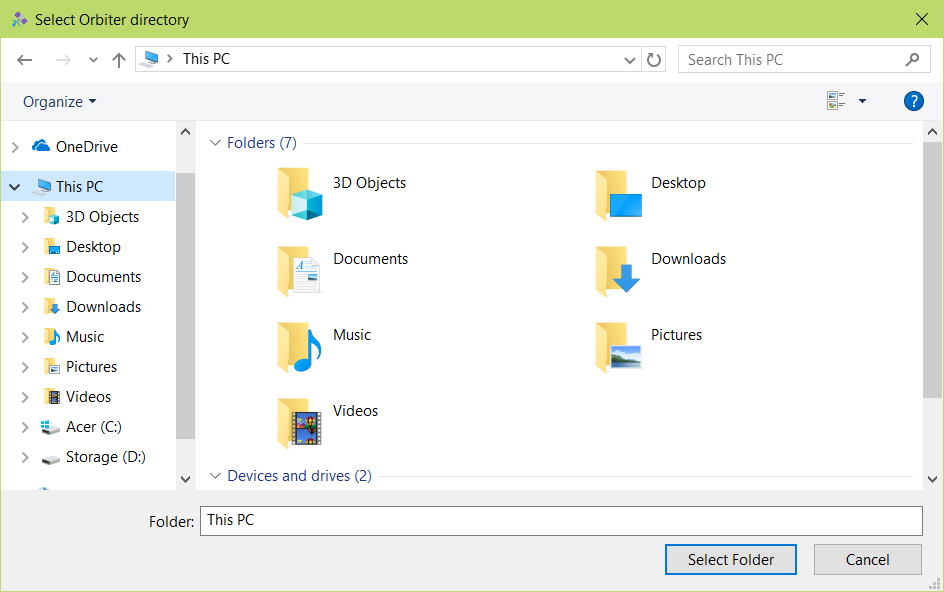
Orbiter Add-ons Manager

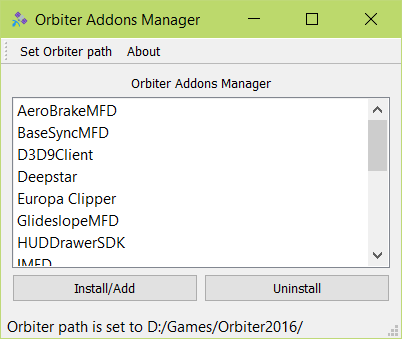
Welcome to the first version of **O**rbiter **A**dd-ons **M**anager, a new tool to organize your Orbiter add-ons. Remove your add-ons with just one click. Comes with expandable database which works with any add-on, backup original Orbiter files and restore it automatically on uninstallation, and even more!

How to use

Using OAD is very simple. Open the main program folder, find OrbiterAddonsManager.exe and run it. If this is your first run, a folder chooser window will appear. Select your Orbiter installation and click ‘Select Folder’.



After that, the main interface will show. You can see the list of installed add-ons (If any) on the center. Also, you can see a message below tells you which folder Orbiter path was set to.

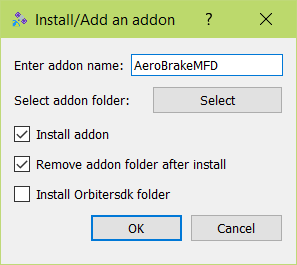


The default database comes with 31 add-ons auto-detector. If installed an add-on and it doesn’t appear, you can it the database later. Above, you can re-set your Orbiter path to another folder.

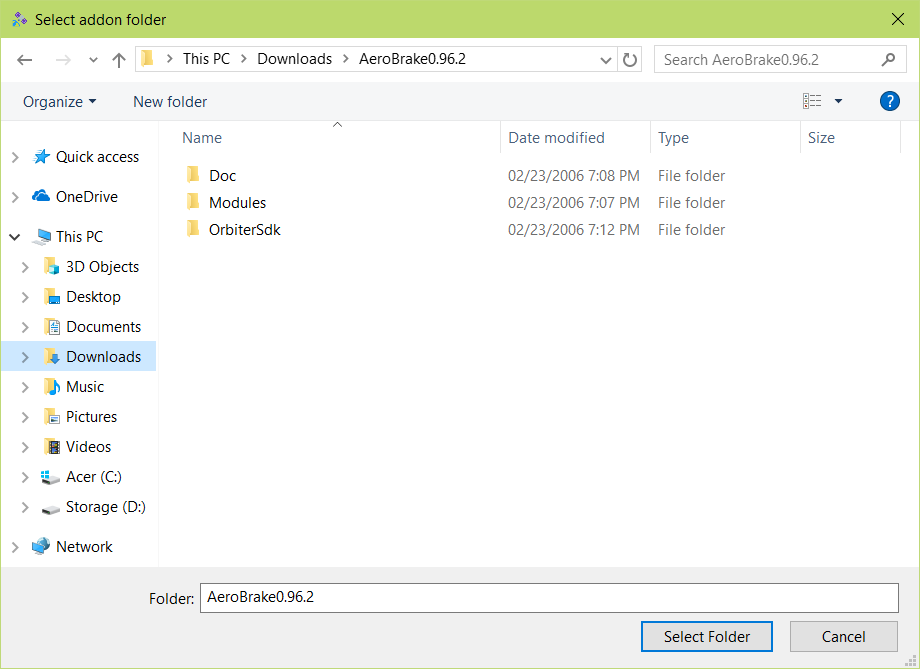
If you want to try the program on a fake Orbiter installation, you must add orbiter.exe in the fake directory. Otherwise the program won’t accept the path.

Install/Add an add-on

To install a new add-on, hit ‘Install/Add’ button. The add dialog will appear. Enter the add-on name in the first filed.

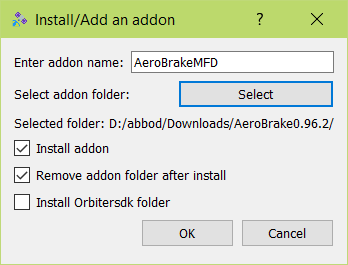


After that, select the add-on folder by hitting ‘Select’ button. A folder chooser dialog similar to Orbiter path dialog will appear. Select the add-on folder and click on ‘Select Folder’.

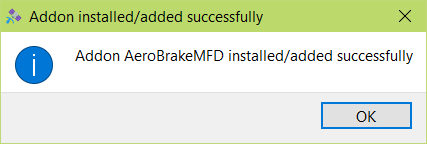


You’ll notice that a label will appear shows the selected path.

If you want to install the add-on, check ‘Install’, if you want to remove the add-on folder with its content after finishing the install process. Check ‘Install Orbitersdk folder’ only if you know what that means. You can install it if you want, but for most users it’s a waste of space.



After filling all fields, hit ‘Ok’ button to install the add-on. If everything goes well, you’ll see a message confirms a successful installation.



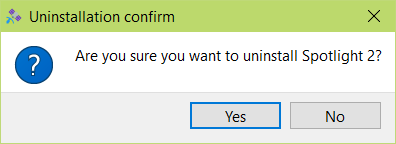
You can notice there is a ‘User’ flag added to the add-on on the list. This means the add-on was added by the user, not from the default database.

Note that if you added an add-on in the database, the name you entered will be neglected and you’ll see its name in the default database, not what you entered.

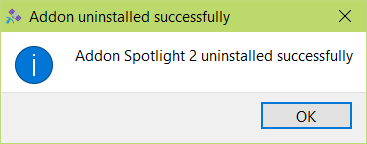
Uninstall an add-on

To add an add-on to the database, just uncheck ‘Install’ checkbox in the dialog. This will add the add-on to the database without installing it. That’s useful in case you have installed add-on but it doesn’t come with the default database. You have to download it again, extract the compressed file and follow the same way to add it to the database. After that, you should see your add-on appears in the add-ons list.

To uninstall an add-on, select it from the list and click on ‘Uninstall’ button. A confirm message will appear. Hit ‘Yes’ if you want to uninstall it.



Then you can see a message confirms the add-on is uninstalled correctly without problems.



If the add-on requires a modification version of original files, the program will backup it automatically on install and restore it on uninstall. You can see the backup files by opening OrbiterBackup folder in the main program folder.

About

Orbiter Add-ons Manager is a free open-source, under GPL3 license. You can get the code from my [GitHub](https://github.com/abdullah-radwan). The program was made with C++ and Qt 5.11.1 using Qt Creator. Don’t forget to check my other programs as well! I hope you’ll enjoy the program as much as I enjoyed while making it.

Should you have any inquires, don’t hesitate to contact me on [abbodmar@gmail.com](mailto:abbodmar@gmail.com?subject=Orbiter%20Addons%20Manager).

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