Subject: Aircraft - More for your dollar? Posted by Anonymous on Fri, 19 Apr 2002 10:11:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Well I don't think so. In my opinion, they are not worth 900. Ramjets and snipers simply do far too much damage to them. 1 Ramjet clip does 200 damage, and 1 Sniper rifle clip does about 120. I don't bother wasting my money on them...now if they had 200health/armor like they do in the Single PLayer Mod, then they would be worth 900. But an Orca can't survive more than 1 shot from the obelisk...and it should be this way, because in Tiberian Dawn/Sun, the Orca could take barely 2 shots from an obelisk. Anyone else think they need to be improved or cost lowered?

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well it would make sense that obelisk kills in 1 shot. Parachutes are appropriate in some terms, but in others it would be too easy. however it doesn't make much sense that snipers would do so much damage. Not every bit of a helicopter is vital, a lot of it is just walls.... perhaps if you shot the middle of the propeller or something like that, but it shouldn't be too easy.

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Subject: Aircraft - More for your dollar? Posted by Anonymous on Fri, 19 Apr 2002 16:58:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

quote:Originally posted by Devon:You should know that IRL, parachuting out of a chopper is suicide. You have a chance of surviving, but there is a very big risk that you will get chopped up by the rotors.Moron have you seen heartbreak ridge they where jumping from a CHINNOOK transport helicopter(same one as in renegade)! And the militry does do that. Also how can they be chopped up by the rotors idoit cause ppl will deploy them AFTER they clear the heli!

Subject: Aircraft - More for your dollar? Posted by Anonymous on Fri, 19 Apr 2002 20:00:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

quote:Originally posted by Devon:Uh... what kind of BS is that? The Obelisk couldn't fire at airborn

units. And if you landed your unit near the Obelisk it killed it in one shot.yeah exactly

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Snipers do so much damage to choppers because they have a light armor class just like mrls, mobile artillery, hummvee and he buggy. The ramjet does 80 damage to these vehciles and the sniper rifle does 30.

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I don't know about the Orca, but the Apache is heralded for the armor on her. I've seen birds with all sorts of hell shot out of them still flying. I still think the things need lockable rockets.

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quote: and it should be this way, because in Tiberian Dawn/Sun, the Orca could take barely 2 shots from an obelisk. Uh... what kind of BS is that? The Obelisk couldn't fire at airborn units. And if you landed your unit near the Obelisk it killed it in one shot.

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quote: People complained that snipers were near useless.People wanted aircraftExactly. Those 1000 credit snipers now have a very big and useful role. quote: Not every bit of a helicopter is vital, a lot of it is just walls.... perhaps if you shot the middle of the propeller or something like that, but it shouldn't be too easy. You should note, that snipers don't shoot just little bullets, they shoot freaking big blue beams! Take 6 of those through a copter and chances are you'll crash it. Also look at the size of the aircraft, they are way too small to have a lot of useless walls.I think things are fine as it is, aircraft are very fun to use, and its unbelievably awsome to watch a group of them raid a base. People will always use them, because flying is fun, and now snipers like me have better things to do than pick off infantry.

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Man that guy with the computer spec in his sig spends WAY too much time and money on his computer, u need to get out more. And why the hell would you want 2 DVD-ram drives, come to think of it why the hell would you even want one, there poo, now DVD-RW+ theres a good thing you should sell them 2 and get one of them.[April 20, 2002: Message edited by: ash_uk]

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Subject: Aircraft - More for your dollar? Posted by Anonymous on Sat, 20 Apr 2002 06:04:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

quote:Originally posted by DaveGMM:What about Having a button that propells the Rotors away from the plane, then enabling you to Parachute?because that would belong in the realms of fantasy.Helicopter pilots aren't in the habit of getting someone else to hold the controls while they jump out with a parachute.AFYI, paratroopers don't parachute out of helicopters, they jump out of hauler aircraft such as the hercules.

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snipers should be toned down..in c&c td, you barely scratched a buggy with a sniper, now, you dont need that many shots with it...i dont like it; its like, the bigger the gun; the more damage it does to EVERYTHING.c'mon, i know renegade isnt made for realism, but a little bit cant do any harm

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we have big blue lazers that shoot from the international space station...

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maybe make ORCA's more manerverable

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Cool... I wonder if there are gun laws on lasers. I think I need one for "personal defence". lol

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Ummmm whats the topic again? Everyone seems to be talking about how helicopter pilots eject ()Oooohhhh yeah. I'll get back to you once I've actually flown one, but for now I'll tell you this everyone was dieing for aircraft and were dissapointed when they were left out originally. Now there are very few positive comments being posted about them - so WHATS WRONG WITH ALL OF YOU!?!?!

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I think they're quite good. i especially love sitting in a humvee outside my base, watching the apaches come over then swatting them down like flies. I think the helis are best used to cause mischeif, fly around, harassing tanks and troops. They're no good just shooting at one target.

Subject: Aircraft - More for your dollar? Posted by Anonymous on Sat, 20 Apr 2002 09:59:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I agree with celica330, they just cost too much. In an aircraft game most ppl will buy an aircraft that die eaily doin stuff all on damage, also a flame tank for nod is a betta option. Snipers only do about 20 a clip vs a flame tank, and they only cost 800 with 400/400 health/armor, which means that aircraft really do nothing when it comes to kill time, and some sniper will just sit where they cant

be hit and load off a clip, i beleive it is betta to buy something which is more effective and can take a decent hit. That is the reason why i agree with celcia330, the only reason ppl like aircraft is cause they can go up and down.

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Oh, I don't know about that. Helis are great tankkillers. No tank can fire straight up, so just hover right above its roof and eat through its armor with the chaingun. Takes a while but there is no way for the tank to escape - wherever it can go, you can follow.

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When paratroopers jump out of chinooks, they jump from the side and down. When you eject from an attack chopper, you go up and then down, probally through the rotors. How much does the regular sniper rifle do to a buggy? I know that ramjets do tons of damage, because, obviously, it is essentially a railgun that shoots bullets instead of the railgun that shoots energy things. But regular sniper rifles shoot regular bullets. And in my opinion, attack choppers are only good if you know how to use em. They can take out tanks and infantry easy out in the open, but in a place like city, a group of hidden snipers can easily take out a chopper in seconds. They are good for hit-and-runs tactics and base defense, but make poor attackers since they can be taken out by regular soldiers fast.

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