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FEATURE ERODING VIDEO GAME DEMONSTRATION SOFTWARE

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FUNKTIONSERODIERENDE DEMOSOFTWARE FÜR VIDEOSPIEL

Title (fr)
LOGICIEL DE DÉMONSTRATION DE JEU VIDÉO À ÉROSION DE FONCTION

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Abstract (en)
[origin: US2010056269A1] A demonstration video game permits garners a more complete game experience while promoting a desire to acquire permission to continue playing. In some embodiments, a video game is implemented with trigger metrics. While a user may initially experience most or all of the full version of the game in a demonstration mode, the mode implements trigger metrics to erode game play characteristics, such as character, object, event and/or environmental features, during video game play in the demonstration mode. Thus, fewer play characteristics may be available as play continues in this mode. Multiple trigger metrics may gradually and successively limit play characteristics as play with the game continues. As the gamer loses functionality, the user may be prompted with the trigger metrics to purchase permission to continue the game in a non-demonstration mode that disables the trigger metrics and returns the game to the more complete version.

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