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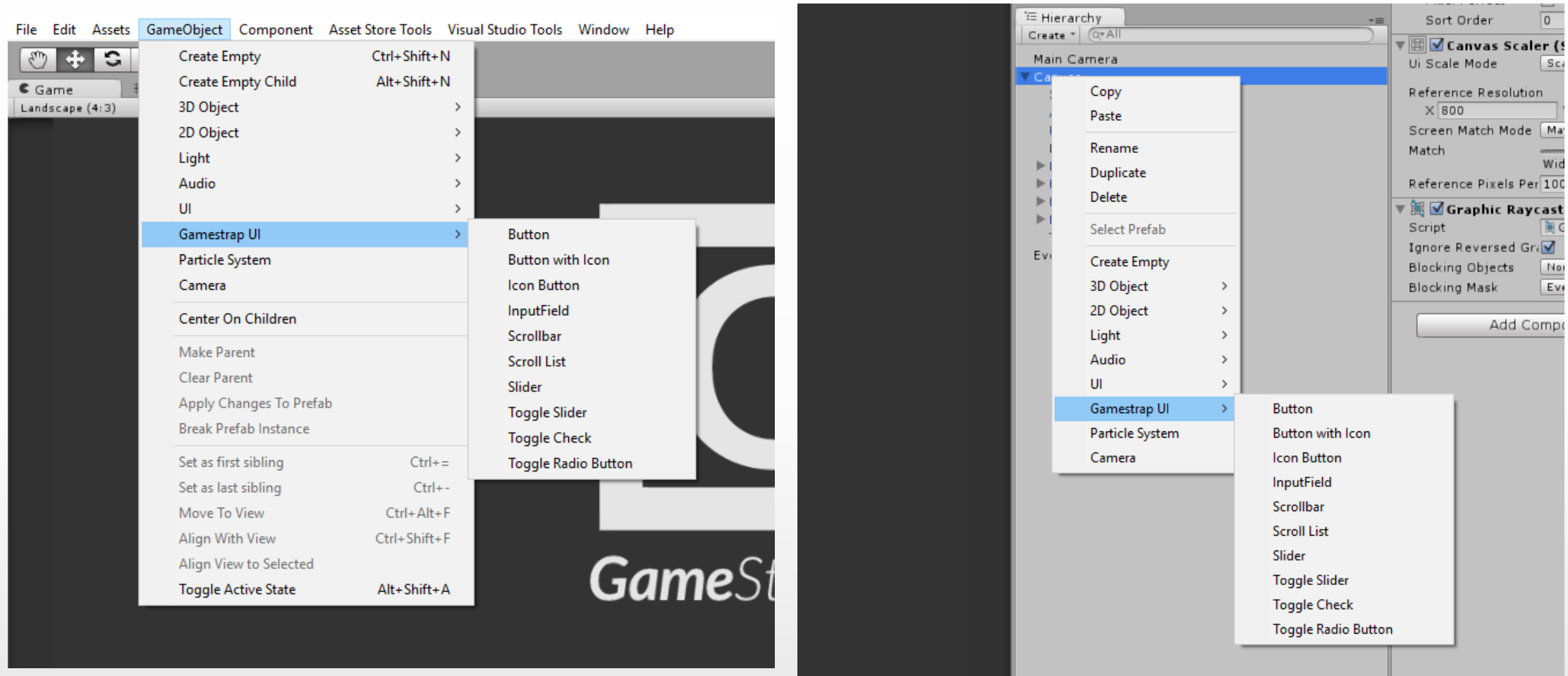
Introduction

- is a user interface pack that allows you to create your UI designs faster with less effort.
- Features
 - 60+ Icons in PSD format
 - 70+ 9-sliced shapes and borders in PSD format
 - 10 fonts
 - Gamestrap Theme Toolkit
 - Supports Unity 4.6 and above
 - Complete project UI example
 - Examples of UI screens

Structure

- **/Editor** – Custom editor and menu item scripts
- **/Effects** – Custom UI effects
- **/Examples** – Contains the complete UI project example, tag example and a group of scenes with UI examples you can play with
- **/Fonts** – Library of fonts
- **/Graphics** – All of the psd files with the base and icons
- **/Helper Scripts** – Scripts that are used in the examples
- **/Prefabs** – You will find all of the UI prefabs that have the default Gamestrap values implemented
- **/Showcase** – A set scenes that show all of the graphics, fonts and effects Gamestrap offers.

Prefab UI Elements



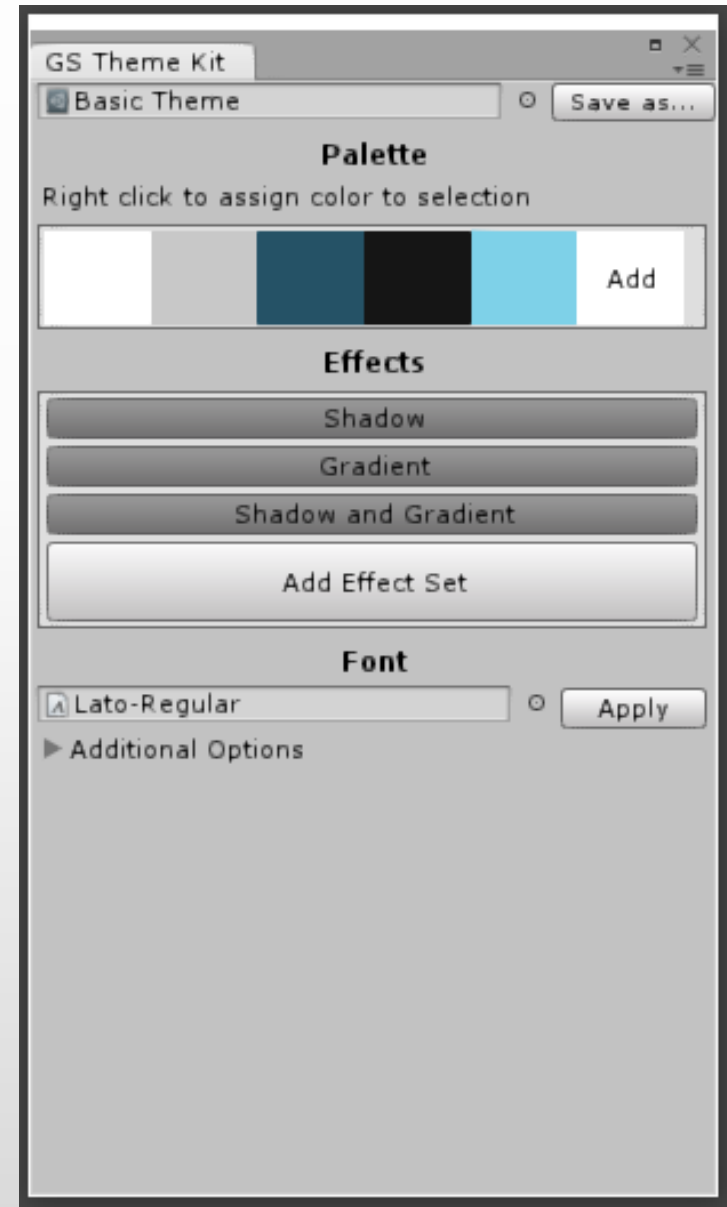
These are UI prefabs we created for you to start with, there are useful UI elements like the Scroll List which incorporates all of the Scroll list element so you don't have to do everything.

- In the main menu under "GameObject/"
- Right click in the context menu in the hierarchy window you'll see the same ""
- You can access directly to the folder "/Prefabs"

Theme toolkit

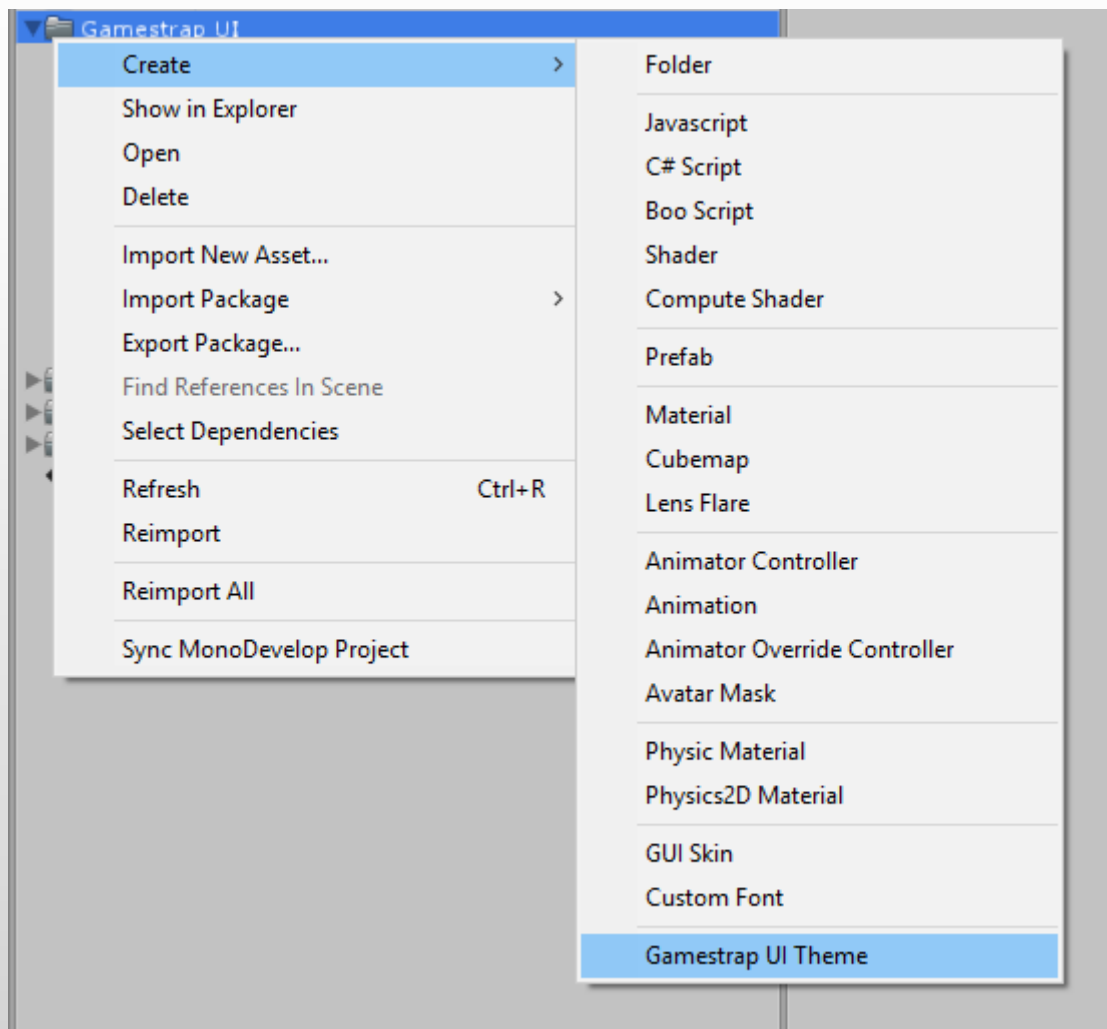
Features

- Create themes in your project that contain sets of colors & effects.
- Save colors and effects you use to apply to the UI you want
- Apply fonts to selected Gameobjects and it's children quickly.
- Tag your UI and connect it to the colors and effects you want and apply them in one click.



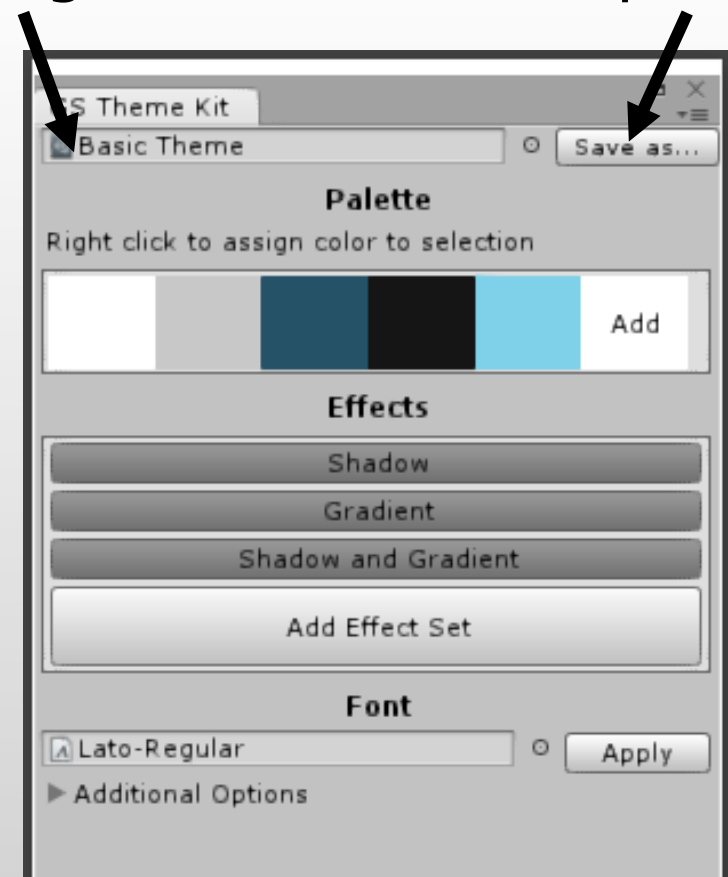
Theme Asset

- The Theme Toolkit has to have a theme assigned which contains a set of colors and effects.
- You can create themes in your project by right clicking on the project window "Create/Gamestrap UI Theme"
- You can assign and also duplicate a theme in the top of the theme toolkit window.



Assign

Duplicate



Palette

Button “Add” - Adds a new color set

Left-click on color box to open the details

Right-click on color box to apply to selected UI

Color Details Parameters

Button “Delete” - Deletes the color set

Name: Optional field to identify the color set

Tag: Optional field that allows you connect the color set to any UI that has that tag

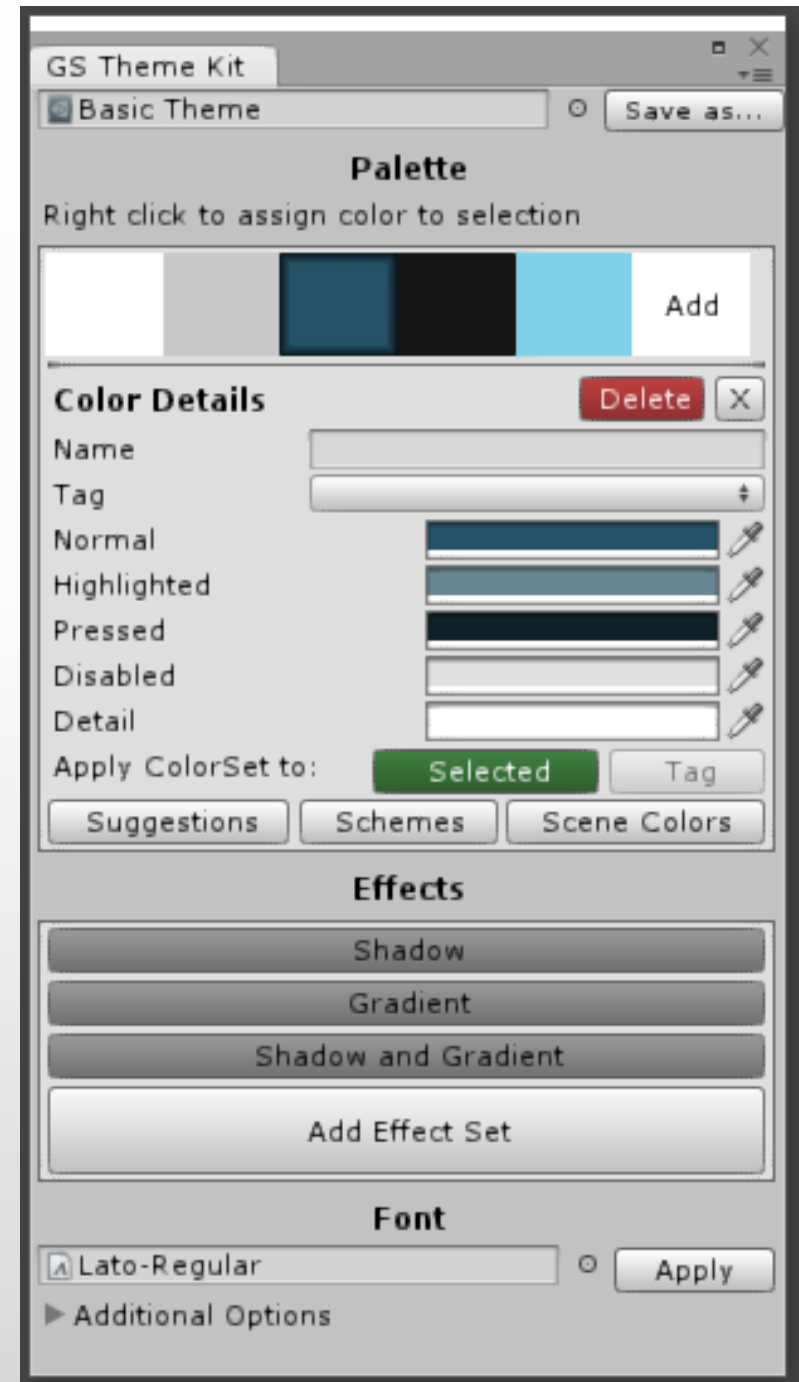
ColorBlock : Default colors in UI

Normal
Highlighted
Pressed
Disabled

Detail: Color that is applied to the children of the selected UI

Button “Selected”: Applies the Color set to the selected UI in the scene

Button “Tag”: Applies the Colorset to the gameobjects in the scene that have the same tag.



Color helpers

Scene Colors

The colors that are currently on the scene

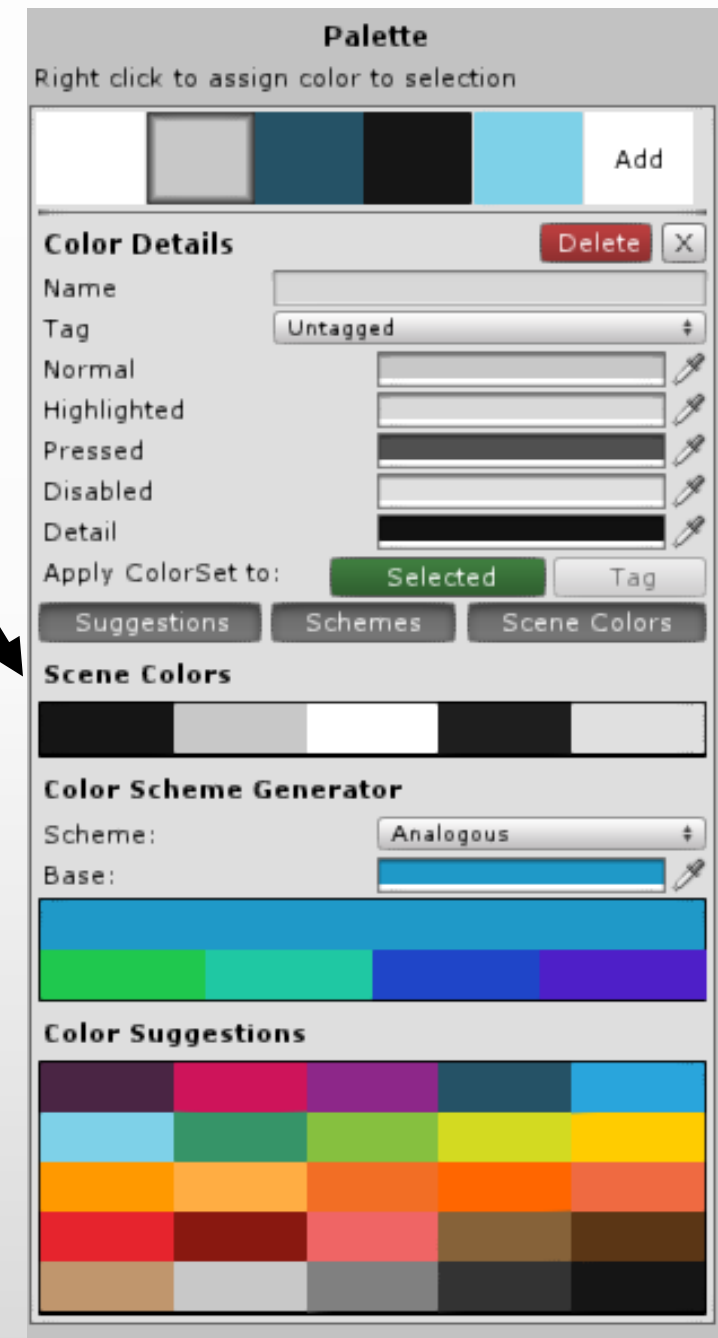
Schemes

Color theory algorithms to help you choose new colors based on one

- Analogous
- Triadic
- Complement
- Split Complement
- Monochromatic

Suggestions

A set of colors for you to choose from



Effects

Button “Add Effect Set” : Adds a new effect set

Left-click on buttons to open the details

Right-click on buttons to apply to selected UI

Effect Details Parameters

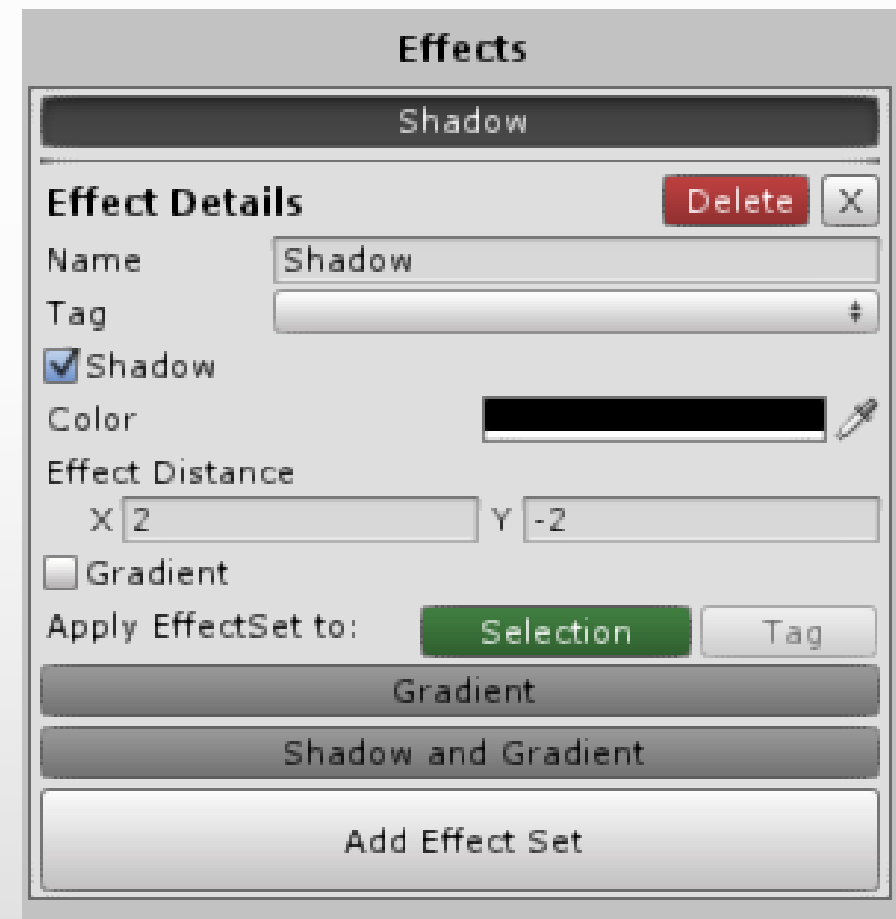
Button “Delete” - Deletes the effect set

Name: Optional field to identify the effect set

Tag: Optional field that allows you connect the effect set to any UI that has that tag

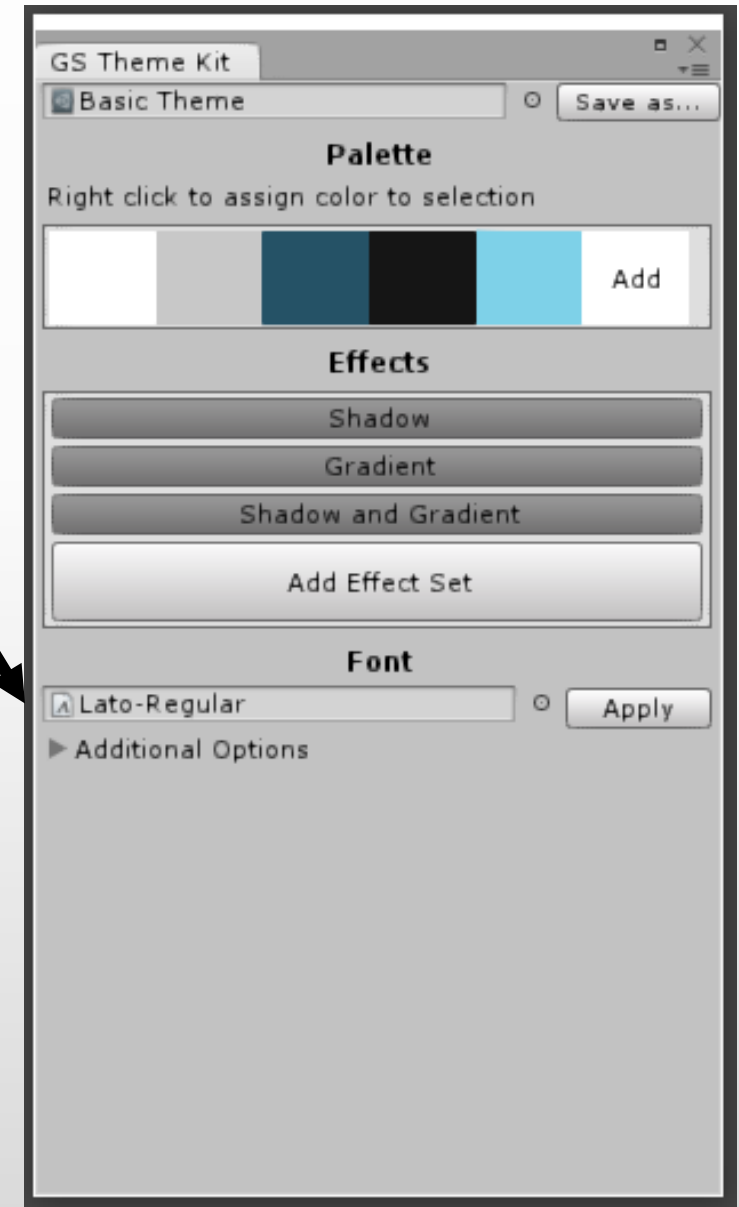
Button “Selected”: Applies the effect set to the selected UI in the scene

Button “Tag”: Applies the effect set to the gameobjects in the scene that have the same tag.



Font

- Just select the UI you want to apply the font and click the “Apply” button
- Gamestrap will then run through all of the selected UI and it’s children recursively assigning the font to any text component it finds.



Additional Options

Apply theme to Tags in scene

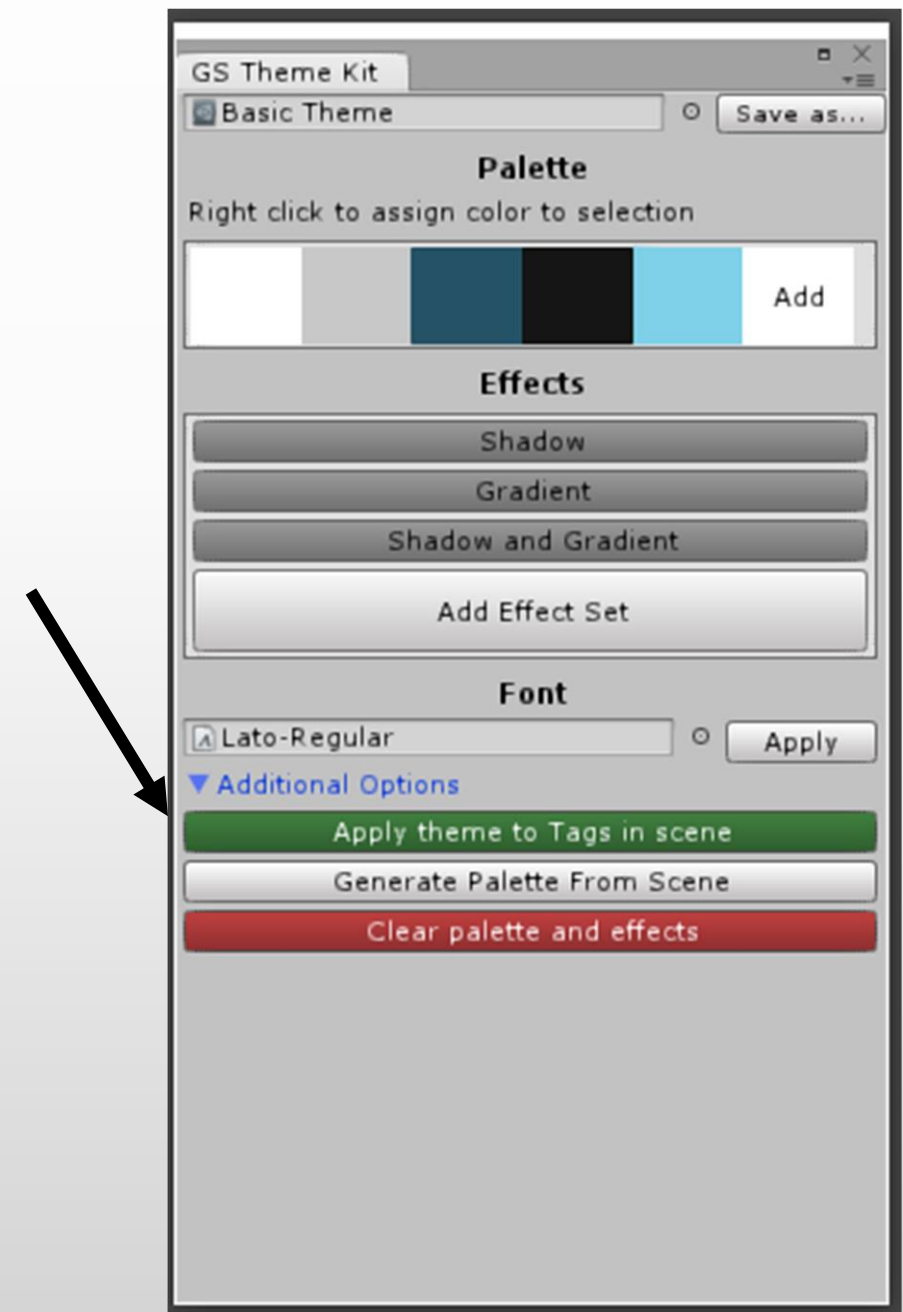
Gamestrap goes through the scene and applies color and the effects to any game object with the same tags as the palette and effects created.

Generate Palette from Scene

Gamestrap goes through the scene and creates a palette based on the colors in the scene

Clear palette and effects

All of the color sets and effect sets from the theme are deleted



Complete Project Example

Instructions

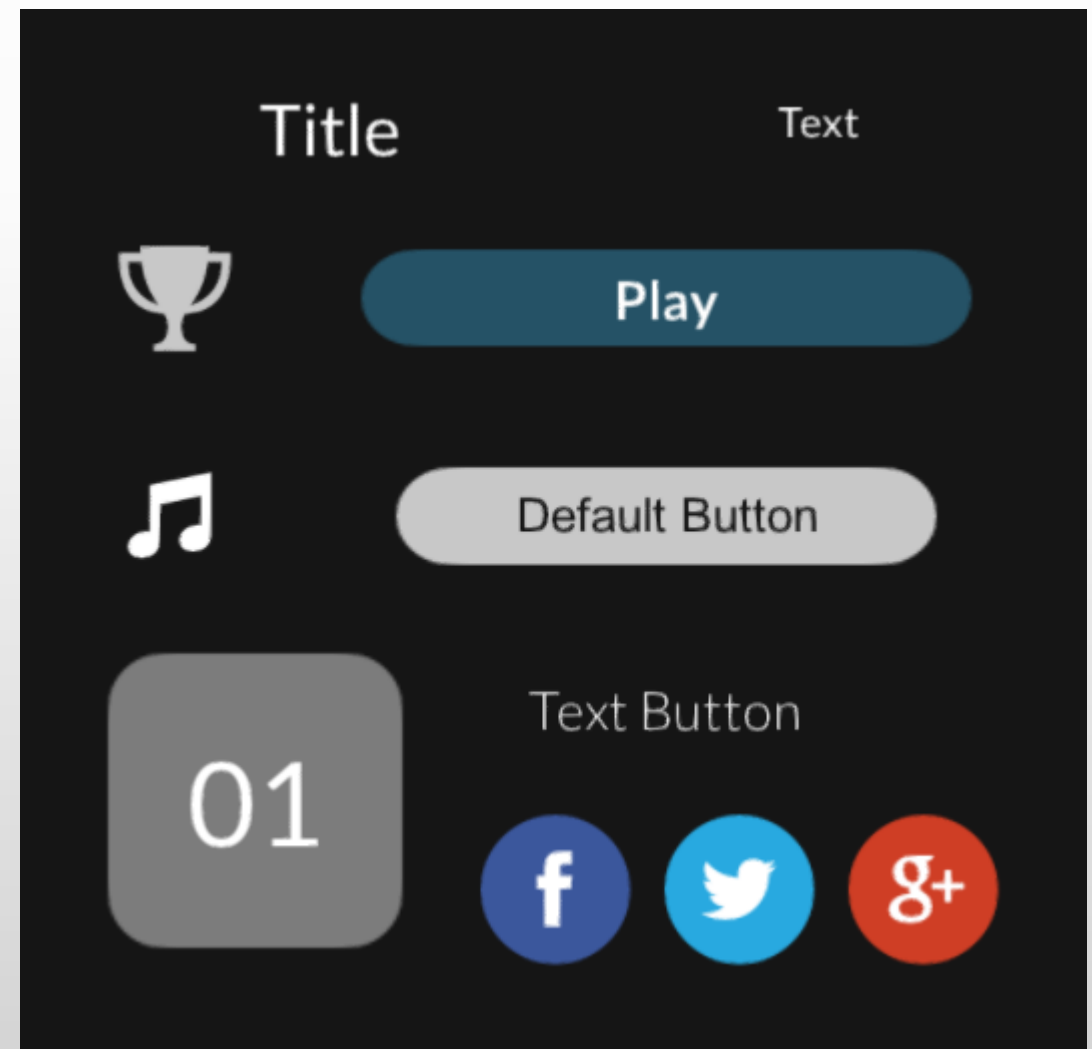
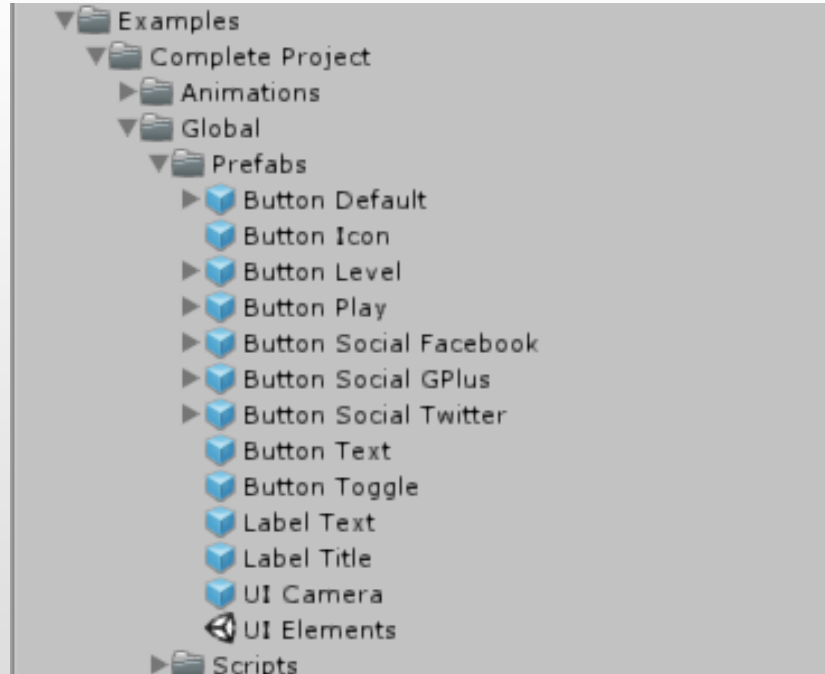
- Add the three scenes of the Complete Project Example to the "Scenes In Build" under "Build Settings"
- The scenes are located in "Assets/Examples/Complete Project/Screens/"
- Open the Main Menu Scene and press play.

Folder Structure

- Complete Project
 - Animations – Folder contains transition animations
 - Global – It has the assets that are used throughout the whole project
 - Screens – Contains the scenes and unique scripts that each scene requires.

UI Prefabs

- All the UI elements the project uses in every scene are made of these prefabs
- There is a scene "UI Elements" with all of the prefabs if you want to change the UI look and feel.
- They are located at "Examples/Complete Project/Global/Prefabs"



Additional Assets

- Application Control Prefab
 - Singleton Gameobject that is in charge of scene transitions and any other global logic/data.
 - It is present in every scene for testing purposes, but the only one that should matter is the one that is in the starting screen since it doesn't get destroyed when you load a new scene.
 - It contains it's own canvas for the scene transitions
- Global Scripts
 - ESceneNames: Enum with all of the project scene names to handle scene transitions easier
 - SceneTransitionButton: Generic UI script that you can assign to a button which will then do a scene transition when the button is clicked. You only need to assign it to the GameObject and set the scene you want to do the transition to.
- Example theme
 - theme will all of the colors and effects the project handles
- Control Gameobject in each scene
 - Gameobject that should handle the main logic of the scene
 - All of the control gameobjects have a script assigned to handle any specific UI logic

Tag Example

- The Tag Example scene comes with 3 different Gamestrap Themes for you to use
- Open Theme Toolkit
- Assign one of the themes you want
- Expand Additional Options
- Click on Apply theme to Tags in scene and see the change of the UI right away
- Please note that we use default tags due to compatibility issues with your projects, you should use new tags based on how you want the UI to work.



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