

****First off: These are real photos from the game and have not been photoshopped or modified in any way. (except for zooming)****

Okay, so recently I've been playing around Maywar, because, hey, I got a PC that can actually run SP. So new island, I'm exploring it in my mini-car thing that I made. So I've been testing to see if I can make an air-dropped RC spy car thing, and so I fly from Wright and drop my car onto Maywar, usually around the convoy, because, hey, that's cool. And so one day, I drop from my cargo plane and I see this.

And I see this.

What do I say? It's a convoy, right?

Look closer.

Do you see that?

Is it a tank or some new vehicle?

Here's the pic but even closer.

What is that thing...

Hmmm...

I was actually pretty sure that it was two trucks or tanks that glitched together, until I drove closer... and the thing shot me. With a cannon.

Definitely a tank.

****Circumstances:****

1. Spawns on Beta 1.10.103.0*
2. Must not be starting from a spawn on Maywar*
3. Spawns only during day

4. Spawns only if there is at least 6 vehicles in the convoy*
5. Spawns roughly at a chance of 1/27ish from current tests
6. Spawn location varies, but either at Windmill Farm or Worker's Village*
7. Has never spawned two of the new vehicles together yet
8. Could also be spawned from either the Krakabola convoy, other map designations, but not confirmed
9. Will never spawn if there are no AA Tanks (It is possible, if not a rare occurrence, to have a line of trucks without protection)

It is not completely sure if any assumptions with an asterisk are correct. Many things are uncertain about this new vehicle. Further spawning and encountering test must be made to be confident of the results.

More photos of the occurrence:

Edit:

From recent testing, the actual chance of this occurrence spawning seems to be very low; I'm not sure if it is a bug but I have flown close enough to see that it is indeed a tank, with the same build style as the rest of the convoy. This might be something similar to the Brown Peral, which has textures and is not a normal build. From closer looks it seems to be similar to a T-90's shape, just without the back fuel barrels.

It drives at the same rate as the convoy, so it is not an normal AI plane. From the top three and the bottom two pictures, the convoy has shifted. The fifth picture was taken at Pharaoh's Gardens, and the sixth at Worker's village. I tried to get closer, and I was shot by the tank and the AA Tanks. I have not encountered it again since.

Drake had some better luck and at about the 29th or so try it spawned near the windmills. His pictures are the fourth, seventh and eighth ones. His convoy started out in two rows for some reason, but shifted back into place as you can see in the eighth picture. He used his drone in to try to spy on the convoy except he also was shot by the AA Tanks. (We were on a MP server so as you can see the pictures are different because of level quality)

Again, this may be a bug or a special easter egg, so don't waste too much time searching for it. It may not appear. There may be special times or chances that it spawns, and maybe you have to paradrop onto a convoy. I do not know. I have only seen this convoy vehicle once, so all of the photos here are taken of the same convoy. No one is sure what it is, so if you're lucky you may encounter it. But searching for it is probably not a good idea anyway. That's my advice. And... well... it has a cannon.

If you do want to find it, just fly close to the convoy. If it acts aggressive then the tank is probably there.

Convoys with tanks found:

"Single AA Tank" (Featured in the first five pictures) - Sighted by officialryanyang

"Armada" (Featured in the fourth, seventh and eighth picture) - Sighted by Drake

"[UNNAMED]" (Not featured yet) - Sighted by ""