R-Type Network Communication Protocol

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Introduction:

This document describes the network protocol of the R-Type Project. It specifies the different requests between the client and the server. The data exchanged between the is explained right above.

Encoded Data:

We are sending informations through digits codes.

Connection:

The first number represents what device is sending the request. If it's 0, the code is from a client. In the opposite case, if it's 1, the code is from the server.

The second number represents the status of the connection, if it's 6, it means it's good. In the opposite case, if it's 7, is that there is a mistake.

For example the connection code from the client is: '060'.

In Game:

The first number represents what device is sending the request. If it's 0, the code is from a client. In the opposite case, if it's 1, the code is from the server.

The second number represents the entity which is represented: 1 is a player, 2 is an enemy and 3 an obstacle.

The third number represents the type of the event: 0 is the creation state, 1 is the position, 2 is the shoot state, 3 is the death state, 4 is the damage to applied and 5 is the bonus.

For example a client send the information he shot with the code: '012'.

User Datagram Protocol (UDP):

Connection: Request Client:

Connection: 060

Trying to connect itself with the server.

Response Server:

Connection: 160N

Send the connected info confirmation with the ID of the client.

Connection: 170

Send the info about the connection failed.

In Game:

Player:

Request Client: Position: 011X;Y

Get the position of the client with 2 values X and Y.

Shoot: 012

Indicate that the client has shot.

Death: 013

Sending the info that the client is dead.

Response Server:

Position: 111NX;Y

Sending the position of the N client with 2 values X and Y.

Shoot: 112N

Indicate that the N client has shot.

Death: 113N

Sending the info that the N client is dead.

Entity:

Enemy:

Request Client:

Hit: 024N

The enemy N has been hit.

Response Server:

Creation: 120NT

Create an enemy N of type T.

Position: 121NX;Y

Sending the position of the enemy N at the position X,Y.

Shoot: 122N

Sending that the enemy N has shot.

Death: 123N

Sending that the enemy N died.

Bonus: 125N

Sending the info that enemy N dropped a bonus.

Obstacle:

Request Client:

Hit: 034N

The obstacle N has been hit.

Response Server:

Creation: 130NT

Create an obstacle N of type T.

Position: 131NX;Y

Sending the position of the obstacle N at the position X;Y.

Destroyed: 132N

Sending that the obstacle N is destroyed.

Bonus: 135N

Sending the info that the obstacle N dropped a bonus.