# **Ultimate Starter Kit**

**Documentation** 

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# 1. Getting Started

#### 1.1 Requirements

The Ultimate Starter Kit plugin is only available for Unreal Engine 4.27 and newer. The plugin also depends on the following plugins:

- 1. Niagara
- 2. Enchanced Input

#### 1.2 Installation

- 1. Download the latest release from GitHub
- $2. \ Navigate \ \texttt{to} \ \texttt{C:\Program Files\Epic Games\UE_{VERSION}\Engine\Plugins}$
- 3. Create a Marketplace folder if needed
- 4. Extract the release and copy to the Marketplace folder
- 5. Open Unreal Engine
- 6. Click on Edit > Plugins
- 7. Enable the plugin under the Built-in > Other category
- 8. Restart Unreal Engine

#### 1.3 Plugin Content

The Ultimate Starter Kit plugin includes content that can be used in your Blueprints. You might need to enable this first:

- 1. Open the Content Browser
- 2. Click on the settings button
- $3. \ Enable \ the \ {\tt Show Plugin Content} \ setting$

# 2. Special Thanks

This project uses a few assets from third parties:

- Generic Graph by jinyuliao
- Comic Helvetic Font by Alexander Pravdin
- Menu Sound Effects by Broumbroum
- Land & Jump Sound Effects by Felixyadomi
- Item Sound Effects by Scrampunk
- Slide Sound Effects by Aquafeniz
- Music by InAudio

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### 3. Console Codenames

#### 3.1 Code names

Due to copyright issues, the plugin is not allowed to mention Xbox, Playstation or Switch anywhere in the code (including file names). To get around this issue, the consoles are referred to by the following code names:

Console	Code name
Xbox	Console MX
Playstation	Console SP
Switch	Console NS

#### 3.2 Obfuscated code

The plugin will also use the console names to determine the platform. To avoid any copyright issues, the application will instead use an obfuscated string to determine the platform. The obfuscation and deobfuscation code can be found in <code>PlatformUtils.cpp</code>

Console	Obfuscated Text	Deobfuscated Text	
Xbox	PT1BZWk5R2U=	xbox	
Playstation	PUEzYw== PT13YzBGR2RwOW1i	ps station	
Switch	PTRXYXVSWFp1UjJi emRYYTBOR2E=	nintendoswitch	

# 4. Core Functionality

# 4.1 Input Devices

#### 4.1.1 Introduction

Supported input devices. This is used to update the input indicators when using different input devices

#### 4.1.2 Values

Value	Description
KeyboardMouse	Using a keyboard and mouse
GenericController	Using a controller on a desktop build
MxController	Using an Console MX controller
SpController	Using a Console SP controller
NsController	Using a Console NS controller
Unknown	Unknown device (used before initializing the input indicators)

#### 4.2 Game Instance

#### 4.2.1 Introduction

A base game instance with support for saving and loading game data using multiple save slots

#### 4.2.2 Dependencies

The USKGameInstance relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 4.2.3 Using the Game Instance

You need to create a blueprint using the <code>USKGameInstance\_Implementation</code> as a parent before using the game instance. The input indicators feature is already configured if you use this base class. If you prefer to set this up manually, you can use <code>USKGameInstance</code> instead. After creating your own game instance blueprint, set this as the default game instance:

- 1. Open the Project Settings
- 2. Go to Project > Maps & Modes
- 3. Change the Game Instance Class value to your own blueprint

#### 4.2.4 Save Data

You need to create a USK Save Game object before you can save/load data. This object contains all the data that you want to save. Just add the data you want to save as variables to the blueprint. The Game Instance will handle the rest. You also need to set the following properties before you can save/load data:

• Save Game Class: A reference to the USK Save Game class that contains the data you want to save

NB: You are required to set the save slot before you can save/load data. If not, you will get a nullptr and might cause your game to crash

#### 4.2.5 Input Indicators

The Game Instance will automatically detect input events and update the current input device if needed. If the input device is changed, other classes will be notified through the <code>OnInputDeviceUpdated</code> event

#### 4.2.6 API Reference

#### Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
LogConfigEditor	The log configuration used when running the game in the editor	ULogConfig*	nullptr
LogConfigDebug	The log configuration used by debug builds	ULogConfig*	nullptr
LogConfigDevelopment	The log configuration used by development builds	ULogConfig*	nullptr
LogConfigShipping	The log configuration used by shipping builds	ULogConfig*	nullptr
SaveGameClass	The class that holds the data that should be saved/loaded	TSubclassOf <uusksavegame></uusksavegame>	
SettingsConfig	The configuration for the settings	USettingsConfig*	nullptr
IsInputIndicatorsEnabled	Is the input indicators feature enabled?	bool	true
InputMappingContext	The input mapping context used to extract the keys based on specific input actions	UInputMappingContext*	nullptr
KeyboardMouseInputMappings	A map of all keyboard/mouse keys and the texture displayed in the indicator	TMap <fkey, utexture2d*=""></fkey,>	
GenericControllerInputMappings	A map of all generic controller keys and the texture displayed in the indicator	TMap <fkey, utexture2d*=""></fkey,>	
MxControllerInputMappings	A map of all Console MX controller keys and the texture displayed in the indicator	TMap <fkey, utexture2d*=""></fkey,>	
SpControllerInputMappings	A map of all Console SP controller keys and the texture displayed in the indicator	TMap <fkey, utexture2d*=""></fkey,>	
NsControllerInputMappings	A map of all Console NS controller keys and the texture displayed in the indicator	TMap <fkey, utexture2d*=""></fkey,>	
MessagePopupWidgetClass	The widget class used to display message popups	TSubclassOf <umessagepopupwidget></umessagepopupwidget>	

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnDataLoadedEvent	Event used to notify other classes when the save data is loaded	
OnInputDeviceUpdated	Event used to notify other classes when the current input device is updated	
OnGamePaused	Event used to notify other classes when the game is paused	
OnGameUnpaused	Event used to notify other classes when the game is unpaused	

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetSaveData	Get the save data that is currently loaded		UUSKSaveGame* A reference to the current save data
SaveData	Save the modified data currently in memory		
SetCurrentSaveSlot	Set the current save slot	Index (int) The index of the save slot	
IsSaveSlotUsed	Check if a save slot is used	Index (int)  The index of the save slot to check	bool  A boolean value indicating if the save slot is used
EnableInputIndicators	Enable the input indicators feature		
DisableInputIndicators	Disable the input indicators feature		
GetInputIndicatorIcon	Get the input indicator icon for a specific action	InputAction (UInputAction*) The input action  Amount (int) The amount of icons to retrieve	TArray <utexture2d*> An array of input indicator icons for the specified action</utexture2d*>
GetInputIndicatorIconForKey	Get the input indicator icon for a specific key	Key (FKey) The key used to retrieve the input indicator icon  InputDevice (EInputDevice) The input device used to retrieve the input indicator icon	UTexture2D*  The input indicator icon for the specified key
GetKeyForInputAction	Get the key used by a specific input action	Context (UInputMappingContext*) The input mapping context  InputAction (UInputAction*) The input action  MappableName (FName) The player mappable name for the action	FKey The key used by the specified input action
UpdateKeyBindings	Update the key bindings that was changed by the player		
PauseGame	Pause the game		
UnpauseGame	Unpause the game		
ShowMessagePopup	Show a message popup	Data (FMessagePopupData)  The data displayed in the message popup	UMessagePopupWidget* A reference to the message popup
HideMessagePopup	Hide the message popup		

#### 4.2.7 Blueprint Usage

You can use the USKGameInstance using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Save Data > Get Save Data
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Save Data > Save Data
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Save Data > Set Current Save Slot
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Save Data > Is Save Slot Used
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Enable Input Indicators
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Disable Input Indicators
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Get Input Indicator Icon
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Get Input Indicator Icon For Key
- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Get Key For Input Action
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Input > Update Key Bindings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Pause > Pause Game
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Pause > Unpause Game
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Show Message Popup
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Hide Message Popup

#### 4.2.8 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt USKGameInstance}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Core/USKGameInstance.h"
void ATestActor::Test()
    // USKGameInstance is a pointer to the UUSKGameInstance
    UUSKSaveGame* SaveData = USKGameInstance->GetSaveData();
    USKGameInstance->SaveData();
    USKGameInstance=>SetCurrentSaveSlot(Index);
    bool IsSaveSlotUsedValue = USKGameInstance->IsSaveSlotUsed(Index);
    USKGameInstance->EnableInputIndicators();
   USKGameInstance->DisableInputIndicators();
TArray<UTexture2D*> InputIndicatorIcon = USKGameInstance->GetInputIndicatorIcon(InputAction, Amount);
    {\tt UTexture2D*\ InputIndicatorIconForKey = USKGameInstance-SGetInputIndicatorIconForKey(Key,\ InputDevice);}
    {\tt FKey \ KeyForInputAction = USKGameInstance->GetKeyForInputAction (Context, \ InputAction, \ MappableName);} \\
    USKGameInstance->UpdateKeyBindings();
    USKGameInstance->PauseGame();
   USKGameInstance->UnpauseGame();
    UMessagePopupWidget* ShowMessagePopupValue = USKGameInstance->ShowMessagePopup(Data);
   USKGameInstance->HideMessagePopup();
```

# 5. Logging System

#### 5.1 Logger

#### 5.1.1 Introduction

A system used to easily log info to file and via on-screen messages

#### 5.1.2 Log Levels

This plugin supports the following log types:

- 1. **Trace:** Logs that contain the most detailed messages. These messages may contain sensitive application data. These messages are disabled by default and should never be enabled in a production environment
- 2. **Debug:** Logs that are used for interactive investigation during development. These logs should primarily contain information useful for debugging and have no long-term value
- 3. Information: Logs that track the general flow of the application. These logs should have long-term value
- 4. Warning: Logs that highlight an abnormal or unexpected event in the application flow, but do not otherwise cause the application execution to stop
- 5. Error: Logs that highlight when the current flow of execution is stopped due to a failure. These should indicate a failure in the current activity, not an application-wide failure

The log levels corresponds to the following verbosity level in Unreal Engine:

Log Level	Log Verbosity
Trace	VeryVerbose
Debug	Verbose
Information	Display
Warning	Warning
Error	Error

#### 5.1.3 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Configure	Configure the logger	Config (ULogConfig*) The new config file used by the logger	
Error	Log an error	Tag (FString) The category of the log entry	
		Text (FString) The text to log out	
Warning	Log a warning	Tag (FString) The category of the log entry	
		Text (FString) The text to log out	
Info	Log info	Tag (FString) The category of the log entry	
		Text (FString) The text to log out	
Debug	Log debug information	Tag (FString) The category of the log entry	
		Text (FString) The text to log out	
Trace	Log trace information	Tag (FString) The category of the log entry	
		Text (FString) The text to log out	

#### 5.1.4 Blueprint Usage

You can easily log info using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Logger > Configure \\$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Logger > Log Trace
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Logger > Log Debug
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Logger > Log \ Info$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Logger > Log Warning
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Logger > Log Error

#### 5.1.5 C++ Usage

The logging is handled through a static class/functions. You first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

The logger can now be used in any of your C++ files:

#include "USK/Logger/Log.h"

```
void ATestActor::Test()
{
    USK_LOG_TRACE("Testing trace logging");
    USK_LOG_DEBUG("Testing debug logging");
    USK_LOG_INFO("Testing info logging");
    USK_LOG_MARNING("Testing warning logging");
    USK_LOG_ERROR("Testing error logging");

    ULog::Configure(Config);
    ULog::Trace("Custom Tag", "Testing trace logging");
    ULog::Debug("Custom Tag", "Testing debug logging");
    ULog::Info("Custom Tag", "Testing info logging");
    ULog::Warning("Custom Tag", "Testing warning logging");
    ULog::Warning("Custom Tag", "Testing warning logging");
    ULog::Error("Custom Tag", "Testing error logging");
}
```

# 5.2 Log Configuration

#### 5.2.1 Introduction

Config file for the logger

#### 5.2.2 API Reference

#### Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
bErrorWriteToFile Should error logs be written to file?		bool	true
bErrorPrintToScreen	Should error logs be printed to screen?	bool	true
bWarningWriteToFile	Should warning logs be written to file?	bool	true
bWarningPrintToScreen	Should warning logs be printed to screen?	bool	true
bInfoWriteToFile	Should info logs be written to file?	bool	true
bInfoPrintToScreen	Should info logs be printed to screen?	bool	true
bDebugWriteToFile	Should debug logs be written to file?	bool	true
bDebugPrintToScreen	Should debug logs be printed to screen?	bool	true
bTraceWriteToFile	Should debug logs be written to file?	bool	true
bTracePrintToScreen Should debug logs be printed to screen?		bool	true

# 6. Dialogue System

#### 6.1 Dialogue System

#### 6.1.1 Introduction

The Ultimate Starter Kit plugin contains a full dialogue system with support for different participants, choices and brances

#### 6.1.2 Creating a new dialogue

You can create a new dialogue by following these steps: 1. Right click in the Content Browser 2. Go to the Ultimate Starter Kit section 3. Click on Dialogue

This will open the newly created dialogue in the dialogue editor

#### 6.1.3 Using the editor

The dialogue editor works similar to a Behaviour Tree. You start by creating a single root node. You can then drag connections to a new dialogue entry. The game will start off with the root and follow the path automatically until it reaches the end or a choice. If a choice is encountered, it will present the options to the player and follow the correct branch after a choice is selected

# 6.2 Dialogue

#### 6.2.1 Introduction

An array of all the root entries contained by this dialogue

#### 6.2.2 API Reference

#### Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
RootEntries	An array of all the root entries contained by this dialogue	TArray <udialogueentry*></udialogueentry*>	
AllEntries	An array of all the entries contained by this dialogue	TArray <udialogueentry*></udialogueentry*>	
EditorGraph	A reference to the editor graph used by this dialogue	UEdGraph*	nullptr

# 6.3 Participant

#### 6.3.1 Introduction

A participant in the dialogue

#### 6.3.2 API Reference

#### Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Name	The name of the dialogue participant	FText	
Color	The color used to represent the dialogue participant	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Black

# 6.4 Entry

#### 6.4.1 Introduction

A single entry in a dialogue

#### 6.4.2 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Owner	The owner participant of the dialogue entry	UDialogueParticipant*	nullptr
Transition	The type of transition for this dialogue entry	EDialogueTransitionType	
Id	The ID of the dialogue entry	FName	FNam
Text	The text to display	FText	
Speed	The speed of the dialogue	float	12.5f
Audio	The audio to play with this dialogue entry	USoundBase*	nullptr
Dialogue	A reference to the dialogue containing this entry	UDialogue*	nullptr
ParentNodes	An array of all the parent entries for this dialogue entry	TArray <udialogueentry*></udialogueentry*>	
ChildrenNodes	An array of all the child entries for this dialogue entry	TArray <udialogueentry*></udialogueentry*>	
Edges	A map of all the possible edges for this dialogue entry	TMap <udialogueentry*, udialoguetransition*=""></udialogueentry*,>	

#### Functions

Name	Description	Params	Return
IsLeafNode	Check if this entry is a leaf node		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if this entry is a leaf node
GetTitle	Get the title displayed for this dialogue entry		FText The title displayed for this dialogue entry
GetText	Get the text displayed for this dialogue entry		FText The text displayed for this dialogue entry

#### 6.4.3 Blueprint Usage

You can use the DialogueEntry using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Dialogue > Entry > Get Title

#### 6.4.4 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt DialogueEntry}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Dialogue/DialogueEntry.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // DialogueEntry is a pointer to the UDialogueEntry
    bool IsLeafNodeValue = DialogueEntry->IsLeafNode();
    FText Title = DialogueEntry->GetTitle();
    FText Text = DialogueEntry->GetText();
}
```

### 6.5 Transition

### 6.5.1 Transition Type

#### Introduction

The type of transition used by the dialogue entry

#### Values

Value	Description	
Auto	Automatically advance to the next dialogue entry	
Choice	Give the player a few choices used to create branches in the dialogue	

#### 6.5.2 Transition Data

#### Introduction

A transition from one dialogue entry to the next

#### **API Reference**

#### PROPERTIES

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Text	The text displayed for this transition (choice)	FText	
StartEntry	The dialogue entry where the transition starts	UDialogueEntry*	nullptr
EndEntry	The dialogue entry where the transition ends	UDialogueEntry*	nullptr

#### EVENTS

Name	Description	Params
OnMarkedForDeletion	Event used to notify other classes that the transition is marked for deletion	

### 6.6 Manager

#### 6.6.1 Introduction

The pawn responsible for managing the dialogue

#### 6.6.2 Dependencies

The DialogueManager relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

#### 6.6.3 Components

The DialogueManager uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
AudioComponent	The audio component responsible for playing the audio files of the dialogue entries	UAudioComponent*

#### 6.6.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Dialogue	The dialogue that should be played by the dialogue manager	UDialogue*	nullptr
DialogueWidgetClass	The class of the widget used to display the dialogue	TSubclassOf <udialoguewidget></udialoguewidget>	
PlayOnStart	A boolean value indicating if the dialogue should automatically play when the level is started	bool	true
DestroyOnComplete	A boolean value indicating if the dialogue should automatically be destroyed when completed	bool	true
StopOnComplete	A boolean value indicating if the dialogue should automatically be stopped when completed	bool	true
SkipSFX	The sound effect to play when an entry is skipped	USoundBase*	nullptr
AdvanceSFX	The sound effect to play when advancing to the next entry	USoundBase*	nullptr
InputMappingContext	The input mapping context used to interact with the dialogue	UInputMappingContext*	nullptr
SkipAction	The input action used to skip the current dialogue entry	UInputAction*	nullptr

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnDialogueEnded	Event used to notify other classes when the dialogue has ended	LastEntryId (FName) The ID of the last entry in the dialogue
OnDialogueEntryStarted	Event used to notify other classes when a dialogue entry has started	LastEntryId (FName) The ID of the dialogue entry
OnDialogueEntryEnded	Event used to notify other classes when a dialogue entry has ended	LastEntryId (FName) The ID of the dialogue entry

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
PlayDialogue	Play the dialogue		
StopDialogue	Stop playing the dialogue		
DestroyDialogue	Stop playing the dialogue and destroy the dialogue manager		
SkipEntry	Skip the current entry in the dialogue		
GetDialogueWidget	Get the dialogue widget		UDialogueWidget* A reference to the dialogue widget

#### 6.6.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the DialogueManager using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Dialogue > Play \ Dialogue$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Dialogue > Stop Dialogue
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Dialogue > Destroy Dialogue
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Dialogue > Skip Entry

#### 6.6.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The DialogueManager can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Dialogue/DialogueManager.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // DialogueManager is a pointer to the ADialogueManager
    DialogueManager->PlayDialogue();
    DialogueManager->StopDialogue();
    DialogueManager->DestroyDialogue();
    DialogueManager->SkipEntry();
    UDialogueManager->SkipEntry();
    UDialogueWidget* DialogueWidget = DialogueManager->GetDialogueWidget();
}
```

### 6.7 Widget

#### 6.7.1 Introduction

Widget used to display a dialogue

#### 6.7.2 Dependencies

The  $\mbox{DialogueTransitionType}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 6.7.3 Required Widgets

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt DialogueTransitionType}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре
DialogueTitle	The text block used to display the dialogue title	UTextBlock*
DialogueText	The text block used to display the dialogue text	UTextBlock*
ChoiceMenu	The menu used to display the dialogue choices	UMenu*

#### 6.7.4 Optional Widgets

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
SkipEntryImage	The image displayed when the dialogue entry is completed	UImage*

#### 6.7.5 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ChoiceMenuItemClass	The class for all choice menu items	TSubclassOf <umenuitem></umenuitem>	

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnChoiceSelected	Event used to notify other classes when a choice is selected	Index (int) The index of the choice that was selected

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
UpdateEntry	Update the current entry and refresh the UI	Entry (UDialogueEntry*) The new dialogue entry	
SkipEntry	Skip the current entry		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the entry was skipped

#### 6.7.6 Blueprint Usage

 $You \ can \ use \ the \ {\tt DialogueTransitionType} \ \ using \ Blueprints \ by \ adding \ one \ of \ the \ following \ nodes:$ 

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Entry
- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Skip Entry

#### 6.7.7 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt DialogueTransitionType}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Dialogue/DialogueWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // DialogueTransitionType is a pointer to the EDialogueTransitionType
    DialogueTransitionType->UpdateEntry(Entry);
    bool SkipEntryValue = DialogueTransitionType->SkipEntry();
}
```

# 7. Inventory

### 7.1 Inventory Component

#### 7.1.1 Introduction

Actor component responsible for tracking data in an inventory

#### 7.1.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt InventoryComponent}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

#### 7.1.3 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
InventoryId	The ID of the inventory used when saving/loading the data	FName	
AutoSave	Should the data in the inventory automatically be saved/loaded	bool	true
EnforceMaxAmount	Should a maximum amount be enforced for each item?	bool	
MaxAmount	The maximum amount of each item	int	99

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnInventoryItemUpdated	Event used to notify other classes every time an item in the inventory was updated	Id (FName) The ID of the item that was updated
		Amount (FName) The new amount of the item

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetItems	Get all the item currently in the inventory		TArray <finventoryitem> An array of all the items in the inventory</finventoryitem>
AddItem	Add an item to the inventory	Id (FName) The ID of the item to add  Amount (int) The amount to add	
RemoveItem	Remove an item from the inventory	Id (FName) The ID of the item to remove  Amount (int) The amount to remove	
RemoveAll	Remove all the items with the specified ID	Id (FName) The ID of the item to remove	
Clear	Remove all items from the inventory		
LoadInventory	Load the inventory data		
SaveInventory	Save the inventory data		

#### 7.1.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the InventoryComponent using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Get Items
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Add Item
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Inventory > Remove \ Item \\$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Remove All
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Clear
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Load Inventory
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Save Inventory

#### 7.1.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The InventoryComponent can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Inventory/InventoryComponent.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InventoryComponent is a pointer to the UInventoryComponent
    TArray<FinventoryItem> Items = InventoryComponent->GetItems();
    InventoryComponent->AddItem(Id, Amount);
    InventoryComponent->RemoveItem(Id, Amount);
    InventoryComponent->Celar();
    InventoryComponent->Celar();
    InventoryComponent->SaveInventory();
    InventoryComponent->SaveInventory();
}
```

# 7.2 Inventory Data

#### 7.2.1 Introduction

The inventory data for a single inventory

### 7.2.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Items	The array of items in the inventory	TArray <finventoryitem></finventoryitem>	

# 7.3 Inventory Item

#### 7.3.1 Introduction

The information about a specific inventory item

### 7.3.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Id	The ID of the inventory item	FName	
Amount	The amount of the inventory item	int	

# 7.4 Inventory Item Data

#### 7.4.1 Introduction

The data used to describe an inventory item

### 7.4.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Name	The name of the inventory item	FText	
Description	The description of the inventory item	FText	
InventoryImage	The image displayed in the inventory	UTexture2D*	nullptr
PreviewImage	The preview image displayed when the item is highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr

### 7.5 Inventory Menu Item

#### 7.5.1 Introduction

The menu item used to display an inventory item

#### 7.5.2 Dependencies

The InventoryMenuItem relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 7.5.3 Optional Widgets

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
InventoryImage	The image of the inventory item	UImage*

#### 7.5.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property Description	Туре	Default Value
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#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
InitializeEmptyInventoryItem	Initialize an empty inventory item	Widget (UInventoryWidget*)  The widget that owns this menu item	
InitializeInventoryItem	Initialize a non-empty inventory item	Widget (UInventoryWidget*) The widget that owns this menu item  Item (FInventoryItem) The item tracked by this menu item  Data (FInventoryItemData) The data for this menu item	
UpdateInventoryGridPosition	Update the grid position of the inventory menu item	CurrentColumn (int) The current column of the inventory menu item  CurrentRow (int) The current row of the inventory menu item	
GetInventoryItem	Get the inventory item tracked by this menu item		FInventoryItem  The inventory item tracked by this menu item
UpdateAmount	Update the amount of the inventory item	Amount (int) The new amount of the inventory item	

#### 7.5.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt InventoryMenuItem}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Initialize Empty Inventory Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Initialize Inventory Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Update Inventory Grid Position
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Get Inventory Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Update Amount

#### 7.5.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The InventoryMenuItem can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Inventory/InventoryMenuItem.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InventoryMenuItem is a pointer to the UInventoryMenuItem
    InventoryMenuItem->InitializeEmptyInventoryItem(Widget);
    InventoryMenuItem->InitializeInventoryItem(Widget, Item, Data);
    InventoryMenuItem->UpdateInventoryItem(Widget, Item, CurrentRow);
    FInventoryItem InventoryItem = InventoryMenuItem->GetInventoryItem();
    InventoryMenuItem->UpdateAmount(Amount);
}
```

# 7.6 Inventory Size

#### 7.6.1 Introduction

The size restrictions of the inventory

#### 7.6.2 Values

Value	Description
FixedSize	Limit both the width and height of the inventory
FixedRows	Limit only the rows of the inventory and allow the columns to increase
FixedColumns	Limit only the columns of the inventory and allow the rows to increase

### 7.7 Inventory Widget

#### 7.7.1 Introduction

The widget responsible for displaying the inventory

#### 7.7.2 Dependencies

The InventoryWidget relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 7.7.3 Required Widgets

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt InventoryWidget}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре
InventoryMenu	The menu responsible for controlling all the menu items	UMenu*

#### 7.7.4 Optional Widgets

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
NameText	The widget responsible for displaying the highlighted item's name	UTextBlock*
DescriptionText	The widget responsible for displaying the highlighted item's description	UTextBlock*
PreviewImage	The widget responsible for displaying the highlighted item's image	UImage*
AmountText	The widget responsible for displaying the highlighted item's amount	UTextBlock*

#### 7.7.5 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
MenuItemClass	The inventory menu item class used to display the inventory items	TSubclassOf <uinventorymenuitem></uinventorymenuitem>	
ItemData	The data table containing all the information about the inventory items	UDataTable*	nullptr
InventorySize	The size restrictions of the inventory	EInventorySize	
Rows	The amount of rows in the inventory	int	
Columns	The amount of columns in the inventory	int	

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnInventoryItemSelected	Event used to notify other classes every time an inventory item is selected	Name (FName) The ID of the selected inventory item

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
LoadInventory	Load a specific inventory	InventoryComponent (UInventoryComponent*) The inventory to load	
UpdatePreview	Update the preview of the inventory	Item (FInventoryItem) The item to preview	
UpdateHighlightedIndex	Update the highlighted index	Column (int) The column index of the item that is highlighted  Row (int) The row index of the item that is highlighted	
SelectItem	Select an inventory item	Id (FName) The ID of the item to select	
GetInventory	Get the inventory managed by the widget		UInventoryComponent*  The inventory managed by the widget
RefreshItem	Refresh a specific item in the inventory	Id (FName) The ID of the item to refresh  Amount (int) The amount of the item	
RefreshInventory	Refresh the entire inventory		

#### 7.7.6 Blueprint Usage

You can use the InventoryWidget using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Load Inventory
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Inventory > Update \ Preview$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Update Highlighted Index
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Inventory > Select \ Item \\$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Inventory > Get Inventory
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit \! > \! Inventory \! > \! Refresh \ Item$
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Inventory > Refresh \ Inventory \\$

## 7.7.7 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The InventoryWidget can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Inventory/InventoryWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InventoryWidget is a pointer to the UInventoryWidget
    InventoryWidget->LoadInventory(InventoryComponent);
    InventoryWidget->UpdatePreview(Item);
    InventoryWidget->UpdateHighlightedIndex(Column, Row);
```

```
InventoryWidget->SelectItem(Id);
UInventoryComponent* Inventory = InventoryWidget->GetInventory();
InventoryWidget->RefreshItem(Id, Amount);
InventoryWidget->RefreshInventory();
}
```

# 8. Trackable Data

## 8.1 Overview

#### 8.1.1 Introduction

A system that is used to easily manage different types of actor data

## 8.1.2 Trackable Data Component

Before you can manage the data, you need to create a Trackable Data Component and add it to the actor/character containing the data

## 8.1.3 Built-in data

The following data can automatically be managed without creating custom components:

- 1. Currency (using the Currency Component )
- 2. Stats (using the Stats Component)

# 8.2 Data

## 8.2.1 Introduction

All trackable data use the FTrackableData struct to specify the default values and behaviours

## 8.2.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
InitialValue	The initial value of the data	float	
EnforceMaxValue	Should we enforce a maximum value?	bool	
MaxValue	The maximum value of the data	float	100.0f
AutoSave	Should all value updates automatically be saved using the game instance?	bool	
AutoGenerate	Should we automatically generate value every second?	bool	
GenerateAmount	The amount of value to generate every second	float	
GenerateDelay	The delay before the value starts generating after losing value	float	

# 8.3 Component

#### 8.3.1 Introduction

A component that is used to easily manage/track different types of actor data

#### 8.3.2 Dependencies

The TrackableDataComponent relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

#### 8.3.3 Data

The data to track is configured by adding items to the Data map. The component should be added to the actor/character containing the data

#### 8.3.4 API Reference

## **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Data	The map of data to track	TMap <fname, ftrackabledata=""></fname,>	

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnValueZero	Event used to notify other classes every time the data value reaches 0	Name (FName) The name of the data item
OnValueUpdated	Event used to notify other classes every time the data value is updated	Name (FName) The name of the data item  Value (FName) The current value of the data item
		ValuePercentage (FName)  The percentage of the current value compared to the max value of the data item

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetValue	Get the amount of the data	Name (FName) The name of the data item	float  The current amount of the data item
GetValuePercentage	Get the value of the data as a percentage of to the max value	Name (FName) The name of the data item	float  The value of the data as a percentage of to the max value
Add	Add an amount to the data	Name (FName) The name of the data item  Amount (float) The amount to add	float The new amount of the data item
Remove	Remove an amount from the data	Name (FName) The name of the data item  Amount (float) The amount to remove	float The new amount of the data item

#### 8.3.5 Blueprint Usage

 $You\ can\ use\ the\ {\tt TrackableDataComponent}\ using\ Blueprints\ by\ adding\ one\ of\ the\ following\ nodes:$ 

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Trackable Data > Get Value
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Trackable Data > Get Value Percentage
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Trackable Data > Add
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Trackable Data > Remove

#### 8.3.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}\>$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt TrackableDataComponent}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Data/TrackableDataComponent.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // TrackableDataComponent is a pointer to the UTrackableDataComponent
    float Value = TrackableDataComponent->GetValue(Name);
    float ValuePercentage = TrackableDataComponent->GetValuePercentage(Name);
    float AddValue = TrackableDataComponent->Add(Name, Amount);
    float RemoveValue = TrackableDataComponent->Remove(Name, Amount);
}
```

# 9. Audio

# 9.1 Audio Overview

#### 9.1.1 Introduction

A system used to manage the basic properties of audio files. It includes different sound classes, a sound mix and sound attenuation settings

## 9.1.2 Sound Classes

The audio system includes a few basic preconfigured sound classes:

Class name	Group	Volume
USK_EffectsSoundClass	Effects	1.0
USK_MusicSoundClass	Music	0.5
USK_UISoundClass	UI	1.0
USK_VoiceSoundClass	Voice	3.0

## 9.2 Audio Utils

#### 9.2.1 Introduction

The audio utils class is used to easily play sound effects

#### 9.2.2 Dependencies

The AudioUtils relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 9.2.3 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
PlaySound2D	Play a 2D sound	WorldContext (UObject*)  The top level object representing a map	
		SoundFX (USoundBase*) The USoundBase to play	
PlayRandomSound2D	Play a random 2D sound	WorldContext (UObject*)  The top level object representing a map	
		SoundFX (TArray) The array of USoundBase to select the random sound from	
PlaySound	Play a sound at the specified actor's location	Actor (AActor*)  The actor where the sound will be played	
		SoundFX (USoundBase*) The USoundBase to play	
PlayRandomSound	Play a random sound at the specified actor's location	Actor (AActor*)  The actor where the sound will be played	
		SoundFX (TArray)  The array of USoundBase to select the random sound from	

## 9.2.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt AudioUtils}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Play Sound2D
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Play Random Sound2D
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Play Sound
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Play Random Sound

## 9.2.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt AudioUtils}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Audio/AudioUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    UAudioUtils::PlaySound2D(WorldContext, SoundFX);
    UAudioUtils::PlayRandomSound2D(WorldContext, SoundFX);
    UAudioUtils::PlaySound(Actor, SoundFX);
    UAudioUtils::PlayRandomSound(Actor, SoundFX);
}
```

# 9.3 Music Player

#### 9.3.1 Introduction

Actor responsible for playing, pausing and stopping music. It also allows you to adjust music volume

## 9.3.2 Dependencies

The inal relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

## 9.3.3 Components

The inal uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
AudioPlayer	Actor responsible for playing, pausing and stopping music. It also allows you to adjust music volume	UAudioComponent*

#### 9.3.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
PlayOnStart	Should the music automatically play when the actor is spawned?	bool	true

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetAudioComponent	Get a reference to the audio component		UAudioComponent* A reference to the audio component
SetVolume	Adjust the playback volume of the music	NewVolume (float) The new volume of the music	
Play	Play the music		
Pause	Pause the music		
Stop	Stop the music		
FadeOut	Fade out the music	FadeDuration (float) The duration of the fade	
FadeIn	Fade in the music	FadeDuration (float) The duration of the fade	

#### 9.3.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the <code>inal</code> using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Get Audio Component
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Set Volume
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Play
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Pause
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Stop
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Fade Out
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Audio > Fade In

#### 9.3.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The inal can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Audio/MusicPlayer.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // inal is a pointer to the final
    UAudioComponent* AudioComponent = inal->GetAudioComponent();
    inal->SetVolume(NewVolume);
    inal->Play();
    inal->Play();
    inal->Fade();
    inal->Stop();
    inal->FadeOut(FadeDuration);
    inal->FadeIn(FadeDuration);
}
```

# 10. Characters

# 10.1 Overview

## 10.1.1 Introduction

The plugin includes a basic 3D platformer character and animation template. This can easily be extended to add unique functionality

## 10.2 Base Character

#### 10.2.1 Introduction

Base character class

#### 10.2.2 Dependencies

The USKCharacter relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

#### 10.2.3 Camera Clipping

Sometimes parts of the character mesh or weapon might clip when close to the camera (especially while aiming). This can be fixed by changing Set Near Clip

Plane to 0.1 in your project settings

#### 10.2.4 Components

The USKCharacter uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
CameraComponent	The camera used by the character	UCameraComponent*
SpringArmComponent	The spring arm component responsible for controlling the distance of the camera	USpringArmComponent*
CrouchTimeline	The timeline component used for smooth crouching	UTimelineComponent*
AimTimeline	The timeline component used for aiming	UTimelineComponent*

## 10.2.5 API Reference

## Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
InputMappingContext	The input mapping context used by the character	UInputMappingContext*	nullptr
MoveAction	The move input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
LookAroundAction	The camera rotation input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
JumpAction	The jump input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
SprintAction	The sprint input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
FireWeaponAction	The fire weapon input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
AimAction	The aim down sights input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
EquipNextWeaponAction	The equip next weapon input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
EquipPreviousWeaponAction	The equip previous weapon input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
ReloadWeaponAction	The reload weapon input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
CrouchAction	The crouch input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
LeanAction	The lean input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
InteractAction	The interact input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
SwitchCameraPerspectiveAction	The switch camera perspective input action	UInputAction*	nullptr
CameraPerspective	The camera perspective used by the character	ECameraPerspective	Ĭ
bCanSwitchCameraPerspectives	Can the character switch perspectives?	bool	true
HeadSocketName	The name of the head socket used to attach the camera in the first person perspective	FName	
CameraAttachOffset	The offset of the camera after attaching to the head	FVector	
TargetArmLength	Length of the spring arm component	float	350.0f
ArmLengthMultiplier	The multiplier applied to the spring arm component when the character is moving	float	0.4f
CameraAdjustmentSpeed	The speed used when adjusting the camera distance	float	3.0f
ShadowDecalClass	The shadow decal class used to draw a shadow below the character while in the air	TSubclassOf <ashadowdecal></ashadowdecal>	
JumpSoundEffects	An array of sound effects played when jumping	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	Ĭ
JumpParticleFx	The particle effects spawned when jumping	UNiagaraSystem*	nullptr
JumpParticleFxSpawnOffset	The offset applied to the location of the jump particles when spawning	FVector	
LandedSoundEffects	An array of sound effects played when landing	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
LandParticleFx	The particle effects spawned when landing	UNiagaraSystem*	nullptr
LandParticleFxSpawnOffset	The offset applied to the location of the land particles when spawning	FVector	
VariableJumpHeight		bool	true

	Does the character support variable jump height?		
VariableJumpHeightMaxHoldTime	The amount of time to hold the jump button to reach the max height	float	0.3f
JumpVelocity	The velocity applied to the character when jumping	float	500.0f
AirControl	The amount of lateral movement control available to the character while in the air	float	1000.0f
FallingFriction	The amount of friction to apply to lateral air movement when falling	float	3.5f
Gravity	The amount of gravity applied to the character	float	2.0f
CanDoubleJump	Can the character perform a double jump?	bool	true
CanCoyoteJump	Does the character support coyote time when trying to jump?	bool	true
CoyoteJumpTime	The amount of coyote time for the character	float	0.375f
CoyoteJumpVelocity	The velocity applied to the character when performing a coyote jump	float	700.0f
bCanStompJump	Can the character perform a high jump directly after landing from a stomp?	bool	true
StompJumpDuration	The duration after the stomp that the character can perform the stomp jump	float	0.35f
StompJumpVelocity	The velocity applied to the character when performing a stomp jump	float	1250.0f
bCanCrouchJump	Can the character perform a high jump while crouching?	bool	true
CrouchJumpVelocity	The velocity applied to the character when performing a crouch jump	float	1250.0f
IsDoubleJumping	Is the character double jumping?	bool	
bCanLongJump	Is the character allowed to perform a long jump?	bool	true
LongJumpVelocity	The velocity applied to the character during a long jump	FVector	FVecto
MovementSpeed	The default movement speed	float	600.0f
BrakingFriction	Friction coefficient applied when braking	float	10.0f
MaxAcceleration	The rate of change of velocity	float	2500.0f
bCanSprint	Can the character sprint?	bool	true
SprintSpeed	The movement speed while the character is sprinting	float	950.0f
bSprintRequiresStamina	Does sprinting require stamina?	bool	
SprintStaminaStatName	The name of the stamina stat used for sprinting	FName	
SprintStaminaUseRate	The amount of stamina used per second while sprinting	float	20.0f

bCanCrouch	Can the character crouch?	bool	true
bHoldToCrouch	Should the crouch action be held down to crouch?	bool	true
CrouchSpeed	The movement speed while the character is crouching	float	300.0f
CrouchCurve	The float curve used for smooth crouching	UCurveFloat*	nullptr
bCanStomp	Can the character perform a stomp?	bool	true
MinAirTimeBeforeStomping	The minimum air time before the character can perform a stomp	float	0.3f
StompVelocity	The velocity applied to the character after performing a stomp	float	-5000.0f
StompZeroGravityDuration	The amount of time the character will be in zero gravity after performing a stomp	float	0.5f
StompLandVelocity	The velocity applied to the character when landing after performing a stomp	float	750.0f
StompRecoveryTime	The time it takes (in seconds) before the character recovers from a stomp and can move again	float	0.25f
StompCameraShake	The camera shake applied when performing a stomp	TSubclassOf <ucamerashakebase></ucamerashakebase>	
bCanLean	Can the character lean?	bool	true
LeanSpeed	The speed used when leaning	float	5.0f
LeanOffset	The offset applied to the camera when leaning	float	50.0f
LeanRotation	The rotation applied to the camera when leaning	float	25.0f
bCanSlide	Can the character perform a slide?	bool	true
SlideSpeed	The movement speed while the character is sliding	float	2500.0f
bSlideRequiresSprinting	Does sliding require the character to sprint?	bool	
SlideMinSpeed	The minimum movement speed before a slide is allowed	float	400.0f
SlidingTime	The time the character is allowed to slide	float	0.5f
SlidingCooldown	The cooldown after a slide before another slide can be performed	float	0.5f
SlideSoundEffects	The sound effect played when the character is sliding	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
MaxWeapons	The maximum amount of weapons that the character can carry	int	2
DefaultWeaponClass	The default weapon the character will equip on spawn	TSubclassOf <aweapon></aweapon>	
AimCurve	The float curve used for aiming	UCurveFloat*	nullptr
DefaultCrosshair	The default crosshair to use if no weapon is equipped	UCrosshairConfig*	nullptr

## **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnCurrentWeaponUpdated	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon is updated	Weapon (AWeapon*)  The current weapon used by the character
		Ammo (AWeapon*) The amount of ammo remaining
		ReloadAmmo (AWeapon*)  The amount of ammo that can be used to reload the weapon
OnCrosshairUpdated	Event used to notify other classes that the crosshair is updated	Crosshair (UCrosshairConfig*) The current crosshair config

## **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetCameraComponent	Get the camera used by the character		UCameraComponent*  The camera used by the character
GetSpringArmComponent	Get the spring arm component of the character		USpringArmComponent* The spring arm component responsible for controlling the distance of the camera
GetCameraPerspective	Get the current camera perspective		ECameraPerspective The current camera perspective
UpdateCameraPerspective	Update the current camera perspective	NewCameraPerspective (ECameraPerspective) The new camera perspective	
SwitchCameraPerspective	Switch the current camera perspective		
SetWeapon	Set the current weapon used by the character	NewWeapon (AWeapon*) The new weapon	
GetWeapon	Get the current weapon used by the character		AWeapon*  The current weapon used by the character
HasWeapon	Check if the character has a weapon		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character has a weapon
IsCrouching	Check if the character is crouching		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is crouching
IsEndingCrouch	Check if the character is busy ending the crouch		bool  A boolean value indicating if the character is busy ending the crouch
IsStomping	Check if the character is stomping		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is stomping
IsStompStarting	Check if the character is starting to stomp		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is starting to stomp
GetLeanCameraRoll	Get the current lean camera roll		float  The current lean camera roll
IsSliding	Check if the character is sliding		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is sliding
IsEndingSlide	Check if the character is busy ending the slide		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is busy ending the slide
GetInteractTrigger	Get the current interact trigger		UInteractTrigger* The current interact trigger

UpdateInteractTrigger	Update the current interact trigger	NewInteractTrigger (UInteractTrigger*) The new interact trigger	
OnWeaponUpdated	Called when the current weapon is updated		
OnNewWeaponEquipped	Called when a new weapon is equipped for the first time	Weapon (AWeapon*)  The new weapon that was equipped	
IsAiming	Check if the character is aiming		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the character is aiming
GetCrosshair	Get the crosshair configuration		UCrosshairConfig* The crosshair configuration
StartFiringWeapon	Start firing the current weapon		
StopFiringWeapon	Stop firing the current weapon		
EquipNextWeapon	Equip the next weapon in the list of available weapons		
EquipPreviousWeapon	Equip the previous weapon in the list of available weapons		
StartCrouching	Start crouching		
StopCrouching	Stop crouching		
UpdateCharacterMeshLocationWhileCrouching	Update the character mesh location while crouching	SizeDifference (float)  The difference between the original capsule size and the crouched capsule size	

# 10.2.6 Blueprint Usage

There is no additional functions exposed to Blueprints. Just create the character and add it to your level

# 10.3 FPS Character

## 10.3.1 Introduction

Base character that can be used for first person shooter (FPS) games

## 10.3.2 API Reference

## 10.3.3 Blueprint Usage

There is no additional functions exposed to Blueprints. Just create the character and add it to your level

## 10.4 3D Platformer Character

#### 10.4.1 Introduction

Base character that can be used for 3D platformer games

#### 10.4.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt PlatformerCharacter}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

## 10.4.3 Components

The  ${\tt PlatformerCharacter}$  uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
SpringArmComponent	Base character that can be used for 3D platformer games	USpringArmComponent*

#### 10.4.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
TargetArmLength	Length of the spring arm component	float	350.0f
ArmLengthMultiplier	The multiplier applied to the spring arm component when the character is moving	float	0.4f
CameraAdjustmentSpeed	The speed used when adjusting the camera distance	float	3.0f

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetSpringArmComponent	Get the spring arm component of the character		USpringArmComponent*  The spring arm component responsible for controlling the distance of the camera

## 10.4.5 Blueprint Usage

There is no additional functions exposed to Blueprints. Just create the character and add it to your level

## 10.5 Animation Instance

## 10.5.1 Introduction

Base animation instance for USK characters

## 10.5.2 Dependencies

 $The \verb| USKCharacterAnimationInstance| relies on other components of this plug in to work:$ 

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

## 10.5.3 Animation Montages

The animation blueprint contains a USK slot that can be used to play animation montages

## 10.5.4 API Reference

## Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
BlendBoneName	The name of the bone used to blend the character's animations	FName	
bMeshSpaceRotationBlend	Whether to blend bone rotations in mesh space or in local space	bool	
bMeshSpaceScaleBlend	Whether to blend bone scales in mesh space or in local space	bool	
bBlendRootMotionBasedOnRootBone	Should we incorporate the per-bone blend weight of the root bone when lending root motion?	bool	true
IdleBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is in the idle state	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
WalkBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is walking	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
RunBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is running	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SprintBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is sprinting	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
JumpBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is jumping	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Double Jump Base Animation	The base animation used when the character is double jumping	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
FallBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is falling	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
LandBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is landing	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchStartBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character starts crouching	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchEndBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character stops crouching	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchIdleBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is crouching and idle	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchWalkBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is crouching and walking	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompStartBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is starting to stomp	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompFallBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is falling after a stomp	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompLandBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is landing after a stomp	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideStartBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character starts sliding	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideEndBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character stops sliding	UAnimSequence*	nullptr

SlideLoopBaseAnimation	The base animation used when the character is sliding	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
IdleAnimation	The animation used when the character is in the idle state while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
WalkAnimation	The animation used when the character is walking while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
RunAnimation	The animation used when the character is running while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SprintAnimation	The animation used when the character is sprinting while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
JumpAnimation	The animation used when the character is jumping while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
DoubleJumpAnimation	The animation used when the character is double jumping while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
FallAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
LandAnimation	The animation used when the character is landing while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchStartAnimation	The animation used when the character starts crouching while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchEndAnimation	The animation used when the character stops crouching while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchIdleAnimation	The animation used when the character is crouching and idle while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchWalkAnimation	The animation used when the character is crouching and walking while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompStartAnimation	The animation used when the character is starting to stomp while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompFallAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling after a stomp while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompLandAnimation	The animation used when the character is landing after a stomp while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideStartAnimation	The animation used when the character starts sliding while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideEndAnimation	The animation used when the character stops sliding while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideLoopAnimation	The animation used when the character is sliding while unarmed	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
IdleWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is in the idle state with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Walk We apon One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is walking with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
RunWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is running with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr

SprintWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is sprinting with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
JumpWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is jumping with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
DoubleJumpWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is double jumping with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
FallWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
LandWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is landing with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchStartWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character starts crouching with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchEndWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character stops crouching with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchIdleWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is crouching and idle with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
CrouchWalkWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is crouching and walking with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompStartWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is starting to stomp with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompFallWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling after a stomp with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompLandWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is landing after a stomp with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideStartWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character starts sliding with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideEndWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character stops sliding with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideLoopWeaponOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is sliding with a one handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
IdleWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is in the idle state with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
WalkWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is walking with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
RunWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is running with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SprintWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is sprinting with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
JumpWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is jumping with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
DoubleJumpWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is double jumping with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
FallWeaponAimOneHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr

Land We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is landing with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Start We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character starts crouching with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch End We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character stops crouching with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Id le We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and idle with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Walk We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and walking with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Start We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is starting to stomp with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Fall We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is falling after a stomp with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Land We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is landing after a stomp with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Slide Start We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character starts sliding with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Slide End We apon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character stops sliding with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Slide Loop Weapon Aim One Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is sliding with a one handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
IdleWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is in the idle state with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
WalkWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is walking with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Run We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is running with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Sprint We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is sprinting with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
JumpWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is jumping with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Double Jump We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is double jumping with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
FallWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
LandWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is landing with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Start We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character starts crouching with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch End We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character stops crouching with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr

Crouch Idle We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and idle with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Walk We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and walking with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Start We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is starting to stomp with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompFallWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is falling after a stomp with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Land We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is landing after a stomp with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Slide Start We apon Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character starts sliding with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideEndWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character stops sliding with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideLoopWeaponTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is sliding with a two handed weapon	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Idle We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is in the idle state with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Walk We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is walking with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Run We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is running with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Sprint We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is sprinting with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Jump We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is jumping with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Double Jump We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is double jumping with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Fall We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is falling with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Land We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is landing with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Start We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character starts crouching with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch End We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character stops crouching with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Idle We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and idle with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Crouch Walk We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is crouching and walking with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
Stomp Start We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is starting to stomp with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
StompFallWeaponAimTwoHandedAnimation		UAnimSequence*	nullptr

	The animation used when the character is falling after a stomp with a two handed weapon while aiming		
Stomp Land We apon Aim Two Handed Animation	The animation used when the character is landing after a stomp with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideStartWeaponAimTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character starts sliding with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence* nullptr	
SlideEndWeaponAimTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character stops sliding with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
SlideLoopWeaponAimTwoHandedAnimation	The animation used when the character is sliding with a two handed weapon while aiming	UAnimSequence*	nullptr
MovementBlendSpeed	The blend speed used when updating the movement speed	float	10.0f
MovementSpeed	The movement speed fo the character	float	
bIsCrouching	Is the character currently crouching?	bool	
bIsStomping	Is the character currently stomping?	bool	
StompBlendValue	The value used to blend stomp animations	float	
bIsStompStarting	Is the character starting the stomp?	bool	
bIsEndingCrouch	Is the character busy ending the crouch?	bool	
IsInAir	Is the character currently in the air?	bool	
IsDoubleJumping	Is the character double jumping?	bool	
LeanCameraRotationModifier	The modifier applied to the lean camera rotation	float	1.0f
LeanCameraRoll	The lean camera roll	float	
LeanBoneName	The bone to rotate while the character is leaning	FName	
bIsSliding	Is the character currently sliding?	bool	
bIsEndingSlide	Is the character busy ending the slide?	bool	
bIsAiming	Is the character aiming?	bool	
AimRotation	Is the character aiming?	float	
AimBoneName	The bone to rotate while the player is aiming up or down using the first person camera perspective	FName	

## **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetIdleBaseAnimation	Get the base idle animation		UAnimSequence* The idle animation to play
GetWalkBaseAnimation	Get the base walk animation		UAnimSequence* The walk animation to play
GetRunBaseAnimation	Get the base run animation		UAnimSequence* The run animation to play
GetSprintBaseAnimation	Get the base sprint animation		UAnimSequence* The sprint animation to play
GetJumpBaseAnimation	Get the base jump animation		UAnimSequence* The jump animation to play
GetDoubleJumpBaseAnimation	Get the base double jump animation		UAnimSequence*  The double jump animation to play
GetFallBaseAnimation	Get the base fall animation		UAnimSequence* The fall animation to play
GetLandBaseAnimation	Get the base land animation		UAnimSequence* The land animation to play
GetCrouchStartBaseAnimation	Get the base crouch start animation		UAnimSequence*  The crouch start animation to play
GetCrouchEndBaseAnimation	Get the base crouch end animation		UAnimSequence*  The crouch end animation to play
GetCrouchIdleBaseAnimation	Get the base crouch idle animation		UAnimSequence*  The crouch idle animation to play
GetCrouchWalkBaseAnimation	Get the base crouch walk animation		UAnimSequence*  The crouch walk animation to play
GetStompStartBaseAnimation	Get the base stomp start animation		UAnimSequence*  The stomp start animation to play
GetStompFallBaseAnimation	Get the base stomp fall animation		UAnimSequence*  The stomp fall animation to play
GetStompLandBaseAnimation	Get the base stomp land animation		UAnimSequence*  The stomp land animation to play
GetSlideStartBaseAnimation	Get the base slide start animation		UAnimSequence* The slide start animation to play
GetSlideEndBaseAnimation	Get the base slide end animation		UAnimSequence* The slide end animation to play
GetSlideLoopBaseAnimation	Get the base slide loop animation		

		UAnimSequence*  The slide loop animation to play
GetIdleAnimation	Get the idle animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The idle animation to play
GetWalkAnimation	Get the walk animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The walk animation to play
GetRunAnimation	Get the run animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The run animation to play
GetSprintAnimation	Get the sprint animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The sprint animation to play
GetJumpAnimation	Get the jump animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The jump animation to play
GetDoubleJumpAnimation	Get the double jump animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The double jump animation to play
GetFallAnimation	Get the fall animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The fall animation to play
GetLandAnimation	Get the land animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The land animation to play
GetCrouchStartAnimation	Get the crouch start animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The crouch start animation to play
GetCrouchEndAnimation	Get the crouch end animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The crouch end animation to play
GetCrouchIdleAnimation	Get the crouch idle animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The crouch idle animation to play
GetCrouchWalkAnimation	Get the crouch walk animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The crouch walk animation to play
GetStompStartAnimation	Get the stomp start animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The stomp start animation to play
GetStompFallAnimation	Get the stomp fall animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The stomp fall animation to play
GetStompLandAnimation	Get the stomp fall animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence*  The stomp fall animation to play
GetSlideStartAnimation	Get the slide start animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The slide start animation to play
GetSlideEndAnimation	Get the slide end animation based on the current armed state	UAnimSequence* The slide end animation to play
GetSlideLoopAnimation		

Get the slide loop animation based on the current	UAnimSequence*
armed state	The slide loop animation to
	play

# 10.5.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use this template by creating your own animation blueprint and selecting <code>UPlatformerAnimationInstance</code> as the parent class. Set your animations and use this for your characters

## 10.6 Shadow Decal

#### 10.6.1 Introduction

Decal used to draw a shadow beneath a character when the character is in the air

#### 10.6.2 Dependencies

The ShadowDecal relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 10.6.3 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Initialize	Initialize the shadow decal	OwnerCharacter (ACharacter*) The character owning this shadow decal	

#### 10.6.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the ShadowDecal using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

• Ultimate Starter Kit > Shadow Decal > Initialize

#### 10.6.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt ShadowDecal}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Character/ShadowDecal.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // ShadowDecal is a pointer to the AShadowDecal
    ShadowDecal->Initialize(OwnerCharacter);
}
```

# 11. Weapons

# 11.1 Weapon

# 11.1.1 Introduction

The weapon attached to characters

# 11.1.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt Weapon}\,$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

# 11.1.3 Components

The  ${\tt Weapon}\,$  uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
WeaponMesh	The skeletal mesh of the weapon	USkeletalMeshComponent*
MuzzleFlash	The muzzle flash of the weapon	USceneComponent*

# 11.1.4 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
WeaponType	The type of weapon EWeaponType		
WeaponFireMode	The fire mode of weapon	le of weapon EWeaponFireMode	
AimFov	The FOV of the camera while aiming	float	70
Crosshair	The crosshair used by the weapon	UCrosshairConfig*	nullptr
FireRate	The fire rate of the weapon (amount of seconds between each shot)	float	0.2f
MaxShotsPerFireEvent	The amount of shots fired per fire event	int	3
Projectiles	The projectiles spawned by the weapon	TArray <fweaponprojectiledata></fweaponprojectiledata>	
bInfiniteAmmo	Does the weapon have an infinite amount of ammo?	bool	
bRequireReloading	Does the weapon require reloading?	bool	true
bAutoReloadWhenFiringWhileEmpty	Should the weapon automatically be reloaded when firing while empty?	bool	true
ReloadDuration	The delay after reloading and before ammo is added to the weapon	float	0.65f
Ammo	The amount of ammo for the weapon	int	50
AmmoPerClip	The amount of ammo per clip	int	20
WeaponAttachPoint	The attach point used by all weapons	FName	
WeaponTransform	The relative transform of the weapon after it is attached to a character	FTransform	
WeaponAimTransform	The relative transform of the weapon while aiming	FTransform	
RecoilCurve	The curve used to add recoil to the weapon	UCurveVector*	nullptr
RecoveryTime	The recovery time after recoil was applied	float	1.0f
RecoilRecoveryDelay	The delay before we start recovering from recoil	float	0.15f
MuzzleFlashParticleFx	The muzzle flash particle effects	UNiagaraSystem*	nullptr
MuzzleFlashParticleFxTransform	The transform of the muzzle flash particle effects	FTransform	
FireSound	The sound played each time the weapon is fired	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
EmptyClipFireSound	The sound played each time the weapon is fired with an empty clip	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
ReloadSound	The sound played when the weapon is reloaded	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
FireAnimation	The animation played when the weapon is fired	UAnimMontage*	nullptr
EmptyClipFireAnimation	The animation played when the weapon is fired with an empty clip	UAnimMontage*	nullptr

EquipAnimation	The animation played when the weapon is equipped	UAnimMontage*	nullptr
ReloadAnimation	The animation played when the weapon is reloaded	UAnimMontage*	nullptr
ReloadAimAnimation	The animation played when the weapon is reloaded while aiming	UAnimMontage*	nullptr

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnWeaponEquipped	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon is equipped	
OnWeaponUnequipped	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon is unequipped	
OnWeaponFired	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon is fired	
OnWeaponFiredEmptyClip	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon is fired with an empty clip	
OnWeaponAmmoUpdated	Event used to notify other classes when the weapon ammo is updated	Weapon (AWeapon*) The current weapon used by the character  Ammo (AWeapon*) The amount of ammo remaining  ReloadAmmo (AWeapon*) The amount of ammo that can be used to reload the weapon
OnWeaponAmmoEmpty	Event used to notify other classes when the ammo is empty	

# **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Equip	Equip the weapon	TargetCharacter (AUSKCharacter*) The character that will use the weapon  IsNewWeapon (bool) Is this a new weapon?	
Unequip	Unequip the weapon		
StartFiring	Start firing the weapon		
StopFiring	Stop firing the weapon		
AddAmmo	Add more ammo to the weapon	Amount (int) The amount of ammo to add	
RemoveAmmo	Remove ammo from the weapon	Amount (int) The amount of ammo to remove	
GetAmmoRemaining	Get the amount of ammo remaining		int The amount of ammo remaining
GetReloadAmmoRemaining	Get the amount of ammo that can be used when reloading		int  The amount of ammo that can be used when reloading
Reload	Reload the weapon		
StartRecoil	Start applying recoil to the weapon		
StopRecoil	Stop applying recoil to the weapon		
ApplyRecoil	Apply recoil to the weapon	DeltaSeconds (float)  Game time elapsed during last frame modified by the time dilation	
StartRecoilRecovery	Start recovering from recoil		
StopRecoilRecovery	Stop recovering from recoil		
ApplyRecoilRecovery	Recover from recoil	DeltaSeconds (float)  Game time elapsed during last frame modified by the time dilation	

#### 11.1.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the Weapon using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Equip
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Unequip
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Start Firing
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Stop Firing
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Add Ammo
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Remove Ammo
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Get Ammo Remaining
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Get Reload Ammo Remaining
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Reload
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Start Recoil
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Stop Recoil
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Weapon > Apply \ Recoil$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Start Recoil Recovery
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Stop Recoil Recovery
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon > Apply Recoil Recovery

# 11.1.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The Weapon can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Weapons/Weapon.h"
void ATestActor::Test()
    // Weapon is a pointer to the AWeapon
    Weapon->Equip(TargetCharacter, IsNewWeapon);
    Weapon->Unequip();
    Weapon->StartFiring();
    Weapon->StopFiring();
    Weapon->AddAmmo(Amount);
    Weapon->RemoveAmmo(Amount);
    int AmmoRemaining = Weapon->GetAmmoRemaining();
    int ReloadAmmoRemaining = Weapon->GetReloadAmmoRemaining();
Weapon->Reload();
    Weapon=>StartRecoil();
    Weapon->StopRecoil();
Weapon->ApplyRecoil(DeltaSeconds);
    Weapon->StartRecoilRecovery();
    Weapon->StopRecoilRecovery();
    Weapon->ApplyRecoilRecovery(DeltaSeconds);
```

# 11.2 Weapon Type

# 11.2.1 Introduction

The types of weapons

# 11.2.2 Values

Value	Description
WeaponOneHanded	A one handed weapon
WeaponTwoHanded	A two handed weapon

# 11.3 Weapon Fire Mode

# 11.3.1 Introduction

The types of weapon fire modes

# 11.3.2 Values

Value	Description
SingleShot	Fires a single shot each time the trigger is pulled
SemiAuto	Fires multiple projectiles each time the trigger is pulled
FullAuto	Continuously fires projectiles while the trigger is held

# 11.4 Weapon Item

# 11.4.1 Introduction

A weapon item that can be picked up by a character

# 11.4.2 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
WeaponClass	The weapon assigned to this item	TSubclassOf <aweapon></aweapon>	

# 11.5 Weapon Ammo Item

# 11.5.1 Introduction

A weapon ammo item that can be picked up by a character

# 11.5.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt WeaponAmmoItem}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 11.5.3 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Ammo	The amount of ammo to add to the weapon	int	10
bAddToAnyWeapon	Should the ammo be added to any weapon?	bool	false
AllowedWeapons	The weapons that can use this ammo	TArray <tsubclassof<aweapon>&gt;</tsubclassof<aweapon>	

# 11.6 Weapon Projectile

#### 11.6.1 Introduction

The projectile spawned by weapons

# 11.6.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt WeaponProjectile}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

# 11.6.3 Components

The WeaponProjectile uses the following components:

Name	Description	Туре
CollisionComponent	The projectile spawned by weapons	USphereComponent*
ProjectileMovementComponent	The projectile movement component used to move the projectile	UProjectileMovementComponent*

# 11.6.4 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
bDestroyOnHit	Should the projectile be destroyed after hitting something?	bool	true
HitImpulse	The impulse applied to the component that was hit	float	
DefaultHitReaction	The default hit reaction of the projectile	FWeaponProjectileHitData	
HitReactions	A list of hit reactions for specific actors	TMap <tsubclassof<aactor>, FWeaponProjectileHitData&gt;</tsubclassof<aactor>	
DefaultDecal	The default decal that is spawned when the projectile hits something	TSubclassOf <aweaponprojectiledecal></aweaponprojectiledecal>	
Decals	A list of decals for specific actors	TMap <tsubclassof<aweaponprojectiledecal>, TSubclassOf<aweaponprojectiledecal>&gt;</aweaponprojectiledecal></tsubclassof<aweaponprojectiledecal>	

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetCollisionComponent	Get the collision component used by the projectile		USphereComponent*  The collision component used by the projectile
GetProjectileMovementComponent	Get the projectile movement component used to move the projectile		UProjectileMovementComponent*  The projectile movement component used to move the projectile
NormalImpulse, const FHitResult& HitResult);	Called after the projectile hits something	HitComponent (HitResult); The component responsible for the hit  OtherActor (HitResult);) The actor that was hit  OtherComponent (HitResult); The component that was hit  NormalImpulse (FVector) The normal impulse of the hit  HitResult (FHitResult&) Result describing the hit	

# 11.6.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the WeaponProjectile using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon Projectile > Get Collision Component
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon Projectile > Get Projectile Movement Component
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon Projectile > Normal Impulse, const FHit Result& Hit Result);

# 11.6.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The WeaponProjectile can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Weapons/WeaponProjectile.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // WeaponProjectile is a pointer to the AWeaponProjectile
    USphereComponent* CollisionComponent = WeaponProjectile->GetCollisionComponent();
    UProjectileMovementComponent* ProjectileMovementComponent = WeaponProjectile->GetProjectileMovementComponent();
    WeaponProjectile->NormalImpulse, const FHitResult& HitResult); (HitComponent, OtherActor, OtherComponent, NormalImpulse, HitResult);
}
```

# 11.7 Weapon Projectile Data

# 11.7.1 Introduction

Structure describing a projectile spawned by a weapon

# 11.7.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ProjectileClass	The class of the projectile to spawn	TSubclassOf <aweaponprojectile></aweaponprojectile>	
SpawnTransform	The relative transform of the projectile	FTransform	

# 11.8 Weapon Projectile Hit Data

# 11.8.1 Introduction

Structure describing the hit data of a projectile

# 11.8.2 Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
HitParticleFx	The particle FX to spawn when the projectile hits the actor	UNiagaraSystem*	nullptr
HitParticleFxTransform	The transform of the particle FX	FTransform	
HitSfx	The sound effect to play when the projectile hits the actor	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	

# 11.9 Weapon Projectile Decal

#### 11.9.1 Introduction

A decal spawned when a projectile hits something

#### 11.9.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt WeaponProjectileDecal}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 11.9.3 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
bAutomaticallyDestroy	Should the decal automatically be destroyed?	bool	true
Lifetime	The lifetime of the decal	float	10.0f

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
DestroyDecal	Destroy the decal actor		

# 11.9.4 Blueprint Usage

 $You \ can \ use \ the \ {\tt WeaponProjectileDecal} \ using \ Blueprints \ by \ adding \ one \ of \ the \ following \ nodes:$ 

• Ultimate Starter Kit > Weapon Projectile Decal > Destroy Decal

# 11.9.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt WeaponProjectileDecal}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Weapons/WeaponProjectileDecal.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // WeaponProjectileDecal is a pointer to the AWeaponProjectileDecal
    WeaponProjectileDecal->DestroyDecal();
}
```

# 11.10 Weapon Utils

#### 11.10.1 Introduction

A Blueprint Function Library class used to manage weapons

### 11.10.2 Dependencies

The WeaponUtils relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 11.10.3 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
EquipWeapon	Equip a weapon to a character	Owner (AUSKCharacter*) The owner character	
		WeaponClass (TSubclassOf) The weapon class to equip	

# 11.10.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt WeaponUtils}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

 $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Weapons > Equip \ Weapon$ 

# 11.10.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The WeaponUtils can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Weapons/WeaponUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    UWeaponUtils::EquipWeapon(Owner, WeaponClass);
}
```

# 12. Dynamic Crosshair

# 12.1 Config

# 12.1.1 Introduction

The crosshair configuration data asset

# 12.1.2 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
bDisplayCenterImage	Should the center image be displayed?	bool	true
CenterImage	The image to display in the center of the crosshair	UTexture2D*	nullptr
CenterColor	The color of the center image	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::White
bDisplayCenterShadow	Should a shadow be displayed behind the center image?	bool	true
CenterShadowColor	The color of the shadow behind the center image	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Black
CenterShadowScale	The scale of the shadow behind the center image	float	1.15f
Rotation	The rotation applied to the sides of the crosshair	float	
SpreadBlendSpeed	The blend speed used when updating the spread of the crosshair	float	10.0f
bUseGlobalColor	Should a global color be used for the sides of the crosshair?	bool	true
GlobalColor	The global color used for the sides of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::White
bDisplayTop	Should the top side of the crosshair be displayed?	bool	true
TopColor	The color of the top side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::White
TopLength	The length of the top side of the crosshair	float	20.0f
TopThickness	The thickness of the top side of the crosshair	float	4.0f
TopSpread	The spread of the top side of the crosshair	float	50.0f
TopOffset	The offset of the top side of the crosshair	float	10.0f
bDisplayTopShadow	Should a shadow be displayed behind the top side of the crosshair?	bool	true
TopShadowColor	The color of the shadow behind the top side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Black
TopShadowScale	The scale of the shadow behind the top side of the crosshair	float	1.15f
bDisplayBottom	Should the bottom side of the crosshair be displayed?	bool	true
BottomColor	The color of the bottom side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::White
BottomLength	The length of the bottom side of the crosshair	float	20.0f
BottomThickness	The thickness of the bottom side of the crosshair	float	4.0f
BottomSpread	The spread of the bottom side of the crosshair	float	50.0f
BottomOffset	The offset of the bottom side of the crosshair	float	10.0f
bDisplayBottomShadow	Should a shadow be displayed behind the bottom side of the crosshair?	bool	true
BottomShadowColor	The color of the shadow behind the bottom side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Black
BottomShadowScale	The scale of the shadow behind the bottom side of the crosshair	float	1.15f
bDisplayLeft	Should the left side of the crosshair be displayed?	bool	true
LeftColor	The color of the left side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::White
LeftLength	The length of the left side of the crosshair	float	20.0f
LeftThickness	The thickness of the left side of the crosshair	float	4.0f
LeftSpread	The spread of the left side of the crosshair	float	50.0f

LeftOffset	The offset of the left side of the crosshair	float 10.0f	
bDisplayLeftShadow	Should a shadow be displayed behind the left side of the crosshair?	bool	true
LeftShadowColor	The color of the shadow behind the left side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Black
LeftShadowScale	The scale of the shadow behind the left side of the crosshair	float	1.15f
bDisplayRight	Should the right side of the crosshair be displayed?	bool	true
RightColor	The color of the right side of the crosshair	FLinearColor	
RightLength	The length of the right side of the crosshair	float 20.0f	
RightThickness	The thickness of the right side of the crosshair	float 4.0f	
RightSpread	The spread of the right side of the crosshair	float 50.0f	
RightOffset	The offset of the right side of the crosshair	float 10.0f	
bDisplayRightShadow	Should a shadow be displayed behind the right side of the crosshair?	ow be displayed behind the right side of the crosshair? bool true	
RightShadowColor	The color of the shadow behind the right side of the crosshair	FLinearColor::Black	
RightShadowScale	The scale of the shadow behind the right side of the crosshair	float 1.15f	

# 12.2 Widget

#### 12.2.1 Introduction

The dynamic crosshair widget

# 12.2.2 Dependencies

The DynamicCrosshair relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

# 12.2.3 Required Widgets

There is already a <code>DynamicCrosshair\_Implementation</code> that you can use in your projects. But if you create your own instance of this widget, you need to add the following before you can compile:

Name	Description	Туре
CenterImage	The center image of the crosshair	UImage*
CenterShadowImage	The center shadow image of the crosshair	UImage*
SidesContainer	The container used by all the sides	UCanvasPanel*
TopContainer	The top container of the crosshair	UCanvasPanel*
TopImage	The top image of the crosshair	UImage*
TopShadowImage	The top shadow image of the crosshair	UImage*
BottomContainer	The bottom container of the crosshair	UCanvasPanel*
BottomImage	The bottom image of the crosshair	UImage*
BottomShadowImage	The bottom shadow image of the crosshair	UImage*
LeftContainer	The left container of the crosshair	UCanvasPanel*
LeftImage	The left image of the crosshair	UImage*
LeftShadowImage	The left shadow image of the crosshair	UImage*
RightContainer	The right container of the crosshair	UCanvasPanel*
RightImage	The right image of the crosshair	UImage*
RightShadowImage	The right shadow image of the crosshair	UImage*

#### 12.2.4 API Reference

Property Description	Туре	Default Value
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# 13. Items

# 13.1 Allowed Collector

# 13.1.1 Introduction

The types of actor(s) that can collect an item

# 13.1.2 Values

Value	Description	
AnyActor	Any actor can collect the item	
AnyPawn	Any pawn can collect the item	
AnyCharacter	Any character can collect the item	
AnyUskCharacter	Any USK character can collect the item	
PossessedPawn	Only the possessed pawn can collect the item	
Custom	A custom array of actor types can collect the item	

# 13.2 Collectable Item

#### 13.2.1 Introduction

An item that can be collected by an actor

# 13.2.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt CollectableItem}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

#### 13.2.3 Collision

The item requires an actor to overlap with the item before it can be collected. Make sure you have some collider on the actor and that the intended collector can overlap with the item/collider

#### 13.2.4 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
DestroyOnCollected	Should the item be destroyed after it has been collected	bool	true
AllowedCollector	The type of actor that can collect the item	EAllowedCollector	EAllowedCollector::PossessedPawn
AllowedCollectorTypes	The array of actor types that can collect the item	TArray <tsubclassof<aactor>&gt;</tsubclassof<aactor>	
CollectedSoundEffects	An array of sound effects played when collecting the item	TArray <usoundbase*></usoundbase*>	
CollectedParticleFx	The particle effects spawned when collecting the item	UNiagaraSystem*	nullptr
CollectedParticleFxSpawnOffset	The offset applied to the location of the collected particles when spawning	FVector	
bCompleteQuestPointAfterCollecting	Should the quest point be completed after the item is collected?	bool	true

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
CanCollectItem	Check if the item can be collected	Collector (AActor*) A pointer to the actor that is trying to collect the item	<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the item can be collected
CollectItem	Collect the item	Collector (AActor*) A pointer to the actor that collected the item	
OnItemCollected	Called after the item is collected	Collector (AActor*) A pointer to the actor that collected the item	

# 13.2.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the CollectableItem using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Item > Can Collect Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Item > Collect Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Item > On Item Collected

# 13.2.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}\,$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The <code>CollectableItem</code> can now be used in any of your  $C+\!\!+\!\!$  files:

```
#include "USK/Items/CollectableItem.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // CollectableItem is a pointer to the ACollectableItem
    bool CanCollectItemValue = CollectableItem->CanCollectItem(Collector);
    CollectableItem->CollectItem(Collector);
    CollectableItem->OnItemCollected(Collector);
}
```

# 13.3 Attract Component

# 13.3.1 Introduction

A component that can be used to attract the owning object to the player

# 13.3.2 Dependencies

The AttractComponent relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 13.3.3 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
AttractSpeed	The speed at which the object is attracted to the player	float	5.0f
CollectDistance	The distance at which the object is collected by the player	float	75.0f

# 14. Interact System

# 14.1 Interact Trigger

# 14.1.1 Introduction

A trigger that can be used to interact with an object

# 14.1.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt InteractTrigger}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 14.1.3 API Reference

# **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
bRequireCurrency	Is this a paid item that should be bought using currency?	bool	
CurrencyRequirements	The currency requirements before the object can be interacted with	TMap <fname, int=""></fname,>	
InteractWidgetClass	The class of the interact widget	TSubclassOf <uinteractwidget></uinteractwidget>	
BeforeText	The text displayed before the input indicator	FText	
AfterText	The text displayed after the input indicator	FText	

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
CanInteract	Check if the actor can interact with the object	Actor (AActor*) The actor trying to interact with the object	<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the actor can interact with the object
OnInteracted	Called when the actor interacts with the object	Actor (AActor*)  The actor that interacted with the object	
ReceiveOnInteracted	Called when the actor interacts with the object	Actor (AActor*) The actor that interacted with the object	

# 14.1.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the InteractTrigger using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Interact Trigger > Can Interact
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Interact Trigger > On Interacted
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Interact Trigger > OnInteracted

# 14.1.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt InteractTrigger}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Components/InteractTrigger.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InteractTrigger is a pointer to the UInteractTrigger
    bool CanInteractValue = InteractTrigger->CanInteract(Actor);
    InteractTrigger->OnInteracted(Actor);
    InteractTrigger->ReceiveOnInteracted(Actor);
}
```

# 14.2 Interact Widget

#### 14.2.1 Introduction

The widget displayed when the player can interact with an object

# 14.2.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt InteractWidget}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

# 14.2.3 Required Widgets

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt InteractWidget}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре
BeforeTextBlock	The text block used to display the text before the input indicator	UTextBlock*
AfterTextBlock	The text block used to display the text after the input indicator	UTextBlock*

# 14.2.4 Optional Animations

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description
ShowAnimation	The animation played when the widget is shown

#### 14.2.5 API Reference

### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ShowAnimation	The animation played when the widget is shown	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Show	Show the interact widget	BeforeText (FText) The text displayed before the input indicator  AfterText (FText) The text displayed after the input indicator	
Hide	Hide the interact widget		

# 14.2.6 Blueprint Usage

You can use the InteractWidget using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Show
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Hide

# 14.2.7 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt InteractWidget}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/InteractWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InteractWidget is a pointer to the UInteractWidget
    InteractWidget->Show(BeforeText, AfterText);
    InteractWidget->Hide();
}
```

# 15. Quest System

# 15.1 Quest

# 15.1.1 Introduction

The information about a specific quest

# 15.1.2 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Name	The name of the quest	FText	
Id	The ID of the quest	FGuid	FGuid::NewGui
Points	The points of the quest	TArray <ftext></ftext>	

# 15.2 Quest Component

# 15.2.1 Introduction

Component used to update the actor based on the current quest and point

# 15.2.2 Dependencies

The QuestComponent relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 15.2.3 API Reference

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Quest	The quest associated with the component	UQuest*	nullptr
RequiredPoint	The point of the quest associated with the component	int	
bHideIfQuestNotActive	Should the actor be hidden if the quest is not active?	bool	true
bHideAfterPointCompleted	Should the actor be hidden if the quest point has been completed?	bool	true

# 15.3 Quest Manager

#### 15.3.1 Introduction

Actor responsible for managing quests

# 15.3.2 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
QuestWidgetClass	The widget class used to display the current quest	TSubclassOf <uquestwidget></uquestwidget>	

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnQuestCompleted	Event used to notify other classes when a quest is completed	Quest (UQuest*) The quest that was completed
OnQuestUpdated	Event used to notify other classes when a quest is updated	CurrentQuest (UQuest*) The current active quest
		CurrentPoint (UQuest*) The current point of the active quest

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
StartQuest	Start the specified quest	Quest (UQuest*) The quest to start	
OnQuestPointCompleted	Complete the current quest point		
GetCurrentQuest	Get the current quest		UQuest* The current quest
GetCurrentQuestPo	Get the current quest point		int The current quest point
IsQuestActive	Check if the specified quest is active	Quest (UQuest*) The quest to check	<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the quest is active

# 15.3.3 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt QuestManager}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Quests > Start \ Quest$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Quests > On Quest Point Completed
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Quests > Get Current Quest
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Quests > Get Current Quest Po
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Quests > Is Quest Active

# 15.3.4 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt QuestManager}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Quests/QuestManager.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // QuestManager is a pointer to the AQuestManager
    QuestManager->StartQuest(Quest);
    QuestManager->OnQuestPointCompleted();
    UQuest* CurrentQuest = QuestManager->GetCurrentQuest();
    int CurrentQuestPo = QuestManager->GetCurrentQuestPo();
    bool IsQuestActiveValue = QuestManager->IsQuestActive(Quest);
}
```

# 15.4 Quest Widget

#### 15.4.1 Introduction

The widget displayed for the current quest point

# 15.4.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt QuestWidget}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

# 15.4.3 Required Widgets

You need to add the following before you can compile the QuestWidget widget:

Name	Description	Туре
QuestTitleText	The text block used to quest title	UTextBlock*
QuestDetailsText	The text block used to quest details	UTextBlock*

# 15.4.4 Optional Animations

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description
ShowAnimation	The animation played when the widget is shown

#### 15.4.5 API Reference

### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ShowAnimation	The animation played when the widget is shown	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Show	Show the quest widget	Quest (UQuest*) The current quest  Point (int)	
Hide	Hide the quest widget	The current quest point	

# 15.4.6 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt QuestWidget}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Show
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Hide

# 15.4.7 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The QuestWidget can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/QuestWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // QuestWidget is a pointer to the UQuestWidget
    QuestWidget->Show(Quest, Point);
    QuestWidget->Hide();
}
```

# 16. UI & Widgets

# 16.1 Collectable Item Icon

#### 16.1.1 Introduction

A widget used to display the collection state of an item by showing/hiding an image

# 16.1.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt CollectableItemIcon}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

### 16.1.3 Required Widgets

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt CollectableItemIcon}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре	
Icon	The Icon displayed if the item is collected	UImage*	

#### 16.1.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
RequiredValue	The required value before the item is considered collected	float	

# **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
UpdateState	Update the collected state (and visibility) of the icon	IsCollected (bool) Is the item collected?	
UpdateValue	Update the value of the item and adjust the collected state if necessary	Value (float) The current value of the item	
MonitorTrackableValue	Monitor the trackable data and automatically update the icon state whenever the value changes	TrackableDataComponent (UTrackableDataComponent*) A reference to the TrackableDataComponent  DataName (FName)	
		The name of the data item to monitor	

# 16.1.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the CollectableItemIcon using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update State
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Value
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Monitor Trackable Value

# 16.1.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The <code>CollectableItemIcon</code> can now be used in any of your  $C+\!\!\!+\!\!\!$  files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/CollectableItemIcon.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // CollectableItemIcon is a pointer to the UCollectableItemIcon
    CollectableItemIcon->UpdateState(IsCollected);
    CollectableItemIcon->UpdateValue(Value);
    CollectableItemIcon->MonitorTrackableValue(TrackableDataComponent, DataName);
}
```

# 16.2 Credits

# 16.2.1 Credits Entry

# Introduction

An single credits entry displayed by the credits widget

# **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Title	The title for the credits entry	FText	
Text	The text for the credits entry	FText	
Duration	The duration of the credits entry	float	5.0f
HorizontalAlignment	The horizontal alignment applied to the credits widget when displaying this entry	TEnumAsByte <ehorizontalalignment></ehorizontalalignment>	HAlign_Center
VerticalAlignment	The vertical alignment applied to the credits widget when displaying this entry	TEnumAsByte <everticalalignment></everticalalignment>	VAlign_Center

# 16.2.2 Credits Widget

#### Introduction

Widget used to display multiple animated credits entries using different alignment options and durations

#### **Dependencies**

The CreditsWidget relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

# **Required Widgets**

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt CreditsWidget}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре
Root	The root container of the widget	UPanelWidget*
Container	The container used to display the credits entries	UPanelWidget*
Text	The text block used to display the text of the credits entry	UTextBlock*

# **Optional Widgets**

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
Title	The text block used to display the title of the credits entry	UTextBlock*

## **Optional Animations**

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description
ShowAnimation	The animation played each time a new entry is shown
HideAnimation	The animation played at the end of each entry

#### **API Reference**

#### **PROPERTIES**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ShowAnimation	The animation played each time a new entry is shown	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr
HideAnimation	The animation played at the end of each entry	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr
AutoStart	Should the credits automatically be started when the widget is constructed?	bool	true
RemoveOnCompletion	Should the widget automatically be removed from the viewport when the credits are finished?	bool	true
StartDelay	The delay in seconds before the first credits entry is shown after starting	float	1.0f
DelayBetweenEntries	The delay in seconds between the previous hide animation and the next show animation	float	3.0f
Credits	The array of credits entries to be displayed	TArray <fcreditsentry></fcreditsentry>	

#### **EVENTS**

Name	Description	Params
OnCreditsFinished	Event used to notify other classes when the credits are finished	
OnCreditsNextEntryStarted	Event used to notify other classes every time a next entry is started	Name (int) The index of the entry that was started

#### **FUNCTIONS**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Start	Start showing the credits		

# **Blueprint Usage**

You can use the  ${\tt CreditsWidget}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

 $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > UI > Start$ 

# C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt CreditsWidget}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/CreditsWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // CreditsWidget is a pointer to the UCreditsWidget
    CreditsWidget->Start();
}
```

# 16.3 FPS Counter

#### 16.3.1 Introduction

A widget used to display the current framerate

#### 16.3.2 Dependencies

The FpsCounter relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

#### 16.3.3 Required Widgets

There is already a FpsCounter\_Implementation that you can use in your projects. But if you create your own instance of this widget, you need to add the following before you can compile:

Name	Description	Туре
FramerateText	The text block used to display the framerate	UTextBlock*

#### 16.3.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
UpdateDelay	The delay in seconds between each update	float	0.125f
HighFramerate	A framerate that is considered high and will use the high color	int	60
MediumFramerate	A framerate that is considered medium and will use the medium color	int	30
HighColor	The color used to display high framerates	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Green
MediumColor	The color used to display medium framerates	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Yellow
LowColor	The color used to display low framerates	FLinearColor	FLinearColor::Red

#### Functions

Name	Description	Params	Return
UpdateVisibility	Update the visibility of the widget	IsVisible (bool) Is the widget visible?	

# 16.3.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the FpsCounter using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

• Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Visibility

# 16.3.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

# The FpsCounter can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/FpsCounter.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // FpsCounter is a pointer to the UFpsCounter
    FpsCounter->UpdateVisibility(IsVisible);
}
```

# 16.4 Input Indicator

#### 16.4.1 Introduction

A widget used to display input indicators based on the current input device and input action

### 16.4.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt InputIndicator}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

#### 16.4.3 Required Widgets

There is already a InputIndicator\_Implementation that you can use in your projects. But if you create your own instance of this widget, you need to add the following before you can compile:

Name	Description	Туре
Container	The container used to display multiple images	UHorizontalBox*

#### 16.4.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
InputIndicatorIconClass	The input indicator icon class	TSubclassOf <uinputindicatoricon></uinputindicatoricon>	
Action	The input action displayed by widget	UInputAction*	nullptr
Size	The size of the image	float	50.0f
Amount	The amount of images to display for the input action	int	1

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
UpdateAction	Update the input action displayed by the widget	NewAction (UInputAction*) The new action	
		NewAmount (int) The new amount of images to display	

# 16.4.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the InputIndicator using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

• Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Action

#### 16.4.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

# The InputIndicator can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/InputIndicator.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InputIndicator is a pointer to the UInputIndicator
    InputIndicator->UpdateAction(NewAction, NewAmount);
}
```

# 16.5 Input Indicator Icon

#### 16.5.1 Introduction

A widget used to display a single input indicator image

#### 16.5.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt InputIndicatorIcon}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 16.5.3 Required Widgets

There is already a InputIndicatorIcon\_Implementation that you can use in your projects. But if you create your own instance of this widget, you need to add the following before you can compile:

Name	Description	Туре
Container	The size box container used to resize the image	USizeBox*
Image	The image used to display the input indicator	UImage*

#### 16.5.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
UpdateIcon	Update the icon	Size (float) The size of the image	
		Icon (UTexture2D*) The new icon	

# 16.5.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt InputIndicatorIcon}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

• Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Icon

#### 16.5.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

The InputIndicatorIcon can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/InputIndicatorIcon.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // InputIndicatorIcon is a pointer to the UInputIndicatorIcon
```

InputIndicatorIcon->UpdateIcon(Size, Icon);
}

# 16.6 Menu

#### 16.6.1 Introduction

A widget used to display menu items and handle navigation between the items

# 16.6.2 Dependencies

The Menu relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

# 16.6.3 Optional Widgets

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
ScrollContainer	Scroll container used for large menus with many items	UScrollBox*
Container	The container used to display the menu items	UPanelWidget*

#### 16.6.4 API Reference

#### **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
AddInputBindingOnLoad	Should the input binding automatically be added as soon as the widget is loaded?	bool	
PauseGameWhileVisible	Should the game automatically be paused/resumed based on the visibility of the menu?	bool	
DisableWhilePaused	Should the menu be disabled while the game is paused?	bool	
SelectedSFX	The sound effect played when a menu item is selected	USoundBase*	nullptr
BackSFX	The sound effect played when trying to go back to a previous menu or closing the menu through the back button	USoundBase*	nullptr
InputMappingContext	The input mapping context used to navigate the menu	UInputMappingContext*	nullptr
MenuUpInputAction	The input action used to navigate up	UInputAction*	nullptr
MenuDownInputAction	The input action used to navigate down	UInputAction*	nullptr
MenuLeftInputAction	The input action used to navigate left	UInputAction*	nullptr
MenuRightInputAction	The input action used to navigate right	UInputAction*	nullptr
MenuSelectInputAction	The input action used to select a menu item	UInputAction*	nullptr
MenuBackInputAction	The input action used to go back to a previous menu or close the menu	UInputAction*	nullptr

#### **Events**

Name	Description	Params
OnBackEvent	Event used to handle the back/close action of the menu	

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
OnMenuUp	Navigate up or increase the value		
OnMenuUpHold	Increase the value while holding the menu up key		
OnMenuDown	Navigate down or decrease the value		
OnMenuDownHold	Decrease the value while holding the menu down key		
OnMenuLeft	Navigate left or decrease the value		
OnMenuLeftHold	Decrease the value while holding the menu left key		
OnMenuRight	Navigate right or increase the value		
OnMenuRightHold	Increase the value while holding the menu right key		
OnMenuSelected	Select the current menu item		
OnMenuBack	Go back to a previous menu or close the menu		
RequestHighlight	Request to highlight a specific menu item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item to highlight	
RemoveHighlight	Request to remove the highlighted state from a specific menu item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*)  The menu item to remove the highlighted state from	
AddMenuItem	Add a menu item to the container	MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item to add	

# 16.6.5 Blueprint Usage

You can use the Menu using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Up Hold
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Down
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Down Hold
- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Left
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Left Hold
- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Right
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Right Hold
- $\bullet$  Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Selected
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Back
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Request Highlight
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Remove Highlight
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Add Menu Item

# 16.6.6 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The Menu can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/Menu.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // Menu is a pointer to the UMenu
    Menu->OnMenuUp();
    Menu->OnMenuUp();
    Menu->OnMenuUpwn();
    Menu->OnMenuDown();
    Menu->OnMenuDown();
    Menu->OnMenuEt();
    Menu->OnMenuEt();
    Menu->OnMenuEt();
    Menu->OnMenuRight();
    Menu->OnMenuRight();
    Menu->OnMenuSelected();
    Menu->OnMenuSelected();
    Menu->OnMenuSelected();
    Menu->RequestHighlight (MenuItem);
    Menu->RemoveHighlight (MenuItem);
    Menu->RemoveHighlight (MenuItem);
}
```

# 16.7 Menu Item

# 16.7.1 Navigation

# Introduction

All the supported menu navigation types

# Values

Value	Description
Disabled	No navigation allowed
HighlightItem	Highlight a different menu item
IncreaseDecreaseValue	Increase or decrease the value

# 16.7.2 Value Update Method

# Introduction

The method used to update the value of a menu item

# Values

Value	Description
SinglePress	The value is only updated when the button is pressed
Hold	The value is updated while the button is held down

# 16.7.3 Menu Item Widget

#### Introduction

A widget used to display a title, text and value in the form of a menu item

#### **Dependencies**

The MenuItem relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data
- Audio: Used to play sound effects either 2D or at a specified location

#### **Optional Widgets**

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	Туре
Title	The TextBlock used to display the title of the menu item	UTextBlock*
NormalText	The TextBlock used to display the text of the menu item while not highlighted	UTextBlock*
HighlightedText	The TextBlock used to display the text of the menu item while highlighted	UTextBlock*
ValueText	The TextBlock used to display the current value of the menu item	UTextBlock*
HighlightedValueText	The TextBlock used to display the current value of the menu item while highlighted	UTextBlock*
SelectButton	The button used to select the menu item	UButton*
ValueSlider	The slider used to display and update the current value of the menu item	USlider*
IncreaseValueButton	The button used to increase the value of the menu item	UButton*
DecreaseValueButton	The button used to decrease the value of the menu item	UButton*
BorderLeft	The border displayed on the left of the menu item	UImage*
BorderRight	The border displayed on the right of the menu item	UImage*
BorderBackground	The background border display in the menu item	UImage*
ButtonLeft	The button displayed on the left of the menu item	UImage*
ButtonRight	The button displayed on the right of the menu item	UImage*
ButtonBackground	The background button display in the menu item	UImage*
InputIndicator	The background button display in the menu item	UImage*

# **Optional Animations**

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description	
HighlightedAnimatio	The animation played when the menu item is highlighted	

# API Reference

PROPERTIES

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
HighlightedAnimation	The animation played when the menu item is highlighted	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr
FocusByDefault	Should the menu item be focused by default?	bool	
HideOnConsoles	Should the menu item be hidden on consoles?	bool	
TitleText	The title text displayed in the menu item	FText	
MenuItemText	The text displayed in the menu item	FText	
HighlightedSFX	The sound effect played when the menu item is highlighted	USoundBase*	nullptr
BorderNormalColor	The color of the border when not highlighted	FLinearColor	
BorderHighlightedColor	The color of the border when highlighted	FLinearColor	
BorderNormalImage	The image of the border when not highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BorderHighlightedImage	The image of the border when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BorderLeftNormalImage	The image of the left border when not highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BorderLeftHighlightedImage	The image of the left border when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BorderRightNormalImage	The image of the right border	UTexture2D*	nullptr

	when not highlighted		
BorderRightHighlightedImage	The image of the right border when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundNormalColor	The color of the button when not highlighted	FLinearColor	
BackgroundHighlightedColor	The color of the button when highlighted	FLinearColor	
BackgroundNormalImage	The image of the button when not highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundHighlightedImage	The image of the button when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundLeftNormalImage	The image of the left button when not highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundLeftHighlightedImage	The image of the left button when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundRightNormalImage	The image of the right button when not highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
BackgroundRightHighlightedImage	The image of the right button when highlighted	UTexture2D*	nullptr
ValueUpdateMethod	The method used to update the value of the menu item	EMenuItemValueUpdateMethod	EMenuItemValueUpdateMethod::SinglePress
IncrementSinglePress	The increment used when updating the value when the key is pressed	float	1.0f
IncrementHold	The increment used when updating the value when the	float	0.15f

	key is held down		
SettingsItemType	The type of setting item managed by this menu item (changing this will overwrite other settings)	ESettingsItemType	ESettingsItemType::None
AutoSaveSettingsOnValueChanged	Should the settings managed by this menu item automatically be saved when the value is changed?	bool	true
AutoSaveSettingsOnHighlightRemoved	Should the settings managed by this menu item automatically be saved when the highlight state is removed?	bool	true
AutoSaveSettingsOnSelected	Should the settings managed by this menu item automatically be saved when the menu item is selected?	bool	true
InputDevice	The input device associated with the action to rebind	EInputDevice	EInputDevice::Unknown
InputMappingContext	The input mapping context containing the action to rebind	UInputMappingContext*	nullptr
InputAction	The input action to rebind	UInputAction*	nullptr
MappableName	The player mappable name for the action to rebind	FName	
ShowValueSlider	Should the value slider be	bool	false

	shown for this menu item?		
ShowValueButtons	Should the increase/ decrease value buttons be shown for this menu item?	bool	false
ValueMapping	A mapping of possible values to text	TMap <int, ftext=""></int,>	
DefaultValue	The default value of the menu item	int	100
MinValue	The minimum value of the menu item	int	0
MaxValue	The maximum value of the menu item	int	100
AllowSelection	Can the menu item be selected?	bool	true
VerticalNavigation	The type of navigation used by the menu item when pressing the up or down key	EMenuNavigation	EMenuNavigation::HighlightItem
MenuItemUp	The menu item highlighted when the up key is pressed	UMenuItem*	nullptr
MenuItemDown	The menu item highlighted when the down key is pressed	UMenuItem*	nullptr
HorizontalNavigation	The type of navigation used by the menu item when pressing the left or right key	EMenuNavigation	EMenuNavigation::HighlightItem
MenuItemLeft	The menu item highlighted when the left key is pressed	UMenuItem*	nullptr
MenuItemRight	The menu item highlighted when the right key is pressed	UMenuItem*	nullptr

Menu	A reference to the menu that	UMenu*	nullptr
	contains this		

#### EVENTS

Name	Description	Params
OnSelected	Event used to notify other classes that the menu item was selected	
OnSelectedInContainer	Event used to notify other classes that a specific menu item in the container was selected	Index (int)  The index of the menu item that was selected
OnHighlighted	Event used to notify other classes that the menu item was highlighted	
OnHighlightRemoved	Event used to notify other classes that the menu item's highlighted state was removed	
OnValueChanged	Event used to notify other classes that the menu item's value was updated	Value (int) The new value of the menu item

#### **FUNCTIONS**

Name	Description	Params	Return
SetText	Set the text displayed in the menu item	Text (FText&)  The new text displayed in the menu item	
SetTitle	Set the title displayed in the menu item	Text (FText&)  The new title displayed in the menu item	
SetHighlightedState	Set the highlighted state of the menu item	IsHighlighted (bool) Is the menu item highlighted?  PlayHighlightedAnimation (bool) Should the highlighted animation be played?  PlayHighlightedSound (bool) Should the highlighted sound effect be played?	
IsHighlighted	Check if the menu item is highlighted		bool  A boolean value indicating if the menu item is highlighted
GetValue	Get the current value of the menu item		int The current value of the menu item
UpdateValue	Update the value of the menu item	Increment (float)  The amount added to the current value of the menu item	
SelectItem	Select the menu item		
SaveSettings	Save the settings managed by this menu item		
ApplySettings	Apply the settings managed by this menu item		
GetInputActionKey	Get the key used by the specified input action		<b>FKey</b> The key used by the specified input action
OnMenuBack	Called when trying to go back in the menu		bool  A boolean value indicating if the back event was handled
AnyKeyPressed	Called after any key is pressed by the player (used to remap controls)	Key (FKey) The key pressed by the player	
ApplyKeyBinding	Apply the key binding for the input action		
IsWaitingForKeyPress	Is the menu item waiting for a key press?		bool  A boolean value indicating if the menu item is waiting for a key press

#### **Blueprint Usage**

You can use the  ${\tt MenuItem}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Set Text
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Set Title
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Set Highlighted State
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Is Highlighted
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Get Value
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Update Value
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Select Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Save Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Apply Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Get Input Action Key
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > On Menu Back
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Any Key Pressed
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Apply Key Binding
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Is Waiting For Key Press

#### C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The MenuItem can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/MenuItem.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // MenuItem is a pointer to the UMenuItem
    MenuItem->SetText(Text);
    MenuItem->SetTitle(Text);
    MenuItem->SetTitle(Text);
    MenuItem->SetHighlightedState(IsHighlighted, PlayHighlightedAnimation, PlayHighlightedSound);
    bool IsHighlightedValue = MenuItem->IsHighlighted();
    int Value = MenuItem->GetValue();
    MenuItem->DetValue();
    MenuItem->DetValue();
    MenuItem->SaveSettings();
    MenuItem->SaveSettings();
    FKey InputActionKey = MenuItem->GetInputActionKey();
    bool OnMenuBackValue = MenuItem->OnMenuBack();
    MenuItem->ApyKeyPressed(Key);
    MenuItem->ApplyKeyBinding();
    bool IsWaitingForKeyPressValue = MenuItem->IsWaitingForKeyPress();
}
```

# 16.8 Message Popups

# 16.8.1 Message Popup Data

# Introduction

The data used to display a message popup

# **Properties**

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
Title	The title displayed in the message popup	FText	
Message	The text displayed in the message popup	FText	
bShowPositiveButton	Should the positive button be shown?	bool	
PositiveButtonText	The text displayed on the positive button	FText	
bShowNegativeButton	Should the negative button be shown?	bool	
NegativeButtonText	The text displayed on the negative button	FText	
bShowNeutralButton	Should the neutral button be shown?	bool	
NeutralButtonText	The text displayed on the neutral button	FText	

# 16.8.2 Message Popup Widget

#### Introduction

The widget used to display a message popup

#### Dependencies

The  ${\tt MessagePopupWidget}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

# **Required Widgets**

You need to add the following before you can compile the  ${\tt MessagePopupWidget}$  widget:

Name	Description	Туре
TitleText	The text block used to display the title	UTextBlock*
MessageText	The text block used to display the message	UTextBlock*
ButtonMenu	The menu used to display the buttons	UMenu*

# **Optional Animations**

You can add the following widgets to enable extra functionality:

Name	Description
ShowAnimation	The animation used to show the popup
HideAnimation	The animation used to hide the popup

#### **API Reference**

# PROPERTIES

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
ShowAnimation	The animation used to show the popup	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr
HideAnimation	The animation used to hide the popup	UWidgetAnimation*	nullptr
ButtonMenuItemClass	The button menu item class used when creating the buttons	TSubclassOf <umenuitem></umenuitem>	

## **EVENTS**

Name	Description	Params
OnShown	Event used to notify other classes that the popup was shown	
OnHidden	Event used to notify other classes that the popup was hidden	
OnPositiveButtonSelected	Event used to notify other classes that the positive button was selected	
OnNegativeButtonSelected	Event used to notify other classes that the negative button was selected	
OnNeutralButtonSelected	Event used to notify other classes that the neutral button was selected	

#### **FUNCTIONS**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Show	Show the message popup	Data (FMessagePopupData)  The data used to display the popup	
Hide	Hide the message popup		

#### **Blueprint Usage**

You can use the  ${\tt MessagePopupWidget} \ \ using \ Blueprints \ by \ adding \ one \ of \ the \ following \ nodes:$ 

- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Show
- Ultimate Starter Kit > UI > Hide

#### C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt MessagePopupWidget}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Widgets/MessagePopupWidget.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // MessagePopupWidget is a pointer to the UMessagePopupWidget
    MessagePopupWidget->Show(Data);
    MessagePopupWidget->Hide();
}
```

# 17. Settings

# 17.1 Data

# 17.1.1 Introduction

The settings data that is saved/loaded

# 17.1.2 API Reference

# Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
AudioMasterModified	Was the master audio volume modified?	bool	
AudioMaster	The master audio volume	float	
AudioMusicModified	Was the music volume modified?	bool	
AudioMusic	The music volume	float	
AudioEffectsModified	Was the effects volume modified?	bool	
AudioEffects	The effects volume	float	
AudioUiModified	Was the UI volume modified?	bool	
AudioUi	The UI volume	float	
AudioVoiceModified	Was the voice volume modified?	bool	
AudioVoice	The voice volume	float	
GraphicsResolutionX	The X value of the saved resolution	int	
GraphicsResolutionY	The Y value of the saved resolution	int	
GraphicsFullscreenModified	Was the graphics fullscreen setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsFullscreen	The graphics fullscreen value	bool	
GraphicsViewDistanceModified	Was the graphics view distance setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsViewDistance	The graphics view distance value	int	
GraphicsAntiAliasingModified	Was the graphics anti-aliasing setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsAntiAliasing	The graphics anti-aliasing value	int	
GraphicsPostProcessingModified	Was the graphics post processing setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsPostProcessing	The graphics post processing value	int	
GraphicsShadowQualityModified	Was the graphics shadow quality setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsShadowQuality	The graphics shadow quality value	int	
GraphicsTextureQualityModified	Was the graphics texture quality setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsTextureQuality	The graphics texture quality value	int	
GraphicsVisualEffectsModified	Was the graphics visual effects setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsVisualEffects	The graphics visual effects value	int	
GraphicsShadingQualityModified	Was the graphics shading quality setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsShadingQuality	The graphics shading quality value	int	
GraphicsVsyncModified	Was the graphics vsync setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsVsync	The graphics vsync value	bool	
GraphicsFpsIndicatorModified	Was the graphics FPS indicator setting modified?	bool	
GraphicsFpsIndicator	The graphics FPS indicator value	bool	
AccessibilityColorBlindMode	The color blind mode	int	
AccessibilityColorBlindModeSeverity	The severity of the color blind mode	float	100.0f

KeyBindings A map of all key bindings changed by the player TMap <fname, fkey=""></fname,>
--

# 17.2 Config

# 17.2.1 Introduction

The configuration used for managing settings

# 17.2.2 API Reference

# Properties

Property	Description	Туре	Default Value
AudioMasterImplementation	The implementation for the audio master settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAudioMaster::StaticClas
AudioMasterSoundMix	The sound mix used to manage all sound classes	USoundMix*	nullptr
AudioMasterText	The text displayed in the master audio settings item	FText	
AudioMasterMin	The minimum value for the master audio settings item	float	0.0f
AudioMasterMax	The maximum value for the master audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioMasterDefault	The default value for the master audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioMusicImplementation	The implementation for the audio music settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAudioMusic::StaticClas
AudioMusicSoundClass	The sound class used by all music	USoundClass*	nullptr
AudioMusicText	The text displayed in the music audio settings item	FText	
AudioMusicMin	The minimum value for the music audio settings item	float	0.0f
AudioMusicMax	The maximum value for the music audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioMusicDefault	The default value for the	float	100.0f

	music audio settings item		
AudioEffectsImplementation	The implementation for the audio effects settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAudioEffects::StaticClas
AudioEffectsSoundClass	The sound class used by all effects	USoundClass*	nullptr
AudioEffectsText	The text displayed in the effects audio settings item	FText	
AudioEffectsMin	The minimum value for the effects audio settings item	float	0.0f
AudioEffectsMax	The maximum value for the effects audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioEffectsDefault	The default value for the effects audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioUiImplementation	The implementation for the audio UI settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAudioUi::StaticClas
AudioUiSoundClass	The sound class used by all UI	USoundClass*	nullptr
AudioUiText	The text displayed in the UI audio settings item	FText	
AudioUiMin	The minimum value for the UI audio settings item	float	0.0f
AudioUiMax	The maximum value for the UI audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioUiDefault	The default value for the UI audio settings item	float	100.0f

AudioVoiceImplementation	The implementation for the audio voice settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAudioVoice::StaticClas
AudioVoiceSoundClass	The sound class used by all voice	USoundClass*	nullptr
AudioVoiceText	The text displayed in the voice audio settings item	FText	
AudioVoiceMin	The minimum value for the voice audio settings item	float	0.0f
AudioVoiceMax	The maximum value for the voice audio settings item	float	100.0f
AudioVoiceDefault	The default value for the voice audio settings item	float	100.0f
GraphicsResolutionImplementation	The implementation for the graphics resolution settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsResolution::StaticClas
GraphicsResolutionText	The text displayed in the graphics resolution settings item	FText	
GraphicsFullscreenImplementation	The implementation for the graphics fullscreen settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsFullscreen::StaticClas
GraphicsFullscreenText	The text displayed in the graphics fullscreen settings item	FText	
GraphicsFullscreenEnabledText	The text displayed when fullscreen is enabled	FText	
GraphicsFullscreenDisabledText	The text displayed when	FText	

	fullscreen is		
GraphicsFullscreenDefault	The default value of the fullscreen setting	bool	true
GraphicsViewDistanceImplementation	The implementation for the graphics view distance settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsViewDistance::StaticClas
GraphicsViewDistanceText	The text displayed in the graphics view distance settings item	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceNearValueText	The text displayed when the near value is used for the view distance setting	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the view distance setting	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceFarValueText	The text displayed when the far value is used for the view distance setting	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the view distance setting	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the view distance setting	FText	
GraphicsViewDistanceDefault	The default value of the view distance setting	int	2
GraphicsAntiAliasingImplementation	The implementation for the graphics	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsAntiAliasing::StaticClas

	anti-aliasing settings item		
GraphicsAntiAliasingText	The text displayed in the graphics anti-aliasing settings item	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingLowValueText	The text displayed when the low value is used for the anti-aliasing setting	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the anti- aliasing setting	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the anti-aliasing setting	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the anti-aliasing setting	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the anti- aliasing setting	FText	
GraphicsAntiAliasingDefault	The default value of the anti-aliasing setting	int	2
GraphicsPostProcessingImplementation	The implementation for the graphics post processing settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsPostProcessing::StaticClas
GraphicsPostProcessingText	The text displayed in the graphics post processing settings item	FText	
GraphicsPostProcessingLowValueText	The text displayed when	FText	

	the low value is used for the post processing setting		
GraphicsPostProcessingMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the post processing setting	FText	
GraphicsPostProcessingHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the post processing setting	FText	
GraphicsPostProcessingEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the post processing setting	FText	
GraphicsPostProcessingCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the post processing setting	FText	
GraphicsPostProcessingDefault	The default value of the post processing setting	int	2
GraphicsShadowQualityImplementation	The implementation for the graphics shadow quality settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsShadowQuality::StaticClas
GraphicsShadowQualityText	The text displayed in the graphics shadow quality settings item	FText	
GraphicsShadowQualityLowValueText	The text displayed when the low value is used for the shadow quality setting	FText	
Graphics Shadow Quality Medium Value Text	The text displayed when the medium	FText	

	value is used for the shadow quality setting		
GraphicsShadowQualityHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the shadow quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadowQualityEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the shadow quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadowQualityCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the shadow quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadowQualityDefault	The default value of the shadow quality setting	int	2
GraphicsTextureQualityImplementation	The implementation for the graphics texture quality settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	US ettings Item Graphics Texture Quality:: Static Classes and the state of the st
GraphicsTextureQualityText	The text displayed in the graphics texture quality settings item	FText	
GraphicsTextureQualityLowValueText	The text displayed when the low value is used for the texture quality setting	FText	
GraphicsTextureQualityMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the texture quality setting	FText	
GraphicsTextureQualityHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the texture quality setting	FText	

GraphicsTextureQualityEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the texture quality setting	FText	
GraphicsTextureQualityCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the texture quality setting	FText	
GraphicsTextureQualityDefault	The default value of the texture quality setting	int	2
GraphicsVisualEffectsImplementation	The implementation for the graphics visual effects settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsVisualEffects::StaticClas
GraphicsVisualEffectsText	The text displayed in the graphics visual effects settings item	FText	
GraphicsVisualEffectsLowValueText	The text displayed when the low value is used for the visual effects setting	FText	
GraphicsVisualEffectsMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the visual effects setting	FText	
GraphicsVisualEffectsHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the visual effects setting	FText	
GraphicsVisualEffectsEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the visual effects setting	FText	
GraphicsVisualEffectsCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic	FText	

	value is used for the visual effects setting		
GraphicsVisualEffectsDefault	The default value of the visual effects setting	int	2
GraphicsShadingQualityImplementation	The implementation for the graphics shading quality settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsShadingQuality::StaticClas
GraphicsShadingQualityText	The text displayed in the graphics shading quality settings item	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityLowValueText	The text displayed when the low value is used for the shading quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityMediumValueText	The text displayed when the medium value is used for the shading quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityHighValueText	The text displayed when the high value is used for the shading quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityEpicValueText	The text displayed when the epic value is used for the shading quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityCinematicValueText	The text displayed when the cinematic value is used for the shading quality setting	FText	
GraphicsShadingQualityDefault	The default value of the shading quality setting	int	2
GraphicsVsyncImplementation	The implementation	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsVsync::StaticClas

	for the graphics vsync settings item		
GraphicsVsyncText	The text displayed in the graphics vsync settings item	FText	
GraphicsVsyncEnabledText	The text displayed when the vsync setting is enabled	FText	
GraphicsVsyncDisabledText	The text displayed when the vsync setting is disabled	FText	
GraphicsVsyncDefault	The default value of the vsync setting	bool	
GraphicsFpsIndicatorImplementation	The implementation for the graphics FPS indicator settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemGraphicsFpsIndicator::StaticClas
GraphicsFpsIndicatorText	The text displayed in the graphics FPS indicator settings item	FText	
GraphicsFpsIndicatorEnabledText	The text displayed when the FPS indicator setting is enabled	FText	
GraphicsFpsIndicatorDisabledText	The text displayed when the FPS indicator setting is disabled	FText	
GraphicsFpsIndicatorDefault	The default value of the FPS indicator setting	bool	
Accessibility Color Blind Mode Implementation	The implementation for the	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAccessibilityColorBlindMode::Static0

	mode settings item		
AccessibilityColorBlindModeText	The text displayed in the accessibility color blind mode settings item	FText	
AccessibilityColorBlindModeNormalVisionText	The text displayed when the normal vision value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
AccessibilityColorBlindModeDeuteranopiaText	The text displayed when the deuteranopia value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
Accessibility Color Blind Mode Deuter a no maly Text	The text displayed when the deuteranomaly value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
AccessibilityColorBlindModeProtanopiaText	The text displayed when the protanopia value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
AccessibilityColorBlindModeProtanomalyText	The text displayed when the protanomaly value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
Accessibility Color Blind Mode Tritan opia Text	The text displayed when the tritanopia	FText	

	value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting		
AccessibilityColorBlindModeTritanomalyText	The text displayed when the tritanomaly value is used for the accessibility color blind mode setting	FText	
Accessibility Color Blind Mode Severity Implementation	The implementation for the accessibility color blind mode severity settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemAccessibilityColorBlindModeSeverity
AccessibilityColorBlindModeSeverityText	The text displayed in the accessibility color blind mode severity settings item	FText	
ControlsRemapImplementation	The implementation for the controls remap settings item	TSubclassOf <usettingsitem></usettingsitem>	USettingsItemControlsRemap::StaticClas
ControlsWaitingForKeyPressText	The text displayed in the menu item while waiting for the user to press a new key	FText	

# 17.3 Items

# 17.3.1 Types

## Introduction

An enum of all supported settings items

## Values

Value	Description
None	A setting not managed by the game instance
AudioMaster	The master audio volume setting
AudioMusic	The music audio volume setting
AudioEffects	The effects audio volume setting
AudioUi	The UI audio volume setting
AudioVoice	The voice audio volume setting
GraphicsResolution	The graphics resolution setting
GraphicsFullscreen	The graphics fullscreen setting
GraphicsViewDistance	The graphics view distance setting
GraphicsAntiAliasing	The graphics anti-aliasing setting
GraphicsPostProcessing	The graphics post processing setting
GraphicsShadowQuality	The graphics shadow quality setting
GraphicsTextureQuality	The graphics texture quality setting
GraphicsVisualEffects	The graphics visual effects setting
GraphicsShadingQuality	The graphics shading quality setting
GraphicsVSync	The graphics vsync setting
GraphicsFpsIndicator	The graphics FPS indicator setting
AccessibilityColorBlindMode	The accessibility color blind mode setting
AccessibilityColorBlindModeSeverity	The accessibility color blind mode severity setting
ControlsRemap	Remap the controls

## 17.3.2 Logic

### Introduction

An implementation for a settings item controlling how the setting is configured, saved and applied

### Dependencies

The  ${\tt SettingsItem}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

## Implementations

There is already implementations for all settings items. But you can expand this if needed

Category	Name	Description
Audio	SettingsItemAudioMaster	An implementation for the audio master settings item
Audio	SettingsItemAudioMusic	An implementation for the audio music settings item
Audio	SettingsItemAudioEffects	An implementation for the audio effects settings item
Audio	SettingsItemAudioUi	An implementation for the audio UI settings item
Audio	SettingsItemAudioVoice	An implementation for the audio voice settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsResolution	An implementation for the graphics resolution settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsFullscreen	An implementation for the graphics fullscreen settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsViewDistance	An implementation for the graphics view distance settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsAntiAliasing	An implementation for the graphics anti-aliasing settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsPostProcessing	An implementation for the graphics post processing settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsShadowQuality	An implementation for the graphics shadow quality settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsTextureQuality	An implementation for the graphics texture quality settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsVisualEffects	An implementation for the graphics visual effects settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsShadingQuality	An implementation for the graphics shading quality settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsVsync	An implementation for the graphics vsync settings item
Graphics	SettingsItemGraphicsFpsIndicator	An implementation for the graphics FPS indicator settings item
Accessibility	SettingsItemAccessibilityColorBlindMode	An implementation for the accessibility color blind mode settings item
Accessibility	Settings Item Accessibility Color Blind Mode Severity	An implementation for the accessibility color blind mode severity settings item
Controls	SettingsItemControlsRemap	An implementation for the controls settings item

#### **API Reference**

#### **FUNCTIONS**

Name	Description	Params	Return
ConfigureMenuItem	Configure the menu item	Config (void)  The settings config specified in the game instance	
		Settings (USettingsData*) The current settings data	
		MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item to configure	
SaveSettings	Save the settings managed by a menu item	Settings (USettingsData*) The current settings data	USettingsData* The updated settings data
		MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item containing the updated settings	
ApplySettings	Apply the settings	World (UObject*) The world context	
		Config (USettingsConfig*)  The settings config specified in the game instance	
		Settings (USettingsData*) The current settings data	

### **Blueprint Usage**

You can use the SettingsItem using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Configure Menu Item
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Settings > Save \ Settings \\$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Apply Settings

## C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}\,$  file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt SettingsItem}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Settings/SettingsItem.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    // SettingsItem is a pointer to the USettingsItem
    SettingsItem->ConfigureMenuItem(Config, Settings, MenuItem);
    USettingsData* SaveSettingsValue = SettingsItem->SaveSettings(Settings, MenuItem);
    SettingsItem->ApplySettings(World, Config, Settings);
}
```

## 17.4 Utils

#### 17.4.1 Introduction

A Blueprint Function Library class used to load, save and apply all settings

### 17.4.2 Dependencies

The SettingsUtils relies on other components of this plugin to work:

- Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience
- Game Instance: Used to monitor for input device changes and handle saving/loading game data

### 17.4.3 Requirements

It's important that you configure the settings in the Game Instance before you can use the settings feature

## 17.4.4 Controls Settings

Before you can use the plugin to automatically handle the controls settings, you need to configure your Input Mapping Context. You are required to specify the Name for each key that can be changed through the plugin. This Name should match the value you specify in your Menu Item

NB: This feature is only available on Unreal Engine 5 and newer (UE5.3 support coming soon)

## 17.4.5 API Reference

## **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
Initialize	Initialize the settings	GameInstance (UUSKGameInstance*) A reference to the game instance	
LoadSettings	Load the settings		USettingsData* The loaded settings data
SaveSettings	Save the settings	Settings (USettingsData*) The updated settings data	
ApplySettingsInWorld	Apply the settings	World (UObject*) The world context	
		Settings (USettingsData*) The settings data to apply	
ApplySettings	Apply the settings	GameInstance (UUSKGameInstance*) A reference to the game instance	
		Settings (USettingsData*) The settings data to apply	
ConfigureMenuItem	Configure the menu item to manage the specified settings item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item to configure	
SaveMenuItemSettings	Save the settings managed by the menu item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*) The menu item containing the updated settings	
		ApplySettings (bool) Should the settings also be applied?	
ApplyMenuItemSettings	Apply the settings managed by the menu item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*)  The menu item containing the updated settings	
GetSettingsItemForMenuItem	Get the settings item for the specified menu item	MenuItem (UMenuItem*)  The menu item to get the settings item for	USettingsItem* The settings item
		Config (USettingsConfig*)  The settings config specified in the game instance	
GetSettingsItem	Get the settings item for the specified settings item type	SettingsItemType (ESettingsItemType) The menu item to get the settings item for	USettingsItem* The settings item
		Config (USettingsConfig*)  The settings config specified in the game instance	

#### 17.4.6 Blueprint Usage

You can use the SettingsUtils using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Initialize
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Load Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Save Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Apply Settings In World
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Apply Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Configure Menu Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Save Menu Item Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Apply Menu Item Settings
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Get Settings Item For Menu Item
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Settings > Get Settings Item

## 17.4.7 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The SettingsUtils can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Settings/SettingsUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    USettingsUtils::Initialize(GameInstance);
    USettingsData* LoadSettingsValue = USettingsUtils::LoadSettings();
    USettingsDtils::SaveSettings(Settings);
    USettingsUtils::ApplySettingsInWorld(World, Settings);
    USettingsUtils::ApplySettings(GameInstance, Settings);
    USettingsUtils::ConfigureMenuItem(MenuItem);
    USettingsUtils::SaveMenuItemSettings(MenuItem, ApplySettings);
    USettingsUtils::ApplyMenuItemSettings(MenuItem);
    USettingsUtils::ApplyMenuItemSettings(MenuItem);
    USettingsUtils::SetVemenuItemSettings(MenuItem);
    USettingsItem* SettingsItemForMenuItem = USettingsUtils::GetSettingsItemForMenuItem(MenuItem, Config);
    USettingsItem* SettingsItem = USettingsUtils::GetSettingsItemType, Config);
}
```

# 18. Utils

# 18.1 Config Utils

## 18.1.1 Introduction

A Blueprint Function Library class used to extract config values

## 18.1.2 Dependencies

The  ${\tt ConfigUtils}$  relies on other components of this plugin to work:

• Logger: Used to log useful information to help you debug any issues you might experience

#### 18.1.3 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetConfigValue	Extract a config value from a given	Filename (FString)	FString
	config file	The name of the config file	The value extracted from the config file
		Section (FString)	
		The section in the config file	
		Key (FString)	
		The key in the config file	
		DefaultValue (FString)	
		The default value to return if the config	
		file can't be read	
GetGameConfigValue	Extract a config value from the default	Section (FString)	FString
	game config file	The section in the config file	The value extracted from the config file
		Key (FString)	
		The key in the config file	
		DefaultValue (FString)	
		The default value to return if the config	
		file can't be read	

## 18.1.4 Blueprint Usage

You can use the  ${\tt ConfigUtils}$  using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Utils > Config > Get \ Config \ Value \\$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Config > Get Game Config Value

## 18.1.5 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your  ${\tt Build.cs}\,$  file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

## The ${\tt ConfigUtils}$ can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Utils/ConfigUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    FString ConfigValue = UConfigUtils::GetConfigValue(Filename, Section, Key, DefaultValue);
    FString GameConfigValue = UConfigUtils::GetGameConfigValue(Section, Key, DefaultValue);
}
```

# 18.2 Platform

# 18.2.1 Platform Type

## Introduction

The types of supported platform types

## Values

Value	Description
Unknown	An unknown or unsupported platform
Windows	Windows (any architecture)
MacOS	MacOS (any architecture)
Linux	Linux (any architecture)
ConsoleMx	Console MX
ConsoleSp	Console SP
ConsoleNs	Console NS
Android	Android (any architecture)
IOS	iOS

## 18.2.2 Platform Utils

## Introduction

A Blueprint Function Library class used for platform detection

## API Reference

FUNCTIONS

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetPlatform	Get the current platform		EPlatform The current platform
IsInEditor	Is the build running inside the editor?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running inside the editor
IsDesktop	Is the build running on a desktop platform?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on a desktop platform
IsWindows	Is the build running on Windows?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Windows
IsMacOS	Is the build running on MacOS?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on MacOS
IsMacOSx86	Is the build running on MacOS (x86)?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on MacOS (x86)
IsMacOSArm	Is the build running on MacOS (ARM)?		bool A boolean value indicating if the build is running on MacOS (ARM)
IsLinux	Is the build running on Linux?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Linux
IsConsole	Is the build running on a console platform?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on a console platform
IsConsoleMx	Is the build running on Console MX?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Console MX
IsConsoleSp	Is the build running on Console SP?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Console SP
IsConsoleNs	Is the build running on Console NS?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Console NS
IsMobile	Is the build running on a mobile platform?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on a mobile platform
IsAndroid	Is the build running on Android?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Android
IsAndroidx86	Is the build running on Android (x86)?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Android (x86)
IsAndroidx64	Is the build running on Android (x64)?		<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Android (x64)

IsAndroidArm	Is the build running on Android (ARM)?	bool  A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Android (ARM)
IsAndroidArm64	Is the build running on Android (ARM64)?	<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on Android (ARM64)
IsIOS	Is the build running on iOS?	<b>bool</b> A boolean value indicating if the build is running on iOS

### **Blueprint Usage**

You can use the PlatformUtils using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Get Platform
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is In Editor
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Desktop
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Windows
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is MacOS
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is MacOS (x86)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is MacOS (ARM)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Linux
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Console
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Console MX
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Console SP
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Console NS
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Mobile
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Android
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Android (x86)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Android (x64)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Android (ARM)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is Android (ARM64)
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Platform > Is iOS

#### C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

```
PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");
```

The  ${\tt PlatformUtils}$  can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Utils/PlatformUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    EPlatform Platform = UPlatformUtils::GetPlatform();
    bool IsInEditorValue = UPlatformUtils::IsInEditor();
    bool IsDesktopValue = UPlatformUtils::IsDesktop();
    bool IsWindowsValue = UPlatformUtils::IsWindows();
    bool IsWacoSValue = UPlatformUtils::IsWacoS();
    bool IsMacoSXafue = UPlatformUtils::IsMacoS();
    bool IsMacoSXafue = UPlatformUtils::IsMacoSXaf();
    bool IsMacoSXarValue = UPlatformUtils::IsMacoSXaf();
    bool IsLinuxValue = UPlatformUtils::IsLinux();
    bool IsConsoleValue = UPlatformUtils::IsConsole();
    bool IsConsoleValue = UPlatformUtils::IsConsoleSp();
    bool IsConsoleNxValue = UPlatformUtils::IsConsoleSp();
    bool IsConsoleNxValue = UPlatformUtils::IsConsoleNx();
```

```
bool IsMobileValue = UPlatformUtils::IsMobile();
bool IsAndroidValue = UPlatformUtils::IsAndroid();
bool IsAndroidx64Value = UPlatformUtils::IsAndroidx86();
bool IsAndroidx64Value = UPlatformUtils::IsAndroidx64();
bool IsAndroidArmValue = UPlatformUtils::IsAndroidArm();
bool IsAndroidArm64Value = UPlatformUtils::IsAndroidArm64();
bool IsIOSValue = UPlatformUtils::IsIOS();
}
```

# 18.3 Project Utils

#### 18.3.1 Introduction

A Blueprint Function Library class used to extract project values

### 18.3.2 API Reference

#### **Functions**

Name	Description	Params	Return
GetProjectId	Get the project ID from the game config file		FString The project ID
GetProjectName	Get the project name from the game config file		FString The project name
GetProjectDescription	Get the project description from the game config file		<b>FString</b> The project description
GetProjectVersion	Get the project version from the game config file		<b>FString</b> The project version
GetProjectCompanyName	Get the project company name from the game config file		FString The project company name
GetProjectCopyrightNotice	Get the project copyright notice from the game config file		FString The project copyright notice
GetProjectLicensingTerms	Get the project licensing terms from the game config file		<b>FString</b> The project licensing terms
GetProjectHomepage	Get the project homepage from the game config file		FString The project homepage

## 18.3.3 Blueprint Usage

You can use the ProjectUtils using Blueprints by adding one of the following nodes:

- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Id
- $\bullet \ Ultimate \ Starter \ Kit > Utils > Project > Get \ Project \ Name$
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Description
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Version
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Company Name
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Copyright Notice
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Licensing Terms
- Ultimate Starter Kit > Utils > Project > Get Project Homepage

## 18.3.4 C++ Usage

Before you can use the plugin, you first need to enable the plugin in your Build.cs file:

PublicDependencyModuleNames.Add("USK");

### The ${\tt ProjectUtils}$ can now be used in any of your C++ files:

```
#include "USK/Utils/ProjectUtils.h"

void ATestActor::Test()
{
    FString ProjectId = UProjectUtils::GetProjectId();
    FString ProjectName = UProjectUtils::GetProjectName();
    FString ProjectDescription = UProjectUtils::GetProjectDescription();
    FString ProjectVersion = UProjectUtils::GetProjectVersion();
    FString ProjectCompanyName = UProjectUtils::GetProjectCompanyName();
    FString ProjectCopyrightNotice = UProjectUtils::GetProjectCopyrightNotice();
    FString ProjectLicensingTerms = UProjectUtils::GetProjectLicensingTerms();
    FString ProjectHomepage = UProjectUtils::GetProjectHomepage();
}
```