



UniHowl

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UniHowl howler.js

Web audio - made easy



Hi, and thank you for downloading **UniHowl!**

I hope you find this asset as useful as I have to integrate WEB Audio API by Howler.JS to your Unity projects. Unity Engine is a powerful cross-platform game engine, and plugin allows developers to use Audio across multiple platforms, without problems. In here you will find a detailed overview of all the functions and options UniHowl offers you. If something is still not clear after reading this, or if you want to request a feature or report a bug, scroll down to the bottom and you will find links to contact me through various ways.

→ **Compatibility: Unity 2021 and Higher**

Recommended WebGL Audio Format: mp3

→ Introduction: UniHowl is a tool that offers the following:

- ◆ Crossplatform Audio Source

→ How to use:

- ◆ First you need create Audio Map (In which all your sounds will be saved as a key-clip), you can made it by press RMB -> Create -> UniHowl -> Audio Map
- ◆ Specify in the Audio Map all the sounds and their keys that you would like to use in the player.
 - The name of the key and the name of the audio clip must contain only Latin letters and not have special characters, numbers can be used
 - The sound should not be located in the Resources folder or subfolder, this will lead to an error
 - The path along which your sounds lie must also contain only Latin letters and not have special symbols, numbers can be used
- ◆ Next go to Resources folder, and enter to Audio Configuration File, select in inspector, your Audio Map.
- ◆ Just add component <Crossplatform Audio Source> into the object what you want, and set settings what you want.
- ◆ Completely, you can access to this source, as default unity Audio Source.

→ How to Build WebGL:

- **UniHowl WebGL Template** → You need only select UniHowl WebGL Template, and audio be work
- **Custom WebGL Template** → You need copy folder "UniHowlJs" to root of your WebGL Template, and inject JS files to your html as this code:

```
<script type="text/javascript" src="./UniHowlJs/howler.min.js"></script>
<script type="text/javascript" src="./UniHowlJs/WebAudio.js"></script>
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Follow the order, connect the lines!

→ Crossplatform Audio Source:

- ◆ Fallback Player – What player need be used in Build
 - ◆ Howl – Preferred Howler.JS Audio Engine.
 - ◆ Unity – Default Unity Audio Engine
- ◆ Key – Setup key of your Sound
- ◆ Volume – Setup volume of your Audio
- ◆ Loop – Loop this audio source
- ◆ Mute – Mute this audio source

→ Audio configuration:

- ◆ Debug – Enable Unity Audio Engine for Editor.
- ◆ Audio – Audio map of sounds.

→ Audio map:

- ◆ Key – Key of sound, used for playing clip by Audio Source;
- ◆ Clip – Clip of sound.
- ◆ Preload – Do you need preload sound.

→ Entry points of Crossplatform Audio Source:

- ◆ Play() – Play source sound;

- ◆ Stop() – Stop source sound;
- ◆ Volume – Control volume of this source;
- ◆ Mute – Mute this source
- ◆ Loop – Loop this sound
- ◆ SoundKey – Set new sound to this source
- ◆ SetGlobalMute(bool) – Mute/Unmute all sources
- ◆ SetGlobalVolume(floa) – Set global volume (volume of audio context);
- ◆ Load() – Load not preloaded sound

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