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1. Overview

RCC_OverrideInputsExample shows how to **manually set** (override) the inputs of a Realistic Car Controller vehicle. By supplying a custom RCC_Inputs struct (throttle, brake, steering, etc.), you can take control away from the normal player input system. This is useful for:

- Al control
- Cutscenes or scripted events
- Remote inputs (e.g., networking or debugging tools)

2. Class Declaration

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

 Inherits from RCC_Core, giving it access to CarController (if needed), Settings, etc.

3. Purpose and Functionality

- Allows a developer to override the standard user input and forcibly supply custom input values each frame.
- Provides UI sliders to adjust throttle/brake/steering/handbrake/NOS in real-time.
- Demonstrates how to activate and deactivate overriding logic using OverrideInputs(RCC_Inputs newInputs) and DisableOverrideInputs() on the target vehicle.

4. Fields and Properties

4.1 Target Vehicle

public RCC_CarControllerV4 targetVehicle; public bool takePlayerVehicle = true;

- targetVehicle: The specific vehicle we want to override.
- takePlayerVehicle: If true, automatically assigns

 RCCSceneManager.activePlayerVehicle each frame, ignoring manual assignment.

4.2 Input Override Struct

public RCC_Inputs newInputs = new RCC_Inputs(); private bool overrideNow = false;

- newInputs: The custom RCC_Inputs containing override values for throttle, brake, steer, etc.
- overrideNow: Tracks whether overriding is currently in effect.

4.3 UI Elements

```
public Slider throttle;
public Slider brake;
public Slider steering;
public Slider handbrake;
public Slider nos;
public TextMeshProUGUI statusText;
```

- Each Slider modifies a corresponding field in newInputs.
- statusText displays whether overriding is active or not.

5. Key Methods

5.1 Update()

```
private void Update() {
    // 1) Read slider values and store in newInputs.
    // 2) Optionally update targetVehicle from RCCSceneManager if takePlayerVehicle is true.
    // 3) If overrideNow is true, call targetVehicle.OverrideInputs(newInputs).
    // 4) Update status text to reflect whether override is Enabled or Disabled.
}
```

- Each frame, sets newInputs.throttleInput = throttle.value, etc.
- If overrideNow is true, applies these to the vehicle via OverrideInputs().
- If statusText is assigned, updates a label (e.g. "Status: Enabled" vs. "Disabled").

5.2 EnableOverride()

```
public void EnableOverride() {
  overrideNow = true;
  targetVehicle.OverrideInputs(newInputs);
}
```

- Called by UI button or code.
- Sets overrideNow = true, then immediately applies the override.

5.3 DisableOverride()

```
public void DisableOverride() {
  overrideNow = false;
  targetVehicle.DisableOverrideInputs();
}
```

- Returns control to normal input.
- Calls DisableOverrideInputs() on the vehicle, allowing the standard RCC_InputManager to resume.

6. Usage Notes and Best Practices

- 1. Continuous vs. Instant
 - When overrideNow is true, every frame the car uses newInputs.
 - If you only need a one-time override (like a short control script), you can enable override for a set duration or event.

2. Slider Ranges

 Ensure the Unity Slider for steering is set to min = -1 and max = 1 in the Inspector, while throttle, brake, handbrake, and nos are 0..1.

3. Conflicts

- Disabling override (DisableOverride()) is crucial if you want the user to regain control.
- If multiple scripts try to override inputs at once, the last call in each frame typically wins. So manage them carefully or maintain a single source of truth.

4. Auto-Finding Player Vehicle

- If takePlayerVehicle is true, it always overwrites targetVehicle with RCCSceneManager.activePlayerVehicle.
- If you prefer a specific vehicle reference, set takePlayerVehicle = false.

5. Use Cases

- Al or Autopilot demonstration.
- Testing: Quickly see how the vehicle responds to certain inputs without physically pressing keys.
- o **In-Game Cinematics**: Force the car to drive in a specific path or state.

7. Example Integration

 Unity UI: Place a canvas with Sliders for throttle, brake, steer, etc., and a Toggle or Button for enabling/disabling override.

Script Reference:

RCC_OverrideInputsExample overrideScript = gameObject.AddComponent<RCC_OverrideInputsExample>(); overrideScript.takePlayerVehicle = false; overrideScript.targetVehicle = someCarControllerV4Reference;

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Enable¹

overrideScript.EnableOverride(); // from a button or code

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Disable:

overrideScript.DisableOverride();

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8. Summary

RCC_OverrideInputsExample is a **simple demonstration** of how to **manually control** an RCC vehicle by bypassing the normal input system. It:

- Reads UI slider values into an RCC_Inputs struct.
- Applies them each frame to a chosen vehicle when overriding is active (OverrideInputs(newInputs)).
- Reverts to normal inputs when disabled (DisableOverrideInputs()).

This approach is invaluable for scripting cutscenes, Al logic, or debugging custom control schemes in **Realistic Car Controller**.