was told on the matter.

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**Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?**

Posted by [StealthEye](#) on Fri, 08 Jun 2007 09:46:01 GMT

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The point of the boxes is that they are easy (relatively) to check collisions with. Mesh collisions are harder and require more cpu time.

The push/kill thing is interesting, I have little experiance with them, what do those settings actually do? Kill the other object when colliding / pushing the object away when colliding? Push actually works better than kill (in not getting blue hell that is)?

Viking, You don't even enter blue hell if you get killed in it, then you just respawn directly. It is a form of blue hell (the same bug probably) but it isn't seen as such.

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**Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?**

Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2007 03:34:32 GMT

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how bout a speed detector, that if you are going faster than possible in renvehs you die.  
for helicopters you can really make a slightly more complex worldbox that is thinner at the tail.  
the other box ithink is called a bounding box.

what if someone made a veh, exported it without its worldbox, then exported the worldbox seperately, and then used a script to make it have the exact coords of the veh, then if it goes flying further than 5m away from the veh its deleted and another is created and attached to the veh coords.

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Viking](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2007 03:43:41 GMT  
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Someone needs to just export a vehic like the humvee with no world/boundin box and see what happens in game?

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Subject: Re: Maybe a blue hell solution?  
Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2007 05:05:56 GMT  
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Make a new script that detects if a vehicle continues to go in a certain direction for so long that it will destroy it (this would be attached to the vehicle).

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Posted by [Viking](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2007 07:00:16 GMT  
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Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Tue, 12 Jun 2007 07:48:50 GMT  
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Ha, it was probably a cinematic buggy (sometimes they have kill on collision enabled).

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