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Military Al Works AMC East Coast C-5 Complete Al Package



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This freeware Al package, produced by Military Al Works, is the first in a four part series depicting the heavy lifters of the United States Air Force' Air Mobility Command, The C-17 Globemaster III and the C-5 Galaxy. This part depicts the C-5 squadrons spread throughout the eastern part of the United States including the 105th Airlift Wing, 439th Airlift Wing, 9th Airlift Squadron, 445th Airlift Wing, 164th Airlift Wing and the 167th Airlift Wing. This package contains flightplans, callsigns and afcads depicting each unit.

*NOTE: Be sure to remove an older version of an MAIW AFCAD "MAIW_AF2_KSWF_DEFAULT_DK" there is an updated version of this airport (KSWF) "MAIW AF2 KSWF DEFAULT" included in this package.

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1. About MAIW

Military Al Works (MAIW) is a loosely affiliated, international group of flightsim enthusiasts who share the common goal of seeing realistic military Al traffic in MS Flightsim. Our goals:

- 1) Produce only high-quality, freeware packages and products
- 2) Create military AI traffic accurately within the bounds of MS Flightsim
- 3) Promote new freeware military Al models, scenery and products
- 4) Advance military AI modeling of countries around the globe
- 5) Respect the rights of designers and contributors

To learn more about MAIW or to become a contributor, visit our website at http://militaryaiworks.com.

2. Credits

AFCADs:

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- Duncan Mackellar
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- Nick Needham

Voicepacks:

- Desmond Burrell
- Stewart Pearson

Flightplans:

Desmond Burrell

Beta Testing:

MAIW Beta Team

3.Units Included in this Package

105th Airlift Wing/ 137th Airlift Squadron Base: Stewart Intl (KSWF)

Callsign: Polo

164th Airlift Wing/155th Airlift Squadron

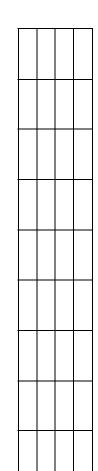
Base: Memphis Intl (KMEM)

Callsign: Elvis

167th Airlift Wing/167th Airlift Squadron

Base: Eastern WV Regional Airport (KMRB)

Callsign: Decoy



439th Airlift Wing/337th Airlift Squadron Base: Westover ARB (KCEF) Callsign: Rodd 445th Airlift Wing/89th Airlift Squadron Base: Wright Patterson AFB (KFFO) Callsign: Rhino 436th Airlift Wing/9th Airlift Squadron Base: Dover AFB (KDOV) Callsign: Bolar 4. Installation Step 1) Install this package 1) Install the package in accordance with the on-screen prompts Step 2) Remove duplicate AFCAD files Open your "Flight Simulator 9/Addon Scenery/scenery" folder and remove any previously installed AFCAD's for the following airports (e.g. "AF2_XXXX.bgl," "AF2_XXXX_DEFAULT_XX.bgl" or

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KCEF KDOV

KFFO

KMEM

KMRB

KSWF

UAFM

NOTE: Failure to remove these duplicate files may result in problems with Al aircraft parking and operation. It is recommended you move these to a temporary folder instead of deleting them; however, you should not need them again as the AFCADs included in this package are thoroughly researched and highly detailed. If you are using add-on scenery for one of the above airfields, it is recommended you do NOT remove the AFCAD for the add-on scenery, but instead remove the MAIW AFCAD file (e.g. MAIW_XXXX_DEFAULT.bgl) after installation.

Step 3) Install callsign voicepacks

- **3a)** If you don't have the EditVoicepack 3.1 freeware installed, download it and install it by clicking here.
- **3b)** Run EditVoicepack and import all vcpmod files included in with this installation
- 3c) Choose "Import" from the "File" menu
- **3d)** Find the folder "Flight Simulator 9/Military AI Works/USA/USAF/AMC East Coast C-5s/Voicepack Callsigns" in the "Look in:" window
- 3e) Click "open" for each file

BOLAR, DECOY, ELVIS, EVAC, POLO, RHINO, RODD

- **3f)** Update the Voicepack for FS9 by choosing "Update Voicepack" from the "File" menuensure the "Custom/Callsigns" box is checked in the left hand window. (note: the update may take a few minutes—do not attempt to start FS9 until the update is complete. Look for "Ready" in the lower left corner)
- 3g) When ready press save to keep the modifications

Step 4) Install Custom Scenery

While there is no custom scenery included with this package, an optional AFCAD for Memphis International Airport has been included. This AFCAD is to be used with the payware Memphis International Airport scenery by Blueprint Simuations. This optional AFCAD can be found in the Optional Files folder located in the "Military AI Works/USA/USAF/AMC East C-5s" folder.

That's it! You've successfully installed this package. Your AI traffic files will be automatically updated the next time you run FS9



5. Troubleshooting

Problems addressed:

"I've installed the package, but there are no Military Al aircraft at the airports"

"When I go to an airport, there are Al planes parked on top of one another"

"I can't find the aircraft in the aircraft selection menu"

"When the Military AI planes talk to ATC, they use only numbers, not callsigns"

"I'm following the Military Al aircraft, and they won't come back for touch-and-gos"

Problem: "I've installed the package, but there are no Military AI aircraft at the airports"

Potential issue: FS9 Al traffic density set too low

Fix action: In FS9, set the Al traffic density slider to at least 20%.

Problem: "When I go to an airport, there are AI planes parked on top of one another"

Potential issue: Multiple AFCADs active for the same airport

<u>Fix action</u>: Using Windows Explorer, open the folder "Flight Simulator 9/Addon scenery/scenery." Look for duplicate entries for the following airport identifier:

KCEF KDOV

KFFO

KMEM

KMRB KSWF Files may be named in several ways. The most common are "AF2_KXXX.bgl," "AF2_KXXX_DEFAULT_XX.bgl" and "PAI_AF2_DEFAULT.bgl." Keep the file names starting with MAIW and remove all others with duplicate airport identifiers.

Problem: "I can't find the aircraft in the aircraft selection menu"

<u>Issue</u>: These are Al aircraft and have been programmed to not show up in the flyable aircraft selection menu

<u>Fix action</u>: If you simply must select these aircraft, use an editing program such as AirEd and change the Aircraft type from "2" to "0"

Problem: "When the Military Al planes talk to ATC, they use only numbers, not callsigns"

<u>Potential issue</u>: Callsign Voicepacks were not installed correctly <u>Fix action</u>: Run the EditVoicepack software. Look for the following callsigns in the "custom modifications/callsigns" section of the program:

BOLAR DECOY ELVIS EVAC POLO RHINO RODD

If any of these are missing, choose "File/import" and open the appropriate .vcpmod file in the folder:-

Flight Simulator 9/Military Al Works/USA/USAF/AMC East Coast C-5s/Voicepack Callsigns"

Once this is complete, or if all callsigns are present, ensure the "Custom/Callsigns" box is checked in the left hand window and choose "File/Update Voicepack" to install them into FS9 (this may take a few minutes, do not open FS9 until the lower left of the EditVoicepack screen says "Ready.")

Problem: "I'm following the Military Al aircraft, and they won't come back for touch-and-gos"

Potential issue: You're following your Al aircraft

<u>Fix action</u>: Stop following your Al aircraft. For some reason, a watched Al aircraft does not always behave the way it is programmed to. If you wait for the aircraft at the airport, it will arrive on schedule

6. Notes and Resources

This package was built by the <u>Military Al Works</u> online community. If you are interested in making Military Al traffic more realistic, visit this site!

Flightplans:

The flightplans are fictional, but have been researched via Internet and message forums. We have tried to make the plans as "realistic" as possible and have had to use our own judgment

All flightplans were created using Notepad.

Flightplans were installed using Lee Swordy's TrafficTools freeware traffic compiler.

Callsigns:

The callsigns used in this package are actual callsigns used by these units, based on information obtained in manuals and on internet.

All callsigns were created using the ingenious <u>EditVoicepack</u> freeware. This program is extremely simple and fun to use—if you need a new Al callsign, give it a try!

AFCADs:

All AFCADs were created using Lee Swordy's <u>AFCAD v2.21</u>. This has got to be one of the finest freeware programs ever created. Want to add some Al parking to your local airport? AFCAD makes it fun!



7. Permissions and Disclaimers

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The contents of this package should not adversely affect your FS9 or computer operation if installed according to the instructions. The authors make no guarantee and bear no responsibility for adverse operation or lost/overwritten files on your computer.

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Sources:

All information used to create this package was obtained via online, open-source research and first hand accounts from active duty service members. All flight plans and schedules, while reasonable for military units, are fictional.

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