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Skyworth Standalone VR SDK (Unity)

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1 Introduction

1.1 SDK Introduction

SDK supports hardware devices: Skyworth standalone VR headset S8000.

SDK mainly provides: 3DOF handle interactive support, multi-functional interactive support, binocular stereo rendering and other functions.

1.2 Development Environment

Unity: Currently supports Unity 2017.1.0~2017.4.6, recommend to use Unity2017. 3.1f1 version

Android SDK: API Level 19 and above

JDK: Jdk1.7.0_01 and above

1.3 SDK Constrcution

For the convenience of developers, SDK is provided in the form of UnityPackage. After import SDK, developers can see the following directories:

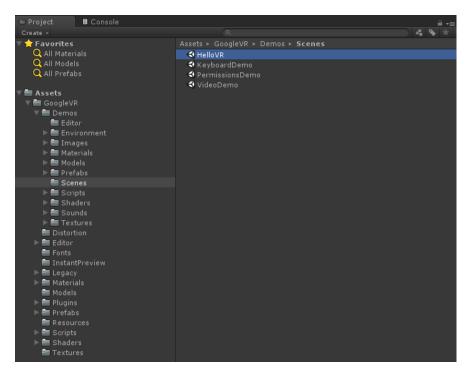


Figure 1.1 SDK structure

2 SDK Instructions

2.1 Create a new project

Open Unity, create a new project as follows:

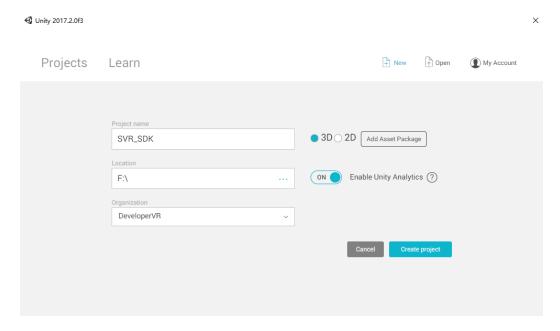


Figure 2.1 Create new project

2.2 Import SDK

Select menu Assets->Import Package->Custom Package...as follows:

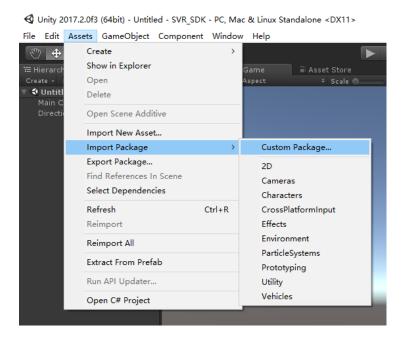


Figure 2.2 Import SDK

pop up the File Selection dialog box, select "svr-unity-sdk.unitypackage" and click to open it as follows:

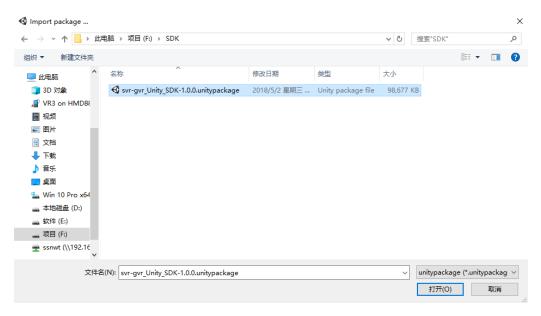


Figure 2.3 Select Unity Package

After clicking back to Unity interface, the system pops up SDK content hierarchy, please import as needed:



Figure 2.4 Import options

2.3 Use SDK

Enter Project options, open Assets->GoogleVR->Demos->Scenes successively, select HelloVR scene, click import button and below content can be seen in Game window:

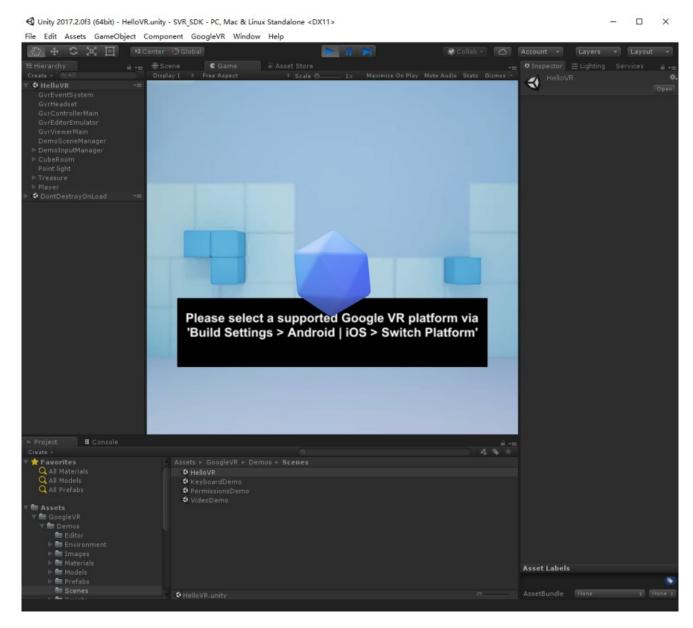


Figure 2.5 Simulation run

Press Alt to move mouse and the screen can be rotated up, down, left and right. Press Ctrl to move mouse and the screen can be slipped up and down. Press Shift to move mouse to simulate handle operation.

2.4 Project Settings

2.4.1 Quality Settings

As shown in Figure 2.6, for Levels choose Medium level of the Android Platform with Green Check. Specific parameters are shown in Figure 2.6 below.

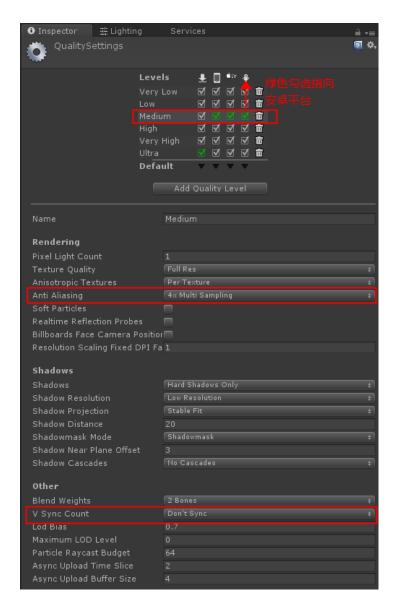


Figure 2.6 QualitySettings sketch map

Note: In Levels settings, first let the gray bar select the row to mark green on the Android platform, as shown in Figure 2.6. Then set Anti Aliasing and V Sync Count. If you don't select the Android platform first, these two project settings will not work in the Android export package, resulting in the application running on a black screen.

Anti Aliasing: Adjustments can be made as needed. 4 multi sampling is recommended.

V Sync Count: Must set as Don't Sync.

2.4.2 PlayerSettings

1. In Resolution and Presentation option, Default Orientation must be set as Landscape Left. Specific parameters are shown in Figure 2.7 below.

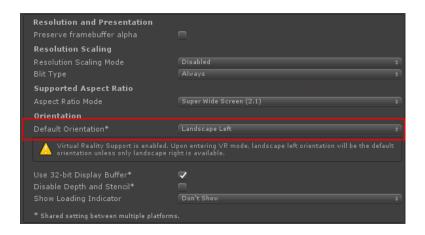


Figure 2.7 Default Orientation sketch map

2. In Other Settings option, Don't select GPU Skinning, API Level is Android 7.1, Write permission select SDCard Specific parameters are shown in Figure 2.8 below:

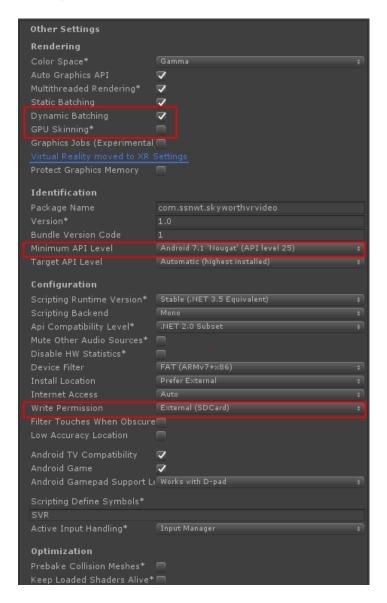


Figure 2.8 PlayerSettings Sketch map

3. In XR Settings option, select Virtual Reality Supported, Select "Mock HMD - Vive", Set Stereo Rendering Methods as "Single Pass(Preview)". Specific parameters are shown in Figure 2.9 below:

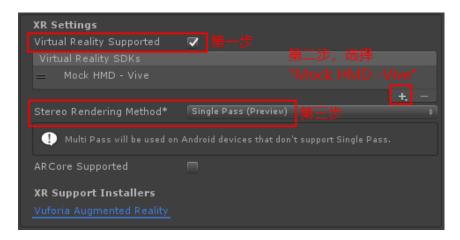


Figure 2.9 Above 2017.2 Vrsion XR Settings Sketch map

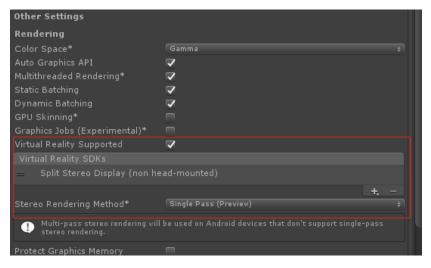


Figure 2.10 Above 2017.1.0 Version VR Settings Sketch map

2.4.3 Build Settings

Select default platform "Android", (Build System) select "Internal" mode. Specific parameters are shown in Figure 2.10 below:

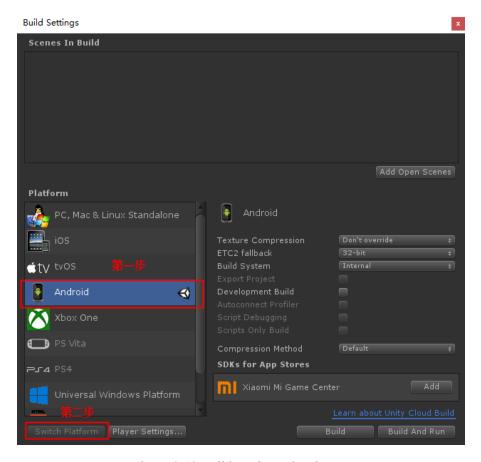


Figure 2.10 Build Settings Sketch map

2.4.4 AndroidManifest

Set Activity as "com.ssnwt.sdk.MainActivity"

- 1. If your project uses own Manifest and also configurate own Activity, and it need to make your Activity inherit from MainAcitivity.
- 2. If the project is newly created, you need to create Plugins/Android/ contents in your project and then move GoogleVR/Plugins/Android/AndroidManifest.xml to the newly created Plugins/Android/contents

2.5 Export to equipment operation

- 1. Connect the device to the computer via USB. When connected to the computer, the battery icon of Launcher interface will be in the state of charging.
- 2. Click File > Build & Run; and wait for the progress bar to finish.

3 API Interface

The SDK is developed on the basis of GVR SDK v1.40.0. Some interfaces are described below. For the rest, please go to the official website (https://developers.google.com/vr/unity/reference/) for details.

3.1 GvrPointerInputModule Introduction



Figure 3.1 GvrPointerInputModule setting sketch map

Functions:

GvrPointerInputModule inherits from BaseInputModule. With this script, the (UGUI) UI elements and 3D scene objects based on Canvas can interact in the application program. So UI elements that are highlighted from a Pointer, Trigger, Touching events, can be passed.

Use:

Enter the Project tab, expand Assets - > Google VR - > Prefabs - > UI in turn, and replace the original Event System with the GvrEvent System prefabricated into the scene.

3.2 GvrPointerPhysicsRaycaster Introduction



Figure 3.2 GvrPointerPhysicsRaycaster Sketch map

Functions:

GvrPointerPhysics Raycaster inherits from GvrBasePointerRaycaster and provides a collision detection for GvrPointerInputModule.

Use:

Create an empty object in the scene and name it Player. Drag the original Main Camera under Player. Add GvrPointerPhysics Raycaster script for Main Camera.

3.3 StereoController Introduction

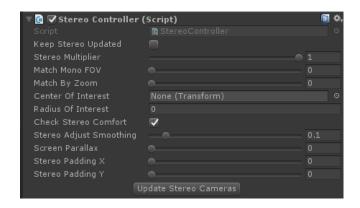


Figure 3.3 StereoController setting Sketch map

Functions:

Binding to MainCamera, two GvrEye rendering controllers of stereo view content, this script needs to be bound to the VR rendering camera.

Use:

Add the StereoController script for Main Camera.

3.4 GyrHead Introduction

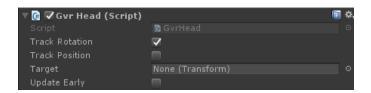


Figure 3.4 GvrHead Setting sketch map

Functions:

User head tracking simulation provides the data of head tracking to Camera, and the Transform attributes attached to it will change synchronously during head movement.

Use:

Add GvrHead scripts for Main Camera.

3.5 GvrHeadset Introduction

Functions:

GvrHeadset is the main interface of VR headset API. There is and can only be one GvrHeadset prefabrication in a scenario.

Use:

Enter the Project tab, expand Assets - > Google VR - > Prefabs - > Headset in turn, and put the Gvr Headset prefabrication into the scene.

3.6 GvrViewer Introduction



Figure 3.5 GvrViewer Setting sketch map

Functions:

Used to initialize Devices. Devices of Editor are initialized when the editor runs. There is and can only be one GvrViewerMain prefabrication in a scenario.

Use:

Enter the Project tab, expand Assets - > Google VR - > Prefabs in turn, and put the GvrViewerMain prefabrication into the scene.

4 3DoF Handle Introduction

4.1 Interface Introduction

SDK provides the response events of keys and touchpad of the 3DoF handle controller. When calling the relevant interface of the handle, please refer to the description of GvrControllerInput, the API interface function in Chapter 3. The following introduces the corresponding relationship between interface parameters and physical handle keys.



Figure 5.1 3dof Handle sketch map

The corresponding relationship between the physical keys of the handle and the parameters in API interface function is as follows:

Physical keys	Key value	API relevant interface
touchpad /confirm	1 << 0	ClickButton
		ClickButtonDown
		ClickButtonUp
App key	1 << 1	AppButton
		AppButtonDown
		AppButtonUp
Home key	1 << 3	HomeButtonDown
		HomeButtonState

4.2 Shield the Handle Function of Home Key Returning to Home

When you click the Home button after connecting the handle, it will return to the Home interface. If you want the Home button not to return to Home, you need to add some code in Android Manifest. xml.

<uses-feature android: name="android.software.vr.ignore.home" android: required="false"/>

"True" means that clicking on Home does not return to Home, and "false" means that clicking on the Home key returns to Home, which defaults to false.

5 Gaze Click

The function of countdown start click is provided in SDK. Stare countdown can be used to trigger click events when no handle operation is needed. This function needs to be used with Gvr ReticlePointer. (Note: At present, the 3DoF handle has become the standard interactive mode of VR AIO. For specific reasons, please use the 3D oF handle by default as the interactive mode.)

5.1 Instruction

On the assets-> googlevr-> prefabs-> UI, place the SvrReticleDownClick prefabricated body under the GvrReticlePointer, create a Button in the scene, and click on it to run.

The countdown effect appears when the anchor point Hover on the Button.

SvrReticleDownClick only checks on objects that implement PointerClick. If you don't use PointerClick, neither does it.

By default, the countdown is 1 second, and we also provide a uicounounder component to control the countdown time.

5.2 Module UICountDown

When you need to control the countdown time of the button, you can lay the UICountDown.cs script on the corresponding PointerClick object, and then set the Count value in seconds.