

Fanda-Dreamwings Dash 8 Q100/Q200 Merge

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Thankyou for Downloading this package. By following it correctly you will be able to use Dreamwings Excellent Dash 8 Q100 and Q200 models, with one of the most advanced panels currently available for flight simulator, By Fanda. (freeware) This will not work on Dreamwing's Q400. The 'Bouncing' problem commonly found on this aircraft has also been fixed, thanks to VDE on Dreamwings.

Before we go on, you will need the following files:

Dreamwings Design Q100 (avsim)

Dreamwings Design Q200 (avsim)

Fanda's Excellent Dash 8 with 1.004b update. (avsim)

Dreamwings Design Q100/Q200 Sounds (avsim)

NOTE: If you download Frolov's Dash 8 from
<http://www.fs2004.com/downloads/index.php?dlid=112>

The Update is included with the file.

Once you have downloaded all the files, install them (Including updates), Correctly.

Make sure you have extracted the archive (this one) to a temporary directory, make sure 'Create Folders' or a similar option is on, if you unsure what this means, don't worry, chances are it is already on.

To Install Q100 Follow these steps.

1. Go to C:\Program Files\Microsoft Games\Flight Simulator 9\Aircraft
2. Create a new folder 'fandadreamwingsbaby'
3. **COPY** (*not cut*) the entire contents from Dash8-Q300_2 (The Fanda Folder, which was installed) and paste them in the new folder.
4. **Delete** 'Texture' 'Texture.1', 'Texture.2' and 'Sound' Folders in the new folder.
5. **COPY** The aircraft.cfg file, included with this document from the 'Q100' folder, and paste it in the new 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder, replace existing file.
6. **COPY** 'Dash8 Q100.air' and paste it in the 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder.
7. Go to your Dreamwings Q100 Folder. Go to 'model.Pushback'
8. **COPY** the two files in this folder and paste them in the 'MODEL' folder of the 'fandadreamwingsbaby'. Replace existing file(s).
9. Go to your Dreamwings Q100 Folder. **COPY THE ENTIRE FOLDER** 'model.caf' and paste in the new 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder.
10. **COPY** all the texture folders and paste them in the 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder.
11. **YOUR DONE, ENJOY!**

To Install Q200: Follow these steps. (Read carefully, they differ slightly from above)

12. Go to C:\Program Files\Microsoft Games\Flight Simulator 9\Aircraft
13. Create a new folder 'fandadreamwingsbabyq200'
14. **COPY** (*not cut*) the entire contents from Dash8-Q300_2 (The Fanda Folder, which was installed) and paste them in the new folder.
15. **Delete** 'Texture' 'Texture.1', 'Texture.2' and 'Sound' Folders in the new folder.
16. **COPY** The aircraft.cfg file, included with this document from the '**Q200**' folder, and paste it in the new 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder, replace existing file.
17. **COPY** 'Dash8 Q200.air' and paste it in the 'fandadreamwingsbabyq200' folder.
18. Go to your Dreamwings Q200 Folder. Go to 'model.Pushback'
19. **COPY** the two files in this folder and paste them in the 'MODEL' folder of the 'fandadreamwingsbaby'.
20. Go to your Dreamwings Q200 Folder. **COPY THE ENTIRE FOLDER** 'model.CUSTOMS' and paste in the new 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder.
21. **COPY** all the texture folders and paste them in the 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folder.
22. **YOUR DONE, ENJOY!**

Install the soundset as you would normally (Extract to temp directory, copy sound folder to the 'fandadreamwingsbabyq200' and 'fandadreamwingsbaby' folders.)

Final Thoughts/Known Issues/Credits:

- The merge took several hours to complete and tweak.
- **DO NOT** Delete your original Fanda or Dreamwings Folders.
- There is no need to use the Elevator droop animation, If you turn Off the control lock located on the pedestal, apply full forward pressure on your control stick (hold) and turn on the control lock, you will see them 'drooped'.
- Unfortunately, The 'TAXI LIGHTS' switch located on the overhead will have no effect on this model.
- Unfortunately, The PAX LOADER will NOT work with the merge.
- Wait at Least 10 seconds after loading the panel before engaging external power.
- Unless the other parties install the Dreamwings-Fanda merge, they will not be able to see you flying in a Flight Simulator Multiplayer Session.
- Credits go to Cameron Dougall (dolbinau), {Myself} and Scott J. for testing, along with Dreamwing's and Fanda's crew.
- No responsibility is taken for any (very unlikely) damage that may be caused.
- Contact dolbinau@yahoo.com for support.

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