The SMBX64 *.LVL file file description

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This is a level map TEXT file. All parameters are written line by line without blank lines.

Introduction

Standart parameters:

Standart size of one block
On screen can showing height
On screen can showing width
25 blocks
25 blocks

Height of screen 608 pixels (non 600, 608: 608/19=32 — one block size)

Width of screen 800 pixels

Max level space size: 419998×419998 pixels (but It is allowed to come out of limits)

Limits of objects on one level map:

Blocks: 20000 NPCs: 5000 Background objects: 8000 Doors: 200

Default section positions

(Section Center) Section (X and Y axis ranges)

01 (-190000 : -219999) -200000 -180000 **02** (-170000 : -189999) **03** (-150000 : -189999) -160000 **04** (-130000 : -149999) -140000 -120000 **05** (-110000 : -129999) -100000 **06** (-90000 : -109999) **07** (-70000 : -89999) -80000 **08** (-50000 : -69999) -60000 **09** (-30000 : -49999) -40000 **10** (-10000 : -29999) -20000 11 (9999 : -9999) 0000 **12** (10000 : 29999) 20000 **13** (30000: 49999) 40000 14 (50000: 69999) -60000 **15** (70000: 89999) 80000 **16** (90000 : 109999) 100000 **17** (100000 : 129999) 120000 **18** (130000 : 149999) 140000 **19** (150000 : 169999) 160000 **20** (170000 : 189999) 180000 200000 **21** (190000 : 209999)

- Standart size of one section zone is 29999×29999 pixels
- Y is always equal to X as Section center coordinates
- where x=0 and y=0 is a center of 11'th section.

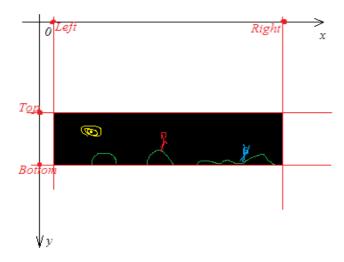
For convert from absolute coordinates to the relative of center by one section:

$$X_{n-section} = X_{absolute} - X_{Current section center}$$

 $Y_{n-section} = Y_{absolute} - Y_{Current section center}$

The section size and position defining by position of eash side of section. height and width are calculated on a formula:

$$W = |L-R|$$
 $H = |T-B|$

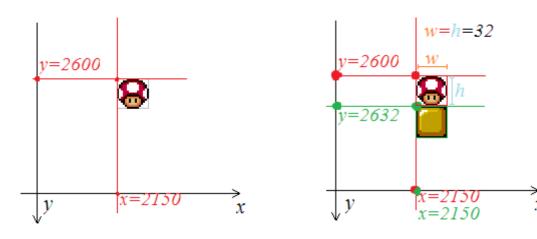


Coordinates of placement of object it is set concerning its upper left corner:

In this example, mushroom coordinates on current section is: X=2150; Y=2600 and block coordinates is: X=2150; Y=2632

Remember!

As the Y axis is turned to move object down, it is necessary to add to Y offset and to move up, it is necessary to subtract.



File Format Specification

Structure

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- [background tiles]
- "next"
- [NPS's options]
- "next"
- [Warps/Doors options]
- "next"
- [Water/Quicksand]
- "next"
- [Layers]
- "next"
- [Events]

The reference designations:

- standart parameter
- Comment title
- Comment description
- loop
- variable
- Special option, using only under special conditions, differently is absent
- The option isn't known yet
- File format version limit
- Data type

File format version:

The version number of the file format defines data present or absent in the file.

--File begin--

First 3th lines (Header):

Parameter	Description
64	(unsigned int) File format number (last in SMBX is 64)
0	(unsigned int) number of stars on this level (>= 17)
"Level name"	(string) Level title (>=62)

Section properties

Section properties		
(loop 21 times) (if <8, loop 6 times)		
-200000	(long) Left size (-left/+right)	
-200768	(long) Top size (-down/+up)	
-200000	(long) Bottom size (full screen is -200600 -down/+up)	
-199200	(long) Right size (full screen is -199200 +left/-right)	
24	(unsigned int) Music number (24 is enable custom music file)	
16291944	(long) Background color (In old versions editors)	
	[0] = black, [16291944] = blue, [10520656] = dark blue-green	
#FALSE#	(bool) Is Level wrap	
#TRUE#	(bool) enable Off Screen exit	
13	(unsigned int) Background number	
#FALSE#	(bool) No turn back	
#TRUE#	(bool) Under water (>=32)	
"somefile.mp3"	(string) Custom music file (>=2)	
(End loop)		

Player start points

They of State Points		
-199996	(long) First player Position x (+left/-right) (0 – player point isn't set)	
-200600	(long) First player Position y (+up/-down) (0 – player point isn't set)	
24	(unsigned int) Width of character (0 – is is first player point isn't set)	
54	(unsigned int) Height of character (0 – is is first player point isn't set)	
-199242	(long) Second player Position x (0 – player point isn't set)	
-200068	(long) Second player Position y (0 – player point isn't set)	
24	(unsigned int) Width of character (0 – is is second player point isn't	
	set)	
60	(unsigned int) Height of character (0 – is is second player point isn't	
	set)	

Blocks

For every block making this description:

(Loop = how much blocks in this level)		
-241408	(long) Block position x	
-180512	(long) Block position y	
32	(unsigned int) Height	
32	(unsigned int) Width	
63	(unsigned int) Block ID	
0	(unsigned int) Containing NPC number 0 – empty,	
	-99 coins 1000+npc_id - NPC	
#FALSE#	(bool) Invisible	
#TRUE#	(bool) Slippery (>=62)	
"Default"	(string) Layer name (>=10)	
"BlockDestroy"	(string) Block destroy event name (>=10)	
"hitme"	(string) Block hit event name (>=10)	
"NoMore"	(string) "No more object in layer" event (>=10)	
(Loop end)		

Note: Array must be sorted by x and by y;

Marker between Backgrounds and blocks:

"next"

Background objects descriptions:

(Loop = how much backgrounds in this level)		
-199808	(long) Position x	
-200480	(long) Position y	
15	(unsigned int) Background-1 number	
"Default"	(string) Layer name (>=10)	
(Loop end)		

Note: Array must be sorted by x and by y and grouped by special priory by ID;

Marker between NPC and Backgrounds:

"next"

NCP descriptions:

(Loop = how much NPSs in this level)		
-199966	(long) Position x	
-200480	(long) Position y	
-1	(int) [-1] left, [0] random/none, [1] right	
91	(unsigned int) NPC number	
71	(int) Special option: (>=10)	
	Included NPC: using only if NPS is	
	Buuble(283)/Burred(91)/Lakitu(284)/Egg(96)	
	CoopaTroopa alrorithm:	
	0 chase, 1 jump, 2 hover L/R, 3 hover U/D, >4 idle in air	
	Cheap-cheap alrorithm:	
	0 Swim, 1 jump, 2 projective, 3 swim L/R, 4 swim U/D	
	Firebar position (NPC 260) 0-32	
	Warp to section: -1-20 (Section number -1)	
12	(int) Second special option: (Only for NPC-91 with special=288)	
	Section number for included magic potion: -1-20	
#FALSE#	(bool) Generator enable (>=10)	
3	(int) Special: Generator direction: [1] up, [2] left,	
	[3] down, [4] right (>=10)	
2	(int) Special: Generator type [1] Warp, [2] Projective (>=10)	
155	(unsigned int) Special: Generator period (sec*10) [1-600] (>=10)	
	(string) Message by this NPC talkative (>=10)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Friedly NPC (>=10)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Don't move NPC (>=10)	
#FALSE#	(bool) LegacyBoss (>=10)	
"Default"	(string) Layer name (>=10)	
"Activate"	(string) Activate event (>=10)	
"GOldCoin D"	(string) Death event (>=10)	
"Talk"	(string) Talk event (>=10)	
"NoMoreObj"	(string) No more object in layer event (>=10)	
"AttachToLayer"	(string) Layer name to attach (>=63)	
(Loop end)		

Marker between NPC and Doors:

"next"

Doors descriptions:

(Loop = how much doors in this level)		
-199824	(long) Entrance position x	
-200224	(long) Entrance position y	
-199824	(long) Exit position x	
-200224	(long) Exit position y	
3	(unsigned int) Entrance direction: [3] down, [1] up, [2] left, [4] right	
3	(unsigned int) Exit direction: [1] down [3] up [4] left [2] right	
1	(unsigned int) Door type: [1] pipe, [2] door, [0] instant	
"file.lvl"	(string) Warp to level (>=8)	
0	(unsigned int) Normal Entrance / To Warp [0-100] (>=8)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Level Entrance (can not enter) (>=8)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Level Exit (End of level) (>=8)	
-1	(long) Wrap to X on world map (-1 is empty) (>=8)	
-1	(long) Wrap to Y on world map (-1 is empty) (>=8)	
5	(unsigned int) Need a stars for enter (>=8)	
"Default"	(string) Layer name (>=10)	
#FALSE#	(bool) <unused>, always FALSE (>=10)</unused>	
#FALSE#	(bool) No Yoshi (>=28)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Allow NPC (>=28)	
#FALSE#	(bool) Locked (>=28)	
(Loop end)		

Marker between Doors and water/quicksand:

"next" (>=10)

Water/Quicksand descriptions: (>=32), else skip section

(Loop = how much water ranges in this level)		
-159968	(long) Position X	
-160096	(long) Position Y	
160	(unsigned long) Width	
64	(unsigned long) Height	
0	(int) <unused>, always 0</unused>	
#TRUE#	(bool) Is Quicksand, else Water (>=63)	
"Default"	(string) Layer name	
(Loop end)		

Marker between water/quicksand and layers:

"next" (>=10)

Layers descriptions:

(>=10), else skip section

(Loop = how much layers in this level)		
"Default"	(string) Layer name	
#FALSE#	(bool) Is Hidden layer	
(Loop end)		

Marker between layers and events:

Events descriptions:

(>=10), else skip section

	(Loop = how much layers in this level)			
"New Event"	(string) Event name			
"All super-puper!!!)))))"	(string) Show message after start event			
0	(unsigned int) Play sound number (0 is don't play sound) (>=18)			
0	(unsigned int) End game type (0 – none, or 1 – Bow			
	ow/hide/toggle layers lists)			
"hideme1"	(string) Hide layer			
"showme1"	(string) Show layer			
"Toggleme1"	(string) Toggle layer			
1 (loop 20 times end)				
Warning: In SMBX exist l	bug: if you add 21'st layer in any list,			
	delete layers from list. Max 21 layers			
""	(string) Empty string (must by for SMBX)			
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↓ (loop 21 times start	t (for each 21 sections)			
-1	(int) Set Music ([-1] don't change; [-2] default; or n	umber of music)		
-1	(int) Set Background ([-1] don't change; [-2] defaul			
-1	(long) Set Position ([-1] don't change; [-2] default;			
	or LEFT x coordinates for section=current_loop)			
0	(long) TOP y coordinates for section=current_loop			
0	(long) BOTTOM y coordinates for section=current	(long) BOTTOM y coordinates for section=current_loop		
0	(long) RIGHT x coordinates for section=current_lo	оор		
↑ (Loop 21 times end)			
"Trigger event"	(string) Trigger event	(>=28)		
1532	(unsigned int) Start trigger event after x [sec*10]. i.	e. 153,2 sec(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) No Smoke	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold ALT-JUMP player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold ALT-RUN player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold DOWN player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold DROP player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold JUMP player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold LEFT player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold RIGHT player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold RUN player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold START player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Hold UP player control	(>=28)		
#FALSE#	(bool) Auto start	(>=32)		
"MoveMe"	(string) Layer name for movement	(>=32)		
0	(int) Layer moving speed – horizontal (-Left/+Righ			
0	(int) Layer moving speed – vertical (+Up/-Down)	(>=32)		
0	(int) Move screen horizontal speed (-Left/+Right)	(>=49)		
0	(int) Move screen vertical speed (+Up/-Down)	(>=49)		
0	(int) Scroll section x, (in file value is x-1)	(>=49)		
	(Loop end)			