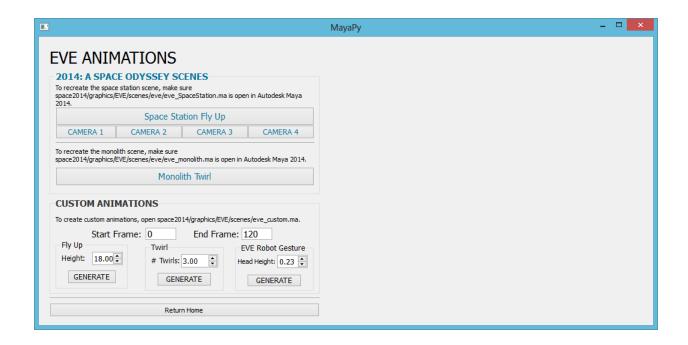
READ ME

The EVE GUI allows a user to recreate EVE scenes from 2014: A Space Odyssey and to create custom animations at selected frames.



<u>To recreate the EVE-Space Station scene</u>, open *space2014/graphics/EVE/scenes/eve_SpaceStation.ma* and press the *Space Station Fly Up* button. Once the animation has loaded in Maya, press the various camera buttons on the GUI to look through the different cameras while the animation is playing.

<u>To recreate the EVE-Monolith scene</u>, open *space2014/graphics/EVE/scenes/eve_monolith.ma* and press the *Monolith Twirl* button. Play the animation in Maya. NOTE: This scene was generated with Batch Render using Mental Ray in the 2014: A Space Odyssey movie. To view a particular frame with Mental Ray, click on Render View. Make sure the renderer is set to Mental Ray.

<u>To create custom animations with EVE</u>, open *space2014/graphics/EVE/scenes/eve_custom.ma*. Select the start and end frames for the animation and select a custom animation (Fly Up, Twirl, or EVE Robot Gesture) and settings. Fly up Height designates the EVE's flight height, Twirl # Twirls designates how many twirls to execute, and EVE Robot Gesture Head Height designates the height of EVE's head movement. Press GENERATE to create the selected animation between the given frames. Play the animation in Maya.

TEXTURES

If EVE's head texture does not appear in a Maya file, the texture image path needs to be reloaded.

- 1. Select the *head_base* object.
- 2. In the Attribute Editor, navigate to the EVE lamertWithTexture tab.
- 3. Click on the arrow next to the Color horizontal slider.
- 4. Click on the folder icon and select *facePlate.tga* found in the space2014\graphics\EVE\images directory.

If the planet background (polygon primitive plane) in eve_monolith.ma does not appear, the texture image path needs to be reloaded.

- 1. Select the *space bg* object.
- 2. In the Attribute Editor, navigate to the space texture tab.
- 3. Click on the arrow next to the Color horizontal slider.
- 4. Click on the folder icon and select *planet-wallpaper-22.jpg* found in the space2014\graphics\EVE\images directory.

If the stars background (polygon primitive sphere) in eve_SpaceStation.ma does not appear, the texture image path needs to be reloaded.

- 1. Select the stars bg object.
- 2. In the Attribute Editor, navigate to the *stars_texture* tab.
- 3. Click on the arrow next to the Color horizontal slider.
- 4. Click on the folder icon and select *deep-space-hd-wallpaper-hd-wallpapers-background-in-space-nature-landscape-images-space-backgrounds.jpg* found in the space2014\graphics\EVE\images directory.