## // Duels UX Solve: Customization

## UX Concerns:1

- Planes do not look their best, nor very different from each other or the environment
- Customization is too complex for initial roll out.

# Validity - Critical:<sup>2</sup>

- EEDAR, and internally we acknowledge customization is too complex
- $\bullet$   $\;$  Customization adds value, and attachment and supports core loop  $\;$
- Similar products simplify customization

### Solution Pillars<sup>3</sup> -

- Both casual and core users should see great visual difference when looking at different jets.
- Customization system should set user up for success, not force them to be an artist to do it.
- Presentation of Jets should show user customization potential

# Solution [1] Process [Resources Required: Design, Art, Engineering] :

- System: Colors:
  - Colors should be presented to users as one selection that colors the three parts of the plane



- Initial Set of Colors should not cost users (think of it as when the user purchases this plane they get these sets w/ plane)
   10 15 color sets initially
- o Premium currency planes should have exclusive stock color sets to differentiate them from other jets
- Bosses can have exclusive color sets that drop , these are only viewable on the customization page

#### System Store:

- Jets should have a default color scheme already applied
  - to add diversity
  - to give user preview of customization potential
  - so when people fly their plane its not just grey even if they have never customized
- Colors should be viewable and changeable on the store screen

<sup>3</sup> Solution Pillars: Each solution should lend itself to supporting these. Three to Five should be sufficient.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> UX Concerns: These are focused issues the document will identify, quantify, and solve.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Validity: A scale on how serious the ux concern is in relation to product success. [Critical : Proven via internal research [UR and/or UX group], part of core ux loop, will most likely affect product profitability. Medium: Concern in relation to other similar products, research and future scalability, part of profitability loop, could affect product profitability. Low: Has not been proven, part of product, affects UX].

See CSR, and allows users to customize as they buy; building attachment

## Layout Updates

- Include paint "sets" on the shop page, and allow user to dynamically color potential jet purchases
- Fix Bottom Menu to Work as it works in CSR (selector stays in center, bottom bar scrolls)
- Add Jet Info (Location flag from where its built, and date manufactured)



- Customization:
  - Color Sets should appear just as they appeared in the Purchase Screen
  - o Feel free to display "locked" color sets that can only be gotten by beating bosses or other "drops"
    - If the user tries to preview a locked color sets, update contextual text to "unlock upon ..." (gives user a carrot)

• Categories of customization to purchase should be decals and patterns

- Decals should add passive bonuses when purchased
- Patterns should use the base color set that is chosen
- Layout Updates:
  - Fix Bottom Menu to Work as it works in CSR (selector stays in center, bottom bar scrolls)

**Commented** [1]: Not a thing anymore

- Initial Customize Screen (displays color sets) should have categories for:

  - Decals
    Paint (default) Paint now houses Patterns and Colors
- Player chooses Decal
- paint selection changes to decal selection, bottom menu shifts so decal is in the middle "selected spot"
   Need a spot to show a text Name for Paint and Decals

- Purchase Now Simplified:
   Player can only purchase one pattern or decal at a time
  - If player backs out without purchasing, revert jet back to previous customization set by player that doesn't require purchase