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### ***Military AI Works, Export Hawks Part 4B "BAHRAINI and KUWAITI HAWKS"***



**For FS 2004 / FS9**

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This freeware AI add-on from Military AI Works is part of a series of releases charting the Export versions of the British Aerospace Hawk jet fighter trainer. The Hawk is one of the greatest success stories in British aviation history, having been in service since 1976 and over 900 have already been sold around the world, with multiple new orders still being progressed.

The fourth part of this series is brought to you in 4 separate sub-parts covering the Hawks of the Middle East. This part covers Hawks of the Royal Bahraini Air Force and Kuwaiti Air Force.

Kuwait bought 12 "Hawk 64s" in 1983, which were cleared for operation with four AIM-9L Sidewinder AAMs. When Iraq invaded Kuwait in 1990, six of the Kuwaiti Hawks escaped to Bahrain and six were captured by the Iraqis. The Iraqis returned the six Hawks after their defeat in the Gulf War. The captured Hawks were unsurprisingly a little worse for wear after being in Iraqi custody, but they were refurbished with help from BAE and returned to flight status. Bahrain are a relatively new customer of the Hawk and deliveries of their 6 have just been completed.

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### **1. About MAIW**

Military AI Works (MAIW) is a loosely affiliated, international group of flightsim enthusiasts who share the common goal of seeing realistic military AI 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 AI 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://www.militaryaiworks.com>.

### **2. Credits**

Models:

- Hawk 60 and 100 by Nick Black

AFCADs:

- Gary Barker

Flight Dynamics:

- Mike "mikewmac" MacIntyre

Repaints:

- Nick Black

Voicepacks:

- Stewart Pearson and Nick Black

Flightplans:

- Gary Barker

Beta Testing:

- MAIW Beta Team



### 3. Units Included in this Package

#### Royal Bahraini Air Force – 5 Squadron – Shaikh Isa Air Base

Hawk 129



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#### Kuwaiti Air Force - 12 Training Squadron – Flight Training Centre - Ali Al Salem

Hawk 64



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## 4. Installation

### Step 1) Install this package

1a) 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 "PAI\_AF2\_XXXX\_DEFAULT.bgl") NOTE: LEAVE ALL AFCADS BEGINNING WITH "MAIW" as they were installed with step 1:

OBBS  
OKAS

NOTE: Failure to remove these duplicate files may result in problems with AI 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\_AF2\_EXXX\_DEFAULT\_NB.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 vcpmo files included in with this installation

3c) Choose "Import" from the "File" menu

3d) Find the folder "Flight Simulator 9\Military AI Works\Middle East\Kuwait and Bahrain Hawks\Callsigns" in the "Look in:" window

3e) Select all the files and click open The following callsigns should be added:

SUMMAN  
KUWAITAF

3f) Update the Voicepack for FS9 by choosing "Update Voicepack" from the "File" menu--ensure 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

***That's it! You've successfully installed this package.***



## 5. Troubleshooting

### **Problems addressed:**

["I've installed the package, but there are no Military AI aircraft at the airports"](#)

["When I go to an airport, there are AI 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 AI 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 AI traffic density set too low

Fix action: In FS9, set the AI traffic density slider to at least 2%.

**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

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

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Files may be named in several ways. The most common are "AF2\_EXXX.bgl," "AF2\_EXXX\_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"

Issue: These are AI aircraft and have been programmed to not show up in the flyable aircraft selection menu

Fix action: 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 AI planes talk to ATC, they use only numbers, not callsigns”**

Potential issue: Callsign Voicepacks were not installed correctly

Fix action: Run the EditVoicepack software. Look for the following callsigns in the “custom modifications/callsigns” section of the program:

SUMMAN  
KUWAITAF

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

“Flight Simulator 9\Military AI Works\Middle East\Kuwait and Bahrain Hawks\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 AI aircraft, and they won’t come back for touch-and-gos”**

Potential issue: You’re following your AI aircraft

Fix action: Stop following your AI aircraft. For some reason, a watched AI 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 [Military AI Works](#) online community. If you are interested in making Military AI 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. Aircraft in this package fly to bases that may need you to download a separate AFCAD for the aircraft to show up there, AFCADs may be found at Avsim.com, Flightsim.com and the Project AI Afcad site

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 [EditVoicepack](#) freeware. This program is extremely simple and fun to use—if you need a new AI callsign, give it a try!

### AFCADs:

All AFCADs were created using Lee Swordy's [AFCAD v2.21](#). This has got to be one of the finest freeware programs ever created. Want to add some AI parking to your local airport? AFCAD makes it fun!



## **7. Permissions and Disclaimers**

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Any questions, suggestions and feedback on the contents may be directed to the forums at [www.militaryaiworks.com](http://www.militaryaiworks.com).

### Sources:

All information used to create this package was obtained via online, open-source research. All flight plans and schedules, while reasonable for military units, are fictional.

Thanks to everyone who made this possible.  
Hello Jackie

