

Network packets



Network packets are a way of contacting to the host or client via sending or receiving data. The amount of defined network packets has been changing ever since the implementation of Http Dll 2.1¹⁾ in [Brick Hill Legacy Beta](#).

The table will be updated.

Brick Hill Legacy (latest) Network Packets

Network Packet type	What does the network packet contain?
1 (Authentication packet, defined by Node Hill as Authentication)	What Client sends: Token ²⁾ (string) Client version (string) What Host sends ³⁾ : Network ID ⁴⁾ (32-bit integer) Brick Count (32-bit integer) User ID ⁵⁾ (32-bit integer) Username (string) Are you an admin ? ⁶⁾ (8-bit integer) Membership type (8-bit integer) Game ID (32-bit integer) Game Name (string)
2 (Player position Packet, defined by Node Hill as Position) ⁷⁾	What Client sends: Position by X (float int) Position by Y (float int) Position by Z (float int) Rotation by Z (float int) Camera rotation by Z (float int)
3 (New player packet, client creates the obj_figure Object, defined by Node Hill as SendPlayers)	What Host sends: Amount of players (8-bit integer) Network ID (32-bit integer) Username (string) User ID ⁸⁾ (32-bit integer) Is new player an admin ? ⁹⁾ (8-bit integer) Membership type (8-bit integer)

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<p>4 (Client Data Packet, defined in GameMaker Client via packet_handler script; defined by Node Hill as Figure)</p>	<p>Client receives:</p> <p>ID type (string)</p> <p>Network ID (32-bit integer)</p> <p>ID types, defined in GameMaker client:</p> <p>A - Position by X (float int)</p> <p>B - Position by Y (float int)</p> <p>C - Position by Z (float int)</p> <p>D - ? (float int, unused)</p> <p>E - Camera Rotation (float int, unused)</p> <p>F - Player rotation by Z (float int)</p> <p>G - Player scale by X (float int)</p> <p>H - Player scale by Y (float int)</p> <p>I - Player scale by Z (float int)</p> <p>K - Head color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>L - Torso color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>M - Left Arm color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>N - Right arm color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>O - Left leg color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>P - Right Leg color (32-bit integer)</p> <p>Q - Face Item ID (string)</p> <p>R - Shirt Item ID¹⁰⁾ (string)</p> <p>S - Pants Item ID (string)</p> <p>T - T-Shirt Item ID (string)</p> <p>U - First Equipped Hat Item ID, receives Mesh UUID (string) and Texture UUID (string)</p> <p>V - Second Equipped Hat Item ID, receives Mesh UUID (string) and Texture UUID (string)</p> <p>W - Third Equipped Hat Item ID, receives Mesh UUID (string) and Texture UUID (string)</p> <p>X - Score (32-bit integer, can be negative)</p> <p>Y - Team (32-bit integer)</p> <p>The next ID Types are defined by GameMaker client as Local Changes:</p> <p>1 - Walking Speed (32-bit integer)</p> <p>2 - Jump Height (32-bit integer)</p> <p>3 - Field of View (32-bit integer)</p> <p>4 - Camera distance (32-bit integer, can be negative)</p> <p>5 - Camera position by X (float int)</p> <p>6 - Camera position by Y (float int)</p> <p>7 - Camera position by Z (float int)</p> <p>8 - Camera rotation by X (float int)</p> <p>9 - Camera rotation by Y (float int)</p> <p>a - Camera rotation by Z (float int)</p> <p>b - Camera Type (string)</p> <p>c - Camera Object (32-bit integer)</p> <p>e - Health (float int)</p> <p>f - Speech¹¹⁾ (string, limited to 500 characters¹²⁾)</p> <p>g - Equipped tool: Slot ID (32-bit integer), Mesh UUID (string), Texture UUID (string)</p> <p>h - Sets Arm value to -1</p> <p>i - Is player alive?¹³⁾ (8-bit integer)</p> <p>The next ID Types are defined by GameMaker client as “new clothing system”:</p> <p>j - Clothe1 (string)</p> <p>k - Clothe2 (string)</p> <p>l - Clothe3 (string)</p> <p>m - Clothe4 (string)</p> <p>n - Clothe5 (string)</p>

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5 (Remove Player Packet, defined by Node Hill as RemovePlayer)	Client receives the user's Network ID (32-bit integer) and removes its obj_figure object from the game.
6 (Chat Message Packet, defined by Node Hill as Chat)	Client receives a formed by Host chat Message (string, 500 limit)
7 (Environment Data, GUI; defined by Node Hill as PlayerModification)	What Client receives: Data Type (string): topPrint - Top Text: Message (string), Time (32-bit integer) centerPrint - Middle Text: Message (string), Time (32-bit integer) bottomPrint - Bottom Text: Message (string), Time (32-bit integer) Ambient - Ambient color (32-bit integer) Sky - Sky color (32-bit integer) BaseCol - Baseplate color (32-bit integer) BaseSize - Baseplate size (32-bit integer) Sun - Sun intensity (32-bit integer) kick - Kicks the client ¹⁴⁾ prompt - Prompt message (string) WeatherSnow - Sets the weather to snow WeatherRain - Sets the weather to rain WeatherSun - Sets the weather to sun TweakDisableFigureCulling - Disables the Figure culling option TweakDisableLighting - Disables lighting TweakRaySpacing - ? (float int) MoreClickInfo - enables more information on click (8-bit integer)
8 (Kill Packet, defined by Node Hill as Kill)	Client receives the user's Network ID (32-bit integer) and sets the alive variable to 0 to its corresponding obj_figure object.
9 (Brick Modification Packet, defined by Node Hill as Brick)	Client receives the obj_brick's Network ID (32-bit integer) and the type of Modification (string). Brick Modifications: pos ¹⁵⁾ - Position by X (float int) Position by Y (float int) Position by Z (float int) rot ¹⁶⁾ - Rotation by Z (float int) scale ¹⁷⁾ - Scale by X (float int) Scale by Y (float int) Scale by Z (float int) kill ¹⁸⁾ - Time until destruction (32-bit integer) destroy - Removes the brick col ¹⁹⁾ - Color (32-bit integer) alpha ²⁰⁾ - Alpha (float int) lightcol ²¹⁾ - Color (32-bit integer) lightrange ²²⁾ - Range (32-bit integer) model ²³⁾ - Mesh UUID (string) Texture UUID (string) collide ²⁴⁾ - Collision state (8-bit integer) clickable ²⁵⁾ - Clickable state (8-bit integer) Clickable distance (32-bit integer) global - ? ignoreLight ²⁶⁾ - makes ignoreLight variable true
10 (New team packet, defined by Node Hill as Team)	Client receives: Team ID (32-bit integer) Name (string) Color (32-bit integer)

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11 (New tool packet, defined by Node Hill as Tool)	Client receives: Active state (8-bit integer) Slot ID (32-bit integer) Name (string)
12 (Bot Data packet, defined in GameMaker Client via packet_handler_figure script; defined by Node Hill as Bot)	Client receives: String ID (string) Figure ID (32-bit integer) Regarding the packet_handler_figure Script: It generally contains the same information as packet_handler Script, except it does not need Local Changes.
13 (New Projectile Packet, defined by Node Hill as Projectile)	Client receives: Active state (8-bit integer) Projectile ID (32-bit integer) Diameter (32-bit integer) Color (32-bit integer) Position by X (float int) Position by Y (float int) Position by Z (float int) Direction (32-bit integer) Direction by Z (32-bit integer) Velocity (32-bit integer)
14 (Clear Map Packet, defined by Node Hill as ClearMap)	Client removes all the bricks after it has received this packet
15 (Remove Bot packet, defined by Node Hill as DestroyBot)	Client receives the Figure ID (32-bit integer) and removes the bot by its Network ID
16 (Remove Brick packet, defined by Node Hill as DeleteBrick)	Client receives the Brick ID (32-bit integer) and removes the brick by its ID.
17 (SendBrick Packet, Node Hill definition)	What client receives: Network ID (32-bit integer) Position by X (float int) Position by Y (float int) Position by Z (float int) Scale by X (float int) Scale by Y (float int) Scale by Z (float int) Color (32-bit integer) Transparency (float int)
18 (Heartbeat packet, sent in Brick Hill Legacy Client via update_delta script)	What Client sends: Type ID (18) Message (sent via socket_write_message ²⁷⁾)

¹⁾ GameMaker 8.1 extension with better networking features.

²⁾ user's auth key

³⁾ should be received by client

⁴⁾ object id of a obj_client, assigned by Node Hill

⁵⁾ retrieved via Brick Hill site API, hence the auth key **must be verified**

⁶⁾ ⁹⁾ ¹³⁾
 , ,
 1 - true, 0 - false

⁷⁾ Earlier: unused method of loading bricks. Exists yet commented out in the game code of latest Brick Hill Legacy Client

8)

retrieved via Brick Hill site API on host side

10)

unused, old. Same with Pants, T-Shirt

11)

bubble chat message

12)

If this packet function didn't check the length of the chat message then hosts using `Game.on('chat')` could cause clients to crash by relaying very large chat messages. Self explanatory.

14)

this will become a vulnerability if the player socket will not be destroyed by **Host** itself

15)

Changes brick position

16)

Changes brick rotation by Z

17)

Changes the scale of brick

18)

Unanchors the brick

19)

Changes the brick color

20)

Changes the brick's transparency

21)

Changes the light color

22)

Changes the light range

23)

Sets the custom model to brick

24)

Changes the brick collision

25)

Changes the click state and distance for a brick

26)

Logically, this should ignore the light, Client source code got its option commented out (was supposed to support 8-bit integer)

27)

Http Dll 2.1 citation: Sends a message. A message is sent by first sending the size of the message (as uintv), followed by the actual message data. This is handled automatically by the DLL, you don't need to do anything special if the receiver also uses Http Dll 2.

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