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### 1. Overview

**RCC\_Customizer** is a high-level **vehicle customization** controller for **Realistic Car Controller (RCC)**. It serves as a container and manager for multiple sub-components (paint, wheels, spoilers, sirens, etc.), consolidating them into a single **loadout** system. This allows for:

- Saving and loading a vehicle's customization to/from PlayerPrefs (JSON).
- Applying or restoring upgrades (e.g., paint color, wheel selection).
- Auto-initializing each sub-manager.

It's typically attached to the same GameObject as an RCC\_CarControllerV4 or nested in a child, giving you a complete, modular system for in-game tuning and visuals.

### 2. Class Declaration

[DefaultExecutionOrder(10)]

```
public class RCC_Customizer : RCC_Core {
   // ...
}
```

- [DefaultExecutionOrder(10)] ensures it executes after some primary RCC scripts if needed.
- Inherits from RCC\_Core, granting access to shared RCC methods and references.

## 3. Key Responsibilities

- 1. Initialize various customization managers (paint, wheels, spoilers, sirens, etc.).
- 2. Handle loadouts via a RCC\_Customizer\_Loadout object:
  - AutoLoad from disk at startup if desired.
  - Save/Load/Delete functionality.
- 3. Auto-Save changes if autoSave is enabled.
- 4. **Refresh** managers after changes (like picking a new paint color or spoiler).

### 4. Primary Fields and Properties

- public string saveFileName: Key for saving in PlayerPrefs. Usually set to the vehicle's name.
- **public bool autoLoadLoadout**: If true, the script loads existing customizations from PlayerPrefs upon initialization.
- **public bool autoSave**: If true, the script automatically saves modifications (not currently shown, but conceptually possible).
- **public RCC\_Customizer\_Loadout loadout**: A data struct representing all current customization settings (paint color, wheels, spoiler index, etc.).

#### 4.1 Initialize Method

public enum InitializeMethod { Awake, OnEnable, Start, DelayedWithFixedUpdate, None }
public InitializeMethod initializeMethod = InitializeMethod.Start;

Determines when managers are initialized. Options:

Awake: Right on Awake().

- **OnEnable**: On OnEnable().
- Start: In Start().
- **DelayedWithFixedUpdate**: After a FixedUpdate() call.
- None: Don't auto-initialize; you can call Initialize() manually.

### 4.2 Loadout System

- **public RCC\_Customizer\_Loadout loadout**: A serializable class that can store the vehicle's chosen paint color, wheels, and upgrades.
- The script can save this loadout via JSON in PlayerPrefs, or load it from the same.

### 4.3 Customization Managers

The script references many possible sub-managers:

- PaintManager (RCC\_Customizer\_PaintManager)
- WheelManager (RCC\_Customizer\_WheelManager)
- UpgradeManager (RCC\_Customizer\_UpgradeManager)
- **SpoilerManager** (RCC\_Customizer\_SpoilerManager)
- **SirenManager** (RCC\_Customizer\_SirenManager)
- CustomizationManager (RCC\_Customizer\_CustomizationManager)
- **DecalManager** (RCC\_Customizer\_DecalManager)
- NeonManager (RCC\_Customizer\_NeonManager)

They are lazily loaded in properties, each searching in child transforms for the relevant component.

#### 4.4 Saving and Loading

- Save(): Saves loadout to PlayerPrefs with saveFileName as the key, in JSON format.
- Load(): Attempts to read from PlayerPrefs and parse JSON back into loadout.
- **Delete()**: Clears that key from PlayerPrefs and also calls **Restore()** on all sub-managers, returning them to default.

## 5. Workflow / Lifecycle

#### 5.1 Awake()

- If initializeMethod = Awake, calls Initialize().
- If autoLoadLoadout = true, calls Load() first.

### 5.2 OnEnable()

• If initializeMethod = OnEnable, calls Initialize().

### 5.3 Start()

- If initializeMethod = Start, calls Initialize().
- If initializeMethod = DelayedWithFixedUpdate, uses a coroutine to wait for a FixedUpdate() then calls Initialize().

### 6. Initializing the Managers

```
Initialize():
```

- 1. Ensures loadout is non-null.
- 2. Calls manager.Initialize() on each manager if it exists (PaintManager, WheelManager, etc.).

Each manager typically reads or applies settings from loadout.

### 7. Saving, Loading, and Deleting Loadouts

- Save(): Serializes loadout to JSON and stores in PlayerPrefs[saveFileName].
- Load(): If PlayerPrefs.HasKey(saveFileName), reads it into loadout.
- **Delete()**: PlayerPrefs.DeleteKey(saveFileName) and calls Restore() on each manager, returning them to default.

## 8. Refreshing Upgrades

```
public void Refresh(MonoBehaviour component) {
   loadout.UpdateLoadout(component);
}
```

- A utility method: after you change an upgrade (like paint color or wheel type), you call Refresh() with the relevant manager.
- That manager updates the loadout with new data (like new color or spoiler index).

# 9. Hiding and Showing Visual Components

- HideAll(): Disables all visual items from SpoilerManager, SirenManager, DecalManager, NeonManager.
- ShowAll(): Re-enables them.
- Useful for toggling upgrade previews or a simpler camera view.

### 10. Usage Notes and Best Practices

- Attach RCC\_Customizer to the same GameObject (or a child) as your RCC\_CarControllerV4.
- 2. **Set** saveFileName in the inspector, typically to the car's name.
- 3. **Initialization** can be done manually by setting initializeMethod = None and calling **Initialize()** yourself.
- 4. **Managers** must be child objects: e.g. a RCC\_Customizer\_PaintManager script on a "PaintManager" child.
- 5. AutoLoad
  - If autoLoadLoadout = true and there's a PlayerPrefs entry under saveFileName, it automatically applies it.
- 6. AutoSave
  - If you want to automatically save each time a user changes something, call Save() after a Refresh().

#### 7. Deleting

 The Delete() method is a total reset, removing the save key and calling Restore() on each manager.

## 11. Summary

RCC\_Customizer provides an **all-in-one** system for **vehicle customization** in Realistic Car Controller. By referencing multiple specialized **managers** (for paint, wheels, spoilers, etc.), it coordinates loading, saving, and applying upgrades. Through a **loadout** object, customizations are persistable between play sessions, offering players a consistent experience across game sessions. It simplifies modding each aspect of the vehicle's

appearance and performance, making it easy to integrate an in-game "customization garage" or menu.