Surgical Strike The Language

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1 Overview

This document defines the syntax of Surgical Strike, a simple (non-Turing-complete) programming language for creating 3D graphics.

2 Keywords

2.1 incoming!

incoming!

This keyword must appear once and only once at the start of the program.

2.2 camouflage

camouflage ''filename''

Load the specified 3D model file to be inserted when "deliver" is called In the current implementation, this can be any model format supported by OpenSceneGraph.

2.3 deliver

deliver

Add the current payload (the model loaded by "load" textured with the bitmap loaded by "camouflage") to the theater.

2.4 clear

clear

Pop the current transformation matrix from the save stack.

2.5 codeword

codeword name

Start defining a new codeword with the given name.

This name must be unique within the .strike file.

It must start with a letter from a-z, and can contain only letters from a-z and numbers from 0-9.

Codewords cannot contain definitions for other codewords, but may contain calls to them.

2.6 load

payload ''filename''

Load the specified 2D bitmap image file to be mapped on to the current model when "deliver" is called

In the current implementation, this can be any 2D bitmap format supported by OpenSceneGraph.

2.7 manouver

manouver radius lambda phi

radius is the radius from the current origin, in multiples of the (approximate) bounding sphere of the payload.

lambda is longitude around the current origin, in degrees.

phi is latitude around the current origin, in degrees.

2.8 mark

mark

Push the current transformation matrix onto the save stack.

2.9 roll

roll x y z

x is added to rotation around the x axis.

y is added to rotation around the y axis.

z is added to rotation around the z axis.

2.10 scale

scale x y z

x is added to the scale of units along the x axis.

y is added to the scale of units along the y axis.

z is added to the scale of units along the z axis.

2.11 set

set

Finish defining the codeword that began being defined with "codeword".

3 Defining Codewords

Codeword definitions have the following form:

codeword klin manouver 0 0 45 deliver set

This creates a codeword named "klin" that moves 45 degrees and then adds an instance of the current model to the theater.

4 Executing Codewords

Codeword invocations must have one of the following forms:

klin

This will execute the previously defined codeword "klin".

klin 12

This will execute the previously defined codeword "klin" 12 times.