Pac Defence Manual

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Basic Game Play

Towers



Aid Tower

Aids other towers whose centres are within its range. It gains 10% of the damage and kills inflicted by the towers it aids.



Beam Tower

Fires a straight beam from the centre of the tower to the centre of the sprite it is targetting and then travels in a circle in the opposite direction to the motion of the targetted sprite. Each sprite is hit a maximum of one time by the beam.



Bomber Tower

Fires an exploding bullet that does full damage to the sprite it hits and half to each sprite caught in the blast.



Charge Tower

When able to shoot but having no target in range to shoot, the charge tower will charge up - increase the damage of the next bullet it will fire. It takes two seconds to fully charge.



Circle Tower

The circle towers bullets follow a circular trajectory and can pass through multiple sprites doing full damage to each it hits.



Freeze Tower

This tower does very little damage, however when a sprite is hit by this tower it will freeze for a short amount of time. If an already frozen sprite is frozen it will stay frozen for the longer of the time it is currently frozen for, or the time the new hit would freeze it for.



Homing Tower

This towers bullets will home in on their targets. If the target dies before the bullet can hit, it will continue travelling in a straight line.



Jumper Tower

When each bullet hits, it can jump to retarget on another sprite. There must be another sprite withing half the range of the tower for this to happen and a sprite can be targetted a maximum of one time by this.



Laser Tower

Fires a laser instead of a bullet, doing damage based on the time the beam is over a sprite. The laser will also travel through sprites.

Multi Shot Tower

Fires multiple shots at once.

Omnidirectional Tower

Fires bullets in all directions at once, the trajectory of each bullet is regularly spaced.

Poison Tower

Poisons the sprites it hits, meaning they take poison damage for a short while after they are hit. Each poison hit is separate, so a sprite can be simultaneously poisoned by multiple hits from one tower, or a number of poison towers.

Scatter Tower

Scatters bullets at multiple sprites at once.

Slow Tower

Similar to the freeze tower, except instead of freezing the sprite it will reduce its speed by half (not cumulative).

Wave Tower

Fires a wave or arc that both hits multiple targets and passes through them.

Weaken Tower

Does little damage, but after it is hit by this tower a sprite will take double damage for a short period of time. Like the freeze and slow towers, if an already weakened sprite is hit it will be weakened for whichever is longer, the old hit or the new.

Zapper Tower

Fires a main bullet that inflicts no damage on its own, but will zap sprites within range. The range of the zaps is one quarter the range of the tower itself.

Ghost

Not really a tower as such, but a ghost is placed on the path and will kill 5 sprites before vanishing. Ghosts also vanish at the end of a level.