Supernova

Thank you for buying supernova. Here you'll find some information about the project. If you need more information please contact me at atgamestudio@gmail.com.

This is a complete project, ready to play and publish. It should run out of the box. However, you can and should customize and modify, as you need. Some configuration is necessary if you want to publish to Google Play or use Unity Analytics. Follow the instructions in the respective sections of this document.

Mechanics

Every planet collected scores one point. The star has three colors: white, yellow and red. Damage is applied when you lose a planet, making the star color change. Damage is reversed when 10 planets are got. The star explodes when it is on red state and suffers damage or when the star falls into a black hole.

Folder structure:

Animators

There are 3 animators in the game:

- 1) GUI animator responsible for displaying the tap to play screen, start screen animation, game over screen and high score screen.
- 2) Button animator responsible for button animations
- 3) Player animator responsible for player animations, changing of colors and explosions.

• Audio

This folder contains the sounds of GUI, damage, explosion and the background soundtrack.

The background soundtrack is a free soundtrack by Vertex Studio. More soundtracks can be found in the asset store at https://www.assetstore.unity3d.com/en/#!/content/4883.

Fonts

This folder contains the font Sector 034 used in the project. Source http://www.dafont.com/pt/sector-034.font

GooglePlayGames

It's part of the play games plugin for unity.

Images

This folder contains all the images of the project including the buttons. More buttons can be obtained in the asset store at https://www.assetstore.unity3d.com/en/#!/content/19136.

Materials

This folder contains the textures of the backgrounds that are needed for the infinite scrolling feature.

• PlayServicesResolver

It's part of the play games plugin for unity.

Plugins

It's part of the play games plugin for unity.

Prefabs

This folder contains all the items that are instantiated at runtime. All the prefabs, except the player should have a tag named Item. The player prefab should have the tag Player.

Scenes

This folder contains the Main scene.

Scripts

This folder contains the scripts under the namespace Supernova. For detailed information about scripts, see the comments into each script file.

Google Play and Leaderboard

If it's your intention to build for android and publish to Google Play, follow the instructions on how to configure the Google Play Games Plugin in the link below. It has complete and detailed information on how to configure and use the plugin.

https://github.com/playgameservices/play-games-plugin-for-unity

After having configured your Google Play Developer Account and have generated the GPGSIds.cs file, you should replace the existing file located at "Assets/Scripts/Services". For demonstration purposes, it was created a leaderboard called "Best Starters". When you replace this file with your own generated file, unity will show compilation errors, so you'll have to change the constant "leaderboard_best_starters" with your new leaderboard constant.

The apk must be signed before publishing to Google Play. If you don't have a <u>keystore</u>, generate one following the instructions on the link below.

http://developer.android.com/intl/pt-br/tools/publishing/app-signing.html

Go to "File > Build settings". Select Android. Click on the "Player settings" button. In the inspector tab, edit the fields with your information. Example:

Company name: AT Game Studio

Product name: Supernova

Default Icon: Select the supernova icon "Assets/Images/icon.png".

On the Resolution and Presentation

- Supernova runs best on portrait mode

On the Other settings tab:

- Identification
 - o Enter the Bundle Identifier: com.cosmicgardenlabs.supernova
 - Enter the Bundle version and version code
- Configuration
 - Write Access: External (SD Card) For the share function to work correctly.

On the Publishing settings:

- Click on the "Browse keystore" button and locate your keystore
- Enter the keystore password
- Select your key alias
- Enter the key password

Back to the Build Settings window, click on the "Build" Button.

The generated APK now can be uploaded into your Google Play Developer Console and published to the world.

Unity Analytics

This part of the tutorial is based on Unity 5.2+, because unity 5.2 comes with Unity Analytics built-in. For previous versions more information can be found at http://docs.unity3d.com/Manual/UnityAnalytics.html.

First you need to register at https://unity3d.com/pt/services/analytics and create a project.

In order to enable analytics in the project go to "Window > Services" (Ctrl + 0). A new tab Services should appear. Enter with your unity ID or create a new one. Enable the Analytics service clicking on the Analytics section. Click on the "Go to Dashboard" button to open the analytics dashboard.

The script responsible for sending events is "Scripts/Services/Services.cs". Supernova is configured to send a "death" event, including the score and the cause (by) of the death.

Analytics.CustomEvent("death", new Dictionary<string, object> {

By accessing the data explorer section of the dashboard, you can analyze the metrics about the death event and take decisions to improve your game.



