

SkyElite for MFS 2020

Terms and Conditions

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Disclaimer, compatibility and approach

SkyElite is a software product that, by its nature, needs to use third-party resources and services as well as communicate, integrate or interface with some other applications, including Microsoft Flight Simulator.

It is developed using available interfaces and protocols provided and supported by Microsoft Flight Simulator, and it must use Microsoft SimConnect communication system as well as other integrated services to fulfill all the developed product features.

All SkyElite users and customers of the free demo or commercial version, hereby acknowledge and agree that we provide all SkyElite third-party dependent features "As Is" and "As Available", with no responsibility, warranty or support on their availability, accuracy and reliability and the impact of all of them on the SkyElite behavior, functionality and usability.

SkyElite uses SimConnect, the standard interface provided by Microsoft to connect to the simulator. Aircraft using SimConnect standard functions will work perfectly with SkyElite.

Some aircraft developers, for whatever reason, ignore standard SimConnect functions and use their own custom ones for their planes. In this case, some SkyElite functions may not properly work or work only partially.

All of the features included in SkyElite, and their correct operation and functionality, are subject and affected to the changes and maintenance made by Microsoft to the SimConnect Interface.

The better approach to know if SkyElite will work with my preferred aircraft is simple: download the trial version of SkyElite, fully functional for limited time each flight. Try it out with your preferred planes and if you enjoy it, then purchase it if you like it.

We reserve the right to add, change, modify and remove SkyElite functionality and features as well as this manual at our sole discretion and without any notice.

SkyElite manual describes proprietary features and functions. It is not a tutorial of the standard procedures of how to use an autopilot, PFD or MFD. No aircraft standard instrumentation is explained in this manual.

SkyElite manual assumes that users already have the knowledge of the aircraft standard instruments functionality: autopilot, GPS and navigation, radio, engines, electrical, ILS procedures, etc.

Manual simply overviews how to perform all above standard functions and procedures by using SkyElite, not going deeper in any instrument specific training.

New or non-experienced flight simulator users, must use and read other flight simulator instrumentation tutorials or manuals before using SkyElite.



Third party dependencies

We rely on third party services to make all the features to work. If a single piece fails, SkyElite will fail, and not everything will depend on us, neither we can be responsible of all the pieces.

Some examples of SkyElite dependencies, not limited to, are:

- Microsoft SimConnect Interface: the standard interface provided by Microsoft to connect to the simulator. SkyElite depends on this interface developed and maintained by Microsoft.
- Online maps: We are using some free online map services for the moving map, under Creative Commons Attribution or similar licenses.
- Elevation: NOAA GLOBE Elevation Tiles https://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/topo/gltiles.html

Required third party plugins and services have to be installed, up and running. We are not installing neither supporting them. We will help users as much as we can to keep all up and running. But be aware: not everything is on us. We appreciate your understanding in advance.

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GPS and Autopilot warnings: All GPS, autopilot, route and flight plans features in SkyElite are dependent on the SimConnect capabilities plus the developer of the aircraft. These functions may work totally or partially depending on each aircraft GPS and autopilot, system and its compatibility with the standard SimConnect GPS variables and functions.

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