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### ***MAIW AMI (Aeronautica Militare Italiana -Italian Air Force) Tornado IDS/ECR Package***



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**For FS 2004 / FS9**

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This freeware AI package, produced by [Military AI Works](#) in cooperation with [World of AI](#), contains everything needed to fully activate AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR traffic at all AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR bases. Package contains afcads, flightplans (all current AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR Squadrons) and custom voice pack call signs for each squadron. Also included are repaints for AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR in service.

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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://militaryaiworks.com>.

## 2. Credits

Afcad creation:

- Luciano Franchini

Models:

- Tornado (all versions) by Fernando Martinez

Repaints:

- AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR by Graham King

Voicepacks:

- Stewart Pearson

Flightplans:

- Gary Barker

Beta Testing

- Barry Taylor
- Eric (Bora)
- John (Drmweaver2)
- Luciano
- Torsten

Easy-to-install packaging by [World of AI](#)



## 3. Units Included in this Package

[Brescia-Ghedi \(LIPL\) 6 Stormo Italian Air Force](#)



**154 Gruppo**

Aircraft: AMI TORNADO IDS

**102 Gruppo**

Aircraft: AMI TORNADO IDS

Callsigns: "DEMON" "DEVIL" "SATAN" "INDIA" "FRECCIA"

These pictures have Lucianos Ghedi Scenery installed (not included in this package but can be downloaded from Avsim)

**Gioia del Colle (LIBV) 36 Stormo**



**156 Gruppo**

Aircraft: AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR  
Callsigns: "FURY" "INDIA" "LANCIA" "MAESTRO"

**Piacenza (LIMS) 50 Stormo.**



### 155 Gruppo

Aircraft: AMI TORNADO IDS  
Callsign: "BLUE" "INDIA" "PULSAR"

The standard callsign for the Italian Air Force is "India" and is usually (though not always) followed by the last four digits of the aircraft serial

Although the following may be applicable in real life

Gheddi use the callsign range 5000-5011 and 7022-7088 when using India.

Piacenza (LIMS) 50 Stormo.  
India range 7005 - 7078

Gioia del Colle (LIBV) 36 Stormo  
India range 5056 - 5061 and 7202 - 7233

**Please note that the callsign number in this package references the aircraft serial ie:- India 7206 = MM7206 ( it was a bit confusing using the actual number ranges)**

### Utilization

**I have shied away from repetitive hourly plans as in true life many modern air forces don't work or fly at the weekends on a regular basis, therefore the utilization in these plans is relatively low but probably reflects real life actuals**

## 4. Installation

### Step 1) Install this package

2a) Read the installer page regarding installation of this file: <http://www.world-of-ai.com/installer.html>

2b) Install the package in accordance with the World of AI Installer instructions

NOTE: If a un-install is desired at a later date, only the aircraft and flightplans will be removed. All scenery files, including AFCADs, will need to be removed manually.

### 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:

LIBV,LIPL,LIMS

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\_XXXX\_DEFAULT.bgl) after installation.

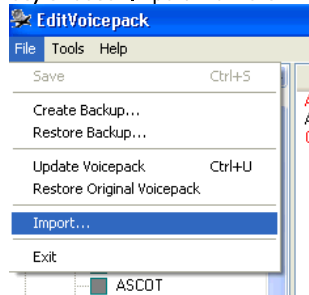
NOTE: There will also be some exclude files installed for the above these are labeled MAIW\_exc\_XXXXXXXXXXXXX these remove autogen scenery items ie trees etc that may impinge on taxiways etc.

### Step 3) Install callsign voicepacks

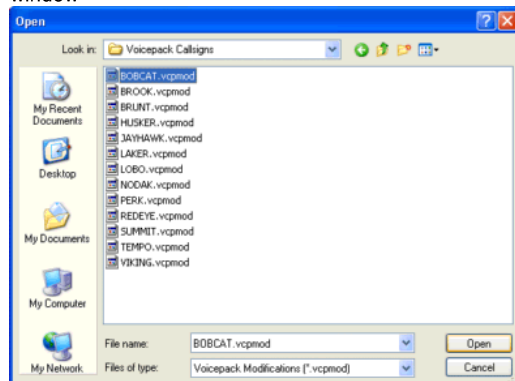
3a) If you don't have the EditVoicepack 3.1 freeware installed, download it and install it by [clicking here](#).

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/ITALY/AMI TORNADO IDS ECR/Voicepack Callsigns" in the "Look in:" window



3e) Click "open" for each file

"INDIA" "FRECCIA" "PULSAR" "LANCIA" "MAESTRO"

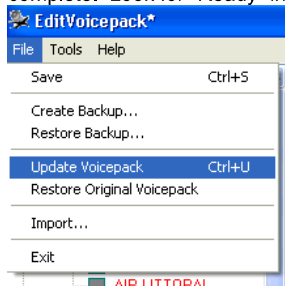
The following file is also included and is the "Tornado" type designator, this should be installed as above callsigns

"TORN"

The following callsigns are standard and should already be installed in voicepack

"BLUE" "FURY" "DEMON" "DEVIL" "SATAN"

**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

#### Step 4) Activate MAIW Scenery

Not applicable, no additional scenery was included in this package

Check out Avsim for Lucianos rendition of Ghedi

***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 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 60%.

**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:

LIBV,LIPL,LIMS

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"**

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:

**"INDIA" "FRECCIA" "PULSAR" "LANCIA" "MAESTRO"**

If any of these are missing, choose "File/import" and open the appropriate .vcpmo file in the folder:-  
"Flight Simulator 9/Military AI Works/AMI TORNADO IDS/ECR/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 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, but as the AMI do not publish their weekly Tornado flightplans we 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 [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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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:

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