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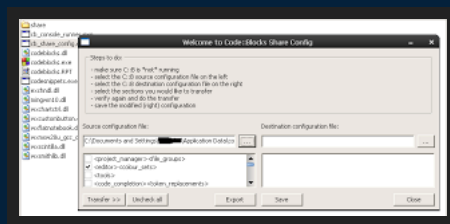
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Exporting and Importing Code::Blocks Themes

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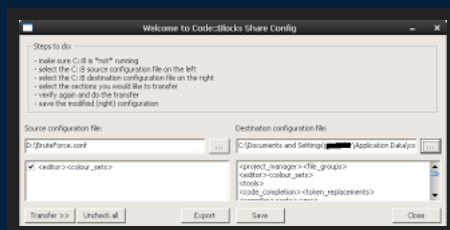
To export your themes:

1. Make sure Code::Blocks is not running
2. Go to Code::Blocks Installation directory and run "cb_share_config.exe". If you are using Linux, open up terminal and type "sudo cb_share_cofig" to make the effect system wide or "cb_share_config" to make the effect work only for your account. (Thanks to [this](#) page's author for the remove 'sudo' tip)
3. On the left side panel, click "...." and choose, "default.conf". (For XP users, it's in "C:\Documents & Settings\Application Data\codeblocks\"). For Linux(Ubuntu) users, it's in ~/.codeblocks/ or /home/user/.codeblocks/)
4. Now tick the second option, ""
5. Click "Export", choose "Yes" and show the location where you want to store it.



To import your themes:

1. Make sure Code::Blocks is not running
2. Go to Code::Blocks Installation directory and run "cb_share_config.exe" If you are using Linux, open up terminal and type "sudo cb_share_cofig"
3. On the left side panel, click "...." and choose the file which holds the theme.
4. In the right side panel choose your "default.conf" as stated above.
5. Now click "Transfer >>" and give positive responses.
6. Click "Save" and give positive response.



Posted by Tafhim UI Islam at 02:39



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- k0tn said...**
THANK YOU SOOOO MUCH I used this to get my code::blocks theme from windows to linux
6:23 AM
- gzana gazette said...**
it doesn't work for me ^^"
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- gzana gazette said...**

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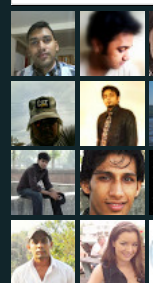
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finally it works XD thank you very much

4:21 AM

Anonymous said...

I tried copying the text from the sons of obsidian skin to a text file then changing the extension to config(.conf), however cb share config crashes when I load it for importing.I then looked inside the default.config file and saw that it's structure differs a lot .How must the config file look like for the transfer to work? Can anyone please provide a link with a good config file that might work?

Here are a few links to the skin:
Code for skin: https://bitbucket.org/0x1mason/son_of_obsidian_cb/src/4ed5a2829673/son_of_obsidian.conf?at=default

CB forum: <http://forums.codeblocks.org/index.php/topic,17354.msg119065.html#msg119065>

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Tafhim UI Islam said...

First thing.
The structure of my config [<http://tafhim.blogspot.com/2010/08/bruteforce-theme-for-codeblocks.html>] and Son-of-Obsidian look similar.....check the structure BEFORE using CB:Config on that...might be corrupting it. Just a guess..

And by the way, don't compare that file with default.conf
Your conf is just the theme part and default.conf is whole codeblocks cofiguration..

You could try with my configuration just for the sake of elimination??

10:15 AM

Dopski said...

Thank you very much. Very good theme. Now I can code with lesser eye stress! :)

7:18 AM

Anonymous said...

Hi. I cant find the location of the "default.conf" file in Linux. Would be a great help if you consider specific directions for each OS next time
Thanks.

8:41 PM

Tafhim UI Islam said...

Ok, added the location of the 'default.conf' file (in Ubuntu)

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cjwn said...

Thank you for your kindly help!

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Tomás António Sanches Pinto said...

sudo cb_share_cofig does not exist

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Tomás António Sanches Pinto said...

sudo cb_share_cofig does not exist

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Tafhim UI Islam said...

sudo cb_share_co[n]fig
I think you made a spelling mistake there @tomas

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Anonymous said...

Thank You so much! nice skins :D

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Installing and FlashTool for X Devices in Ubuu

I've been const switching betwe OSs, Win7 and L for just flashi my Xperia devic ofcourse, I hat

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