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• Saturday, September 30, 2000

New Brazilian FIFA 2001 Site
 The FIFA BRASIL NETWORK is proud to present the newest fifa 2001 site: [EBN 2001](#). The site has been developed by Amadeu Borda, with a great downloads database, loads of screenshots and in the future it will host a great national fifa 2001 league. Daily news, good comments, everything in portuguese, the best crew of brazilian fifa editors, all make EBN 2001 a must stop for every brazilian fifa fan!!! Pay them a visit by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Jick](#)

• Friday, September 29, 2000

Philippe is Back in Business
 I am very sorry I haven't posted news here for a long period. I was extremely busy with school and other stuff. I hope you understand me. Fortunately I will spend more time on FIFA2001.com cause the big work from my school is over. Later on this month a new FIFA 2001 site will open. Dutch FIFA2001 and Benelux FIFA2001 will be co-operating. It'll be the biggest Dutch FIFA site in the whole world and of course in the fifa-scene.

By the way, almost every day I am receiving FIFA files/patches and other downloads stuff. Remember, I am no longer the Downloads manager, [Lur](#) has that job so send your files to him please...

Oh and if you've got FIFA news, your news is always welcome in my [mailbox](#)!

Posted by [Thalagor](#)

- PSX Screen Shots (The Final Part)
 Well, not only have I kept my promise and delivered 10 PSX screen shots here today, I have also almost got rid of my tonsillitis days before I should even be STARTING to AND I have managed to find 9 MORE decent PSX screen shots and posted them up here! It would have been a perfect day if I hadn't just found out my beloved Tranmere are to play Leeds United in the next round of the Worthington Cup. Gulp! We won't be reaching the final this year! Anyway, click this link to go to [PSX Screen Shots Page 2](#) and this link to go to [PSX Screen Shots Page 3](#)



Visit the ever-growing Patches Database for Super Patches from every corner of the globe.



Posted by [Cluig](#)

- More Of Your Questions Sent to EA
 There has been a great response to the FAQ that EA posted on their [Official Site](#) a couple of days ago. I have just sent in 10 new questions direct from our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). These are set to be answered and posted at EA's site very soon. Here is what I sent in this week:

1. With the release this week of the Leagues and National Teams that will feature in FIFA 2001, many users are questioning why certain popular Leagues and Teams were left out of the game. Why are world-class teams such as Portugal and Leagues like the Mexican, Argentine, Australian and Turkish League just to name a few not included in FIFA 2001?
2. Will there be a power shot bar incorporated into FIFA 2001?
3. Will there be a limit on transfers and kit and team adjustments as in the past?
4. Will there be a way to make one of your players mark an opposing player as is done in real life rather than the bland zone defense?
5. Has there been work on a better way to score on a direct or corner kick rather than having to set a play. For example it is always more fun when you do it yourself rather than program a play.
6. Will the referees and linesmen be more realistic in FIFA 2001?
7. Will there definitely be linesman and if so will their flags be raised when player are offside or when they spot a foul?
8. Will there be the option to chose the stadium where we want to play?
9. The goal keepers seem to "fly" in FIFA 2000. Will they be more realistic in FIFA 2001?
10. Will there be any new crowd chants in FIFA 2001?

Next week we'll send in another 10 questions. If you still have some queries about FIFA 2001 that we haven't asked yet, visit our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) and post them there.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Polish FIFA 2001 Site
 The guys at the [Polish FIFA 2000 Fan site](#) are proud to bring you their newest creation. The child of their FIFA 2000 site, the Polish FIFA 2001 Fan Site provides the latest in Polish FIFA 2001 News, Downloads, Reviews, and other cool things, all frequently updated. Their long tradition in FIFA games and webmastering EA Sport's games makes them the best choice for Polish FIFA gamers.

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Just click right [here](#) to go straight to the site.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Thursday, September 28, 2000

• PSX Screenshots (Part Two)

First off, I have to apologise for being so late when I said the second page of PlayStation screen shots would be arriving in 24 hours. Which I said on Tuesday... It seems that I've caught tonsillitis along with a mild flu bug, which is delaying my work here at FIFA 2001 Online and my college work. But I have been told by my doctor that it should clear up by Monday if I take penicillin for 5 days (no Tranmere match for me this weekend!), but the PSX screen shots page 2 will still be posted before the weekend (in about 15 hours time) - And I will stick to that deadline this time! Sorry to get your hopes up PSX FIFA fans..

Posted by [Clus](#)

• 4th Fifa 2001 Skin for your MRA

Today over at the [MRA](#) site they have the Slavia Prague and Czech Republic forward Pavel Kuka Skin for your MRA.



Check out the screen shot above and then download your copy of this great Skin by [clicking here](#). More to follow this week.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• International Teams Announced

[EA Sports](#) has issued all the International teams that will be featured in FIFA 2001. They are:

Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, China PR, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Rep., Denmark, England, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Ghana, Germany, Greece, Holland, Hong Kong, Hungary, Iceland, Iran, Iraq, Ireland Rep., Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, Latvia, Lebanon, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Mexico, Morocco, New Zealand, Nigeria, Northern Ireland, Norway, Palestine, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Qatar, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Scotland, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, Taiwan, Thailand, Tunisia, Turkey, UAE, Ukraine, Uruguay, USA, Wales and Yugoslavia.

That's quite a lot of teams! Remember there are 17 leagues including the new Korean and Austrian leagues (Note: The Korean league will not be included in the PSX Version). You can visit the Official FIFA 2001 website by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Your Questions Have Been Answered

Great news guys, the EA Development team has finally answered the questions I sent in from our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) last week. Visit the [EA Sports FIFA 2001 Official Site](#) and click on FAQ to bring up the answers to the questions that were taken directly from our [Forums](#). Finally EA have given us the answers we wanted concerning pitch size and gameplay speed.

The webmaster of the [EA FIFA 2001 Site](#) has asked me to select another 10 questions to be answered for this week. I'll be heading off to the [Forums](#) shortly to personally hand pick them. We'll be sending in 10 questions once a week now so visit our [Forums](#) and post your questions in the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) if you want it to be answered.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, September 26, 2000

• PSX Screen Shots

As promised, the first ever original PlayStation screen shots of FIFA 2001 to feature here have now been uploaded - And so it is with great pleasure I declare the [FIFA 2001 Online PSX Screenshots](#) page, open! Some sample screen shots are below



Also, I will be back 24 hours after this post with even more new PS2 and PSX screen shots for your viewing pleasure, but for now I will love you (in the way a FIFA fan loves a fellow FIFA fan, nothing more, nothing less) and leave you - See you tomorrow!

Posted by [Clus](#)

• Polish FIFA 2001 Site

The Polish FIFA 2001 Fan Site Crew proudly present the new polish fan site for the best soccer game of all time, FIFA 2001. This site has been created and made by fans of computer gaming and includes network leagues and gaming, patches, updates, official files, made-by-gamers custom leagues, replays, reviews, cheats, news and other cool stuff - all frequently updated. Their site at [fifa.help.pl](#) is the child of the oldest and most frequently viewed polish site for FIFA 2000 at [fifa2000.valhalla.pl](#). Their long tradition in fifa games, webmastering, and having fun by playing [EA Sports](#) games makes them the best choice for polish FIFA gamers. [Check their site out now!](#)

Posted by [Black](#)

• Product Info Update

I have just updated the [FIFA 2001 Information Page](#). We have some new technology updates as well as a list of the 17 featured leagues of FIFA 2001. A more noticeable addition is that the previous 50 international teams, have been updated to over 60 teams! The game will include a new innovative technology called OOPS to enhance the environmental quality of the game. Check out what OOPS will enhance, and the other features at our [FIFA 2001 Information Page](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

• More Screen Shots

Well, some new PS2 screenshots have been released, and I just thought I'd better put them up for you all to see - They include a drunk-looking Barthez (sorry EA!), excellent close-ups of Barthez and a player from an MLS team, Arsenal's Thierry Henry, and a few others (2 of which are shown below). Check them out at our [PS2 Screen Shots](#) section (page 2 has the new ones), and also come back in a few hours time as I set-up the PSX screenshots page complete with 10 shiny screenshots for you all to see!



Posted by [Chris](#)

3rd Fifa 2001 Skin for your MRA

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have the theatrical Juventus and Italian forward Filippo Inzaghi Skin for your MRA.



Check out the screen shot above and then download your copy of this great Skin by [clicking here](#). More to follow this week.

Posted by [Dave](#)

Monday, September 25, 2000

All 17 Leagues Announced

Finally EA have named the 17 leagues that will feature in FIFA 2001. They are *England, France, German, Italy, Spain, Holland, Belgium, Sweden, Denmark, Norway, Scotland, Greece, Israel, Austria, Brazil, Korea and MLS*. Lots of great leagues named there but I'm sure they'll be some unhappy South Americans and Australians as a result of that news.

However, do not stress FIFA fans. The main purpose of this website is to make the game better, and with the obvious increase in the amount of kits (due to sponsors now being displayed on all club team kits) there will be great opportunities for all the talented FIFA editors out there to add those leagues to FIFA 2001. And with our awesome Downloads Centre set to open very soon, add-ons for FIFA 2001 will be in abundance.

Come back later today. Chris has a bunch of new PS2 and PSX Screen Shots of FIFA 2001 that he'll be uploading.

Posted by [Matt](#)

New FIFA 2001 Goodies From EA Thailand

My good friend Jack, from [EA Thailand](#) has informed me that their [FIFA 2001 page](#) has a few great new FIFA 2001 goodies. Along with some cool wallpapers and a movie, they have two FIFA 2001 Windows Start Up screens. Check out one of them below.



So do yourself a favour and pay EA Thailand's [FIFA 2001 page](#) a visit.

Posted by [Matt](#)

What's New?...I am.

Hello, some of you may know me from [EuroBall](#) - My name is Joe Lemon, and I will be contributing, as much as possible, to this site. My job here is to keep you informed in the latest happenings in the world of FIFA 2001. I hope to give you a good read with featured articles and interviews. I, as all of us here, wish to add to your FIFA 2001 Gaming experience now, as we wait, and long after the game has been released. See you soon!

Posted by [Joe](#)

And The New Webmaster Is...

Me! Chris Davies here, main creator of the English Super Patch for FIFA 99 and Patch of the Day for FIFA 2000 (and soon FIFA 2001 - Stay tuned). Well I've been told not to drone on as much as I usually do, so I'll be quick - I'm VERY glad to have become part of the FIFA 2001 Online crew and I'll be working as hard as I can to get the latest news, shots, etc. from what will no doubt be the best football/soccer simulation yet to hit the PC, FIFA 2001, to this page for you all to see. Oh, and I have uploaded the PC stadia shots from the [official EA SPORTS FIFA 2001 site](#) to our own [PC Screen Shots](#) page (sections 3-4), check them out (some samples are below)!



Posted by [Chris](#)

Sunday, September 24, 2000

2nd Fifa 2001 Skin for your MRA

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have the explosive Arsenal and French forward Thierry Henry Skin for your MRA.



Check out the screen shot above and then download your copy of this great Skin by [clicking here](#). More to follow this week.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Saturday, September 23, 2000

• Euro-Ball Video Clips Gallery

We have just received this very exciting news from [Euro-Ball](#)

"It's us again here in [www.euro-ball.com](#) with a new Fifa 2001 page that has just been added to our Fifa 2001 section! We've managed to collect more than 120 mb of video clips showing off all the great new features of Fifa 2001. The videos are capturing of in-game action in the FIFA Soccer title, the earlier release of Fifa 2001 for the PS2, some were taken in the show floor in E3, some show us how exactly the motion capturing was done and you can also find the official trailer of Fifa 2001 for the PS2, which was released by EA several days ago. In the Gallery you can find snaps of all the clips and download them all right from our site."

I for one will definitely be checking these video's out and you can too by visiting the [Euro-Ball](#) website.

Posted by [Rich](#)

• Box Artwork Uploaded

One of the new webmaster (who I'm sure you all know) who is soon about to start working here at FIFA 2001 Online has just completed his maiden task by uploading all the [Box Artwork](#) to our Screen Shots section. Expect to see some big news posts and behind the scenes work from our new staff-member who will introduce himself tomorrow.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, September 22, 2000

• Great New Series of MRA Skins for Fifa 2001

To commemorate the 1st birthday of the [MRA site](#) we have a great new set of [MRA Skins](#) for you this week dedicated to the next great game from [EA Sports](#) - Fifa 2001

All this week we will be bringing you special Skins developed from the great artwork for Fifa 2001. We hope you like them and enjoy these additions to your [MRA Skins](#) collection. As an additional treat we also have a great Edgar Davids Skin produced recently by our good friend [Rich Butler](#).



Check out the great screen shots above and then grab your copies of these great Skins by [clicking here](#). Check back during the week to get the remaining 6 Skins.

Thanks to everybody who has sent us their kind wishes for our birthday - please don't stop!

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Thursday, September 21, 2000

• FIFA 2001 Official Site Opens

As you've all no doubt heard by now, the [Official FIFA 2001 website](#) has opened. It is packed with new info such as pack shots, stadium images (see some of them below) and more detailed info on the game. No sign yet of the answers to our questions. I've sent an email into the EA team asking about them and if they don't go up on the site I'll be sure to have the answers forwarded to me and posted right here. The opening of EA's [Official FIFA 2001 website](#) is great news for the FIFA community as it shows that EA is finally ready to begin strongly promoting FIFA 2001 which will mean more info for us. Stay tuned for more.



Posted by [Matt](#)

• Wednesday, September 20, 2000

• EA's FIFA 2001 Page Close To Opening

EA have informed me that the questions I sent in from our [Forums](#) are being answered by the EA Dev Team as I type. I have also

been lucky enough to get a sneak-peak of the Official FIFA 2001 website and let me tell you it looks magnificent! There is a lot of new content available such as all the box art, stadium screen shots and technical specification. We'll let you know here at FIFA 2001 Online as soon as the site goes live so that you can check out all this cool new stuff plus the answers to your questions.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Monday, September 18, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Forum Questions Sent to EA

Last Thursday I asked everyone to post their questions they'd like sent into EA in our [Forums](#). The response was overwhelming with over 60 replies to the one topic. Each week I will personally be selecting 10 questions to send into EA. I have just sent in this weeks 10 questions that are set to be answered by EA on their official website which is scheduled to go live within 24 hours. With such a huge response, obviously not everyone's questions could be sent in. However, I have viewed them all and taken a selection of some of the most asked questions. If your question wasn't sent in this week, the odds are it will be asked and answered next week.

So stay tuned to FIFA 2001 Online for news on the launch of EA's FIFA 2001 official site. As soon as EA notifies us of its release we'll post the URL here and you can all pay their site a visit and read the answers to this week's questions.

If you still have questions for EA, be sure to visit our Forum and post them.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, September 17, 2000

- Fifa 2001 And Windows 2000

Over at [Euro-Ball](#) they have a very interesting article on the hot topic of "Will Fifa 2001 run under Windows 2000?" Pay [Euro-Ball](#) a visit as it is now back up and fully running and find out the latest news on this nagging question.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Friday, September 15, 2000

- EA Wants To Answer Your Questions

This is the news a lot of you have been waiting for. [Soccer Gaming](#) and EA have worked out a deal that will see the top 10 questions concerning FIFA 2001 selected from our [Forums](#) sent into EA at the end of each week with the answers being posted on the official EA website. This is a great opportunity for everyone to register in the [Forums](#) and ask EA the questions they've been dying to ask. Visit the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) today and click on the "Ask EA a FIFA 2001 Question" topic and post your question. I will personally select what I consider to be the top 10 questions and send them direct to the European Product Manager of FIFA at EA. The first set of 10 will be sent this coming Monday, so hurry up and visit the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) today.

EA are making a great attempt to listen to the fans and critics of FIFA. This was their idea and we here at [Soccer Gaming](#) will give it our full support to help EA listen to the FIFA community and improve their FIFA games.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Release Date Mystery Solved

After posting the news on the UK release date yesterday, one of the guys at EA Sports emailed me to explain that both the UK and Australian release dates are scheduled for November 3rd. The earlier date I posted was simply the date the game will begin to ship, however it won't be seen in the shops until atleast November 3rd.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, September 14, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Stars in Action

As promised earlier, I've just uploaded 7 high-resolution images of some of the star football players that will feature in FIFA 2001. The talented art team at EA have brought players like Edgar Davids, Paul Scholes and Lothar Mattheus to life as computer generated images. Check out our [Screen Shots](#) section for all the players in action.



I'm sure these images will be popular focal points on a lot FIFA 2001 sites that are designed in the near future. :-)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FIFA 2001 Trailer

Kevin posted some interesting news on a new FIFA 2001 trailer at [Soccer Gaming](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

- UK FIFA 2001 Release Date

EA UK today announced that FIFA 2001 will be released in the UK on the 3rd of November, 2000. This comes as a shock with EA Australia earlier this week announcing an October 24th release date. Why the delay in the UK? We don't know. Soccer Gaming's Joey Jones suggested that perhaps there was no petrol left in the UK delivery trucks to get it to the stores. :-) That's just his opinion though. No matter what the release date is though, you can still order FIFA 2001 from the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, September 12, 2000

- New FIFA 2001 Video

[EA Sports Europe](#) has posted a new video of FIFA 2001 on their website. The video appears to be a 30 second promotion set to the official FIFA 2001 song Moby's Body Rock for the upcoming game. You can see it by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Kevin](#)

- Benelux FIFA 2001 Opens

Our first FIFA 2001 Online Language site has opened. [Benelux FIFA 2001](#) is a Dutch speaking website which has the potential to be the one stop for all Dutch speaking FIFA 2001 fans. Today they posted a very interesting image of the box art for the Dutch version of FIFA 2001 with Edgar Davids on the front. Check it out below.



We're striving to bring you images of all the boxes that FIFA 2001 will be packaged in very soon.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Preorder Your Copy of FIFA 2001

Great news! EA today announced that FIFA 2001 will be released around the world on October 24th, 2000. To celebrate this announcement the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) is now accepting preorders so that you can have FIFA 2001 sent out to you on the day it becomes available. By preordering FIFA 2001 you also score some great discounts on the game.

[Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) is the net's largest soccer video games online store selling nearly every soccer game world-wide.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Monday, September 11, 2000

• New FIFA 2001 Screenshots

[Gamespot UK](#) has posted a bunch of new screenshots of FIFA 2001. The screenshots are for the [PC](#), [PlayStation](#) and [PlayStation 2](#). You can also see the information about these screenshots by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Kevin](#)

• FIFA 2001 Wish Forum Working Again

Latest word from [Soccer Gaming](#) is that our [Forum](#) is working once again. Pay it a visit and share your point of view.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, September 10, 2000

• Music Artist Update

Yesterday's post concerning the FIFA 2001 music artist has sparked a lot of discussion. With [Euro-Ball](#)'s server obviously being unavailable for a short period of time, I only thought it would be fair to those of you who are interested to announce that infact the man behind the FIFA 2001 music will be MOBY.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, September 9, 2000

• Fifa 2001 Music Artist Revealed

We have received the following news from Nati over at [Euro-Ball](#) with more exclusive Fifa 2001 info:

"With all the latest happenings here in [Euro-Ball](#), Fifa 2001 takes a big and major place in our plans and interest so we do our best to get the latest info about this great game for you all. Screenshots and official info of this game are already available both in our site and all other sites of the community but what about some behind the scene info?"

The question is, who will be featured as Fifa 2001's music artist? And we have got the answer! The official words from EA about the new artist and even a small portrait picture of him on stage are all available in our site right now!"

Pop over to [Euro-Ball](#) to check out this exciting news.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Friday, September 8, 2000

• Awesome Opening Day

Our first day online has been a huge success. The latest figures in our [Poll](#) show that the new design is aesthetically pleasing to a large portion of our visitors, while our [Guestbook](#) is filling up quickly with encouraging comments. Bookmark our site and keep visiting. Remember, if you enjoyed [FIFA 2000 Online](#), you're going to love FIFA 2001 Online.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• FIFA 2001 PS2 at ECTS2000

At the big computer games show in the UK, ECTS2000, the guys from [Gamespot UK](#) have snapped some photos of FIFA 2001 for the PS2 live in action on the showroom floor.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, September 7, 2000

• 8 New Screen Shots

To celebrate the grand opening of FIFA 2001 Online we have posted 8 brand new, never before seen screen shots of the PC version of FIFA 2001 in our ever-growing [Screen Shots](#) section. These ones are obviously from a newer build of the game with some awesome lighting effects now visible. Two of the eight new shots can be seen below.



Expect to see our [Screen Shots](#) section expand greatly over the next few weeks.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Foreign Webmaster Needed

Those of you who have followed the [Soccer Gaming](#) network of FIFA sites will know that every year, along with our English website, we give other multi-lingual webmasters the chance to develop their own foreign version of our FIFA website.

This year is no different. Infact, with our ability to secure the fifa2001.com domain name, we are even more serious this time around about developing truly world-class foreign FIFA 2001 websites to match it with the best on the net today.

If you move your eyes down to the bottom of our right menu, you'll see a huge list of "Language" websites that are either available to be developed, or under development and I type. Stefan and his crew from [GEO 2000](#) will be taking care of [german.fifa2001.com](#), while the guys from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#), [Brazilian FIFA 2000 Online](#), [Iran FIFA 2000 Online](#) and [Dutch FIFA 2000 Online](#) have their respective fifa2001.com sub-domains reserved. This leaves the door open for teams of dedicated webmasters to begin an awesome FIFA website in their own country's tongue.

In particular, we feel there is a huge opening for a second dedicated Hebrew/Israeli FIFA 2001 site to be put together by a dedicated team of Israeli FIFA lovers. We all know that <http://he.euro-ball.com> is the best Hebrew FIFA site by a country mile, however there is always room for a second good website.

If you feel you have the time, skills and dedication to develop one of these "Language" FIFA 2001 sites be sure to [email me](#) with all of your details and skills plus any questions you may have.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• FIFA2001.COM Team To Expand

Yes, that's right, we want to expand our team. With this site having such huge potential, we are in need for a full-time assistant webmaster who has past experience and excellent skills in all areas of site development. We need someone who has a good understanding of HTML and other coding, is online for long periods everyday, while also having a real interest in everything FIFA. If you feel you can dedicate a large slice of your internet time to helping develop FIFA 2001 Online with the rest of the dedicated crew, be sure to contact [me](#) with all the information you think will help you get the job.

We're also looking to develop a team of designers and editors for FIFA 2001. If you're a kit designer, stadium designer, patch developer etc. and want to be part of the most respected and popular FIFA 2001 team, also [drop me a line](#) with your details and examples of your work.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Welcome to a New Era in FIFA Gaming

It gives me great pleasure to finally declare this website officially open. Over the past three years, I have been lucky enough to be in charge of some very successful and popular FIFA websites, yet never have I been as excited about a new site, than I am with this one.

FIFA 2001 Online is set to become your one stop for everything that is associated with FIFA 2001. From our soon to open interactive Downloads Centre, to our huge array of FIFA community news, FIFA 2001 Online will take your FIFA gaming experience to its maximum enjoyment level.

This year we've been able to form a partnership with EA Sports which will see members of their development team visit FIFA 2001 Online for regular scheduled chat sessions, and to answer questions in especially moderated [Forums](#).

The list of coming attractions don't stop there. We've got several big surprises in store that are yet to be seen on the FIFA scene and are currently under-development as I type.

What can you expect in the upcoming weeks though? Lots of FIFA 2001 [news](#), [prize give-aways](#) and [screen shots](#)! Just check out the new news that has come to hand today to get an idea of the kind of info that'll be hitting your screens each day as the release of FIFA 2001 draws closer.

Last but not least, I must send a special thank you out to all the guys who helped create this site. The incredible design in front of you was put together by our own, Rich Butler. Be sure to give us your opinion on it by voting in our new [Poll](#). Andrew, from Soccer Gaming's [Football Manager Network](#) has spent hours slaving over the computer recently to bring you the awesome new [Links](#), [Search](#) and [Contact](#) section.

Hope you enjoy the site. And remember, your feedback is always welcome by visiting the [Contact](#) section or by signing our [Guestbook](#).

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

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Tuesday, October 31, 2000

FIFA 2001 Hong Kong Opens
Our newest foreign mirror site, [FIFA 2001 Hong Kong](#), has just gone live. Check it out today.
Posted by [Matt](#)

Monday, October 30, 2000

FIFA 2001 Demo Servers
As Rich just posted, this is the climax of the wait for FIFA 2001! If you have tried to go to the official EA Sports site listed below, you probably found it bogged down with people downloading it, and unable to download. We will continue checking for new servers. We could also use your help, if you just happened to stumble on a FIFA 2001 Demo file, send it to [us](#). (Along with the language of the site), and we will update this news post with the servers.

Update: All the servers listed have been moved to our [Demo Section](#).

FIFA World has said that the matches that come with the game, depending on the language version, are: (German) Bayern Munich vs. Bayer Leverkusen, (English) Manchester U. vs Arsenal, (French) Marseille vs Paris SG, (Italian) Juventus vs. Lazio, and (Spanish) Barcelona vs. Real Madrid.
Posted by [Joe](#)

30 New Action Screen Shots
I have finally managed to upload a further 30 brand new, never before seen screen shots of FIFA 2001 onfield action. I've tried my hardest to capture the full mouth-dropping spectacle of the game by taking shots from every angle of the ground both near and far from the action. Check out two of these below.




Head straight for our [Screen Shots](#) section to check out all 30 of these beauties. Don't think this is all the screen shots we have in store for you, plenty more will be uploaded over the upcoming days.
Posted by [Matt](#)

Demo Release News
I have just finished chatting with the webmaster of EA Sports' Official FIFA 2001 Website and he has told me that he is expecting the FIFA 2001 Demo to be released any day now. Infact, it could be as early as today. So keep checking back here for the latest.
Posted by [Matt](#)

FIFA 2001 PC Manual
EA Sports has released the official FIFA 2001 PC Manual. This is the manual that will be included in the final version of the game. In it, you will see the control setup of FIFA 2001, as well as the instructions you would expect to see in the FIFA 2001 instruction booklet. If you want to get an early peek on the instruction manual, you can download it right [here](#) (421kb). The file itself uses Adobe Reader, so make sure you have that before you download the file.
Posted by [Joe](#)

New International Fifa Newsletter
The lads over at [Fifamania.it](#) have kindly agreed to co-ordinate the production of a weekly newsletter which will bring you all the Fifa news from around the globe - plus a unique weekly treat for subscribers to this newsletter!

This newsletter is a unique service run by [Fifamania.it](#) in co-operation with:

- Soccer Gaming
- German Fifa Online
- FifaNet
- Brazilian Fifa Online
- Fifa MRA

Visit the [MRA Newsletter](#) page to sign up for both this great new International Newsletter, plus the MRA Newsletter if you have not done so previously.

Well done to the lads at [Fifamania.it](#) - this is a great idea and one that we hope is very successful.
Posted by [Dave](#)

Sunday, October 29, 2000

Fifaheat.com Opened
We have received the following news from Martin over at [Fifaheat.com](#)

"I have just launched [FIFAHEAT.COM](#), it will feature many surprises including:

- a massive replay contest,*
- a Fifa 2001 quiz,*
- and much more!"*

Fifa 2001 patches will also be made there, so check it out! [FIFAHEAT.COM](#)"

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[EA Thailand](#)

Pay the lads a visit as they are looking to provide a great service to us all.

Posted by [Dave](#)

- Our FAQ Section Update

As Joe reported earlier this week, EA has recently uploaded the answers to your FAQ's. We have also updated our [FAQ page](#) with all the latest answers. Philippe will be checking out our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) later today to find the next 10 questions we'll be sending into EA for a response. Because of the huge success of the FAQ pages, EA have added yet another new feature to their official site. They now want even more viewer contributions by introducing their new "Ask a question" and "It's your poll" section. These two new concepts allow you to send your FIFA 2001 questions direct to EA as well as give your opinion on what their next poll question will be. Visit the [FIFA 2001 Official website](#) for details on these new features and much more.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Pre-Order FIFA 2001 Quickly!

Only a few days remaining before FIFA 2001 is released. If you're as excited as we all are and want to secure your copy today, head on over to the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) to pre-order your copy. Our suppliers are delivering to every part of the globe and have some of the most competitive and best prices in the world.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Site Update

The anticipated update involving over 30 exciting new action screen shots of FIFA 2001 will be uploaded in just over 15 hours. Apologies for the delay.

FIFA 2001 Online has quickly become the most successful website in the history of Soccer Gaming. Over the past week the website's viewer stats have increased three-fold and we predict even more visitors as FIFA 2001 is released and in conjunction with our soon to open Downloads Centre and [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#), we release awesome patches and add-ons for the game. On behalf of all the staff here at Soccer Gaming I thank you for your support and we all look forward to providing you with the best FIFA 2001 news and downloads in the future.

Due to the sites sky-rocketing popularity, I have been receiving literally 100's of emails per day. Over the next week I will be making my way through my emails and I will attempt to reply to as many as possible. I must also clarify with some of the people on my ICQ list who would have received very offensive and rude messages from me over the past 24 hours. Some deceptive person was able to hack into my ICQ account and took advantage of my ICQ account. I have made all efforts to make sure this does not happen again and apologise to anyone who was offended by messages that appeared to come from me.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, October 28, 2000

- New Kit Screen Shots

I have just finished uploading a massive collection of 27 new [Screen Shots](#). On this occasion, I decided to take a selection of shots from the Customise/Player Edit area from the FIFA 2001 Options menu. You can see a variety of different teams kits in close detail. Two can be seen below with the rest waiting for you in our [Screen Shots](#) section.



Tomorrow we'll be uploading another massive collection of ingame screen shots involving a number of popular teams. They're all very interesting and action packed so make sure you drop by again tomorrow.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FIFA 2001 Runs In Windows 2000

Unlike earlier reported, Windows 2000 users will be able to run FIFA 2001. Here is an extract from the readme.txt file in the FIFA 2001 BETA version.

FIFA 2001 will run under Windows 2000 & Windows ME, although these operating systems are not officially supported. However to install the game properly, you will need administrator access to your machine. Consult your Windows 2000 documentation for more information.

This is great news for everyone who uses the new Microsoft operating systems.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, October 27, 2000

- Official FIFA 2001 Site Updated

It's that time of the week again, to report that EA has updated the [Official FIFA 2001 Website](#). This week update includes Week No. 4 of Q&A that were hand picked out of our [Forums](#). I will tell you now, some of you will not like what you see - Galatasaray being the **only** Rest of World team.

EA also has some new features to the site, including a brand new motion-capture video of Paul Scholes strutting his soccer skills. Not to mention, the new tips and hints section, providing you with strategies and ways to get on top. Whether against the computer or on the internet.

You can't miss these brand new updates! Just say "Take me Joe", and off you'll go!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- More Screen Shots

Well as if getting Championship Manager 00/01 wasn't enough footballing joy for me today, I have come back from the shops to discover that Matt has made a load of screenshots, 13 to be precise (a bit unlucky Matt!), from the early version of FIFA 2001 he's received from EA Sports! Here are the first two for you to have a gob-droppingly long glare at.



The rest of the shots are on [PC Screen Shots page 5](#). Matt says he'll be back with even more tomorrow so stay tuned FIFA fans!

Turkey
Ukraine



Posted by [Chris](#)

- My FIFA 2001 Thoughts ... One Word: Awesome!

Since I announced yesterday that we had received a copy of the BETA version of FIFA 2001, I have been inundated with the question of, "How is FIFA 2001?" My reply has been short, honest and straight to the point, "Awesome!"

I have put together a new article known as [My FIFA 2001 Thoughts](#). I have spoken about my first reaction to FIFA 2001, in particular concentrating on the new and simply superb, "Slower" game speed mode, the larger pitch, plus a couple of the other features which truly put a smile to my face.

I strongly recommend you read the [article](#) as I depict my true thoughts and feelings of how I found my first FIFA 2001 experience to be. There are also a couple of new shots in the article.



Speaking of screen shots, I was lucky enough to catch one of the funniest FIFA moments ever. After humilatingly scoring an own goal, to run salt into the wound, my player furiously kicked the ball away, smashing it into one of the posts and rebounding back into my player. What follows is absolutely hilarious. Check out the shot above. Yes, it really did hit him there! Brings tears to your eyes doesn't it? Who ever was in charge of the player celebrations at EA deserves a pat on the back!

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, October 26, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Copy for Soccer Gaming

We here at [Soccer Gaming](#) are happy to announce that as of today, we'll have our own copy of the BETA version of FIFA 2001. What does this mean for you? Well more screen shots, more info, and the ability for us to answer your questions. Return to this site tomorrow for a huge collection of new screen shots from FIFA 2001.



Also, thanks to Jack at [EA Thailand](#), we're going to be receiving some awesome FIFA 2001 Keyrings (seen above) and mouse pads to give away. I will shortly post details on how you can get your hands on these very rare and collectable FIFA 2001 accessories. Stay tuned.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- CGO Previews FIFA 2001

Yet another interesting FIFA 2001 preview was released today. [CGO's FIFA 2001 Preview](#) raises interesting points about the gameplay and AI and also displays an array of new screen shots. Two of the shots can be seen below.



Make sure you atleast check out the second one because you can see the linesman up close and personal.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FIFA Benelux Star Player List

The guys over at our Dutch website, [FIFA Benelux](#), have posted a list of the 99 players that will be given the "Star Player" status in FIFA 2001. If you don't speak Dutch, they've also been nice enough to translate it into English right [here](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, October 24, 2000

- IGNPC FIFA 2001 Review

IGNPC has made it's final say on FIFA 2001 game, as well as some new screenshots. In the review, as in many other reviews, they note a larger pitch:

"The field is really noticeably bigger this time around which will allow for more thinking and more strategic decision-making. And for most soccer fans looking for a more realistic experience, that is a good thing."

If you've got some time on your hands, or you want to see more of what the guys at IGNPC had to say, [click](#) on over.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- FIFA 2001 Forum Kickin'

Those of you who have been hanging out in our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) recently will have noticed how popular it has become. Over the past few days, we've had 1000's of new topics posted and there are new people registering to become part of the fun all the time. If you're yet to register, pay a visit to our [Forums](#) and view a few of the posts. I'm sure you'll love to post your own opinion as well.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Patch Updates for Fifa 2001

With the imminent arrival of Fifa 2001 a number of patch developers have decided to postpone their work and deliver their patch ready for Fifa 2001. Over at the [MRA site](#) their forthcoming patch "From Here to Eternity" has been decided to make it a Fifa 2001 patch rather than release it now for Fifa 2000. They have big plans for this patch as it has received a lot of attention from you so keep an eye here for news as this patch develops.

Also, the lads who were developing the Lazio v Inter Patch have had to postpone its release. Keep an eye on this site as they

may decide to release it for Fifa 2001.



For these updates and many more please visit the webs number 1 [Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#)

- Greek Tournaments FIFA 2001 site now open

We have received the following news from Kostas over at [Greek Tournaments](#):

"Don't forget to check out our new GT Fifa 2001 page. It's amazing. The [GT.com](#) web designer did an excellent job on this one. Head over and take a look. Give us your opinion in the new 2001 forum."

You can find the site at <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/Fifa2001/index.html>

Check out this great new site with a Flash interface over at [Greek Tournaments](#). There is also an English version of the site for you.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Monday, October 23, 2000

- I'm Confused

No - I'm not, but asking around I realized there are numerous people that have been confused on the released date. I am making this small post just to tell you that the day FIFA 2001 should be released, depending on your area is November 2nd - November 11th. Note that, keep it in your mind. The earlier date October 24th was just a rumor.

Posted by [Jim](#)

- Three New Foreign Sites Open

What a huge day it has been away from our main English FIFA 2001 website. I am proud to announce that today three brand new Foreign FIFA 2001 websites opened right here at [fifa2001.com](#).

First to go live by just a whisker was [FIFA 2001 Turkey](#). Already proving to be very popular with over 600 visitors in its first day, FIFA 2001 Turkey is the complete site for the thousands of FIFA 2001 fans out there. It is run by a group of dedicated Turkish FIFA webmasters and looks set to be the best Turkish site dedicated to a FIFA game yet.

Nest in line was [FIFA 2001 Benelux](#), the top site for every Dutch speaking FIFA fan. Bosting an experienced and well known team of webmasters, FIFA 2001 Benelux will easily cover every Dutch speaking person's demands.

Last, but certainly not least is [FIFA 2001 Russia](#). Sporting an awesome and fresh new design, FIFA 2001 Russia is one of the first Russian FIFA sites to open and will keep all Russian speaking FIFA fans up to date with the exciting season of FIFA 2001 that awaits us.

We've still got a quite a few Foreign sites that are yet to open and being worded as I type by their respective webmasters. If all goes to plan, they should all be open by the time FIFA 2001 is released.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, October 21, 2000

- Win FIFA 2001 from FIFA Max!

We've received a message from the [Soccer Gaming](#) affiliate site [FIFA Max](#):

"Are you a Latin American FIFA Series fan? Do you want to own your FIFA 2001 game without spending a dollar? Head on to [FIFA Max Network](#) and win your FIFA 2001 copy now! This contest will be open until November 11th."

Still reading? Get on over there and win yourself a free copy of FIFA 2001!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Gamcenter.com Reviews FIFA 2001

[Gamecenter.com](#) has recently posted a review of FIFA 2001 for the PC. A review in which they say, *"FIFA 2001 looks great, plays well, and is the best soccer game going."* which is definitely very promising words for FIFA 2001. You can check out the review by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Kevin](#)

- Pre-Order Your Copy of FIFA 2001

With all the excitement surrounding FIFA 2001 I am sure you would be dying to own a copy of the game as early as possible, while still not having to spend all of your hard earned money. Well thanks to the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) this can all be possible.

FIFA 2001 can now be pre-ordered and delivered to you as soon as it is released no matter where you live at a very low below-retail price.

Preorder FIFA 2001 Today:
[Australasia/Asia-Pacific Customers Click Here!](#)
[European Customers Click Here!](#)
[American Customers Click Here!](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Demo Release News From EA

One of my contacts from [EA Sports](#) has informed me that if all goes to plan, the FIFA 2001 demo will be released sometime next week. This is great news as for once people will be able to experience the game before it is officially released. We'll post more info on the demo and it's release date as it comes to hand.

I've also been receiving many emails from visitors concerning the release dates of FIFA 2001 around the world. Release dates are varying from country to country. However, the game will be released for certain sometime between November 4th and November 11th no matter where you live. The best advice I can give you is to make a phone call to your local computer store where you will be purchasing FIFA 2001. Release dates are quite often inaccurate and your local shop will be able to tell you when they are expecting it from their supplier.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, October 20, 2000

FIFA 2001 Workshop BETA Website Opens

Our brand new [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#) website has opened in a BETA version. We are on the look out for new FIFA editors to join the workshop team and help develop requested FIFA 2001 downloads for our visitors.

The [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#) is set to be one of the most useful FIFA websites on the net. As soon as FIFA 2001 is released our team of editors will be taking your requests and creating kits, stadiums, adboards and many other exciting FIFA 2001 add-ons and patches for you.

Be sure to visit the [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#) today and read about the exciting new features the site will have. Plus, if you have any experience in FIFA editing and want to make your name famous and develop patches for our website, be sure to head on over the site as soon as possible. Remember, the site is on in an early BETA stage and will be fully opened once FIFA 2001 is officially released.



Posted by [Matt](#)

Give me more, more, and more!

The [Sports Gaming Network](#), and our good friend, James have posted 22 brand new screenshots. Once again, these selection of screenshots root from the type of screenshots you asked him in our [Forums](#). This new batch features some images of Newcastle United and the set formations, among others. So, if your really a FIFA 2001 fan, you can't miss these. Click [here](#) and say "Give me more!".

Posted by [Matt](#)

Thursday, October 19, 2000

SportPlanet's Preview - A Must Read

If this doesn't get you falling off your seats and onto your knees begging for a copy of FIFA 2001, I doubt anything ever will. SportPlanet's, Humberto "Salty" Dominguez, has pieced together a [hands-on preview](#) of FIFA 2001 that I can honestly describe as the most promising and exciting FIFA preview I have ever read.

Salty has been reviewing FIFA games since the beginning and is never afraid to insult the game he loves to play. So when I read this preview, I felt my body fill with enthralment as passages like:

"... by far the closest approximation of association football within the realm of electronic gaming"

and

"The playing field has, after so many prayers, finally been enlarged"

filled my screen. [SportPlanet's FIFA 2001 Preview](#) is a must read and not recommended for those of you who are impatient and may end up taking workers hostage at your local EA headquarters in search for an early copy of FIFA 2001. ;)

Posted by [Matt](#)

New FIFA 2001 Pack Shots

Good news! We've just got the new box shots for FIFA 2001. The International version has soccer star Paul Scholes, as the United States features the MLS All-Star Ben Olson. You can click on one of the images below to get a close look. You can also check out the news post about Ben Olson joining [EA Sports](#) by clicking [here](#).



Posted by [Joc](#)

Wednesday, October 18, 2000

60 Screen Shots at FIFA Korea

I was just informed that [FIFA Korea](#) have over 60 new screen shots of FIFA 2001 in Korean available on their site. We've got 2 of the better ones displayed below. Check them out and you'll see there is a power bar present at the bottom of the screen. This should make for more accurate and realistic shots.



So pay [FIFA Korea](#) a visit and see how good FIFA 2001 is really going to be.

Posted by [Matt](#)

More Teams Announced

Our [Teams & Leagues](#) section is now fully complete. Today we added the teams that will feature in the Austrian, Scottish, Dutch, Swedish and Belgian leagues in FIFA 2001. So pay our [Teams & Leagues](#) section a visit for the complete list of all 17 leagues in detail.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Gamepen FIFA 2001 Preview

Dan from [GamePen](#) has informed me of his [FIFA 2001 Preview](#) he has written for the PC version of the game. In part he says:

The first thing I noticed were of course the graphics. Everything seems so smooth as opposed to last year's game, and last year's effort was very good graphically. This year, players look more human--they talk, their eyes blink, and they seem to have a bit more personality. And I must point out after six @\$!@#\$!\$!\$ing years, there are finally linesmen in this game. Apparently they (EA Sports) have had enough of my complaining.)*

Cool! There really are linesmen! Check out this preview today as Dan raises some interesting points. There are also over 40 new screen shots Dan grabbed for you to draw over.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- News from Sports Gaming Network

The guys over at the Sports Gaming Network, who have already got their hands on FIFA 2001(PSX), just posted their [review](#) of FIFA 2001 for PSX. You can check it out by clicking right [here](#).

Also, James, has told us they posted 20 new FIFA 2001 screenshots at your request. Just [push that little button on your mouse](#) and you'll be there in no time.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Tuesday, October 17, 2000

- New FED2001 Poll Question

We've once again changed our [Poll](#) question. With the great news about FED2001 being announced today, we're wanting to find out exactly how popular the ultimate FIFA 2001 editor will be. So this week we are asking, "Will you be downloading FED2001?" Please vote today. The results to our previous polls have been added to our [Poll](#) section.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Teams & Leagues List Returns With More Info

After a few weeks of unavailability, our popular [Teams & Leagues](#) section has returned. This part of our website lists all of the teams that will be taking part in the 17 leagues of FIFA 2001. So far 12 of the 17 teams lists have been announced with the remaining 5 set to be announced over the next few days.

Today see's the addition of the teams that will feature in the Greek, Israeli and Brazilian leagues. Pay our [Teams & Leagues](#) section a visit today.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FED2001 Under Development

This is surely the most exciting news this site has released and I'm sure every man and his dog will be over the moon when they read it.

Chau Le has officially begun work on FED2001!

Check back here regularly as we reveal more details on exactly what this years FED will involve. The word is that Chau has some big surprises in store for us with this edition.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Monday, October 16, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Screens @ SportsPlanet

We've got some good news from our good friend Tony Wyss. He has just told us that he has posted 37 new screenshots at [SportsPlanet](#), using his ATI Radeon DDR video card. This collection of photos shows us some nice close up shots in the game. So, if you want to take a glance at these brand new screenshots, [hop on over](#) to SportsPlanet.



Posted by [Joe](#)

- Your requests have been answered

Our main man over at the [Sports Gaming Network](#), has just told us that he has posted 20 of our requested screenshots. You want to see what you asked for? Your one click away. If you didn't get a request in, don't fret. You can still post your request on the Forum. For information, see our previous post.



Posted by [Joe](#)

- More FAQ Sent To EA

Wow, in my 3 years of being part of the FIFA website scene I have never witnessed such excitement around an upcoming FIFA game. With FIFA 2001 becoming officially gold this week, excitement is at an all time high and we here at FIFA 2001 Online want to make the next couple of weeks before release even more exciting.

Although these were uploaded a few days ago, we would like to make sure everyone has the opportunity to check out the next 10 questions that we've already sent into EA Sports. Visit the [FAQ Week 4 section](#) to read the 10 questions we chose from your posts in our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). We're expecting a reply from EA anyday now and once those 10 questions are answered, we'll be selecting a further 10 from the FIFA 2001 Forum.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, October 14, 2000

- 22 New FIFA 2001 Screenshots

James, from the [Sports Gaming Network](#), has just gotten his hands on the gold edition of FIFA 2001. To spice up our last few days of waiting for our own edition of FIFA 2001, he has posted 22 new screenshots. All you have to do to see them in their glory,

is click [here](#). Thank you James!

UPDATE: James has told us that he would be glad to take requests for screenshots of certain parts of FIFA 2001. Just go to our [Forums](#) right now and look for the topic, "[Request a FIFA 2001 Screenshot](#)".

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **Friday, October 13, 2000**

• **FIFA 2001 gone Gold**

Here it is. One of last steps before the release of FIFA 2001. [The Adrenaline Vault](#) has reported that EA Sport's FIFA 2001 has gone gold, as of Thursday, October 12th, 2000. AV has said that in the US, the game will be released October 24th. Click [here](#) to get the full scoop of what AV had to say.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **Thursday, October 12, 2000**

• **PSX Loading Screen Shot**

This shot just came in from Jack at [EA Thailand](#). Those of you who plan to purchase FIFA 2001 on the PSX or have had a FIFA game on the PSX in the past will find it interesting.



If you're yet to hear, we have a the net's largest array of FIFA 2001 shots all available in our [Screen Shots](#) section.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• **Your Questions and Prays Have Been Answered**

The latest set of questions we sent in to EA have been answered and posted on both our [FAQ](#) and the [Official FIFA 2001 Homepage](#). Our prays have been answered and the latest news about Internet Support is absolute gold! EA states:

"Internet play will be based around EA's new INTERNET MATCHMAKER service provided through EA.com. Players can launch the match maker service from within the game or directly from their web browser. Once a player has registered, he/she can pick a region of the world to find other FIFA players in. There will be an interface to create or join games, pick all your game options, and create or join in user chat rooms to meet and beat your opponents. As well, for users who wish to connect directly to another user via a known IP address there will be an in-game screen."

Answers to all 10 of the latest questions can be found in the Week 3 section of our [FAQ](#) page.

Later today we'll be selecting a new set of 10 questions from our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) to send into EA to be answered for Week 4 of the FAQ. Be quick to register and post your questions if you'd like them answered.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• **Wednesday, October 11, 2000**

• **IRFO 2001 and China FIFA 2001 Open**

Two of our newest and most eagerly awaited foreign websites went live today.

Our Iranian website, [IRFO 2001](#), looks set to become just as popular as it's predecessor, IRFO 2000 which was a hugely popular website full of the latest downloads and patches with a true Iranian feel to it. Pay [IRFO 2001](#) a visit today as it is well worth a look even if you aren't from Iran.



Also opening for business today was <http://china.fifa2001.com>. This website will provide complete coverage of FIFA 2001 in Chinese.



Stay tuned for more foreign websites opening here shortly.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• **Tuesday, October 10, 2000**

• **As We Wait...**

Waiting... waiting... waiting. As EA release more and more attractive movies and screen shots from FIFA 2001 all we can do is wait. No one has been able to even get close to playing the game and the waiting game is killing us all! Our own Joe Lemon has put together a great article entitled, [As We Wait...](#). He talks about the new features of FIFA 2001 that he, and many people, are very excited about. Give it a read. It may just make those final few weeks go a little bit quicker. :-)

Posted by [Matt](#)

• **Monday, October 9, 2000**

• **PS2 Screen Shots and Movies**

Just a quickie - Those new PS2 screen shots I mentioned yesterday can now be found [here](#) on our own site, for your convenience.



Also, I've just found out that there are some absolutely fantastic FIFA 2001 (US) movies taken from the PS2, thanks to IGN.COM's PS2 FIFA 2001 preview. You can get tons of movies if you go [here](#) (the "Current Media" ones being the ones I'm talking about) and the FMV Intro you can get [here](#). Well, you get to hear the OOPS system in action (arguing players, celebrating players, etc.), and see some great stuff. All I can say is WOW! I had to download a further 6mb from [Quicktime](#) to get it to work and was up until 1am, but boy was it worth it. Wow. Wow. Wow.

Posted by [Chius](#)

• Sunday, October 8, 2000

- New Sports & FIFA Site

Mohamed Talat has informed us that he has finally created his Sports & FIFA site, which can be found by clicking the following link - <http://pages.about.com/moh81/index.html>

Posted by [Bick](#)

- More PS2 Screen Shots

Here's that surprise I promised! Some new screenshots of menu screens (and more) on and off the pitch, FROM THE PLAYSTATION2 (proving that, as I said in my last post, the menu screen shots from Jack of EA Thailand are actually PC screen shots), have arrived [here](#).

Posted by [Chius](#)

- Menu Screen Shots

Well, it's not BIG news, but it's news all the same...

I've just discovered that the menu screen shots kindly given to us by Jack of [EA Thailand](#) (see news below) are 99.9% certainly (I won't say definitely because then something will roll along from somewhere and prove me wrong - C'est la vie.) PC screen shots. This is because... Well, I won't ruin the surprise, I'll make a news post a few minutes after this one with some evidence - FIFA 2001 fans, it's worth the wait! Check back in a minute.

Posted by [Chius](#)

- <http://fifa.help.pl>

I've just received this exclusive from Reigon of <http://fifa.help.pl>

"Today we have an exclusive set of materials, which you never seen on any bigger FIFA 2001 sites in Poland or any other foreign sites dedicated to FIFA 2001. It's important that you read this article, because it shows what really the guys from EA prepared for us (screenshots inclusive).

- Players skin colour palette
- Twelve different player face types used in the game
- Hairstyle types
- Shirts models (maybe there will be more stripes or more dots or stars'n'stripes...)
- Shorts models (maybe long, maybe short...)
- Socks types (without holes or...)
- Team kits colours and types

You will read and see much more...

- Statistic informations made for all 15 polish players
- All 32 tactical on-field positions made for the game (classical def. mid. fwd. st and mid-positions)
- FAQ and explanations for all statistics properties
- Statistic of random selected players (best player, best goalkeeper etc.)"

If you are a Polish FIFA fan, I would recommend you go there now!

Posted by [Chius](#)

- All Systems Go...

All errors in our HTML have been fixed. All pages should now be in 100% working order and we apologise for the inconvenience earlier when our HTML had errors. Thanks.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, October 7, 2000

- New Poll Question

We have just changed our [Poll](#) question. This time around we are asking "Is your National League in FIFA 2001?" With the National League list released by EA earlier this week being the most talked about and controversial part of FIFA 2001 yet, we want to know exactly how many of our visitors will be able to enjoy their National League in FIFA 2001. This new [Poll](#) will be a good indication for EA to see how they can improve the Leagues list next year.

Our last [Poll](#) question was a huge success and showed us that a large majority of our visitors strongly approved of the design of this website. Thanks to everyone who voted.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- New FIFA 2001 Movies

IGN PS2 has posted some new movies of FIFA 2001 the US version for the PlayStation 2. These movies feature the FMV introduction for the game, along with the much requested shot power bar. So what are you waiting for, check out all of these movies by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Kegan](#)

- Final Fifa 2001 Artwork Skin for your Collection

Today sees the last in the series of very very successful Fifa 2001 Artwork MRA Skins. For your MRA this weekend why not try out one of the hottest talents in the English Premiership, young Manchester United and England midfielder, Paul Scholes.



Check out the screenshot above and then download your copy of this great Skin by [clicking here](#)

We hope you have enjoyed this collection of Fifa 2001 Skins and if you have any great ideas for a new series of Skins then please do not hesitate to [contact me](#).

Vote for a brighter future

Please take a moment to cast your vote on this topic and help to make a brighter future for us all by visiting the MRA site

• Friday, October 6, 2000

[Week 3 FAQ Now Viewable](#)

Posted by Matt

Exclusive New Menu Screen Shots

Special thanks to my buddy Jack from [EA Thailand](#) for sending me four never before seen screen shots of the menus in FIFA 2001. We weren't entirely sure if these were PC or PS2 menu shots, but it has now been proven by Chris (see Sunday's last news post) that they are PC. Because of this, we now have all four of them on display in our [PC Screen Shots](#) section (page 4). You can check out two of them below

Posted by Matt

- Our FAQ Section Opens

One of the most exciting areas on the FIFA scene at the moment is the [Frequently Asked Questions](#) that EA Sports are answering for us. As you may already know, all of the questions that EA answer come straight from our FIFA 2001 Forum.

Today I have put together a new part of our Information section, called (surprise, surprise) [FAQ](#). There you will find all of the questions EA have answered plus soon a list of the next 10 questions that have been selected from our Forums and sent into EA.

Personally, I found this weeks answers from EA to be the most promising yet. We now know that FIFA 2001 will have a shot bar, a number of realistic licensed stadiums to choose from, awesome realistic crowd chants plus much much more. Be sure to check out our FAQ section today.

I will be back in a few hours with 4 never before seen screen shots of the menu's in the PS2 version of FIFA 2001

• Thursday, October 5, 2000

All 10 Questions Answered

Since I made my last post, answers to all TEN questions sent to EA SPORTS by [Matt](#) have been posted at [the official EA SPORTS FIFA 2001 website](#) in the FAQ section. Once again some questions I have been asked a LOT are answered there, this time including "can we choose the stadium to play in (like in previous FIFA games)?" and "will there be lineamen?", plus some other very interesting stuff (like the sfx option "on the pitch" mix). Check it out now FIFA fans!

News from Matt is that we'll infact be opening our own FAQ section very shortly to not only display the questions EA have already answered us, but future questions that have already been sent out to EA and are awaiting reply

► Wednesday, October 4, 2000

More Questions Answered by EA

Well it seems like only a few days ago when [Matt](#) sent out 10 new questions to EA SPORTS to answer about FIFA 2001... Hey, wait a minute, it was only a few days ago! Well, answers to 5 out of 10 of the questions (see [Matt's](#) earlier post, now in the News Archive) have now been answered and those very answers are on the [official EA SPORTS FIFA 2001 website](#). Answers this time around are from questions including one I have not stopped being asked since I became an employee here - 'why is my favourite league not included?', and a few more which you need to see now if you want some brand new information about FIFA 2001. Enjoy!

Posted by Chris

- FIFA Clubs Tournaments Coming

Our newest network site over at [Soccer Gaming](#), [FIFA Clubs](#), has announced some great news concerning the Internet Support feature in FIFA 2001.

Already [FIFA Clubs](#) has many tournaments all over the world taking place for FIFA 2000 players. However, they have plans to begin an awesome world-wide tournament featuring FIFA 2001 and Internet Support. Here is what one of the organisers of FIFA Clubs, Claudio Mariano, has to say about his website:

"Fifaclubb specialises in the organization of Fifa tournaments. We are a site where you can play the game with people from your own country and soon all over the world! We keep on changing the rules of our tournaments so that we keep the interest of the game alive. Our latest point systems tend to reward not only the best players (that win every game) but also those players that play constantly and try to become one of the top players."

Our latest tournament, which is set to start as soon as Fifa 2001 comes out, is the World League. This tournament shall follow the same structure as the Fifa World Cup. For each country we shall set up a national championship that, at the end of the season (probably late April 2001), will produce the best ten players for each country. At the end of the national championships, the final phase of World Championship shall commence.

And this is where the new main feature of Fifa 2001 - the possibility to play over the Internet - will be essential. In the Final Phase we will have these top players of each country play against each other. The object of this tournament is not to find out who is the best player on the planet, but its primary goal is to find out which is the best country overall.

For example, in a hypothetical semi-final, the n°1 Argentinian player shall meet the n°1 Italian player, the n°2 from Argentina shall meet the n°2 from Italy and so on. At the end of these ten matches (for "match" I consider at least two games, each player will be host at least once) we will probably have a score of 7 to 3, 6 to 4, or maybe even 5 to 5 in which case more matches will follow. The country whose players win most matches goes on to the next phase and eventually wins the World League. The

precise rules for the Final Phase and its structure shall be released some time before the end of the national championships.

The second, and also very important, part of Fifaclubs is the forums section. This is where the players get a chance to meet and exchange their ideas with the other Fifaclub players. Sometimes, mostly when we get close to the end of our tournaments, the "exchange of opinions" gets a little bit too hot, but always with great respect for the other players."

Stay tuned to this site and [FIFA Clubs](#) for further news on this exciting new tournament.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, October 3, 2000

• Foreign Site Update

Over the past few weeks we have had a great response to our foreign website promotion and we're happy to announce that up to 23 foreign FIFA 2001 websites will be opening within the next couple of weeks. Just take a look at the size of the list in the right menu!

Today sees the official launching of our Thai mirror site at <http://thai.fifa2001.com>. FIFA 2001 is very popular in Thailand and this new site will cater for all the needs of the Thai FIFA fans. With a great design and a load of info, [FIFA 2001 Thailand](#) is set to be one of our best foreign websites.

As announced on [Soccer Gaming](#) last week, our brand new Latin American network known as [FIFA Max](#) will now be the home to all of our South American based FIFA websites. If you speak Spanish, head on over to [FIFA Max](#) and you won't be disappointed. The guys at FIFA Max are after new hosted sites and webmasters. Check out their detailed [hosting](#) section for more info.

If you are a webmaster and have an interest in developing a foreign website here at FIFA 2001 Online be sure to [contact me](#). I'll be happy to talk to you and discuss how you could help our network and create a popular website for yourself. We're particularly interested in putting together a team of Israel guys to develop a big FIFA 2001 Israeli website.

Stay tuned to this site for our new foreign websites going live.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• 6th Fifa 2001 Skin for your MRA + Special Treat

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have the 6th in the series of Fifa 2001 Skins for your MRA plus a special treat. They have 2 versions of the Spanish and Valencia star Gaizka Mendieta for your enjoyment.



Check out the screen shots above and then download your copies of these great Skins by [clicking here](#). One more to follow this week.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Patch of the Day 2001

Well really the news partly released by Dave (see the news item below) is both FIFA 2000 and FIFA 2001 news, and this is a FIFA 2001 website, so I wasn't sure whether to post the news here or not, but since Dave's let the cat out of the bag I might as well finish the whole story. No offence Dave!

PotD2 for FIFA 2000 was due to be released about now, but due to me starting college and getting this job here at FIFA 2001 Online, I just couldn't find the time to finish it (and the same goes for Andrew "Drinky" Drinkwater, the other creator of the PotDs for FIFA 2000). So any further English footie patches from me are cancelled. But only until FIFA 2001!

By the time FIFA 2001 is released, my work schedule will be cut down a bit and I will definitely have enough time to make a Patch of the Day for it! Of course this all depends on whether FIFA 2001 will need one, and from what I've seen so far it's questionable indeed! But we shall see...

Posted by [Chris](#)

• PotD for Fifa 2001

Chris Davies who has developed the excellent Patch of the Day series (PotD) has informed us that the next version of PotD

"WILL be released for FIFA 2001 soon after it's release on the PC".

I know you will all be very excited of the prospect of PotD for Fifa 2001. We will keep you fully informed of progress with the development of this patch when it commences.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Sunday, October 1, 2000

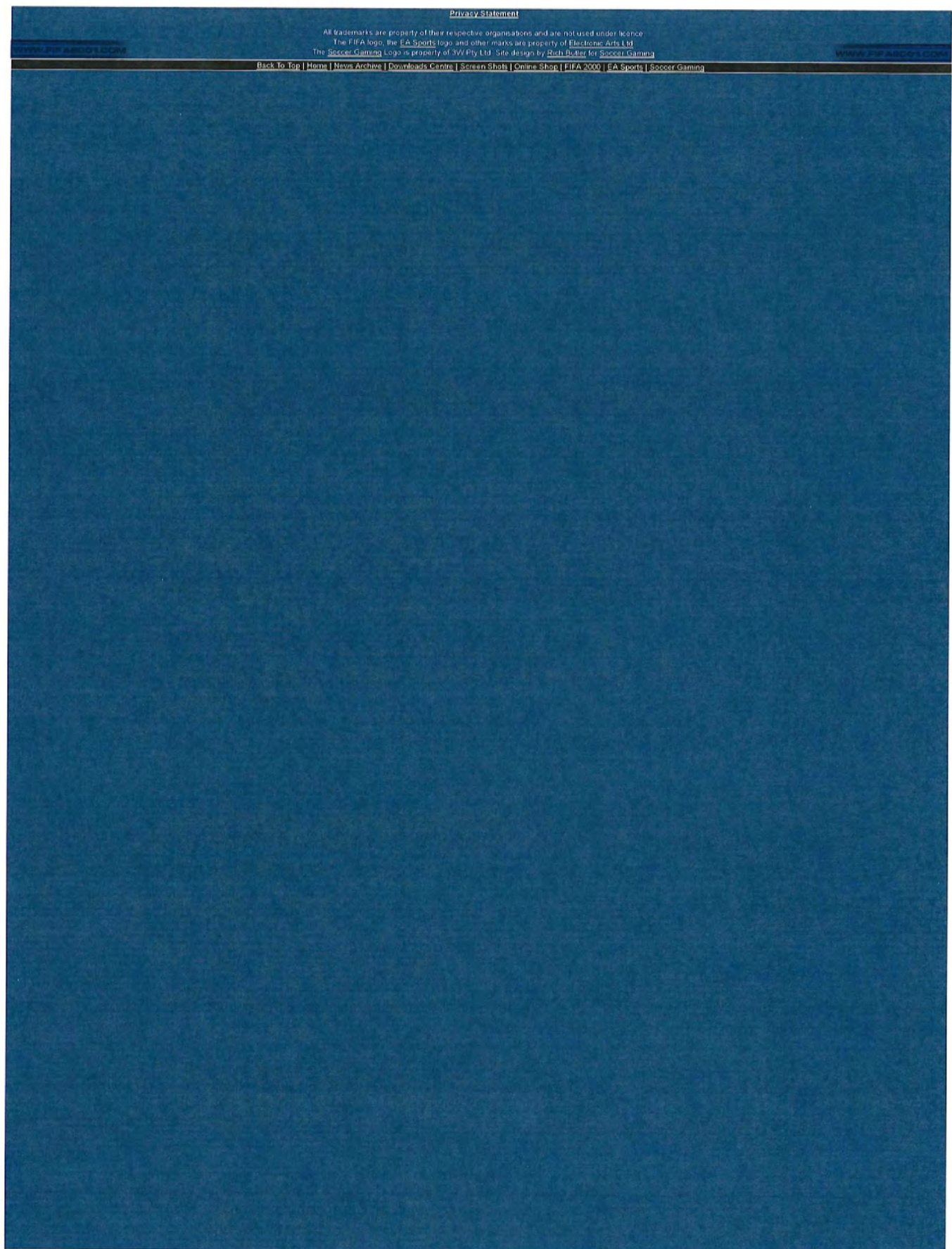
• 5th Fifa 2001 Skin for your MRA

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they the 5th in the series of Fifa 2001 Skins for your MRA and it is the veteran German star who has won everything there is going in modern football and is now playing his trade in the MLS - Lothar Mattheaus.



Check out the screen shot above and then download your copy of this great Skin by [clicking here](#). More to follow this week.

Posted by [Dave](#)





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Thursday, November 30, 2000

Toyota Cup Patch

Our good friend Ozzie over at [EIEA.MLS](#) has released a Toyota Cup Patch that adds Boca Juniors to the game so you can play and relive this years match in the comfort of your home

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

More New Kits from AllSoccer

Our good friend See Toh from [AllSoccer.50megs.com](#) has his latest collection of kits for you

- Valencia
- Olympiakos
- Chelsea
- Rennes Home

Pop over there and see See Toh's great work

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

News from Fifa Argentina

[www.fifa-argentina.com](#) has already made a great Argentinian League called FA 2001, with new kits for:

- Boca Juniors,
- River Plate,
- Racing Club,
- Valencia and
- Deportivo La Coruña.

The FA 2001, contains the Database of the names and positions of the Actual Apertura Tournament.

Fifa Argentina is also arranging a great project making the Copa Libertadores de America. Currently the staff of Fifa Argentina's are working hard on this project

So you can go to [www.fifa-argentina.com](#) to see this news of these great projects and download the kits and the FA 2001 patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

From the League

Only 7 more spots left in the Premiere FIFA 2001 League! Today I received over 110 emails for requests or to join the league! I had to let certain people go, whether they picked a team that was already there or if there was not enough information. If you did not get a response hurry up and pick a team that is not listed [here](#). The teams are listed in the groups they will be in. Three leagues have two spots left and one league has only one spot left. So hurry up and apply by reading the [rules](#) and joining!

NOTE: If you have received a confirmation email with your team and group you are in the competition. It is **STRONGLY** recommended to join the newsletter if your competing ([Click here](#))

Posted by [Joe](#)

Wednesday, November 29, 2000

Sweetpatch Review

This one is for all of you MRA users out there. We all know that it is the most useful utility about and you are all eagerly awaiting the latest instalment - MRA Sweetpatch.

Well just to wet your appetite, I have written a review of Sweetpatch as I am one of the beta testers. This is the first of two reviews as is explained on the page you are about to go to. To read the review, [click here](#) and get all the info on this great new program.

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

Joe's Premiere League Main Page

For those interested in FIFA 2001 online gaming. You should consider joining the newest league called "Joe's FIFA 2001 Premiere League". Today I have opened the doors to the main page which can be accessed by clicking [here](#). You can find, at this moment: the rules, the newsletter, the already selected teams, and contact to join the league. We now have our own **Forum!!** Stop and say hello there, and keep checking back here or at the Joe's FIFA 2001 Premiere League main page.

Posted by [Joe](#)

Tuesday, November 28, 2000

Downloads Galore - 33 New Files

I told you this one would be big. We have yet another huge update of patches and add-ons in the [Downloads](#) section. Here are the details:

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- Serie A ad boards
- 3 new balls
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- Feyenoord, Denmark and an Old Firm Update (Rangers + Celtic)
- An NTV logo ([screen shot](#))
- The EA Graph utility



Enjoy today's [Downloads](#) and keep them coming into [Lior](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Joe's Premiere FIFA 2001 League

Want some excitement to that FIFA 2001 game you've got sitting in it's case? Well, I've got a solution for you. Join the newest competition of FIFA Online Gaming. I am bringing to you through Soccer Gaming. Compete with the best and join our realtime online season! Starting in the middle of December and going through the beginning of March! If you're into realtime gaming against opponents [click here](#) to read the rules and sign up! We are counting on you to sign up. The sign ups will be open until December 9th. [Join the action!](#)

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Latest Kits from AllSoccer

My good friend See Toh from [Allsoccer 50megs.com](#) has his latest collection of kits for you:

- Juventus
- Bordeaux
- AS Roma
- Panathinaikos
- Liverpool
- PSG Away
- AC Milan

You will also find 2 great patches from Sylvain Cadilhac

- Players wear long sleeved kits
- GoalKeeper wear short sleeved kits

[Pop over there](#) and see See Toh's great work

Posted by [Dave](#)

• FIFANet.GR Returns with Jordan

After some time away, Jordan Stavridis has returned with his very popular Greek version of FIFANet.GR. This is the ultimate site for anyone who speaks Greek. It has an awesome new design and FIFA 2001 news and downloads that I'm sure everyone will enjoy.



Jordan's English website, FIFANet, will also be making a long awaited come back very soon. Stay tuned for more news as it comes to hand.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• FIFAMax Argentina Downloads Update

Edgardo from [FIFAMax Argentina](#) has let me know that their downloads section is really expanding. They have new kits and patches that is perfect for anyone from Argentina or who supports the Argentine league. Check just one of the many new kits below



Be sure to pay [FIFAMax Argentina](#) a visit today

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Monday, November 27, 2000

• FIFA 2001 Workshop Kick-Off

Over at the [Workshop](#) we have had our unofficial request kick-off. We are now excepting requests for anything from kits, jerseys, stadiums, updated leagues, anything you want. So if your dying for the new away kit for your favorite team come on over to the [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#) to send your requests in.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Scotland's FIFA 2001 Home Updates

The home of FIFA 2001 in Scotland, our own [http://scotland.fifa2001.com](#) has just had makeover and to celebrate has opened a UK wide searchable matchup database service for their visitors. You can register and easily find other users in your area to play games of FIFA 2001 against.

Also, a man know for his works at our Replays site, Robbo, has also joined the team. Things are looking promising over at

<http://scotland.fifa2001.com> so be sure to check out the site.

Posted by [Matt](#)

New Juventus Kit to Download

Nikita is back with another stunning kit, this time for the popular Juventus team. Check it out below:



You can download the newest Juventus kit right [here](#) (34 KB). Look out for more quality downloads from Nikita soon.

In other [Downloads](#) news, [Lior](#) is primed for a huge update anytime now. So keep checking back. Also, our Downloads Centre is really starting to take shape. It is gonna be awesome.

Posted by [Matt](#)

Sunday, November 26, 2000

Link me Up!

Just a few new sites to hook you up with this week, also a small update from our good buddy SCTW. Here are three new sites:

- www.expage.com/fifa2001
- [Voikkausliiga-Finnish National League Update](#)
- [Modem Sports-FIFA 2001, NHL 2001, Madden 2001 Modem Leagues](#)

As I said above, SCTW has told us that his "FIFA 2002 Wishlist" site will be updated sometime today. You can view the new and updated list, and contribute to it by going to the [FIFA 2002 Wishlist](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

Biggest Patches Update Ever

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch is presenting the world's biggest ever patch updates. She has details of 5 different new patches including a great new Portuguese patch for all fans who are missing them from the game. Patch updates include:

- From Then to Eternity
- Greek Super Patch 2001
- Portuguese and World Rosters Update
- Portuguese Super Patch 2001
- TUDU 2001 Dutch Patch

Check out some of the screenshots above and then visit the [MRA site](#) where Sweetpatch has the largest helping of FIFA 2001 patch features ever for you in the [Patches Database](#).



Posted by [Dave](#)

Saturday, November 25, 2000

Ferdi Kegel's Newest FIFA 2001 Download

Ferdi Kegel, has been kind enough to send me his latest download for FIFA 2001. This time it's the Ajax badge for the menu.



This is how Ferdi describes it in his readme.txt:

"Now you can also see the Ajax team badge in the EFA Trophy, before it was only in Season mode I fixed some transparency problems with the badge that was showing up in Season and EFA Trophy mode."

[Click here](#) to download the Ajax Badge Patch (207 KB). Look out for some big news from Ferdi in the next few days.

Posted by [Matt](#)

26 New Downloads Recently Added

[Lior](#) has updated our [Downloads](#) section with 26 new files. They include:

- Adidas, Diadora, Lotto, Reebok and Puma boots
- A Moroccan patch
- Two flag updates and an Ajax badge
- Deportivo La Coruna, Manchester United, Egypt, Ashdod, Feyenoord, France, Holland, Inter Milan, Olympiakos, Paraguay, Valencia and Yugoslavia jerseys
- A Portugal and a Turkey roster
- A PRO TV logo

I'm sure there is something there for everyone. So what are you waiting for? Head for our [Downloads](#) section and update your copy of FIFA 2001 today.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- New Manchester United Away Kit

Our kit designer, Nikita Startcev, has completed yet another new kit for you all to download and enjoy. This time is the latest Manchester United Away kit and you can check it out below



You can download this great new kit by clicking [here](#) (31 KB). Stay tuned for many more new kits by Nikita coming your way soon right here at FIFA 2001 Online.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, November 24, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Released for PS2

Today is the day that many UK gamers have been looking forward to for months. While the PlayStation 2 has been out in Japan for a couple months now and for around 3 weeks in North America it has finally been unleashed in the UK today. Along with the PlayStation 2 being released, FIFA 2001 has also been released as a launch title along with the console, but North American fans don't need too worry since they can go down to their local store and also pick up a copy today. What are the differences between the PC and PS2 versions? You'll find out as I will be posting a review of the game in a couple of days since I will be picking up the North American version later today.

Posted by [Kevin](#)

- Happy Thanksgiving Update

First off, I would just like to wish everyone in the States a late Happy Thanksgiving. Hope you had a good time, and are plenty full.

As I sit here and wait for my huge dinner to digest I might as well tell you that our "Downloads Centre" is getting very close to opening. The Downloads Centre will be a huge database of downloads for every popular soccer game including FIFA 2001 with many options that will make downloading files far easier. Also don't forget to check our [Forums](#) very frequently, where you can discuss the latest news in soccer and in gaming, as well as find answers to questions you may have.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Thursday, November 23, 2000

- FIFA Clubs Announcement

I have just received some interesting news from Claudio Mariano of the very popular [FIFA Clubs](#) tournaments site. He had this to say:

"You all know that the World League is a tournament for nations. It will prove which is the best Fifa 2001 playing country out there overall. But who will be the best Fifa 2001 player? We want to know and many of you want to know."

We are pleased to announce that at the end of the National championships, two parallel tournaments will take place: one will be the Final Phase of the World League (Tournament for Nations) and the other will be the 'Fifa 2001 Online Single Player Tournament'. The important thing to keep in mind is this: you must be on your National Team in order to participate in the 'Fifa 2001 Online Single Player Tournament'. You will play against the best in the world. There is no doubt about that."

Now you have two reasons for signing up and trying to become a part of your country's National Team. All the details will be online in the next few days. We have nearly reached 1000 World League players from all over the world! And their number is still growing. So sign up at <http://www.fifaclubs.com> if you want to play with the best."

Sounds exciting to me. Only wish I had the time to enter myself. Claudio is also in need of dedicated helpers for the site, contact him [here](#) if you're interested.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Argentina "World Cup 2002 Edition" patch is released

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has news of a new patch from [FIFA Express](#) called Argentina "World Cup 2002 Edition". The patch includes:

- the kits of the Argentinian national team,
- the actual roster of Argentina,
- ad boards with the official sponsors of 2002 World Cup,
- a great new ball,
- new menus
- and the IGGex (In Game Graphics express 1.0).



Check out the screenshot above, visit the [Patches Database](#) for a full list of features and then visit [FIFA Express](#) to download this patch.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Wednesday, November 22, 2000

- More New Downloads

Head on over to our [Downloads](#) section for today's new file. [Lior](#) has uploaded 11 new patches and add-ons. They are:

- Nike Air Zoom boots
- A Greek badges update and a Wembley pitch update
- Australia, Mexico, Schalke 04, Sturm Graz and 4 Ajax jerseys

Keep sending in your [Downloads](#) with screen shots to [Lior](#) and we'll have great updates like for you all each and every day.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Nikita's Inter Milan Kit

Our very own Nikita Starcev from the [Workshop](#) has made a new Inter Milan kit for all you fans out there. If you don't know who Nikita is, he is one of our very own patchmakers - amongst other patchmakers - who makes patches on request or for his own fun. He has mad numerous jerseys and other kits in the past, and here is one of his newest creations.



You can find these new kits right [here](#) (home kit) and [here](#) (away kit), or take a trip to our [Downloads](#) section to find more!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- World Cup 2002 Edition

Ariel from [FIFA Express](#) has told us here that their new "World Cup 2002 Edition" patch is under the works, it features: A new ball, new menus, Argentinian national team, and new roster



If you've got the time, check out [FIFA Express](#) for more info

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **Tuesday, November 21, 2000**

- More New Kits from Allsoccer

More great new FIFA 2001 kits have been added to <http://allsoccer.50megs.com>. They are as follows:

- Juventus
- AS Roma
- Panathinaikos
- Bordeaux

Posted by [Nick](#)

• **Monday, November 20, 2000**

- Ferdi Kegel Returns to FIFA with Ajax Kits

Loyal [Soccer Gaming](#) visitors will know what great news this is for the FIFA community. Ferdi Kegel, the man behind the world-famous FGOCL Patch for [World Cup 98](#) is back! Ferdi took some time off from the FIFA scene but is back and better than ever editing kits for FIFA 2001 like he did so well before! His first update is for one of his favourite teams: Ajax, and it can be downloaded right [here](#) (153 KB). Click on the screen shot below to compare Ferdi's kit with the real-life kit. We call this screen shot "spot the difference" :-)



Ferdi is one of the most talented kit and patch makers around and along with a group of now "super-star" patch makers created the first ever complete patch for a FIFA game known as FGOCL. Check out the [FGOCL website](#) and take a look at the "Team" list. You'll notice some very big names there who have all gone on to much bigger things in the FIFA world. Ferdi will be editing FIFA 2001 over his weekends so look out for more great kits by Ferdi next week!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Babe Alert at FIFA-MRA Site

For those of you who haven't heard, the [MRA](#) site has under-gone a complete overhaul. This isn't just any usual new site design guys, this is a whole new site with a twist! Introducing Sweetpatch, the first-ever woman to be pictured on any [Soccer Gaming](#) website. She is the new mascot of the [MRA](#) site and is proving to be a huge success! She'll be appearing all over the new site sprawling her cyber-body over all the new screen shots and pages at the [MRA](#) site. Make sure you pay a visit to their [Patches Database](#) which already has details on some exciting FIFA 2001 patches that are underdevelopment.



Well done Dave. The [MRA](#) site is not only one of the most informative FIFA sites but now its certainly the most sexiest! :-)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Biggest Downloads Update Ever!

Can you belive it?! 39 brand new files have just been added to our [Downloads](#) section. This includes over 25 new kits plus a host of other quality new updates and add-ons for FIFA 2001. Check out the list and screen shots of what [Lior](#) has added below.

- Bayern Munich ([screen shot](#)) , Canada (home and away), Chelsea, China ([screen shot](#)) , England, Estonia, France, Galatasaray, Italy, Japan ([screen shot](#)) , Juventus, Korea, 2 Bayer Leverkusen, Maccabi Haifa, AC Milan, Mexico ([screen shot](#)) , Paris St Germain, Rapid Wien, Roma (see screen shot below), Scotland, Sweden and Turkey jerseys
- A Jupiter and a Moon ball

- Adidas Predator ([screen shot](#)) , Adidas Karnivor, Adidas Tournoi ([screen shot](#)) , Diadora Mars (see screen shot below), Nike Air Zoom and Nike Mercunial boots
- Ajax flags, Feyenoord flags ([screen shot](#)) , Champions league graphics and a turf
- An Ajax roster and a team name patch
- A Wizja Sports patch



I'm sure everyone can find something they'll enjoy in our [Downloads](#) section today. Enjoy and keep sending those files into [Lior](#).
Posted by [Lior](#)

• News from the "FIFA 2002 Wishlist"

FIFA 2002 Already? Well SCTW - As he is known in the [Forums](#) - has told me that The "FIFA 2002 Wishlist" has been updated. stop by and check out what other FIFA fans want to see in future versions of FIFA. Feel free to post your own ideas in the forum and let EA know what you want to see in the next FIFA! This is a huge list so check [it](#) out!

Posted by [Lior](#)

• Note from FIFA World Portal

The good guys over at [FIFA World Portal](#) have sent me a little note telling me the site is now open. The site is always adding new links to their growing list. Not to mention FIFA news and a forum to discuss your thoughts. You've got to [visit](#) the site to check it all out!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Sunday, November 19, 2000

• FIFA 2001 Chile

A new FIFA 2001 site has opened. [FIFA 2001 Chile](#) will provide you with lots of Chilean add-ons for the most exciting soccer game around - FIFA 2001. Check out one of the great Chilean FIFA 2001 sites [now](#)!

Posted by [Nick](#)

• News from Greek-Tournaments

Michael Koukourmanis, member of GSP2001 and Greek-Tournaments has contacted us and asked us to inform you all of the following: starting from tomorrow, each and every day they will post a new jersey on their [site](#). Aswell as this, in a couple of days they will be posting their views of the FIFA 2001 Multiplayer Game.

Posted by [Nick](#)

• Latest Kits from allsoccer

See Toh has today updated his site with these great new kits for FIFA 2001

- Liverpool FC
- AC Milan
- PSG Away (By Christophe Jadot)

Head on over to <http://allsoccer50megs.com> to download these kits.

Posted by [Nick](#)

• Please say a big hello to Sweetpatch!

After months of hard work the lads over at the [MRA site](#) are proud to release their total new look site and welcome you to your very own MRA personal assistant - Sweetpatch.

Sweetpatch over the coming months will provide you all the information you need to ensure you can maximise your Fifa gaming experience. They have many exciting and new features in the pipeline which we know you will find invaluable. Check out the Flash nav utility and take a tour of the new site.



The new site still has a few areas which have not been fully converted to the new design plus we are currently uploading most of the downloads but please bare with us on this as they should be completed by next week. We wanted to make sure you had to wait no longer to meet Sweetpatch.

In the next week the new version of the MRA will be going out to all beta testers so within a couple of weeks we should have the newest and greatest MRA which will include support for.

- Fifa 2001
- Euro 2000
- Fifa 2000
- Fifa 99
- Fifa RTWC 98

We hope you find all the new features, the new MRA plus all coverage of all the Super Patches for Fifa 2001 will keep you wanting to come back for more.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Saturday, November 18, 2000

• Our New Poll Question

Our last [Poll](#) showed us that over 90% of you all actually play soccer in real life. Thanks to everyone who voted. We have changed the question this week to find out how you actually discovered this website. Please visit our [Poll](#) section and vote today. This information will be used to create an even better site.

Posted by [Lior](#)

• Friday, November 17, 2000

• The Downloads Update

As promised, [Lior](#) has updated the [Downloads](#) section with 11 new files. Here they are in detail.

- Champions league ad boards
- Plain boots ([screen shot](#))
- Argentinean, Brazilian, Croatian (see screen shot below), Egyptian (home and away) ([screen shot](#)), German, Turkish and Russian jerseys (see screen shot below)
- A Portugal update



We'll have more [Downloads](#) tomorrow!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- More Downloads Shortly...

We had a small error with our CGI scripts earlier today which meant [Lior](#) couldn't finish off his [Downloads](#) update. All is well now so please return in a few hours when [Lior](#) will complete the update with the usual amount of new patches and add-ons for FIFA 2001.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- EA Wants Your Teams Chants

Over at the [Official FIFA 2001 Website](#) EA Sports is after your help again to try and make future FIFA games better and more realistic. They would like to hear samples of your team's chants to make the home stadium's atmosphere more life-like. Head on over there today and check out the link to this cool idea in their right menu.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, November 16, 2000

- FIFANet and Jordan Stavridis to Return

Head on over to [Soccer Gaming](#). There is some interesting news concerning the return of Jordan and his FIFANet sites.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Joe's FIFA 2001 Thoughts

The title tells it all. I have just added my FIFA 2001 review to the site. You'll have to read the review, to see what grade FIFA 2001 has got. Many of you want to know what we here at [Soccer Gaming](#) have to say about the game. Soon we will all be averaging out all of our thoughts on FIFA 2001 to get the "FIFA 2001 Online Review". Therefore, the review I have posted is a small chunk of the final FIFA 2001 Online Review. So if you've got some time on your hands, just click right [here](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- 12 More Downloads Added

[Lior](#) and myself are both amazed at the number of quality [Downloads](#) that are being sent in each day. [Lior](#) loves to receive your files and because of the great response we've been getting he has just posted 12 more new files in our [Downloads](#) section. Go there now and you will find:

- English Ad Boards
- Ajax, Feyenoord, Juventus, PSV, Spain (Away), FC Twente and Willem II jerseys
- A world update and an Aston Villa update
- A Sky Sports TV patch
- Version 1.5 of the FIFA 2001 Kit Importer

Return tomorrow for more great [Downloads](#)!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Tal Bereznikey Says Goodbye :(

It is a sad day in away for the FIFA community. One of the longest serving members of the FIFA scene has today been forced to call it quits. Tal Bereznikey has joined the Israeli Defense Force and as a result has no time to continue on with his great FIFA programs.

Tal first came to fame with his great programs for FIFA 98 which featured at our first ever website, [FIFA 98 Online](#). He continued to make programs for FIFA 99 and then moved to [Euro-Ball](#) where his work really took off, creating famous programs such as Sonique FSH and the more recent Speech Editor 2001.

You can read a Goodbye Letter from Tal himself at his website [here](#).

On behalf of everyone here at [Soccer Gaming](#) and in particular myself I would like to thank Tal for his great contributions to the FIFA world. His programs and skills for future FIFA games will be sorely missed and I wish him good luck in his future career. If you wish to thank Tal please visit his website and fill out the form.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- DKG KitStore Releases Two New Kits

The [DKG KitStore](#), one of the members of our upcoming [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#), has just released a new England National kit and Fiorentina kit at their website. Check out the screen shots of them below.



Posted by [Matt](#)

• Wednesday, November 15, 2000

- Soccer Gaming Newsletter Is Back

I'm sure some of you have been wondering where I've been off too. Well after solving some computer problems I'm finally back online and my return comes with the good news of the [Soccer Gaming Newsletter](#) returning. Matter of fact this week's edition has already been sent out and should be arriving in your inbox any minute now. But for those people that haven't subscribed to this great [Soccer Gaming](#) feature don't miss out on another issue and subscribe now by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Liam](#)

- Hungry? Why wait?

Today we've got a few more FIFA 2001 Link updates for you. Hopefully they will feed your appetite for the latest in FIFA 2001.

News and Downloads

- [FIFA Virtual](#) (Brazil) - FIFA 2001 Jerseys, boots, patches and more!
- [FIFA-Goal Poland](#) (Poland) - Soon to be available in English
- [FIFA Game Argentina](#) (Argentina) - Argentina's FIFA 2001 Site

Want your site posted here? [Send](#) it to me with the URL, name of the site, language, and a short description of what is on the site.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- The Guys at the "Shop"

Here's a little update on the status of the [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#). As of yesterday - with our newest workers just added - we now have over ten members to our team! There are still more applications being processed at this time. Thus, we can expect to add more numbers soon! With two of our members being from FIFA Mania, and one waiting, we soon will have the team of patchmakers from [FIFA Mania](#) helping us out!

The FIFA 2001 Workshop will be allowing you to request the patches you want and you'll get them made! The Workshop should be open soon. Keep checking!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Super Downloads Wednesday

We have another massive [Downloads](#) update for you today with 18 new FIFA 2001 files being added. There is literally something new for everyone! In detail we have:

- Spanish ad boards
- A Nike and 2 Adidas boots (see screen shot below)
- A Greek badges update ([screen shot](#)) and a flags update
- Werder Bremen, FC Cologne, Feyenoord ([screen shot](#)), Norway, Paris St Germain, Spain, SC Verl ([screen shot](#)) and two Bayern Munich jerseys (see screen shot below)
- A Champions League music update
- A Team list containing all the jersey numbers of the FIFA 2001 teams
- An International update



Pay a visit to our [Downloads](#) section today. We want to produce big updates like this each day, so please keep sending your zipped up files into [Lior](#). I hope you enjoy today's patches and updates.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, November 14, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Key Chain and Mousepad

Anyone who is lucky enough to be from Thailand or Singapore will have already have grabbed themselves one of the cool FIFA 2001 key chains or mousepads that the guys at [EA Pacific](#) have produced. I am personally trying my hardest to get my hands on some of these awesome collectable products and if I am successful I'll be giving them away at this site and at the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) with future orders of FIFA 2001.



Keeping to the Pacific theme, if you come from the Australasia/Asia part of the world, don't miss your opportunity to save money and order your copy of FIFA 2001 (PC) for just \$62.95 AUD by [clicking here](#). If you're not from the Pacific region there are still awesome deals on FIFA 2001 from our European and American suppliers at the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#). Pay it a visit today and I'm sure you'll agree that there are some great soccer games and deals available.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FIFA 99 Still Alive

Believe it or not, one of our foundation web sites, [FIFA 99 Online](#) is still updating regularly. Nick Clarke has taken control and is now posting updates nearly everyday. If you still enjoy a game of FIFA 99 make sure you pay [FIFA 99 Online](#) a visit.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Happenings at Official Site

You can [hop](#) on over to the Official FIFA 2001 Site. They've got a new poll out asking "Would you download new roster ratings if people voted on them?". You can also find a new feature with Ben Olson - now over in England - who gives an exclusive talk to EA. Take a [click](#) to see all the official latest news.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Monday, November 13, 2000

- Great Polish Site!

<http://fifa.help.pl> is one of the best Polish and Eastern Europe sites. It has a load of screenshots and other great stuff. If you're from Poland, you can also read reviews (for example, translated Euro-ball review) and buy FIFA 2001 for less than the normal price! Pay them a visit by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, November 12, 2000

- New FC Groningen Kit

[Lior](#) has just uploaded another new kit to the [Downloads](#) section, making this our second updat for the day. Pay another trip to the [Downloads](#) section if you want to grab a new FC Groningen kit.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- AllSoccer has opened its Fifa 2001 section

My good friend See Toh from allsoccer.50megs.com has opened his FIFA 2001 section. The first three of his great home and

away kits are

- Manchester United
- Arsenal
- Bayern Munich

[Pop over there](#) and see See Toh's great work

Posted by [Dave](#)

The Big Match in Greece

The lads over at <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/> just sent some of their latest work they have done on their new patch that they are making - the Greek Super Patch 2001.

Appropriately with today's Big Match between arch rivals Panathinaikos and Olympiakos you can check out some of the screen shots they sent me



Just a reminder the site also has an English version. So [head over there](#) to check out their latest screen shots on the GSP 2001.

Also, regarding Patches I have just rewritten the Patches Database so very soon you will be able to see this new resource at the [MRA site](#), along with a few other treats!

Posted by [Dave](#)

Massive Downloads Update

We have 10 brand new files for you today in our [Downloads](#) section. We have loads of kits plus a very useful utility called the FIFA 2001 Kit Importer. In all our update includes:

- AC Milan, Ajax, Deportivo La Coruna (Goalkeeper), Leeds United, Manchester United (Socks and Shorts), AC Parma, Real Madrid (Goalkeeper and away) and VFL Wolfsburg jerseys
- An Atlético Mineiro team patch
- A FIFA 2001 kit importer utility

Screen shots of the new Leeds United and Real Madrid away kits can be seen below



As I've mentioned we have also posted the new FIFA 2001 Kit Importer utility known as "FIFA 2001 Kit Wizard Import". This very handy program is based on Gfxpak by Tony Willen, and was created by Fabio Negrini of our Italian foreign website, [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). It allows FIFA 2001 editors to easily turn kits into small .fsh files that reduce download time dramatically making it easier for you to share your work on websites like our own. Visit the [Downloads](#) section to grab your copy of this valuable utility today



Check back here tomorrow for another great update and please keep sending your zipped up downloads into [Lior](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Saturday, November 11, 2000

A Heap of Sites

Since I've been partly away for a week, the site links have piled up. Brace yourselves - here they are:

- [FIFA Polish Site](#)
- [FIFA Channel](#)
- [FIFA Express](#)
- [Slovanian Online League](#)
- [FIFA World Portal](#)
- [FIFA 2001 Ladder](#)
- <http://Locojairo.homestead.com/jairos.html>
- <http://www.geocities.com/zolagola>
- <http://fifa.help.pl>

Thanks for all the people who have sent in for their sites. If you want your site posted here, just click [here](#). Don't forget to have the URL and a short description

Posted by [Jag](#)

- Support Section Added

Recently EA released quite a detailed Support page for FIFA 2001. I've added a link to it in our menu and if you're having any type of problems with FIFA 2001 you can check it out [here](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Nine New Downloads

We have just added a huge collection of 9 new files to our ever expanding [Downloads](#) section. Today's daily update includes:

- A Thailand national jersey, Barcelona and Real Madrid goalkeeper jerseys and a Manchester United jersey
- A new Camrea Fix
- A Dutch logos update
- An Egyptian roster update
- A Kit making tutorial
- The GFXPack utility

You can see the new Thailand National home and away kits below. These were sent to us from our Thai foreign website at <http://thai.fifa2001.com>



Enjoy today's [Downloads](#) and keep sending them into [Lior](#) as we aim to update our [Downloads](#) pages atleast once per day!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- MRA: More than just a Roster Utility

I have been lucky enough to grab a sneak preview of the new [MRA](#) website. Let me tell you this, not only is it superbly designed, aesthetically attractive and full of great FIFA patch news but it also has an extra little bonus. Check out yesterday's post by Dave to see what I am talking about. If there is one thing in life that's better than football it would have to be... :-)) wait and see!

Dave has also let me know of some exciting news about the upcoming new version of the FIFA MRA program. The new version will not only be the ultimate roster assistant but also include a new feature that will allow users to import and export any .big file in and out of FIFA 2001 without having to make a BAT file. This is great news for all of you editors out there and is yet another reason why every FIFA 2001 user should download their free copy of the [MRA](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, November 10, 2000

- The Shape of Things to Come!

"I sit and wait," I hum to myself the great Robbie Williams song "Angels" as it sums up my sentiments completely. I am hoping my version of Fifa 2001 will come through the letter box today so I can enjoy the benefits of this great game.

Talking of Angels, as we mentioned previously we are working very hard on the release of the new [MRA site](#) which we are very excited about. As a taster of the shape of things to come, check out the screen shot below and see what we have in store for you very soon!



For everybody who has already got the game, enjoy. For everybody in the UK enjoy along with me today hopefully!

Posted by [Dave](#)

- FIFA 2001 Kit Tutorial

Nikita Startcev, one of the main members of our [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#) team has put together some very useful Tutorials for all the budding kit editors out there

If you are wanting to know how to edit a FIFA 2001 kit you can download Nikita's [FIFA 2001 Kits Tutorial](#) (232 KB). It is a complex package which includes a tutorial by Nikita himself plus a program by Joey Jones that allows you to easily import and export kits in and out of FIFA 2001.

Nikita has also been busy creating a new Manchester United home kit with new socks and shorts. He has used all of the utilities in his [FIFA 2001 Kits Tutorial](#) to create it. You can check out a screen shot below and download the new kit [here](#) (31 KB).



Nikita and many other skilled designers will be working for our upcoming [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#). We're always looking for new applicants to join the team, if you're interested and skilled in designing drop [us](#) a line.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- New Foreign Sites

I am proud to announce that two new foreign websites have joined our network. Today see's the official opening of Scotland FIFA 2001 and FIFA 2001 Israel.

[Scotland FIFA 2001](#) is run by Brian McAulay and he is proud to be the webmaster of the first FIFA 2001 fan site for Scotland. Brian has big plans for the site and it will have distinctive Scottish feel to it. Be sure to pay [Scotland FIFA 2001](#) a visit today.

The other new site, [FIFA 2001 Israel](#) is for all you 1000's of Israeli FIFA fans out there and anyone who speaks Hebrew. There's a big team behind this new site and we hope it is a success.

More Foreign sites opening shortly

Posted by [Matt](#)

• More New Downloads

As always, we've got a great new collection of [Downloads](#) for you today. Just recently [Lior](#) has added:

- Home and Away jerseys of Real Madrid, Barcelona, Deportivo la Coruña and Napoli.
- A new adboard pack

Remember to check back here atleast once everyday as we're always updating our [Downloads](#) section. If you're editing FIFA 2001 files, make sure you zip them up and send them into [Lior](#) as he loves to receive your new [Downloads](#). Include a screen shot of your new download and we'll display it on this page.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, November 9, 2000

• First Official FIFA 2001 Update Released

EA have already released an update for FIFA 2001 that fixes some of the video card problems people may have been having. If you are experiencing problems, you can grab the update by going to the FIFA 2001 folder in your Start >> Programs menu of Windows. Then click on "Check for Update".

Posted by [Matt](#)

• EA Rep Needs Your Help

Earlier today I received an email from Chris Mann, the Game Support Lead at EA Sports and now a very prominent and active member of the FIFA community. He had this to say:

"Looking for a bit of help here. Here at EA, we would like to start running some community events for FIFA2k1. Right now, all ideas are good ideas, and the more the better. I would love to hear from the community on what they would like to see as far as official EA sponsored events here at EA.com."

Personally I think this is excellent and EA are really trying to listen to us! To help out, I have set up a special topic in our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). The topic is called, "Ideas For EA Sports Community Events". Chris Mann himself is a regular visitor to the Forum and you can catch him posting under the username of "EA Rep Trident". Don't hesitate, let EA know how you'd like your FIFA 2001 gaming experience improved!

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Future FIFA Suggestions and Questions Sent to EA

As mentioned earlier this week, EA Sports are very interested in finding out how you would like future FIFA games to be improved. Seeing as we are all clued up on FIFA 2001 features, our popular [FAQ](#) section is now concentrating on sending suggestions and questions to EA concerning future FIFA versions. I have just finished selecting 10 questions from our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) and they can all be read in our [FAQ](#) section. I have chosen a number of different topics from disappointing areas in FIFA 2001, to the always controversial gameplay issue and the referee artificial intelligence (or in some cases, lack of it :-).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• 3 New Downloads

Pay a visit to our [Downloads](#) section today for 3 great new files. They are:

- An MLS roster update
- A Napoli jersey
- The Nile Sports TV patch

Enjoy today's [Downloads](#) and keep sending your zipped up files in [Lior](#). Development on our huge Downloads Centre is going well and it shouldn't be too far away from opening.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Wednesday, November 8, 2000

• Excitement Extreme - Coming Very Soon!

The lads over at the [MRA site](#) will very soon be able to release to you their new site which is packed full of excitement. Everyone who has witnessed it so far has been stunned by its new presentation. This will correspond with the release of the new version of the MRA (see below).

When it is released there will be a brand new person on the Fifa scene who will change our outlook on the gaming scene forever! I will tease you no more.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• New Version of the MRA

The lads are also currently finalising the next version of the MRA which will have full Fifa 2001 compatibility. It will even cater for the new file formats. So installing your great Fifa 2001 Super Patches will be no problem.

They are just waiting to do a full test programme on the game when it is released in the UK this weekend. They will then be releasing it to beta testers for their seal of approval.

If you would like to be part of the MRA Beta Testing Programme then please do not hesitate to contact them by [clicking here](#) and they will distribute it to you as soon as it is ready.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Another Day... Another Downloads Update

That's right guys! More [Downloads](#)! Today we have for you:

- A camera angle patch
- Argentinean, Polish (Home and Away) jerseys and Rich Butthead's kit patch
- Treebeard's roster update

All of these FIFA 2001 add-ons and patches are available in our [Downloads](#) section right now. Keep sending your files into [Lior](#) and stay tuned for even more [Downloads](#) tomorrow!

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Tuesday, November 7, 2000

• Euro-Ball's Interview with EA

Nati Tal, from [Euro-Ball](#), has informed us that about a special interview they have had with the EA.com's Game Support Lead, Chris Mann. The interview provides insight into EA and what they think about our community. They have also got a hold on what awaits us later on, and in the future. To find out more about the interview go [right here](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- EA Sports Want Your Questions Again

As you all know, over the past few months we had been selecting questions from our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) and sending them into EA to find out more about FIFA 2001 and to contribute to their popular FAQ pages. Well now that FIFA 2001 has been released in most countries and we already know or have experienced most of the features of the game, EA would like to begin answering questions about the future of FIFA games.

So this is your chance to post your comments and questions on features that weren't included in FIFA 2001 and to ask EA questions about the future FIFA games they'll be developing. Point your mouse towards the ["The Future of the FIFA Series - EA Sports"](#) topic and post away. Remember to register for free if you are yet to do so.

As always, each week we'll be selecting 10 questions from the forum and sending them in direct to EA where they'll be answered and displayed on this page as well as the official EA FIFA 2001 website.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Gamespot UK Launch FIFA 2001 Week

Thanks to our buddy, Ric Brienza, over at our motherfucker-site, [Soccer Gaming](#) for letting us know that [Gamespot UK](#) have just kicked off their FIFA 2001 Week. They are already up to Day 2 with today's feature being the Stadia in the game. There's a bunch of new shots to see too. You can go directly to their article by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FIFA 2001 Forum on Fire!

Never have I seen such an active message board in my life than our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#)! There are literally 100's of new topics being posted each day. Whether it be other FIFA users sharing their first FIFA 2001 experiences or people seeking answers to problems they are having with the new game, it's all there in our [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). Do yourself a favour and join in the fun! It is free and will give you something to do while your hands take a break from your gamepad :-)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Huge Downloads Update

We have 14 brand new files waiting for you in our [Downloads](#) section. They include:

- An advert update and a Dutch team logos update (see screen shot)
- Arsenal, Bayern Munich, Cruzeiro, Flamengo, Juventus, Poland and Vasco Da Gama jerseys
- Adidas and Lotto boots
- An Egyptian and 2 Dutch updates



Keep sending your files zipped files into [Lior](#)! Stay tuned for more [Downloads](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Monday, November 6, 2000

- New Poll Question

We have a brand new [Poll](#) question for you. This time around we're wanting to know a bit more about our visitors. We're asking, "Do you play Soccer in real life?".

Last month we found out what a huge success FED2001 will be. Over 90% of the 3700 odd voters said they'll be downloading it. The latest word on FED2001 from Chau Le is that it is well under-development and BETA version will be going out to testers shortly.

Visit our [Poll](#) section today!

UPDATE: We have fixed the problem where visitors who had previously voted in other polls could not vote.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, November 5, 2000

- Kit Patch Error - Fixed

For some reason, FIFA decided to fall over for some of you when trying to deal with the Leeds away kit. This has now been fixed and the bug-free (hopefully :-)) version is downloadable [here](#).

Posted by [Rich](#)

- FIFA Clubs Tournaments Kick Off

The guys over at our affiliate site, [FIFA Clubs](#), have informed me that their first of many Tournaments for FIFA 2001 has kicked off already. The great news is that you can join at anytime. As we all know, the new Internet Support feature will allow FIFA players from all over the world to come together and battle for the title of "world's best". If you think you can match it with the best and are looking for the most exciting FIFA 2001 experience, visit [FIFA Clubs](#) today and sign up!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- From Then to Eternity Patch is under way

The excellent "From Then to Eternity" Patch for Fifa 2001 has begun its development this week. Ramon Vargas from the excellent MRA Patch Development Team has informed me that he has begun work on this patch and he is very excited about it.

Keep an eye here and on the [MRA site](#) for all the latest news during the development of this great patch.

Posted by [Dave](#)

- First Ever FIFA 2001 Patch :-)

Well it seems that as a new era in FIFA gaming draws that little bit nearer, the first patch for the game has been released. This file, made by [myself](#), updates the FA Premier League jerseys so that

- Arsenal (Sega Dreamcast)
- Leeds United (Strongbow)
- Liverpool (Carlsberg)
- Manchester City (Eidos)
- Tottenham Hotspur (Holsten)...

all now have sponsors' logos on their shirts (home and away).

Get the file [here](#), and make sure to read the readme before trying to implement it. It may not work with a minimum installation of FIFA 2001.

THIS PATCH DOES NOT WORK WITH THE FIFA 2001 DEMO

Posted by [Buh](#)

- New Olympiakos Kit

Michael Koukourmanis has contacted us regarding his really cool jersey of Olympiakos for FIFA2001. Check out the screen shot below and there will be more from Michael soon I am sure.



Posted by [Dave](#)

- Fifaheat Screen Shots

[FIFAHEAT.COM](#) have taken an amazing 50 in game screenshots of FIFA 2001, go and check them out at www.fifaheat.com!



Posted by [Dave](#)

• Saturday, November 4, 2000

- New Greek Super Patch 2001 Screen Shots Every Day

Yup that's right. Everyday from now on the lads over at <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/> have GSP 2001 screen shots until it's release.



Check out the screen shots above and then go to <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/> to check them out every day.

Posted by [Dave](#)

- New FIFA 2001 Links

Once again we have some new links for you to check out. Here is a small list of the sites that we have received in the past few days:

- [FIFA 2001 - Unofficial Site](#) - Downloads, Online Leagues, Links.
- [FIFA 2001 Replays](#) - A bunch of Replay files! (SOON)
- [FIFA 2001 - Center of Polish Players](#) - Powerful FIFA 2001 Polish Player database

Remember, send your site name and URL in to [us](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- More New Downloads

Due to the large amount of new files being sent in each day for FIFA 2001, we have decided to open a temporary [Downloads](#) section. As I've mentioned in the past, we have a huge database driven Downloads Centre that will be catering for every soccer game being developed, unfortunately it is still in early testing stages so we have decided to open a basic [Downloads](#) section right here.

As in the past, Lior will be in charge of all downloads and he is anxious to starting receiving zipped up edited files from you today.

Today's [Downloads](#) update includes:

- A crowd update and a net update
- A PSG, Juventus and a Sao Paulo jersey
- The demo selector utility



We'll be trying to provide screen shots of as many of the new [Downloads](#) we update as we can this year. Enjoy the new files and stay tuned for more.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Friday, November 3, 2000

- SportPlanet Interview

Tony Wyss, from [SportPlanet](#), has notified me of the SportPlanet's interview with the FIFA 2001 Producer, Andy Ambramovici.

Some of the hot topics mentioned were why Galatasaray was including in the game, and why no other team was. Not to mention the question a lot of people want to know "Why is my team not in FIFA 2001".

This should help - while the FIFA 2001 copies are hitting the shelves in the US, the European customers can embrace this while they wait:

<http://www.sportplanet.com/features/interviews/fifa2001/>

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Official Greek Tournaments FIFA 2001 Review

The lads over at Greek Tournaments have contacted us:

"We've gone a long way in the past year. And to award our efforts EA has let us take a look at their product.

For main page go to: <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/>

For English Version go to: <http://www.greek-tournaments.com/Eng/index.html>"

Check out their review as you look forward to the release of the game.

Posted by [Dave](#)

- Feature: IWTW

Our newest "mini-feature", has just been launched today. We give the webmasters of a chance at getting their to advertise their site on our site, and getting an interview to tell people like you why you should check their site out. Well, today the first installment is in. The webmaster of the site features, is a Forum veteran, click [here](#) to find out who.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Coming very soon to a browser near you

As Fifa 2001 starts to run on our PC's, over at the [MRA site](#) they have many exciting and new features arriving soon for you. Many hours of hard work have gone into planning, designing and building a whole new experience for you. Hopefully you will all find this very refreshing and it will help you get the most out of your new Fifa 2001 game.

Things to look forward to include:

- brand new site design
- totally rewritten MRA which will provide all the features of your current MRA plus many more over the coming months
- totally unique experience for gaming websites! We know you will like this
- brand new interactive [Patches Database](#) to ensure you can obtain the maximum information on all your favourite patches

You wont have to wait long now to benefit from all these great new features. In the meantime, if you would like to become part of the growing MRA team, whether you enjoy creating graphical patches or would just like to help around the site then please do not hesitate to contact them by [clicking here](#). They would love to have you as part of the excellent MRA Team.

Check back regularly at <http://www.fifa-mra.com> over the coming weeks as many new features will appear!

Posted by [Dave](#)

• Thursday, November 2, 2000

- FIFA 2001 Music

Here is a list of the 7 tracks featured in FIFA 2001:

Moby - Body Cock (Album Version)
Moby - Body Cock (B&H Bodyrob Mix)
Utah Saints - Funky Music (Levent's Funk-O-Rama Short Edit)
Utah Saints - Power To The Beats
Curve - Chinese Burn
Grant Theft Audio - We Luv You
The Source - Fly Away

If there is any other info about the game you would like to know that hasn't been revealed yet, [Send me an Email](#) and i'll post the answer on this site.

Posted by [Simon](#)

- Internet Play Road Test

I'm sure you all know by now that one of the most anticipated features added to this years edition of FIFA is the ability to play against others online.

So earlier today myself & Matt thought we'd give it a road test.

Equipped with a 56K modem each we started up a game using the IP option rather than EA's 'match maker' service.

First time around it was pretty unplayable and ran quite slow, then in the in-game chat we agreed it might be a good idea to turn all the details down.

Second time around with clear weather & details on the lowest setting it was noticeably better. Although still quite stuttery it was most definatley playable.

For the technically minded among you, Matt & I had a ping of 400ms & there were 14 servers locations to pass through between us.

What does all this mean for the average user?

Well, anyone with a high-speed connection should have no problems when playing someone with a similar connection. As for modem users, you too can enjoy internet play aslong as you choose you opponents carefully, making sure you aren't physically too far apart.

So all in all it looks like Internet Play in FIFA 2001 is going to be a very usable feature & not just something EA threw in to please the crowd :-)

Posted by [Simon](#)

- First Ever FIFA 2001 Downloads

Today I was sent these two new files that work very well the FIFA 2001 demo so I thought I would share them with you.

The first one is a must have for anyone who has downloaded any version of the [demo](#). Created by the guys at [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) it allows you to play with a variety of different club teams while still using the one version of the demo. Previously, if you had downloaded just the English version of the demo, you would have been only able to experience the Man U v Arsenal game. However this awesome utility known as the [FIFA 2001 Demo Selector](#) allows you to choose any language with any version of the

demo. This means you'll be able to play games such as: Arsenal vs Manchester United, Juventus vs Lazio, Bayern Munich vs Bayer Leverkusen, Marseille vs Paris Saint Germain, and Real Madrid vs Barcelona no matter which version of the demo you have downloaded. [Click here](#) to download it (46 kb).

Due to this great new utility, the next file I received will now work well with version of the demo. [Click here](#) to grab the PSG 2000-2001 home jersey (1.29 mb), by Christophe Jadot, which will work when you use the FIFA 2000 Demo Selector and choose to play the French version of the demo.

These are just the first of literally 1000's of edited patches we'll be releasing for FIFA 2001. Stay tuned for more info as the finishing touches are put on our exciting new Downloads Centre.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Wednesday, November 1, 2000

• More Screen Shots Uploaded

Today we have another set of 22 new screen shots you can marvel at. Just visit our [Screen Shots](#) section to check them out.



Release day in countries all over the world is getting closer, with some countries already shipping the game. Get ready to experience FIFA 2001!

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Forums Fixed

After a couple hours of cleaning up the Fed2000 Forum, everything in the [Forums](#) have been fixed. Now you can just click on the on the menu and go right to the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). If you posted in the Fed2000 Forum, your posts have been moved to the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

• New Patches for Fifa 2001

As the excellent Fifa 2001 demo is now resident on all of our PC's, the patch developers of the world can now see the new graphic formats and we are already starting to receive news of Super Patches which are being developed for this great new game.

The latest details we have received are from Jose Goncalves who developed the [Portuguese Super Patch 2000](#) and Kostas Kyriopoulos who developed the [Greek Super Patch 2000](#) over at [Greek Tournaments](#).



Full details of these new patches can be found over at the [MRA site](#) which also hosts the [World's Number 1 Patches Database](#). If you have details of any new patches which are being developed please do not hesitate in sending us the proposed feature lists as soon as you can so we can ensure the database remains the number one resource for you all.

Posted by [Dave](#)

• New FIFA 2001 Sites

Yea, you know the big names, Euro-Ball, [Soccer Gaming](#). Well now, we give you, the webmasters, a chance to show people what you've got. Every few days we will come to you with some of the newest FIFA 2001 fan sites of the day. If we find your site very unique, we might even want to have an interview with you, to see what you've got that other sites can't compare to. As for now, we've got three new FIFA 2001 sites for you to look at:

- <http://www.fifa2001.w.pl> - Nice FIFA 2001 site, screenshots, downloads, and more, Polish
- <http://fifa.help.pl/stapety.html> - Provides FIFA 2001 strategies and wallpapers.
- www.FIFA2002.qg.ru - The FIFA 2001 "Improvement" site.

Do you want your site posted? Just [send](#) it to us.

Posted by [Joe](#)

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• Wednesday, January 31, 2001

• FIFA Mania G3
The guys from [FIFA Mania](#) have a screenshot for you of their built from nothing G3 stadium. Featuring photo texture and fan choreography. You can take a look at the screenshot below.



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You can visit [FIFA Mania](#) to download it.
Posted by [Joe](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• FIFA Korea Kits
The people at [FIFA Korea](#) have sent us some information and some screenshots of their new Korea Kits made by the 16 bit color technique. In them you will find clearer and higher quality kits and color.




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Head on over to [FIFA Korea](#) to find out more about these and download them!

Posted by [Joe](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Some More Quality Downloads
You asked for [Downloads](#), so we deliver. Today we have just added for your enjoyment:

- Bolton ([screenshot](#)), Monaco, Paris St Germain ([screenshot](#)), Spartak Moscow, and 2 Romanian kits ([screenshot](#))
- A World roster update
- A Music Changer utility ([screenshot](#))

The Monaco and Spartak Moscow kits can be seen below.




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Head on over to the [Downloads](#) section to grab these files or browse through 100's of other quality downloads.

Just to keep you informed, we're still transferring files into the [Downloads](#) Centre and hope to have them all finished by the end of the week. A release date should be announced around that time too. Have you ever seen over 3000 FIFA downloads on the one site? The [Downloads](#) Centre will have exactly that and more!

Check back later today as Joe and/or Garry will have some interesting posts about the FIFA community.
Posted by [Alan](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Scotland Stars Update
Over at the [MRA site](#) they have a full update on the forthcoming Scotland Stars Mega Patch. The patch is developing nicely and its well on its way to completion. Looks like they will be releasing it on Valentine's Day.



In the meantime, if you are a Scottish fan of Fifa then check out the full update over at the [MRA site](#) plus see all the great work going on over at [Scotland fifa2001.com](#)

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Posted by [Dave Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, January 30, 2001

TUDU 2001 News

Over at www.tudu.nl they have just released two brand new screenshots of two different popup patches which will be (both) in the next version of [TUDU 2001 Online](#). The first one is the SBS6 popups, and the second an updated Canal+ popup.



These can be chosen between the two popup patches and the original popups with their specially developed Channel Chooser.



The second beta version of [TUDU 2001 Online](#) will be released somewhere in February so keep an eye here for all the latest news on that.

Posted by [Dave Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, January 29, 2001

The 2GK Secrets

Most of us know of the new method of kits called "Second Generation Kits" (2GK). Well now the people at [FIFA Series](#) are revealing the secret to making these amazing kits.

Some things they touch on include installing the kits:

Ariel Santarelli - the creator of the G2k kits - discovered an easy way to install kits in Fifa 2001. I'm glad to tell you that this system works perfectly!!!

There is much more than that so head on over to [FIFA Series](#) to learn the secret to making the Second Generation Kits!

Posted by [Joe](#)

GFO2k1 Downloads Section

On Saturday night, Stefan Munstedt, and his guys from [German FIFA 2001 Online](#) opened up their downloads-section.

This great downloads-section contains more than 600 files from around the world. New stadiums, rosters, sounds, boots, adboards, edited graphics, whole patches, utilities, an extra goalkeeper-section and much more can be found now at [German FIFA 2001 Online](#). Especially many files from Germany like lots of Bundesliga-jerseys, rosters and patches are available.

Whether you're a German soccer fan or are bored and just dragging your mouse around, head on over to [GFO2k1](#) to see what they've got.

Posted by [Joe](#)

FIFA 4 Players Quiz

[FIFA 4 Players](#) has just opened a new quiz for all the football freaks out there. The quiz is composed of 20 questions about FIFA and soccer in general, for each answer you can get one, two, or three points, so the maximum number of your points can be 60. Hopefully, later on there will be a highscore ranking, too.

If you think you've got what it takes head on over to the [FIFA 4 Players Quiz](#) to test your soccer mind.

Posted by [Joe](#)

Two New FED2001 Screen Shots

Today we have another two new screen shots of FED2001 available in our [FED2001 Screen Shots](#) section. These two new shots display the never before seen Team Properties section. Check out one of the shots below and head to the [FED2001 Screen Shots](#) section for the other new one.



One area that really caught my eye was the ability to assign a stadium to a team. Even though Chau announced that unfortunately the number of stadiums in FIFA 2001 will be limited, you will still be able to download new stadiums, overwrite old ones, and assign the new ones to the correct teams. For example, if someone created an Elland Road Stadium, they would add it to the game and assign it to Leeds. This is just one of the many features of this truly awesome and must have FIFA 2001 editor.

Enjoy the eye-candy and as always, keep checking out the [FED2001 Forum](#) for details from the creator himself, Chau Le, and keep checking back right here for all the up to date FED2001 news.

Posted by [Matt Post your Comments \(0\)](#)

My Premier League Tips Vs Your Premier League Tips

As I mentioned a couple of days ago, I'm starting to get really involved in this exciting new tipping game over at Internet1x2.com. You can win up to \$10 000 by simply picking the winners of the upcoming Premier League round. The great thing is that it only cost me \$5 and when you bet for the first time you get a 25% discount meaning it'll only cost you \$3.75 for a chance to win.

10,000. Check out my tips below by clicking on the small screen shot. It's very simple to understand, all you need to remember is:

The column marked '1' represents a win for the 'Home Team'
 The column marked 'X' represents a drawn match.
 The column marked '2' represents a win for the 'Visiting Team'.



I think it would be great to let me know how your tips compare to mine. Even if you're not wanting to put down money, post your tips in our [comments section](#) and in a couple of days when the round is complete we'll compare. For those of you who are like me and want to add that extra bit of excitement, pay a visit today to Internet1x2.com and click on "England" in the left menu. You can also post your picks in the [comments section](#) and we'll see who gets the most right and wins the most money. Hurry though, there is less than 18 hours until the tipping page closes for this round.



Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(10\)](#)

- FIFA Colombia Joins Soccer Gaming

One of the most popular Latin American sites of all time, [FIFA Colombia](#), has just reopened its doors and joined our ever-expanding network. Run by the very skilled FIFA expert, David Guiza, [FIFA Colombia](#), is an absolute paradise for ANY FIFA fan, and heaven on the internet for anyone from Colombia. The site covers every game from FIFA 98 right through to the brand new FIFA 2001 page. Complete with an incredible, colourful and imaginative design, [FIFA Colombia](#), has an extensive array of downloads (see example below), a chat service, forums, newsletter, multiplayer databases and on top of this an awesome Wallpaper gallery (see example below) with a huge collection of club team wallpapers from all over the world.



Take my word for it, [FIFA Colombia](#) is a must see for anyone who enjoys FIFA and football. It is not too often a site comes along that is not only beautifully designed, but also full of content. It is a real honour to have such a great site as part of [Soccer Gaming](#).



Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Kits Tutorial

Nikos Frangos has sent us his Kits Tutorial for you to download. Get your copy by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

• Sunday, January 28, 2001

- Korean Language Released for your Sweetpatch MRA v1.2

Tae Sung Park from [Fifa Korea](#) has very kindly translated the Korean language files for your brand new MRA version 1.2. If this is your preferred language you can now download this into your MRA by [clicking here](#).

To our surprise v1.0 of the MRA was downloaded the most times in South Korea so this should be a very popular language add-on.

As a special treat for all Korean fans check out <http://www.fifakorea.pe.kr/cgi-bin/spboard2/board.cgi?id=beginners>. This notice board is the perfect Korean manual for using FIFA 2001. This page includes trouble shooting guide for various problems, Teams and Leagues, how to use the utilities (like MRA), how to install patches, how to play network game, how to make the patches and etc.

Many thanks to Tae Sung Park and as a mark of your appreciation please visit his site at [Fifa Korea](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The Euro-Ball Collection #8 - English Edition

Over at [Euro-Ball](#), after seeing how much the Ajax, Dutch and Spanish collections were successful, they were sure that English fans felt a bit disappointed. So here comes the collection you and every big Fifa fans will surly enjoy! This weeks collection includes:

- hi-quality kits for Leeds United, Arsenal, Coventry City, Liverpool FC, Everton and Chelsea
- 3D boots
- a bunch of realistic turfs
- their G2 Scoreboard
- and more!



The pack, as always, is compiled in an easy to use install that every one can easy download and install. Pay [Euro-Ball](#) a visit and download this great collection of patches for all fans of English football. Full feature list of this patch can be found in the [Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Please Help Sweetpatch with her Support Pages

Following the very successful release of version 1.2 of the Sweetpatch MRA over at the [MRA site](#), they are looking to update the [Support Pages](#) very soon to reflect the new functionality. In the meantime, if anybody would like to help them develop user friendly "User Manual" and "Support Pages" then they would love to hear from you. Their online system has often been described as "too complicated" and we want to ensure it works for everyone.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Latest News from Fifanet

Jordan over at [Fifanet.com](#) has just informed me that his NEW G3 jersey is available from today and for the first of his collection he presents the Spanish National team H&A. Check it out by visiting [Fifanet.com](#)

Continuing the Spanish theme at [Fifanet.com](#), today they introduce the new webmaster of [Spanish Fifanet.com](#) who is Manuel Medina. We wish Manuel all the best with his work at [Spanish Fifanet.com](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FIFA MLS News

The Latest project at [FIFA MLS](#) has been released. The FMF 2001 Patch! This patch brings one of the most recognized soccer leagues in the Americas, the Mexican League, to FIFA 2001. But that's not all! The Missing International Teams Patch has been integrated with FMF 2001 to bring you twice your patching pleasures! Over at the [MRA site](#) there are a full list of the major features that make FMF 2001 a must download.



So give [FIFA MLS](#) a visit and download their latest project created for all FIFA game lovers, especially for those who crave the Mexican league in FIFA 2001!!! Full details in the [MRA Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Nikita Returns With More New Kits

One of our main members of our editing team, [Nikita Startcev](#) has returned after nearly a month away from the internet due to problems with is phone-line. The good news is that Nikita is back to stay and he is going to continue creating awesome new kits exclusively for FIFA 2001 Online. Click on the thumbnail screen shot of his long awaited Manchester United 3rd Kit below.



Nikita has also created home and away kits for Real Sociedad plus a handy templates collection for everyone out there who edits their own FIFA 2001 kits

- [Download Manchester United 3rd Kit](#) (30kb)
- [Download Real Sociedad Home Kit](#) (33kb)
- [Download Real Sociedad Away Kit](#) (30kb)
- [Download Kit Templates](#) (20kb)

Expect more files from Nikita very soon

Are you a Manchester United Fan? Why not take a look at the awesome Manchester United supporter CD Deluxe CD Carry Case available to purchase at the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#). There are CD Carry Cases available for many clubs such as Chelsea and Rangers. Also interesting for Man U fans is the "Interactive Manchester United PC-CD ROM" which packed full of exciting Man U related features and is a must gave for any Man U supporter. Even if you're not a Man U fan, there are literally 100's of supporter products available for your favourite club at the [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) so why not pay them a visit today?

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- EA Sports Release Official FIFA 2001 Update

There has been a lot of talk today in our [Forums](#) concerning the new update EA Sports have released for FIFA 2001. The jury is still out as to exactly what the update does, but the guys over at [Euro-Ball](#) had this to say about it.

So, what does the new update feature? Check out the full list as presented by EA Sports.

- New passing styles
- Enhanced AI (Artificial Intelligence) for players and referee.
- Updated player attributes.
- More minor bug fixes

To get this update known as "FIFA Build 141" you need to click on Start >> Programs >> EA SPORTS >> FIFA 2001 >> Check For Update. You will then be automatically connected to the EA server and the download will start. It will automatically install itself but to double check it is recommended you click on the "version.txt" in the FIFA 2001 directory and it should read "FIFA build 141".

We'd love to know your opinion on this latest installment by EA. So please visit our [Forums](#) and post your comments. A topic known as "[Shock Update From EA Sports](#)" has been opened by one of the Forum members and people have already begun posting their opinion and thoughts on the new update.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, January 27, 2001

Football Tipping Competition - Personally Recommended

This is a message for anyone who is good at tipping the winners in football matches and are looking to use their skills to win up to \$10,000 cash. Over at Internet1x2.com they have weekly tipping competition that you can enter for as little as \$5. All you have to be able to do is tip the winners in your weekly league football matches. If you tip 8 of the winners you automatically win. The more winners you tip, the more money you win. It is as simple as that. And the best part is it is 100% free to join and bets start at as little as \$5. If you are lucky enough to tip the most correct results for the week you will win an incredible \$10,000. They guarantee there will be atleast 1 winner every round!

So How Do You Play?

Let's take the English Premier League for example. The next round of matches you can bet on start in just over 2 days. This means you have until then to place your bet and tip the winners. It is very simple to do. I too am getting involved in this and thought I'd try my luck this week with a \$5 bet on the English league. Check out the screen shot below to see who I tipped.

Because I only wanted to spend \$5 I just tipped in the first column. It is very simple to follow all you need to do is remember:

The column marked '1' represents a win for the 'Home Team'.

The column marked 'X' represents a drawn match.

The column marked '2' represents a win for the 'Visiting Team'.

Looking at the screen shot you can see that I have selected Arsenal to beat Bradford, Charlton to draw with Derby, Leeds to beat Coventry and so on. If I get 8 of these results correct I'll score myself an easy \$25. While if I manage to get 9 correct I get \$250. And if my footy knowledge is as good as I hope it is, and I get a perfect round I'll score \$2,500 and also a share of the \$10,000 for getting one of the highest scores.

If your knowledge doesn't lie in the English League, you can place bets on a number of leagues including French, German, Italian, Spanish, Brazilian, Israeli and there is even a special "Mix" league where you can pick the winners from a selection of games from a variety of leagues. There is definitely something there for everyone to enjoy at Internet1x2.com. This is a great way for you to win money from your football knowledge.

On top of all of this, when you place your first bet you automatically receive a 25% discount. This means that your first bet will be as little as \$3.75 for a chance to win up to \$10,000.

If you're still unsure as to whether or not you should bet take a read of Internet1x2.com's FAQ section. Take my word for it, they are a very creditable, secure and reliable company. I have just recently received a good payment from them on a bet I made a couple of weeks ago. They credited the amount to my credit card and before I know it I had some bonus money. There are no hidden charges involved.

I'm off to place my \$5 bet and to all that follow me I wish you the best of luck.

Just click here to visit Internet1x2.com and follow the easy steps to placing your bets.



Posted by [Matt](#)

• FIFAMania Music Manager 1.1

Ladeez and Gentlemen, I present to you, NEW from the great guys at fifamania.it, FIFAMania Music Manager 1.1

This is a great update to the utility to manage and add FIFA2001 music files using MP3 or WAV files. In version 1.1 you can now convert the FIFA2001 songs from .str to .wav which means you can listen to your favourite FIFA2001 tracks in [Winamp](#) or Windows Media Player.

Big thanks goes to fifamania.it



- [Download Music Manager 1.1](#) (830kb)

Posted by [Garry](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Sweetpatch MRA Version 1.2 is Released

Today over at the MRA.site they bring you the brand new version of your Sweetpatch MRA version 1.2. With this new version comes 4 great new features for you:

1. Unzipping of MRA Compliant Zip files straight into the MRA Patches Folder using the new "Unzip Wizard"
2. Help provided on how to make best use of your Favorites
3. Auto-Create of Favorites Directory Structure to give you an example of how to set up patches to be used with your MRA
4. The much awaited "Patch Previewer"

The 2 main features of "Unzip Wizard" and "Patch Previewer" are in response to 2 of their most asked questions:



1. How do I use downloaded patches with the MRA?
This new wizard does this automatically for you as long as the patch is MRA Compliant, i.e. it includes the Fifa directory structure within the zip file
2. How can I see what is included in the Patch I have just downloaded?
The Patch Previewer now enables you to view the contents of most .fsh, .big and .abg file formats.



Get your brand new MRA by [clicking here](#) and visiting the [MRA site](#). When you are there they also have a list of the "Top 10 Countries" who downloaded version 1.0 of the MRA, which makes very interesting reading.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, January 26, 2001

- Trouble with Replays

Hi, it's me again. Unfortunately, for the past few days my mail server has been randomly deleting e-mail's I've been receiving, so if, when the downloads centre opens, you don't see your replays, please feel free to mail it to me again, and remember, attachments must be under 1MB.

Posted by [Garry](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- 10 More Downloads Added

Start this Friday off with a bang and head straight for our [Downloads](#) section. [Lior](#) has just added 10 brand new patches and add-ons for FIFA 2001. Today you can grab:

- Blue Nets and a Totti Face update
- Blackburn ([screenshot](#)), Fiorentina ([screenshot](#)), Panathiniakos, Real Sociedad ([screenshot](#)), Japan (see screen shot below) and Spain (see screen shot below) kits
- A Scottish Premier League roster update
- A Sky Sports TV logo



If I were you I wouldn't waste a moment and make sure my copy of FIFA 2001 is up to date by visiting our [Downloads](#) section

The soon to open Downloads Centre is steadily building up. So far there are over 2000 files with a further 600-700 to still be added. Today I would like to ask for your thoughts on what you'd like to see in the new Downloads Centre. You can share your opinions on how we can make your FIFA downloading experience the best by clicking [here](#) and posting your comments in our FIFA 2001 Forum.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, January 25, 2001

- Sweetpatch MRA version 1.2 will be released this weekend

That is correct, you are reading this right! Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch will be releasing a brand new version of the MRA this weekend which includes the new "Easy Unzip Wizard" which helps you install downloaded zip files ready for use by your MRA. This has been out with beta testers for a week as version 1.1 and Sweetpatch has only received back favourable comments.

As an added bonus she has a brand new feature that not even the beta testers have seen which will be included when it goes on general release this Friday. Hence why the next version will be 1.2. We know you will enjoy this as it has been the number one request that has been received for added functionality to the MRA.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The New FE2001 Logo

You can see it at the top of this page. It was kindly created by a guy who has done many kind deeds for the FIFA community over the years, Ferdi Kegel. This year, Ferdi is going to be helping greatly with FE2001. You can pay Ferdi's company's homepage a visit by heading over to <http://www.rmf.nl>. Within the next few days we hope to have more details and screen shots of FE2001 to release. The Official FE2001 Homepage has also just begun to be constructed.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, January 24, 2001

- Our Big Magazine Appearance

We have been featured in Greece's largest PC Gaming Magazine, PC Master. Head on over to [Soccer Gaming](#) to read all about it.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads Centre - Your Help Needed

We're on a mission to get the new Downloads Centre up and running as soon as possible. To do so, we need your help. If you have the time and effort in you to help out, please read the topic I posted in the Forums about it [here](#). Any help will be much appreciated and a huge benefit to the FIFA community. Any helpers who work hard may also receive a present of appreciation from myself. Email me if you're interested.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- 2GK Scandal?

Extra, Extra, read all about it! Not to sound like a tabloid magazine. We have received word from Ariel Santarelli, owner and webmaster of www.fifaexpress.com, one of the FIFA S site from Argentina. He also just released new 2GK kits the other day. He has written in to tell us about another Argentinian site that has stole his Second Generation Kits (2GK).

The site name he has given us was "FIFAGAME", they have included his Second Generation Kits, in their league called Fifagame, without his permission.

[Soccer Gaming](#) as well as many other sites recognize the effort and time put into creating a patch for the game. We respect the authors requests and decisions. To make this community a better place for everyone, all of the sites hopefully are and will understand the rights to a persons creation, i.e. the one listed above.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Bosnian Super Patch 2001 v1.0

We've received a friendly note from Nedim Erkocevic who is involved in the making of the Bosnian Super Patch 2001. He says:

Hi! I'm just informing you that the Bosnian Super Patch 2001 v1.0

is well underway, we will be finished I think somewhere in February. In the mean time here is the URL of the BSP 2001, so that the fans can get some more info!

<http://www.geocities.com/sarajevo50/Fifa2001.html>

Thanks!

Bosnian and all around football freaks get your eyes on over to check out this new Bosnian patch!

Posted by [Jag](#)

- Fantastic New 32 Bit G3 Kits from Fifanet

Jordan and the lads over at [Fifanet.com](#) are proud to present their new 32 Bit G3 jerseys in a new fantastic quality technique. New jerseys will be available in a few hours and in the meantime check out the screenshot below.



Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Cyprus Super Patch 2001

At last Michael Hadjipanayis, [Fifanet's](#) team member and a creator known to everyone now, along with his good friend Thomas Vouclas, have worked very hard to get ready the New Cyprus League, titled Cyprus Super Patch 2001.



The patch will feature

- flags
- jerseys
- balls
- adboards
- and anything you can imagine



The patch will be available in a few days from [Fifanet](#). Until then you can see the screen shots from this forthcoming patch. As always full details of this patch can be found in the [MRA Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, January 23, 2001

- First Post and New FIFA Tournament!

Hi everyone, my name's Garry Sheils, the new replays manager for Soccer Gaming. I'll be doing other things too like posting news, so keep an eye out for my name

I have some great news for all you multiplayer fans out there, Damilola Elegbede has asked us to announce the launch of a new tournament site at <http://www.fifatournaments.20m.com> but urges all you eager players to read the rules before signing up! So get visiting now and make Damilola's tournament great!

Posted by [Garry](#) [Post your Comments \(0\)](#)

- New Add-on for the Egyptian Super Patch - Africa Add-on

Over at the [MRA site](#), Sweetpatch has details of Amr Zakook's latest add-on for the [ESP 2001](#). It contains:

- some missing African teams:
 - Morocco
 - Tunisia
 - Nigeria
 - Algeria
 - Ivory Coast
- with their Names, Flags and Kits

Check the screenshot and come back regularly as Amr informs us the patch will be ready very very very soon! Full details as always in the [Patches Database](#) for all the ESP add-ons.

- [ESP 2001 - Original Egyptian Super Patch](#)
- [PXALP - Pharos X Atlas Lions Patch](#)
- [ESPAA - African Add-on](#)

Sweetpatch has also got a couple of new not to be missed features for you over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The Feyenoord FIFA Background Patch



The lads from [Feyenoord FIFA](#) are back and they have introduced the FFBP 1.0. The Feyenoord FIFA Background Patch 1.0. They have finally finished the last background, and it is a beautiful one.



Check out the screen shot above and you can see an additional excellent screen shot by [clicking here](#). Download the patch and play FIFA 2001, just go to www.feyenoord-fifa.com to get your copy.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, January 22, 2001

- New Kits At DKG Kitstore

Once again there are more quality FIFA 2001 kits available for your downloading pleasure over at [DKG Kitstore](#). The latest kits are as follows:

- Manchester United Home
- Sweden Home & Away
- Aston Villa (Ultimate Version)
- Manchester City 3.0 (32 bit - very realistic)

You simply have to check these kits out as they are of great quality. Make [DKG Kitstore](#) your next stop.

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Israeli League Patch

Gilad Meiri, from sport5fifa.co.il has informed us that a huge Israeli update has been released on his site. Developed by Aviram Cohen, their head patch maker, it contains:

- Real Faces
- Numbers
- Tactics and Strategies
- Logo of the Israeli Sports Channel.
- "Real Everything!"

So, head on over to [Sport5FIFA](#) for more information!

Posted by [Jus](#)

- FEEd2001 Features - Where Can I Find Them?

You would not believe how many people have asked me that question over the past couple of weeks. I don't blame you all to be honest, FEEd2001 is going to really bring alive a whole new world of FIFA 2001 fun and action.

Here is a hint. Visit the [FEEd2001 Forum](#) and read the topics people have been posting. Chau Le has been busy lending us his spare time to answer many of your questions and revealing quite a few of the new FEEd2001 features. For example, check out the post called "[FEEd2001 Features](#)". In this topic Chau released this exciting news:

- "You can add up to 64 teams to a non Active League. Each one of them would have its own unique ID therefore you can assign kits, flags etc. to them without overwriting existing teams."

This is just one of the many exciting new capabilities of FEEd2001. Head on over to the [FEEd2001 Forum](#) to read more. Or, if you are curious for more, why not register and add your question today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

- Incredible New Stadium and Kit

Still not convinced you should try some of our [Downloads](#)? Take a look at the screen shots below..



Yes, these two awesome screen shots can become part of your copy of FIFA 2001.

The first shot as you may have guessed is the Marseille Stadium from WC98, which the guys over at [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) have successfully transferred in FIFA 2001. The Marseille is one of many in a series of new stadiums currently being transferred from previous FIFA games in FIFA 2001. They can all be downloaded directly from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#).

The second screen shot is the home kit of Paris Saint Germain. Put together by another FIFAMANIA.IT worker who we all know as Gaspare, this kit is a must have for your FIFA 2001 game.

- [Download Paris Saint Germain Home Kit](#) (32 kb)

Remember to return again soon as [Lior](#) has a big [Downloads](#) update in store with more amazing new FIFA 2001 patches and add-ons.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, January 21, 2001

- Replays Reminder

[Garry Sheils](#), my good buddy and the man in charge for our Replays section has a reminder for all of you who want to show off your best replays.

First of all, keep sending them in! You can't have a replays section without replays! Remember, all attachments must be under 1MB and should be zipped (.zip). If it is not zipped it will not be accepted. One attachment per email please!

If you can follow those simple guidelines, get ready for some good replay competition and viewing!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Newsletter #10 Sent Out

This weeks Soccer Gaming [Newsletter](#) was sent out. As always, it featured the top news of the week, including the FED2001 photos and the news at CM. Of course, every week Drinky has his say. He spent this week in London visiting Sports Interactive. He'll fill us in next week. It is also worth noting that the Forum regular "TheDUB" won the The Year That Was Quiz. So if you haven't signed up to receive the weekly letter from [Soccer Gaming](#). You can do so [here](#)

Posted by [Joe](#)

- New Portugal Super Patch

Murilo Miranda has created a patch for Fifa 2001 - Portugal Super Patch 1 (PTSP). This patch features:

- Every team in the Portuguese League
- Benfica, Sporting, Porto, Sporting de Braga and Boavista's official uniforms
- Ball
- Boots
- and Adboards
- Add-on: Rede Globo's Graphic Patch

Check out the screen shot and then you can find full details in the [Patches Database](#) plus you can download your own copy from <http://portugal.fifamax.net>

Also over at the [MRA site](#) Sweepatch now has full details of all 7 of the [Euro-Ball](#) Weekly Collection patches in the [Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- 1 new 32bit G2 kit every day at Fifanet

Over at [Fifanet](#), they now present 1 new kit every day in 32bit G2 technique. Up to now they have released:

- Panathinaikos
- Olympiakos
- AEK Athens
- Liverpool
- Valencia
- Hellas
- PAOK
- OFI
- Ionikos
- Holland

Check out the great work of the [Fifanet](#) crew and grab your daily kits

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FED2001 Forum Opens

After some problems with our [Forums](#) yesterday we've finally fixed them up. This means the new [FED2001 Forum](#) is now available. It's the best place to discuss yesterday's first ever screen shot of FED2001 (see below). Chau Le may even be paying a visit to answer your questions. So head for our [Forums](#) today and join in the excitement.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, January 20, 2001

- FIFA First Reopens

David Collage from [FIFA First](#) had this to say:

FIFA First has re opened its doors after two weeks away from the FIFA Scene. The site has now been re designed which means better access for even more visitors due to the site looking good in all resolutions. Many of the pages have been updated including the game guide, History of FIFA and of course the download section. FIFA First is available through two URL's www.fifafirst.net or www.fifafirst.com. The site has grown over the last few months and we are now looking to take on more staff on the staff so if you are interested check out FIFA First!

We thank David for providing us for this information and encourage you to head on over to [FIFA First](#). If you have any FIFA related news, don't be afraid to [send](#) the news in!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Euro-Ball releases Download Pack #7

As they do every week, [Euro-Ball](#) has released their newest edition of the Download Packs. This week is their Ajax edition! With them having over 1 000 downloads of the Ajax kits they decided to make this edition for the team. The things in this patch include:

- Ajax Home and Away Kits
- Home Stadium
- New Turfs
- New Kappa Boots
- New Nike Air Zoom Ball
- New Crowds
- FIFA Camera Fix
- G2 Adboards

So when your done with the browsing through our collection of [Downloads](#) and eagerly anticipating the opening of the Downloads Centre. Pay [Euro-Ball](#) a visit!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- A Big Kit Update

Another day, another downloads update is needed to complete such a day. As if the Fed 2001 news below wasn't enough for you, we've got a fresh batch from the oven sitting and waiting just for you in our [Downloads](#) section! Don't be shy, we won't bite. Dig in!

- Kits for: AC Parma (see image below), Bayern Munich Champions League ([screenshot](#)), Juventus ([screenshot](#)), Lazio ([screenshot](#)), Napoli, RC Lens ([screenshot](#)), Roma ([screenshot](#)), Southampton ([screenshot](#)), Thailand (see image below)
- Ibrox Stadium





Hope that gives you something to chomp on for a bit. Come back soon and we'll make sure to keep you full.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- FEd2001 Screen Shot

We are proud to present the first screen of FEd2001 in it's early development stages. Marvel in it's glory by clicking below.



Chau is quick to point out that this is only an early version of FEd2001 so there will be many improvements. Chau has told me he expects BETA testing of FEd2001 to begin within the next couple of weeks. If you wish to discuss FEd2001 and speak to Chau when he has spare time, head on over to our [Forums](#) where we have just set up a special [FEd2001 Forum](#) especially for this awesome editor.

Stay tuned to this very website for all the latest FEd2001 news including a feature list and more screen shots.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Transform all your kits to 2GK kits?

It is easy now - Faicel Ben-Yedder has figured out a simple trick to transform all your kits to [Fifa Express](#) fantastic 2GK kits without editing. You do not even have to use the [Fifa Express](#) method just download "texture big" file from [Fifa Express](#) and install it in your player folder (after you backup your original or use your MRA) then the game will only consider the large sized picture [hjr,hjbx...](#) as applicable and you will get a perfect detailed looking jersey.

Get yourself over to [Fifa Express](#) now to get your new super texture big file and thanks to Faicel Ben-Yedder for this tip.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Great new patches from Soccered.com

Sweetpatch has exciting news over at the [MRA site](#) from [Soccered.com](#) who have released the latest news of two new patches which sound very exciting.

First Division Stars

A great new patch released soon which will add the English first division to the game. Full details over with Sweetpatch.

European Champions 80's

Another patch that will add all the New Classic European Teams from the 80's with authentic kits, and graphics. Full patch features and list of teams included can be found over at the [MRA site](#).

Full details of these great new patches can be found as always, along with all other great Fifa add-ons, in the [Patches Database](#). Keep a firm eye on [Soccered](#) as these and their other great new patches develop.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, January 19, 2001

- We Want Your Replays

This is the news many of you have been waiting for. The chance for you to show off your goal scoring brilliance in FIFA 2001. The upcoming unveiling of our incredible Downloads Centre will also include the opening of our long awaited Replays section.

Garry Sheils will be in control of the Replays section which will house not only scorching actions replays, but also strange goals, long range goals and funny replays. By taking advantage of the advanced user supportive features of the Downloads Centre, you will be able to rate and post comments on your favourite replays. Garry is already busy building the Replays sections but obviously needs your downloads. Please email your best replays into Garry by [clicking here](#). They must be zipped up in a zip file no bigger than 1 mb. The files you need to include are in the "user" directory of your FIFA 2001 folder and called "hlitexx.sav". Please only include your best replays as not all will be accepted.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- New Poll Question!

A new [Poll](#) has now popped up on the right side of this webpage! This time the [Poll](#) question is "Where is your favorite team from?" So if you've got yourself a favorite team, tell us what continent they are from! So if your favorite team is Liverpool, check on Europe. After your vote the results will be shown as of from your vote. It takes 5 seconds, so go and tell us where your "hometeam" is from!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- English Football League Patch Website opens

Phil and Chris have informed Sweetpatch at the [MRA site](#) that their new website to support the development of their highly anticipated [English Football League Patch 2001](#) has opened today. Check out and keep up to date with the lads work by visiting their site at [www.flp2001.co.uk](#)



Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, January 18, 2001

• Support Your Club with a Supporter's Mouse Pad

Our Online Shop has once again expanded. We are now offering a huge range of soccer merchandise right [here](#). We now have available kits, soccer balls, goalposts, supporter merchandise plus much much more.

The [Soccer Gaming Online Shop](#) is truly the one stop of any football fan. Whether you're looking to purchase from our complete collection of below cost soccer computer games, or after a great deal on your team's kit or team flag we have it covered.

A couple of our new products that have caught my eye include our supporter branded [mousepads](#) and [cd holders](#).



Supporter Mousepads

Available for a variety of clubs from around the world, these nifty little supporter products are a perfect way to pledge your support to your club team.

Make sure you do yourself a favour and pay a visit to our new [Soccer Merchandise Store](#) today. I'm sure they'll be something there to interest every football fan out there.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• FED2001 News

We will be releasing details and screen shots for FED2001, the ultimate FIFA 2001 editor, within the next couple of days. Stay tuned to this very page for all the FED2001 news and updates. For now though, why not pay a visit to our [Forums](#) where there are a number of topics involving FED2001 taking place. Even the great creator and programmer of FED2001, Chau Le, is often involved in these discussions.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(7\)](#)

• FIFA Add-on Installer Released

Big news in our [Forums](#) this week has been the release of a handy new program known as FIFA Add-on Installer (Fadi 2001). A link to where you can download this utility can be found in a forum topic posted by the programmer, right [here](#). Check out a screen shot of Fadi in action below.



Remember folks, this is only the BETA version so it may have bugs. Never the less, I feel it is worth a look. So head over to the ["Fadi 2001 Released"](#) Forum topic today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(9\)](#)

• Latest news from Sweetpatch

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has exciting news regarding the beta release to testers today of the next version of the MRA which has a great new feature. Check it out by visiting the [MRA site](#).

Also over there you will find an update regarding the forthcoming Scotland Stars patch that they are developing.

Take a couple of minutes out and visit the home of Sweetpatch over at the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Two New Kits for Your Enjoyment

I've had these two kits shown below sitting in my inbox for a while. The new Lazio home kit and RC Lens' 99/00 home kit.



While I had a bit of spare time, I thought I'd upload them for everyone to enjoy.

- [Download Lazio Home Kit](#) by Gaspare Ressa (35 kb)
- [Download RC Lens 99/00 Home Kit](#) by Majid Abdulla (69 kb)

I hope you enjoy these kits. Keep an eye out for more right here at FIFA 2001 Online.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, January 17, 2001

• Newsletter Out This Weekend

Issue 10 of the Soccer Gaming [Newsletter](#) will be sent out this weekend. Drinky is back with another action packed article, while Joe will once again be recapping the past week in the football games world. It always makes for an interesting weekend read, so look out for your copy of the Soccer Gaming [Newsletter](#) this weekend.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• FIFA 2001 Forum!

Despite having some recent problems to our [Forums](#), They are back again in full form, and better then ever! With new features and the removing of some of the older ones more and more people are signing up for the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#), as well as the others.

A lot of the talk these days have been a lot of technical support questions, as it is usually. Let it also be noted that some of the guys have made some football stories, that are quite humorous that you can add on to (Beware, the story posts becomes a little crazy at times).

Don't forget to visit the other [Forums](#), whether it be for FIFA 2000, FIFA 99, or the the MRA. The Forums are the best place if you're itching to talk to someone about what you want to talk about. Oh yes, and they're open 24 hours a day. If you haven't already, [sign up](#) now!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Vote in Sweetpatch's New Poll

Following the success of her previous poll Sweetpatch has today launched her 2nd poll. The results of the previous poll can now be found in her new Polls page by [clicking here](#)



The new poll forms part of their research into the performance and functionality of the site and we would very much encourage your feedback on this topic. Please get over there now to the [MRA site](#) and make your view count.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, January 16, 2001

- Sydney Stadium (Stadium Australia) For FIFA 2001

The magnificent Sydney, Australia stadium that we all marvelled at during last year's Olympics has made it's way into FIFA 2001 thanks to the great guys over at [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). Giorgio Lunardson has continued his aim to transfer all of the stadiums from previous versions of FIFA into the 2001 edition. The Sydney stadium pictured below comes from our old time friend, FIFA 98.



This magnificent G2 stadium is available now for download at one of our most popular hosted websites, [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). Do yourself a favour and download yourself a copy today. Stay tuned for more incredible stadium developments right here at FIFA 2001 Online.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(4\)](#)

- Spanish Edition

Our friends over at [Euro-Ball](#) have just released their weekly collection of goodies. This week they're catering for all the Spanish football fans out there with a Spanish Edition of their Weekly Collection.

This is what Nati, the webmaster of [Euro-Ball](#), had to say:

After the huge success of our Dutch collection with more than 1300 downloads, we've have just released our 6th Weekly Euro-Ball Collection and dedicated it to the Spanish league! In the brand new collection, available exclusively at our Downloads section, you will find all the hot picks from our downloads archive packed together to one must have patch that is both easy to install and only 1.5 mb so everyone can freely download it! It includes lots of hi-quality kits, RS stadium, new turfs, boots, ball, new G2 scoreboard and many more great patches created by some of the best patchers around!

Check out some of the screen shots he also sent in of the Spanish Edition in action:



This is really great idea [Euro-Ball](#) have going here. So head over there today and download this patch.

Be sure to return tomorrow when we'll have another [Downloads](#) update ready for you.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Argentina Express 2GK Patch released

The lads over at [Fifa Express](#) have just released their patch containing the excellent second generation kits (2GK) and it includes:

- Home and Away kits of all 20 Argentinian first division teams (all 2GK)
- Updated Rosters
- Second Generation Flags
- AFA ball (penalty style)

They have also opened a section for patch makers (in [English](#) and [Spanish](#)) who want to know more about these kits where they can download the files they need to see the 2GK and a Manchester United 2GK as an example.

Check out full details of this patch plus additional screen shot over at the [MRA site](#) in the [MRA Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, January 15, 2001

- Korean League Kits Full Pack

Over at [FIFA Korea](#), they have just released a MUST have file for FIFA 2001. They have released their "Korean League Kits Full Pack" containing all of the kits for the K-League. You can check out the screenshots below and then download this file by clicking [right here](#) and enjoy a great add-on for your FIFA 2001 game.

[Click for larger image](#) [Click for larger image](#)

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- English Football League Patch under development



Sweetpatch has some great news over at the [MRA site](#) for fans of the English Nationwide Football League. This is one of the most highly requested patches and now it has started to take shape.

Full feature list can be found over at the [MRA site](#).

Work started on the patch last week and you can checkout an early screenshot of some of the kits. More screenshots and information will be released soon.

This is great news for all English Nationwide fans and we will keep you fully updated as this patch develops. As always full features of this patch can be found in the [MRA Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)



Portuguese Super Patch site returns

After the strange disappearance of the [PSP 2001 site](#), it has come back again. Besides, not bringing any good news recently, they now promise they will keep the site more up to date.



So all Portuguese Football fans, please be patient, while they develop the Patch, and check regularly over at the [PSP 2001 site](#) for the latest great news on their patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Sunday, January 14, 2001

Scottish Stadiums to be included in Scotland Stars Mega Patch

Great news for all Scottish fans, Gregor Gowan of [Aberdeen FC Patch 2001](#) fame has agreed for Sweetpatch to use his excellent Hampden Park and Celtic Park stadiums for the [Scotland Stars Mega Patch](#).



Sweetpatch informs us the patch is developing very well and should be available within the month. You can see all of its great features by visiting the [MRA Patches Database](#).



In the meantime, if you are a Scottish fan of Fifa then check out the great work going on over at [Scotland fifa2001.com](#) and if you are a fan of Sweetpatch visit the [MRA site](#) for all her latest news.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Downloads Tutorial

[Ahmed Kambawy](#) has supplied us with a great tutorial on where to place all of your downloaded files. Click [here](#) to go there now.

Posted by [Lol](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

Latest News from Fifanet

The world famous Jordan Stavridis from [Fifanet](#) has contacted us with the following excellent news:

1. they will be releasing 1 brand new 32 bit kit every day
2. [Spanish Fifanet](#) is open and updated daily
3. their voting pole for the Best Creator, now has more than 1000 votes and is still open to take your vote
4. they are looking for someone to help them with their Dutch site translation

Check out [Fifanet](#) now as they always have something new and great for you.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Our Downloads Update

Following the great news of our [Forums](#) being back in total working order, we're here to please you again with another big [Downloads](#) update. Today you can download these files:

- Brine NCAA Sniper, Brine Trident and an Umbro Euro Star Red balls
- Kelme Boots, Lotto Boots, Nike Match Mercurial and Nike Match Mercurial R9 boots
- Borussia Dortmund ([screenshot](#)), AC Milan and Real Madrid kits

That's 11 new [Downloads](#) in total. Check out the AC Milan and Real Madrid kits below.



We're still slaving away transferring files into our upcoming Downloads Centre. So far over 1200 files have been transferred, with a predicted 1500 more to be added in the next week. If all goes to plan, I should be able to have an opening date for the Downloads Centre by the end of this week.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• **Saturday, January 13, 2001**

• Soccer Gaming Forum

Our [Forum](#) has just been fully fixed. Head on over [there](#) right now

Posted by [Lair](#)

• URL Update

Here are some URL updates for you:

- [EA Patches](#)
- [FIFA 2001 for England](#)
- [FIFA 2001 Tips](#)

That's all we've got for now, stay tuned for more. If you want your site listed on the main page, send in a short description and the title to joe@soccergaming.com

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Soccered Patch News

Over at [www.soccered.com](#) more news of their two Super Patches underway have been released. The Red Devils Mega Patch and NSL2001 - Australia 2001. The final descriptions, and contents have been released and soon the patches will be released.



Red Devil Super Patch

This great new patch is a tribute to the English Premiership giants Manchester United.

Screen Shots

- [Home Kit](#)
- [Away Kit](#)
- [White Kit](#)

All the latest news can be found on this patch over at [Soccered](#) at <http://soccered.soccergaming.com/Fifa2001/patches/mufc/index.html> and in the [MRA Patches Database](#)



NSL2001- Australia Super Patch

Plenty of people have been requesting a patch for the Australian League and here it now is.

All the latest news can be found on this patch over at [Soccered](#) at <http://soccered.soccergaming.com/Fifa2001/patches/nsl/index.html> and in the [MRA Patches Database](#)

Check over at the [MRA](#) site where Sweetpatch has the full feature lists and all screenshots

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• **Friday, January 12, 2001**

• Five Brazilian Stadiums Coming to FBN

Our Brazilian partner website, [FIFA Brasil Network](#), have some great new Brazilian Stadiums set for release this Sunday. Leandro Becker has informed me that FBN are very close to completing very accurate real-life stadiums for all Brazilian football fans. Just check out the screen shots below to see how good they look.



The skillful editors at FBN have even taken the time to edit the menu images to correspond with the new stadiums. [FIFA Brasil Network](#) is the place to go if you want to 10 more screen shots of these new stadiums.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Still Wanting More Stadiums? FIFAMANIA.IT delivers.

For anyone who likes to play in a variety of new stadiums in FIFA 2001, one of the best sites to check out is certainly the Italian giant, [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). After all, they did win the Soccer Gaming Award for best Stadia last year. The latest news from our Italian partner site is that their stadium expert, Giorgio Lunardon, is currently transferring stadiums from previous versions of FIFA into FIFA 2001. This means we'll very soon be able to use stadiums from FIFA 99, FIFA 2000 and Euro 2000 in FIFA 2001. Rimo, head webmaster of FIFAMANIA.IT, has been kind enough to send in some screen shots of their first converted stadium from FIFA 99, Old Trafford.



Make a bee-line for [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) today. Even if you don't speak Italian, they're eye-candy enriched website will keep you occupied quite nicely.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Nike Super Boots Patch by FIFA Korea

Looking for an awesome patch to download today? Well our friends at [FIFA Korea](#) have just released their Nike Super Patch, which contains 22 different pairs of high-quality Nike boots. Click on the screen shot below to see the boots.



By downloading this 2.1 mb patch you'll be able to add the following boots to your copy of FIFA 2001.

Ultracel F.G, Ultracel, Tiempo F.G, Tiempo Premier F.G, Tiempo Premier S.G, Tiempo 650 F.G Ipu, Tiempo 1000 F.G, Sansiro F.G, Nike Red boots, Nike Boots, Mercurial Ultracel, Mercurial R9, Mercurial2 S.G, Match Mercurial S.G, Match Mercurial F.G, JR Ultracel F.G Ipu, AirZoom Total 90, AirZoom Mercurial, AirZoom Brasolia S.G, AirZoom Brasolia F.G, AirZoom 90 F.G and AirZoom

Head on over to [FIFA Korea](#) today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Forum Regular Creates Useful FIFA Add-on Installer

[Alenitchiev](#), a regular in our currently out of order [Forums](#), has been working hard over the past few days to create a powerful FIFA 2001 Add-on Installer. The current BETA version supports boots and gloves.



[Alenitchiev](#) would like to hear your feedback on his program. Use the Comments link below to post your thoughts. We'll keep you posted as to when the FIFA Add-on Installer will be available.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Thursday, January 11, 2001

- AllSoccer now at temporary site

Following recent problems [See Toh](#) has moved his site to a temp website address at [allsoccers.50megs.com](#)

Check out all the great kits they have there for you.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- World Patch 1.1 released

[Sebastian Neri](#) has released [World Patch version 1.1](#) for FIFA 2001 today and it includes:

- an update for Championship of France D1 2000/2001 with the latest transfers, new players (with name, surname, and right number for all players) and correct formation
- Portuguese national team in game
- an update for world teams
- and includes the Championship of Belgium

You can download this patch directly from the [MRA Patches Database](#) by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, January 10, 2001

- Screen Shot from new French D2 Patch

[Nikos Frangos](#) has sent Sweetpatch a new screenshot from the French D2 Super Patch that he is developing. He says it is only a beta of these 2 jerseys and better ones are coming soon.

Check out the full details on this great patch in the [MRA Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)



- Ten New Downloads

Check it out guys, the [Downloads](#) section has been updated again. While we all wait in anticipation for the new Downloads Centre to open, our [Downloads](#) section is constantly be updated. Today, our downloads guru, [Lior](#), posted these new files:

- AC Milan, Inter Milan 3rd ([screenshot](#)), RKC Waalwijk and Verona ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Israeli ([screenshot](#)) and a new set of ad boards
- Juventus flags and a Liverpool menu ([screenshot](#))
- A TF1 TV logo
- A Nike ball ([screenshot](#))



The new AC Milan and RKC Waalwijk kits are picture above.

We've had a few people test-drive our Downloads Centre and they've all commented on the easy to use layout and how everything is very well sorted. Well, for me its back to transferring files into the Downloads Centre. Enjoy today's [Downloads](#) and keep checking back for more Downloads Centre developments.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Scotland Stars Update

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has some great news regarding the very popular Scotland Stars patch being developed by Ramon Vargas and the rest of the MRA Patch Development Team.

The patch is pencilled for a February release and already has 7 kits completed plus Ramon has devised a features list, however some are left out as he is still debating whether or not size allows for them!!!!

Pop over to the [MRA site](#) to check out the features of this great new patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Forums Temporarily Closed

Due to a problem where having with submitting new topics in our [Forums](#) we've had to temporarily close them. We're working as hard as we can to solve the problem once and for all and have the forum open again as soon as possible.

Stay tuned to this site though, because in less than an hour I'll be posting news on our latest [Downloads](#) update.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Tuesday, January 9, 2001

- Feyenoord Kappa Boots

We've reported on their kits. Now they have made special Kappa boots for the the Feyenoord fan within you. I am told Feyenoord's players Jean Paul van Gastel and Kees van Wonderen wear these Kappa boots. It is only 67.8 KB. So go to [www.feyenoord-fifa.com](#) and download it!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Brand New 32-bit kit at the MRA site

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has some very interesting information and a great screen shot of a new 32-bit technique kit that is being developed by the very talented Matias Reis.

Feast your eyes on this brand new kit and also check out the MRA sites brand new screen shot frame by [clicking here](#).

Pop over to see Sweetpatch at the [MRA site](#) and whilst you are there check out all the latest and greatest kits you can now download for your Fifa 2001.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)



- BFP 2001 site has opened

Joris has informed us that the [BFP site](#) has now opened. At the site you can find more information about the [Belgian Fifa Patch 2001](#).

- features
- progress
- screenshots

The site is located at <http://benelux.fifa2001.com/bfp> and whilst you are there you can still download the excellent [BFP 2000 for FIFA 2000](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, January 8, 2001

- GFO2k1's Austrian Patch

Stefan Munstedt, the main man over at the [German FIFA 2001 Online](#) site has told us of their upcoming Austrian FIFA 2001 Add-On (AFA 2001).

"Saturday evening, we announced our latest project over at GFO:

The AFA - Austrian FIFA 2001 AddOn. This patch runs parallel to our German GFA-patch, which will be announced for FIFA 2001 soon. Here are the features of the AFA, a must have for every fan of the austrian max. Bundesliga.

- Accurate data of the 1st austrian league
- All original home & away-kits of the 2nd league
- Original Austrian adboards
- New Crowds and Flags
- New Turfs
- New Pop-Ups
- New Balls and Shoes
- Much More!!!

The patch will release in around 2 weeks.

More information and screenshots can be found on the official page @ <http://www.gfo2k1.de/afa/>

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Euro Ball G2 Scoreboard Tutorials

My buddy, Nati Tal, from [Euro-Ball](#) has told us of their newest addition to their tutorial section. This time, the addition is regarding "G2 Scoreboards" (one was posted a few days ago). Shai Ziv has spent his time writing up another one of the tutorials for all the FIFA fans and patchmakers out there. All you really need is a little bit of an imagination and a bit graphical skills to benefit from this tutorial. So head on over to [Euro-Ball](#) for their new tutorial.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Downloads Update - Stadium Spectacular

We have just updated our [Downloads](#) section with a huge variety of new add-ons and patches. Check out two superb new stadiums we've just uploaded below.



I'm sure you'll agree these stadiums look spectacular, and will be a welcome change in your FIFA 2001 games. In total there are 12 new files available in the [Downloads](#) section. They are:

- AC Parma, Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)), Borussia Dortmund, Inter Milan ([screenshot](#)), AC Milan ([screenshot](#)), Italian ([screenshot](#)) and English ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Japanese J-League roster update
- Cairo ([screenshot](#)), Celtic (see screen shot above) and Hampden Park (see screen shot above) stadiums

Enjoy today's [Downloads](#), and keep those zip files coming into [Lior](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

• FIFA 2001 Forum is Back

With the server problems fixed over at [Soccer Gaming](#), our [Forums](#) are back alive and kicking. Head on over there now to join in the many discussions on FIFA 2001 and football.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Sunday, January 7, 2001

• Update for the European Clubs Patch (ECP)

Dimitris Vagianos, the patch supervisor from the ECP project has sent us some snaps of kits from their forthcoming patch.

- Czech kits (made by kit maker Wojtek Zmyslony)
- Polish kits (made by kit maker Wojtek Zmyslony)
- Portuguese kits (as per screen shot to right and made by kit maker Wojtek Zmyslony)
- Besiktas Turkish kit (made by kit maker Bednars Mickael)
- Fenerbahce Turkish kit (made by kit maker Bednars Mickael)
- Patch banner (made by Graphic Designer Michael Moss)



They are also searching for some teams from eastern Europe that are very difficult to find information regarding kits and rosters. If you are able to provide them information on any of the following they will be most appreciative:

- **Ukraine**
 - Dnipro
- **Slovakia**
 - Slovan Liberec, Kosice, Inter Bratislava, Spartak Trnava
- **Bulgaria**
 - Cska Sofia, Levski Sofia, Slavia Sofia
- **Slovenia**
 - Olimpja Ljubljana
- **Romania**
 - Dinamo Bucurest, Craiova, Arges Pitesti, Steaua Bucurest
- **Cyprus**
 - APOEL, Anorthosis, Omonia Nicosia
- **Georgia**
 - Dinamo Tbilisi
- **Iceland**
 - Fram Rykjavick, Valetta and Floriana Malta

If you have information on any of these teams please contact them by [clicking here](#). There is a lot of excitement building around this patch. Check out all the latest information on this patch in the [MRA Patches Database](#).

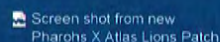
Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• Pharos x Atlas Lions Add-on for the Egyptian Super Patch 2001

Amr Zakzook who developed the very popular [Egyptian Super Patch \(ESP 2001\)](#) has created a special add-on for it, the Pharos x Atlas Lions patch (Egypt v Morocco). Both teams will play in Cairo in January for the World Cup 2002 qualifying round. All of Africa is waiting to see this match and you can download it over at the [MRA site](#)!

The patch contains

- The Moroccan team rosters
- The Moroccan team flags (In the menus and with crowds)
- New PUMA kits for Egypt and Morocco
- Some updates for the Egyptian league:
 - Adds new players to Al Ahly-Al Ahly
 - NIKE kits (new)

 Screen shot from new Pharos X Atlas Lions Patch

This patch works in [ESP 2001](#) with no problems. Amr will be back after his exams which will be ended in 18 January with the next instalment of his great patches. We wish him well with his exams.

In the meantime check out the screen shot and then visit the [MRA Patches Database](#) where you can download this great add-on for your [ESP 2001 patch](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• New Kits At DKG Kitstore

Yet again, more great kits for your FIFA 2001 game are available at [DKG Kitstore](#). The following kits have just been added to the site:

- Fiorentina Home v2.0 (32 bit)
- Brazil Away
- Aston Villa Home v2.1
- Spain Home
- Manchester City Home v2.0

As I'm sure you already know, DKG's kits are of the highest quality and I can tell you now that all of the above kits are no

exception. Click on over the [DKG Kitstore](#) right away and download these masterpieces.

Posted by [Nick](#) Post Your Comments (1)

- Italian Flavoured Downloads

Check out the two kits below for Milan and Verona.



Both are of very high quality and I thought they'd accompany each other quite nicely. The first is the Milan home kit by the well known Gaspare Ressa of <http://www.virtuacalcio.it/> and our Italian partner site [FIFAMANIA.IT](#)

- [Download Milan Home Kit](#) (29 kb)

The second is by Pinus from www.fifaonline.it who uses a new 32 bit colour technique to create a very attractive Verona home kit.

- [Download Verona Home Kit](#) (427 kb)

Enjoy these new kits while we wait for another huge [Downloads](#) update from [Lior](#). Even if you're not from Italy, I recommend you download them.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Site Happenings

I've just returned from a fun weekend away with my family and friends and am looking forward to a big week here at FIFA 2001 Online.

Firstly I'd like to apologise to everyone who has been trying to access our Forums for the past 24 hours. They are currently down due to small server problem at Soccer Gaming but we have it under control it they will be back up ASAP.

We're all really getting stuck into the Downloads Centre development. The latest news is that it is now 99% complete, with only the downloads needing to be entered into the new system. I'll let you know when we have a definite opening date for the Downloads Centre, plus give you more details on the prize give-away we have planned to celebrate the unveiling of the Downloads Centre.

If all goes to plan, I should also have some FEd2001 news for you later in the week.

Keep visiting and enjoying our site, and remember to keep an eye out for another [Downloads](#) update which will be uploaded any day now.

Posted by [Matt](#) Post Your Comments (1)

- German and Danish Languages released for your MRA



Over at the [MRA site](#) Christopher Runz of the German Sweetpatch MRA has very kindly completed the German and Danish translations for the MRA. If you speak either of these languages and wish to run your MRA in them then please visit the [Languages page](#) and download your copy today.

Posted by [Dave](#) Post Your Comments (0)

• Saturday, January 6, 2001

- Features for World Patch 1.1 announced

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sébastien Neri has informed Sweetpatch of the new features that will be included in his World Patch version 1.1 for FIFA 2001.

Pop over to see Sweetpatch at the [MRA site](#) and say hello.

Posted by [Dave](#) Post Your Comments (0)

- Aberdeen FC Patch 2001 is released

Gregor Gowans has finished his 1st version of his 2001 Aberdeen patch which is fully MRA compliant and is available over at the [MRA site](#) for you to download. Full patch features can also be found over with Sweetpatch.

Keep an eye here regularly for more news as Gregor has already informed me that his update is already getting underway, with the 1st versions of Celtic Park and Hampden hopefully be coming online within the next few days.

Check out the screen shot above and then you can find all the relevant patch details and download the file from the [MRA Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) Post Your Comments (0)



- Euro Ball Scoreboard Patch

Nati, over at [Euro-Ball](#) has sent us an email regarding their new [Euro-Ball](#) ScoreBoard G2, made by their very own Shai Ziv - the creator of many other Euro Ball patches. The scoreboards are described as "the most original and hi-quality scoreboards ever created for Fifa 2001". This patch is available exclusively at the [Euro-Ball](#) site. They're sure every Fifa fan would be glad to get a copy of this special scoreboard!

Posted by [Jae](#)

- Sad Message from All Soccer

The guys over at allsoccer.50megs.com have told us that they are closing down.

"The site allsoccer.50megs.com is down, as a result of no updates recently. The webmaster is still looking for other free hosting service."

While the site was up it provided FIFA downloads and other news. We are sorry that the site is down, and we wish the people there the best of luck.

Posted by [Jae](#)

• Friday, January 5, 2001

- Around the Neighborhood

I've got a small bundle of sites that were delivered into my email inbox the past few days. It's a variety of multi-language sites, so

I suggest you check them out:

- [FIFA Canarias](#) - FIFA Canarias (Spain)
- [Austrian Fansite](#) - Austrian FIFA 2001 Fansite
- [FIFA 2001 NL](#) - FIFA 2001 Netherlands

That's it for now. don't forget to send in your website to joe@soccergaming.com

Posted by [Joe](#)

- New Pharos X Atlas Lions Patch under development in the Workshop

Sweetpatch has received the following details over at the [MRA site](#) from the excellent Amr Zakzook, the Egyptian patch maker @ [FIFA 2001 Workshop](#), regarding his brand new MRA Compliant patch called Pharos X Atlas Lions.

Pharos = Amr's national team (Egypt) v Atlas Lions = Morocco team

Both teams will play in Cairo in January for the WC 2002 qualifying round. ALL Africa is waiting to see that match!

Now the patch contains:

- Morocco Team in the game
- Morocco menus Flags and flags with crowds
- Morocco new PUMA kits
- Update for Morocco and Egypt
- Home and away kits for Egypt (Puma)
- Home and away kits for Egypt (Venecia)



The patch is under development and is 90% complete and full details can be found in the [Patches Database](#). In the meantime check out the screen shot and as a special treat there is an extra one over at the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• **Thursday, January 4, 2001**

- FIFA Korea's Sound Patch

The very friendly lads over at [FIFA Korea](#) have told us of their brand new sound file add-on for FIFA 2001. This patch changes the sound when players enter the stadium and have a break such as halftime and end game. To get the full patch (appx 9.2MB) you have to go to [FIFA Korea](#), but thanks to the guys you can download a small sample of it.

- [Download Sample Here](#) (155 KB)

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Belgian Fifa Patch: the BFP 2001

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has news from Joris Jonckheer and his team of editors that they are making the biggest Belgian update ever! The BFP will include:

- Updated rosters with transfers, names, positions and lineups (Dutch and French version).
- A new fantasy league with clubs from lower divisions, historical teams, a team with Belgian celebrities, etc... (replaces Austria)
- All the home and away kits from the Belgian League and the teams in the fantasy league
- Six new stadiums (full list at the [MRA site](#))
- The adboards from the Belgian Jupiler League
- Menu music from Sash!, DJ Jean and the Popkoning
- Ingame music by goals etc. from E-Type, Fatboy Slim, Eminem and many others
- All the stadium flags (for the fantasy league teams too)
- All the ingame badges (for the fantasy league teams too)
- And more...

 Logo of the BFP2001

They hope to release the patch at least in February and more info can be found at <http://benelux.fifa2001.com> where you can also find out more about the BFP site (which is still under construction).

Check out the logo and then you will find full details of this great patch as always over at the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Wednesday, January 3, 2001**

- Feyenoord Files Kappa Kits

I have received this from the guys over at [Feyenoord FIFA](#)

We have put our Feyenoord Kappa Kits on the internet, you can only download them on our site, they look really great. I'll bet that they are the best kits ever made. Vincent is the maker of these kits. So go to www.feyenoord-fifa.com and download them!!!

You heard the man! Get on over to [Feyenoord FIFA](#) to get everything for Feyenoord in FIFA!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- More Awesome Downloads - Plus Downloads Centre News

Check out the two shots below:



What do you think? Good huh?! Well those two files plus many more new downloads have just been added to our [Downloads](#) section. In total we have uploaded:

- A Badge Correction patch
- NK Osijek and West Ham kits (see screen shot above) and a Turkish Kit
- An Eliminator GamePad Pro Fix
- A Turkish Roster Update
- The Korean Jamsil Stadium (see screen shot above)
- A Canal Plus TV Logo

Do yourself a favour and check out our [Downloads](#) section.

In other downloads news, our huge Downloads Centre is very close to opening. All of the coding is approximately 95% complete and all that is left to do is for us to transfer the thousands of downloads we have into their appropriate categories. The other big news is that we have an exciting competition planned to celebrate the opening of the Downloads Centre. Stay tuned for more details.

We hope to have a huge Replays section incorporated into our Downloads Centre. If you wish to help maintain this section, please [drop me a line](#). Everything is run by an easy to use form, so all you need to be able to do is type simple HTML and know how to speak the English language well.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- The SportTV Patch

The guys over at [FIFA Brasil](#) have told us of their new SportTV Patch. The patch is now ready and available for download, but it's recommended that people have 3D to use it. The patch has almost all the menus updated. There are still some graphic bugs which they say will be solved on the next version.



You can click right [here](#) to get it.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Dutch Mega Pack 2001 in development

Robert van der Pol from The Feyenoord-Files (www.fifagames.net/feyenoord) and Jordi from www.fifaheat.com are making this patch. It's a Dutch patch for the KPN Eredivisie and the Dutch First Division the TOTO Divisie. It's going to include almost everything a Dutch fan can wish for!!

A full list of features can be found over at the [MRA site](#).

D.M.P.2001 will be released about 10 February and Jordi and Robert are also going to make a site for D.M.P.2001!! This will be opened in about a week. Check out the great screenshot and then you can find full patch details in the [MRA Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)



• Tuesday, January 2, 2001

- Six Websites For You

It's been awhile since I've made the website update, but here we go:

- [FIFA Master](#) - Features a European Kit Update
- [EA Patches](#) - Patches for FIFA 2001
- [FIFA 4 Fun](#) - FIFA 2001 Site in Dutch
- [FIFA 2001 League](#) - League for Egyptian players
- [FIFA Hollandia](#) - Dutch FIFA 2001 Site
- [FIFA The Game](#) - FIFA 2001 Website

That's it for now, remember, if you've got a website you want posted send it [in](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- FIFA 2001 Iran

A couple notes here from Shahryar Fekri of [FIFA 2001 Iran](#). He tells me that he has released the Iran National Kit for FIFA 2001.

- [DOWNLOAD IT HERE](#)
- [Screenshot One](#)
- [Screenshot Two](#)
- [Screenshot Three](#)

Visit [FIFA 2001 Iran](#) for the latest in FIFA 2001 Iran downloads and news.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- My Return

I'm back from my health problems - it has been a full week and a few more days since I have been feeling better. I had a horrible fever, and I am finally getting better. I still am sick, but I need to get back to work. So I am sorry if I haven't been returning any e-mails!

I have played the Playstation 2 copy of FIFA 2001, and I now know the differences of the PC and PS2 versions. Yah, it is a bit late, but some of you want to know what the differences are, so I will tell you the differences for good and worse in FIFA 2001 for PC and PS2.

I should be back in full work time again within the next few days. Thanks, and I hope you all had a fun and safe new year, Happy New Year!

Posted by [Shamir](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

• Monday, January 1, 2001

- Forum Problems Being Fixed - Update

As many of you would have noticed, our FIFA 2001 Forum has been temporarily closed while we fix some errors. Please bare with us while the problem is fixed. Your patience is much appreciated.

Update: We have set up a Temporary FIFA 2001 Forum that you can access [here](#). This forum will be active while we fix the problems in the FIFA 2001 Forum. All topics that are posted in the Temporary Forum will be transferred to the normal forum once the problem is fixed.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- Start the year with a bang

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has a basket full of patch releases for you. You will find there details on all the following patches:

- New Dutch Update
- Czech Gambrinus Liga Patch
- Sebastian Neri's World Patch
- Champions League Patch



- French Division 2 Super Patch

Pop over and wish Sweetpatch a happy new year at the [MRA site](#) and check out all of these great new patch updates. Details of all of them can be found in the [MRA Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)



- Brand New Update, for a Brand New Year!

Well football freaks and punk kids, it's time to kiss the millennium year good by as we prepare to go full blast into the 21st century! Most of the world has now past midnight, I've still got a couple hours left, so let me show you what we've got for the final (or is it first?) [Download](#) update of the year.

- A Nike Ball
- Blue Nike Boots
- A Russian patch
- Adidas Equipment Fingersave Supersoft gloves (see screenshot below)
- A Dutch net and a new Title Screen
- Al Ahly, Manchester City (Home and Away), Chelsea (see screenshot below), Dinamo Zagreb, Hajduk Split ([screenshot](#)), Hearts, Liverpool ([screenshot](#)), Real Madrid, SK Slavia ([screenshot](#)), St Mirren, Romanian and Welsh (Home and Away) kits
- A Cairo stadium
- A Pro TV logo



Hope you enjoy these [Downloads](#) and have a wonderful New Year!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Happy New Year to you from Sweetpatch

Well, what a year 2000 has been for the [MRA site](#). They hope you have enjoyed everything they have done for you and look forward to sharing an even more successful 2001 with you.

As a special treat for the new year they have upgraded the site so it now has total cross browser support plus they have also installed a brand new version of the Flash Navigation Utility which provides direct links to the information from within its screens. Enjoy this as they can now start to change this information regularly for you. Soon this will bring a whole new dimension to your Fila gaming experience!

Enjoy the year with the [MRA site](#) and as today progresses you will find many news updates there.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

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March 2001

Saturday, March 31, 2001

FIFA Nederland is reopening
And they are making a Grand opening! Here are some of the great things they have in store for you:

- they have their own subdomain at FIFA Net at <http://www.dutch.fifanet.com>
- they now have a BIG downloads section! With nearly 100 quality downloads
- they have now improved the webdesign
- they have news every day at the site

And lots more great features! Come on over and see it at [FIFA Nederland](#)
Posted by [Dave](#) | [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

GSP 2001 v1.0 Released
As I posted before, our Greek friends from [FIFA.gr](#) and [Greek Tournaments](#) were going to release their great patch GSP 2001. So the time has come and now you can download it from [FIFA.gr](#).

I already posted a big features list of this patch so just have a look at these two screenshots. On the first one you can see all the kits for the Greek League, on the second - for the Cypriot League.




You may ask what happened with [Greek Tournaments](#) site. And the answer is - nothing. The design has been changed and it going to serve the purpose it was originally intended to serve. Next week the first FIFA Greek tournament kicks off.

So from now on, the main Greek FIFA site is [FIFA.gr](#). So pay them a visit and download GSP 2001.
Posted by [Takis](#) | [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

Tutorials Section Opens
Today we have opened our new [Tutorials](#) section. Have you ever dreamed of making your own FIFA 2001 patch, but didn't know where to start? Or maybe you're having trouble finding out what to do with the files you downloaded from our [Downloads Centre](#). From creating your own kit or face, or more technical guides on 2GK and 8bit kits, the [Tutorials](#) section is the place for you. Pay a trip today.
Posted by [Hag](#) | [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Surprise! Downloads Update
If you have heart problems or are easily shocked, do not read below (You can if you want) Just like that surprise birthday party you always wondered you'd get, the downloads update swept up, bopped up, in the face, and surprised us all again. Another downloads update for the game most of us still love, FIFA 2001. All kidding aside, here is today's Download Centre update:

- A Francesco Totti face ([screenshot](#))
- A David Beckham menu ([screenshot](#))
- Everton ([screenshot](#)) and PSV ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Brazilian (see screenshot below), 2 French (Home ([screenshot](#)) and Away ([screenshot](#))), 3 Dutch (see screenshot below), Danish, German and Italian kits ([screenshot](#))
- A camera patch ([screenshot](#))
- Champions League referee kits
- A realistic Aimain patch
- Ultimate ad boards
- Celerator and Mars boots




What's that I hear? Click? Oh yes, that's my mouse button clicking to get these latest downloads from the one and only [Downloads Centre](#). Don't delay, download today! Don't forget, the files above aren't the only files at the DC! The [Downloads Centre](#) is open 24 hours a day and is home to thousands of FIFA gaming files, including the ones above!
Posted by [Joe](#)

4th Brand New Sweetpatch MRA Background
Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have Jordan's 4th excellent background from the forthcoming MRA Mega Sweetpatch 2001.

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Click on the image above to enjoy the full sized fantasy. Another for you tomorrow.

As a show of our appreciation, please check out Jordan's excellent Fifanet.com site.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, March 30, 2001

• FIFA Wales Needs You!

News reaches us of yet another country putting themselves on the map through the medium of FIFA web sites. Proud residents of 'Cymru' and SG Forum regulars [Mark 'Indygo'](#) and the SG Award-nominated [Joey Jones](#) are putting the site together, and here's Indy's blurb.



"FIFA Wales - Enter the Dragons is now starting to take shape and will no doubt be up and running very soon.

This means that jobs will become available for any patchers or artists who would like to help out. The site is planning to create the whole Welsh League (eg, Barry Town, TNS) in the patch and also include the other Welsh exile clubs (eg, Cardiff, Wrexham).

We would be looking for any people with the ability to create faces, stadiums, tv logos, advert boards etc.. to help out.

If you would like to join the FIFA Wales team, contact one of us as soon as possible using the links above.

Let the Dragons ROAR ON!"

Sound good to you? Give them a buzz [here](#).

Posted by [Dinky](#)

• New Chilean Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news from [Chilemax](#) who have released a brand new Chilean patch entitled "Liga Chilena 2001".



The new patch contains:

- New camera
- New Nike shoes
- Chilean adboards
- All the teams of the Primera División Chilena
- New 2GK
- New Sky TV
- All the Badges of the 16 teams
- All the stadium's flags of these teams

Check out the screen shots above, see all the patch details over at the [MRA site](#), and then go grab your copy from [Chilemax](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• The Official Downloads Update

[Soccer Gaming](#), [FIFA 2001 Online](#), and the [Downloads Centre](#) proudly present to you, today's update of the newest and greatest patches for FIFA 2001.

- Egyptian ad boards
- A Nike Geo Merlin 'WannaBe' ball
- The Nike 2.0 boots pack
- Ronaldo and Dennis Bergkamp faces
- A Mud & Waterlogging patch, Hungarian flags, French league flags, an Andy Cole menu (see screenshot below) and Champions League flags
- Valencia, Montpellier and Boca Juniors kits
- England ([screenshot](#)), Spain, Finland, Netherlands, Northern Ireland and Portugal kits
- Two new music files for the Stade Velodrome and the Parc des Princes stadiums
- The Nou Camp stadium (see screenshot below)



With the official list out, it is time to close today's downloads update. Have a good day, and don't get dead.

Posted by [Joe](#)

[Turkey](#)
[Libano](#)

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Can you change the future?

The answer is yes, you have the power! If you have not yet signed up for the [MRA site's](#) weekly Newsletter that is being relaunched this weekend then you are not too late. Due to the exciting prize that is being offered for signing up they have been asked to extend the closing time for the competition to this Sunday evening to enable all weekend surfers to benefit as well.

For all subscribers of the Newsletter by this Sunday evening you will have the opportunity to test drive the brand new Patches Database. You will get the chance to shape the future and suggest improvements for what is already a great step forwards in helping you get the most from the world of Fifa patches.

So if you have not yet ordered your copy of their weekly Newsletter then visit the [MRA site](#) and grab your copy and help to make a better future for us all!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Thursday, March 29, 2001

People Wanted

R@mon from [www.allesplanet.com](#) has told me that he is looking for news posters for his new Dutch FIFA [MRA site](#). He has told me that he is also looking for downloads webmasters. If you are interested contact him [here](#). In other news, R@mon tells me that the EMP site will also be back online tomorrow.

Posted by [Lior](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

New Kits At DKG Kitstore

Daniele Giannarini, the guy behind [DKG Kitstore](#) has asked us to let you know that he has redesigned the downloads section and added the following new kits to his site:

- England 2001-2002 Home
- Mexico Home
- Argentina Home 2.0
- Celta Vigo Home

By now you should be on your way over there. Well are you?

Posted by [Jock](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

More Soccer Gaming Awards 2001 Nominees Named

We've just updated the [Soccer Gaming Awards 2001](#) provisional nominees page. Thanks for all of the submissions. Once again I stress, the nominees are far from final and we're still wanting you to [send in your suggested nominees](#).

Stay tuned as I'll be adding a very useful new FIFA 2001 Tutorials section later today.

Update: The Tutorials are taking slightly longer than I had anticipated to prepare. Therefore, they won't be released until tomorrow. However, keep an eye out at our [Downloads Centre](#) as Lior no doubt has a big update planned for today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

FIFA MLS Release Libertadores 2001 Patch

The FIFA MLS crew have decided to release beta version 0.5 of the Libertadores 2001 patch today. So now for the first time, you can play South America's most prestigious club tournament - the Copa Libertadores, in the comfort of your own home. This patch includes:

- 32 New Club Logos
- Stadium Flags
- Home and Away Kits

For a full list of details of Libertadores 2001, then head to [FIFA MLS](#).

This patch is MRA compliant and it is recommended that you use the MRA utility to install this patch since this is only a beta version of the patch. To get your copy of MRA 1.2 visit the [MRA site](#) to download it.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Extreme World Update

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have just received news from Steven Grbavac that he will be sending his final version of the feature list for the Extreme World Update v1.0 to them in about a week! He would also like to inform you that the patch will be released around the end of April.

Visit the [MRA site](#) to get the latest set of features for this patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Wednesday, March 28, 2001

Boots Day in the Downloads Centre

Looking to run in style while playing FIFA 2001? Or just wanting add even more realism to the graphics? Check out our extensive array of new boots that we have added to the [Downloads Centre](#) today. Two are pictured below:



It's not just boots today, we also have:

- An Adidas Etrusco ball ([screenshot](#))
- Adidas pack 3.0 (see screenshot above), 2 Adidas Predator Precision ([screenshot](#)), Joma golden (see screenshot above), Nike Mercurial ([screenshot](#)) and Reebok Metallico ([screenshot](#)) boots
- Newcastle ([screenshot](#)) and West Ham ([screenshot](#)) club kits
- An Italian home national kit ([screenshot](#))

You know the drill, we'll see you again tomorrow with more great [Downloads Centre](#) updates.

Posted by [Matt](#)

Win chance to beta test the Football League Patch 2001

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of the excellent [Football League Patch 2001](#) and a competition that the lads from FSP 2001 are running.

There is a new section on their website ([www.flp2001.co.uk](#)) where visitors can win the chance to be one of their patch testers by answering five simple questions. There will be five winners who they will send a copy of the patch almost completed so they can

test it and give them feedback.

The latest feature list for the patch includes:

- All 72 Nationwide League Clubs Kits & Rosters
- 4 Nationwide Conference Clubs
- Updated Premiership Rosters
- Nationwide Referee Kits
- Some Updated Premiership Kits
- Nationwide League Adboards
- ITV Television Logo
- Crowd Flags
- Menu Screen Logos
- Improved Faces for Some Players



There are also lots more screenshots and downloads for all you Fifa fans to enjoy. Pay them a visit over at the home of the [Football League Patch 2001](#) and check out all the latest Patch news over at the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Match Tracker At Soccered

[Soccered](#) and [Soccer-Views](#) have developed a new service run jointly by the sites. The service is a 'Match Tracker', which will give you live text commentary, as well as keeping you up to date with the latest scores from the other games, and a 'Fans Thoughts' section, where the fans can e-mail the site their opinions of the games, and these opinions will be presented for all other fans to see. The first game in which the tracker will be operational will be the England International on Wednesday, kicking off at 7:20 GMT. To Access the tracker it can be loaded at either <http://www.soccered.com> or <http://www.soccer-views.com>



Posted by [Dave](#)

• Tuesday, March 27, 2001

Pants For Goalkeepers And Numbers On Shorts

Sylvain Cadilhac the well-known author of Player Patcher which allowed you to put long sleeves for players and short for goalkeepers have another upcoming patch. Now he is going to release a new version of Player Patcher. With this new version you'll be able to put pants for goalkeepers and numbers on shorts of players. Here you can have a look at it:



There were many requests for this patch and it's going to be released very soon so let's wait a bit.

Posted by [Natali](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

Downloads a la Mode

It's the good stuff! The daily update comes around the bend every 24 hours, in a continuous cycle, always updating! Of course, that brings us to the downloads update from the guys at the [Downloads Centre](#). To show how big the Downloads Centre is, take a look at the Sky Sports patch, the patch while at the DC has had over 10,000 downloads and is on of the top 10 most downloaded files. So while your there checking out todays downloads, take a look at the new Sky Sports update (the update is listed below). Now, for today's update, not just a download update, but a Downloads Update a la Mode.

- Adidas pack of boots and gloves
- A Singapore patch
- Adidas gloves
- Dynamo Kiev (see screenshot below), Borussia Dortmund ([screenshot](#)), Panathiniakos ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Singapore and England ([screenshot](#)) kits
- The Sky Sports Beta 4 TV logo patch (see screenshot below)



If that's not enough to bust your bubble, then I'd check your bubble! With brand new kits, boots, and a new Sky Sports patch update, you can't go wrong. If you haven't already, get on over to the [Downloads Centre](#)!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Monday, March 26, 2001

Soccer Gaming Awards 2001

With the minor awards ceremony finishing in Hollywood earlier today, the world now awaits the highlight of the year, the [Soccer Gaming Awards 2001](#). With nominations open to both action (FIFA) and management (Championship Manager) sites this year, the competition is fierce and exciting. The provisional nominees for awards such as best management site, best action site, best foreign language site, essential download and many more have been named. We have decided to keep the list open to public nominations for the next seven days. If a nominee or even a category is not listed that you would like to see added, please email [Andrew Drinkwater](#) with a valid reason for your nomination. All nominations will be considered and discussed by our panel before being added. Rest assured though, all voting will be completely open to the public after the nominations are made final. The panel will have no say in the final results or be allowed to vote.

On the humorous side of things, we are also introducing a special "Red Card Award" for the worst effort of the year. This will be an interesting one :-)

Update: Patch makers rejoice, after popular demand a new "Favourite Patch Maker" category will soon be added. Nominees will include talented patch makers who create kits, stadia, updates etc for both FIFA and CM games.

Stay tuned for further developments

While we're on the subject of awards, being an Aussie, I just can't help but say congratulations to Russell Crowe on his Oscar win. You did Australia proud mate!

Posted by [Mat](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

Glory, Glory, Downloads!

Ah yes, the time of the day (or night) that we take a look at the daily downloads. Direct from our [Downloads Centre](#) to your home

- Egyptian Flags and a Diamond Net (see screenshot below)
- Argentina and Hungary kits ([screenshot](#))
- English National ([screenshot](#)) and Alternative Irish Ad Boards
- Updated Premier League Kits (see screenshot below) and Dunaferri Home Kit ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Air GhettoChild Boots
- Nike Ball 1.52



That's all we've for you today. Of course, there is a wide selection and an array of other downloads for all FIFA games available in our [Downloads Centre](#). Keep checking back, soon it will be time for another one of our downloads update!

Posted by [Jag](#)

Great News From Greek Tournaments

Kostas Kyriopoulos from [Greek Tournaments](#) have some news for you. Unfortunately their site is currently down. But as Kostas said the site is under construction and is going to be relaunched on Tuesday or Wednesday. They also have some surprises for you.

The first one is their GSP 2001. It's ready and going to be available for downloading as soon as the site is up. They will have 32bit and 32bit Hybrid kits in it so someone of you who play in Software Rendering may have some problems. But they already have someone who is going to convert all their kits to 256 colors.

The second is their GSP 2000 shall be again available for FIFA 2000 players.

The third is a secret...

Here is what the GSP 2001 includes:

For the Greek League:

- Home and Away 32 bit Hybrid and regular 32bit jerseys for all teams
- All teams have been Crest Activated and have their logos displayed on jerseys, shorts and socks.
- Complete Rosters with Commentary fully activated
- 3D badges in the menus
- Flags for all teams
- Greek Ad boards
- Greek league referee kits
- Greek League Mitre Ultimex Ball
- Greek Riot Police (MAT)
- Greek League and Cup and Lower division properly named
- New Super Sport scoreboard
- 4 more new teams in the lower division
- Olympiakos, Panathinaikos, AEK and PAOK Salonika in European competitions in season mode

For the Cypriot League:

- Home and Away jerseys for all 14 teams
- Complete Rosters
- 3D badges in the menus
- Flags for all teams
- Cypriot Ad boards
- Cypriot League and Cup properly named
- Anorthosis Famagusta, APOEL Nicosia and Omonia in European competitions

Other Features:

- All leagues and teams have been properly named
- European competitions have been updated and properly named
- New Music
- Riot Police
- New Menus

Add-ons:

- All third and fourth jerseys will be available if your beloved team has worn more than 2 this year
- GSP Speed Patch. This will reduce game speed and player endurance significantly. You'll need to make subs towards the end of games to get that extra kick and advantage.
- Greek Chants
- 2 Music themes
- AI Game play patch

For the The Rest of Europe:

- Added 53 teams in a Rest of Europe section that can actively be played through friendly games, custom tournaments or

- there respective European competitions
- Jerseys, Flags and Badges
- Teams are: Linfield, Besiktas, Dinamo Tbilisi, Dynamo Kiev, Dinamo Bucurest, Levadia Maardu, FC Porto, Fenerbahçe, Galatasaray, HNK Hajduk Split, Inter Bratislava, KP Polonia Warszawa, TNS Llansantfraid, Lokomotiv Moscow, Maribor, MTK Hungaria, Dinamo Zagreb, Crvena Zvezda, Rijeka, Saint Gallen, Servette, Shaktar Donetsk, Shelbourne FC, Skonto Riga, SL Benfica, Slavia Prague, Sparta Prague, Spartak Moscow, Steaua Bucuresti, Sporting Club Lisboa, Teplice, Universitatea Craiova, Zalgiris Vilnius, Haka Valkeakoski, Gothenburg, AIK Solna, Elfsborg, Helsingborg, Norrköping, Trelleborg, Örebro, Örgryte, Hammarby, Västra Frölunda, Hacken, GAIS, GIF Sundsvall, Halmstad, Djurgården, Café-Opera, Enköpings, Landskrona, Malmö

Sounds great so visit [Greek Tournaments](#) on Tuesday and Wednesday to download this great patch.

Posted by [Hubble](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Win a very special prize at the MRA site this week

Over at the [MRA site](#) this week they have a very special prize awaiting anyone who signs up for their Newsletter before Friday. They are relaunching their weekly Newsletter this week and to mark this occasion anyone who signs up for it (plus existing subscribers) will get an early private viewing of the totally new Patches Database.

This new version of the database has been rewritten and is now powered by an effective database system. All readers will get the chance to beta test this new system and feed in any improvements to its development.

Sign up now if you want to witness the power of the new Patches Database and have an opportunity to dictate its future. So get over to the [MRA site](#) now and don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Sunday, March 25, 2001**

- Take it from Xavier!

Our favorite character from [FIFALA](#), Xavier, has sent us some more news about his network of sites, specifically FIFALA. Here's what he had to say:

"We have built the "Top 20 Spanish Fifa & Soccer Sites" contests."

This contests will feature a voting poll where your visitors can rank your site! After that you visitor will be redirected to a confirmation page and then you can see the list of the most popular sites. The registration process is extremely easy all the instructions have been translated to spanish and you'll even receive a confirmation mail with the contest HTML codes. We will be constantly announcing the 5 best sites of our contest at [fifala.com](#). We currently receive around 15 000 daily visits so we'll take care of promoting the best sites out there by publishing their most interesting news."

He also tells us about the new FIFALA Spanish Forum - it's all in Spanish. So head on over to [FIFALA](#) right away!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- New Downloads

38 new FIFA 2001, FIFA 98 and FIFA 99 downloads were added today to the [Downloads Centre](#). Let's concentrate on the new FIFA 2001 downloads. They are:

- PSV and Lazio balls
- Nike Match Mercurial boots ([screenshot](#))
- Portuguese (see [screenshot](#) below) and Costa Rican ([screenshot](#)) patches
- A Zinedine Zidane face ([screenshot](#))
- UHL Sport gloves
- AC Milan ([screenshot](#)), Arsenal ([screenshot](#)), Slavia Prague ([screenshot](#)) and Besiktas Istanbul 2GK ([screenshot](#)) club kits
- Cameroun ([screenshot](#)) & Mexico ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- Kingguru 2GK ([screenshot](#)) and Pepsi 2GK fantasy kits



- Aimain Update
- International Team ([screenshot](#)) & League badges
- Wembley (see [screenshot](#) above) and Stade de France ([screenshot](#)) grass turfs
- Ahh Flags Version 2
- Premiership Ad Boards ([screenshot](#))

Have a great weekend and be sure to check back ehre tomorrow for a fresh new week of downloads.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Games & Football Memorabilia Auctions

Thanks to the UK's leading online auction site, QXL, we are now able to bring you an extensive auction service, where you can buy or sell games and football memorabilia online. How much are your old games worth? Are you looking to pick up some football memorabilia or computers games for an excellent price. Take a trip to the [Soccer Gaming QXL Auction](#) page today.



Registration is free, and within minutes you could be bidding or beginning to take offers on your unwanted computer games or any other items you'd like to put up for auction. Look to your right for the QXL search bar and join in the fun today!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Big Patches Day over at the MRA site

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of 3 big Super Patch releases this weekend. You can find details on the following patches:

Saints Classics Super Patch

Steve Drysdale's second St. Johnstone Super Patch, this time it is his excellent "Saints Classics Super Patch".



This patch has three new St. Johnstone Teams - 1983 squad with kits and rosters, 1989 squad with kits and rosters, 1996 squad with kits and rosters plus new on screen popups, new stadium graphics and new adboards.

Full feature list includes:

- 1 Stadium
- 6 kits (3 home and 3 away)
- new Adboards
- new On Screen BBC Popups
- new Classic and Recent team Rosters

You can download this patch direct from the [Patches Database](#) and install it with your MRA, as it is fully MRA Compliant.

European Champions 1980's Patch is released

Over at www.soccered.com they have finished their latest project, the European Champions 1980's patch.



It's features include (full list over at the [MRA site](#))

- Very High Quality Kits for all teams both home and away
- Updated Flags both home and Away
- Updated Rosters including transfers, revised personal stats for every player in every team
- Teams are:
 - Nottingham Forest
 - Liverpool
 - Aston Villa
 - Hamburg
 - Bayern Munich
 - Juventus
 - Steaua Bucharest
 - FC Porto
 - PSV Eindhoven
 - and AC Milan
- 1980's Boots and Gloves

I suggest that everyone heads over to www.soccered.com and get your hands on this amazing classic patch, which will bring the greats from yesteryear into 2001. Full details as always in the [Patches Database](#).

Check out all this and much more news over at the home of the Super Patch, the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Saturday, March 24, 2001**

• **Superpatch 2.0 From FifaOnline.it**

Federico Leonardo also known as Leo from [FifaOnline.it](#) sent us some news about their just released patch. It's a Superpatch 2.0 with world updates such as:

- All world roster update
- All italian kits
- About 100 kits of european and national teams
- New 5 wonderful stadia:
 - Olimpico of Rome, Santiago Bernabeu of Madrid, Re Baldovino of Bruxelles, Liberti of Buenos Aires and Luzhniki of Moscow
- Photographic animated fans
- New adboards
- New italian flags in the stadium
- New boots
- New ball
- New net structure

And here are 2 screenshots from this patch. The first one is Luzhniki of Moscow stadium and the second is Real Madrid home kit with Santiago Bernabeu as a background.



Visit [FifaOnline.it](#) for more info.

Posted by [Nikita](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Today's Downloads**

No messing around today, we'll get straight into it. Today we have added the following new downloads to the [Downloads Centre](#):

- Dynamo Kiev 2GK, AS Roma and PSV Eindhoven ([screenshot](#)) 2GK kits
- Nike goalie kit ([screenshot](#))

- Galatasaray, Spanish, Premier League ([screenshot](#)), Serie A ([screenshot](#)), Champions League ([screenshot](#)) flags and FC Copenhagen ([screenshot](#)) badges
- Striped Grass Realistic Turf ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Numbers ([screenshot](#))



Take a trip to the [Downloads Centre](#) today and grab whatever interests you. Happy FIFA 2001 gaming! Oh, and don't forget the big chat session at the [MRA Chat Room](#) later today.

Posted by [Mat](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Meet in the MRA Chat Room today

Over at the [MRA site](#) in the [MRA Chat Room](#) they have a great utility for getting people to chat together, even in different languages.

At 3pm GMT today they are starting off a weekly get together in the [Chat Room](#).

Everybody welcome to come and chat about anything you wish. Coming soon also they will have some very famous Fifa personalities in the [Chat Room](#). Come in at 3pm GMT and join the fun by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Brazil 94 v2 Patch Upgrade is out

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have full details of the Brazil 1994 patch second version upgrade and it is available for downloading at the [home of the Brazil 94 Patch](#)



Version 2 provides:

- New nets
- New stadium
- Nike total air zoom 90 white boots
- Upgraded kits
- Upgraded tango 94 ball

To run this patch you need both versions 1 and 2 loaded so get over to the [home of the Brazil 94 Patch](#) and grab your copy. Full details as always in the [Patches Database](#) at the [MRA site](#), (soon to be fully database driven!)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Dremmeliga Needs a Patch

Henrik from the Danish [Dremmeliga Tournament](#) needs assistance in developing a patch for their forthcoming tournament. If you are able to assist with the development of this patch then please contact Henrik by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, March 23, 2001

- A Big Old Downloads Update

Some may say Grande, others may Groß, but no matter what language you speak, you can always tell when something is Big. Take for example our downloads update for today. We've got a decent collection of the newest files added to our superior world class [Downloads Centre](#)! Here are the goodies for you.

- An orange ball
- Match Mercurial boots
- An Alessandro Del Piero face ([screenshot](#))
- A Belgian badge ([screenshot](#)) and a snow patch ([screenshot](#))
- Barcelona (see [screenshot](#) below), Borussia Dortmund ([screenshot](#)), Inter Milan ([screenshot](#)) and Paris St Germain ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A new shooting fix



- Cameroun home kit ([screenshot](#))
- Ahh flags
- DFB (see [screenshot](#) above) and Premier League referee kits
- Tele + TV logo
- World Patch 1.4 ([screenshot](#))

Whew, that should be enough for you for a couple days, but as always, there will be more tomorrow! Hopefully you'll enjoy downloading and clicking on the mouse until you tickle your funny bone senseless. Also, the avid gamer and downloader, and all of us here, have to say thanks to the good old boys Lior and Jakob at the [Downloads Centre](#) for compiling them for us, day after day!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Scotland FIFA 2001 Online Contests

The guys at [Scotland FIFA 2001 Online](#) are are looking for another 14 players to sign up for their official modem league championships of Scotland. We have prizes and awards for the best play, replays and the eventual winners. Not to mention, having a competition for the European teams. Of course, being the Scottish FIFA 2001 Online, it is available only for Scotland

residents.

They also have kits for every league team in Scotland and some exclusive to us patches and downloads! So whether you're a Scottish football fan or just want some new things to be installed to your FIFA game, head on over to [Scotland FIFA 2001 Online](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Thursday, March 22, 2001

- FIFA 2001 Review at UKSN

The hard working reviewers at [UKSN](#) have just made their FIFA 2001 Review after a long look at the game. Here is just a piece of what they say.

"If you are playing this for a game and a laugh, it's probably the best football game available for you, but if you care about the fact that it's so outrageously unrealistic and you want to play a serious game of football when you have to play decent crosses, good shots and great saves, and not press a button and have the game position it and everything else for you, like I do, then there is only one game out there for you in this field - International Superstar Soccer"

Straight to the point that [UKSN](#) give the hard truth and nothing but the truth, when it comes to their reviews. Despite the reality check of FIFA 2001, they also mention the hard efforts of Drinky (as well as many patchmakers) to make the game better then it's packaged state. You read all this and more by clicking right [here](#)

Posted by [Joe](#)

- What Do You Want To Download Today?

With over 1000 updates and patches for FIFA 2001 available in our [Downloads Centre](#), there is literally something there for everyone. Today we've further expanded our collection with these great new files.

- An Iker Casillas face ([screenshot](#))
- Italian Serie A flags ([screenshot](#))
- Inter Milan ([screenshot](#)), Juventus ([screenshot](#)), Real Madrid, PSG ([screenshot](#)) and Taranto ([screenshot](#)) club kits
- Cameroon and Czech Republic ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- A Scottish Premier League update



Enjoy the rest of your day, and I'll see you all again tomorrow!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Belgian FIFA Patch coming soon

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news about the Belgian FIFA Patch, or BFP 2001, the biggest Belgian update ever. The patch is ready, but not available yet. After a BETA testing period they discovered some bugs, which are now almost all fixed. After this a new shorter BETA testing period starts. Then, the BFP will finally be ready to download.



You can find out more info and screenshots regarding this patch over at [www.belgianfifapatch.com](#) and full features can also be found at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) ([Post Your Comments](#) if)

• Wednesday, March 21, 2001

- Three New FIFA 2001 Files For Your Enjoyment

On top of the big [Downloads Centre](#) update below, today we have three new downloads by three of [Soccer Gaming's](#) favourite patch makers. Nikita Startsev is back with another new kit, this time it is an AC Milan Home kit.



- [Click Here to Download the AC Milan Home kit](#) (44 kb)

Secondly, a very active member of the FIFA community, Harry Karayannis, has put together his own version of a [Soccer Gaming](#) kit.



- [Click Here to Download the Soccer Gaming Fantasy kit](#) (124 kb)

Last, but certainly not least, comes a creation from our affiliated Italian site, [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). Rimo has informed me that you can now download the Rose Bowl Stadium which has been converted from FIFA 98 into FIFA 2001.



- [Click Here to Download the Rose Bowl stadium](#) (1.2 mb)

That's a wrap for today folks. Enjoy them and don't forget to come back tomorrow for more.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The Special of the Day - Downloads

Matt has spoken the truth. The downloads are back, with a vengeance. Today's update straight from the [Downloads Centre](#), where downloads are plentiful and patchmakers are in their delight. Jakob and Lior bring us these files today:

- Newcastle United, Anderlecht, Real Madrid and Arsenal kits
- Iraq Patch 2001
- Kelme Embryo boots
- Goalkeeper kits pack (see screenshot below)
- Brazilian flags, Colombian badges and World Cup 2002 logo
- Manchester United Champions League, Manchester United Premiership and Blank ad boards
- Poland home and away kits



And, naturally, that's it for today! All you punk kids and football freaks keep checking back for the daily downloads scoop from "the greatest show" on earth the [Downloads Centre](#). You can also check back soon, as Matt will be posting about Nikita's latest kits.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- World Patch version 1.4 is here

Sébastien Neri has released version 1.4 of his World Patch series and you can get your MRA Compliant version over at the [MRA site](#) which includes:

- an update for the Championship of France D1 2000/2001 with:
 - latest transfers
 - adds new players (with right name, surname, post and kit number)
 - and right lineup for all teams
- Portugal and Morocco nationals teams
- an update for teams in the World

Grab your copy of this great update direct from the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Techman @ Euro-Ball

Once again, Nati comes to us with a new piece of news about their Techman "Celly" coming back:

"Nati here from Euro-Ball with some great news!"

Our "TechMan" Celly has just released his second column in which he is explaining it all about Hex editing and polygon creation inside Fifa 2001! Due to enormous public request and lots of emails and forum questions, Celly decided to explain it all in the most simple and easy to understand way. Every novice Fifa patcher will finally understand all the big secrets of stadium Hex editing, and Celly is also willing to answer any questions regarding this topic or any other technical issue of the Fifa game all in our special TechnMan forum."

So once you're done browsing our [Forums](#), head on over to the [Euro-Ball](#) forums featuring Celly answering all your tech questions.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- The FIFA Nederland Pack is under development

M@rk from [FIFA Nederland](#) is going to make a great patch called "The FIFA Nederland Pack (F.N.P.)" There will be many things in it including:

- many adboards
- all Dutch kits
- a great big Roster Update
- Studio Sport sounds
- Dutch national team kits
- the Parkstad Limburg stadion of Roda JC and the stadium of Willem II

They also need people to help develop things for this patch, so if you can assist, pop over to [FIFA Nederland](#) and offer your assistance.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, March 20, 2001

- The Ultimate Feyenoord Pack 2

Robert van der Pol from [The Feyenoord-Files](#) have released a patch. Here is what he have to say about it:

"I want to inform you about the best Feyenoord patch ever released! I have released The Ultimate Feyenoord Pack 2 today on my site The Feyenoord-Files! It is a Feyenoord MEGA pack with everything a Feyenoord fan can dream of!"

And here is what you'll be able to find in this patch:

- Feyenoord kits
- Feyenoord stadium De Kuip
- Fantastic Feyenoord sounds
- Feyenoord flags

- Feyenoord roster
- 5 new Feyenoord menus
- New pitch
- Kappa ball
- Feyenoord adboards

Here is a screenshot of this patch:



For more info visit [The Feyenoord-Files](#).

Posted by [Hilda](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

ISS Pro Evolution 2 - Yours To Purchase Today

If you own a Playstation listen here. The football game that is set to rock your world and show you why you bought a Playstation in the first place is about to be released. Order your copy of the highly anticipated ISS Pro Evolution 2 for Sony Playstation today by [clicking here](#). By ordering today, you will only have to wait another 3 days before it is shipped straight to your door. Sorry American visitors, we have only been able to track down the game in PAL format so far.



Here at FIFA 2001 Online, we're not just about FIFA, we want you to have the best football experience possible, and many believe that ISS Pro Evolution 2 will bring you exactly that. Why not try it for yourself... I know I will be.

Posted by [Matt](#)

Score More Downloads

It is that time of the day again. Head on over to our much beloved [Downloads Centre](#) for these awesome updates:

- A Diadora Samba ([screenshot](#)) ball
- Adidas (see screen shot below) and Diadora ([screenshot](#)) boots and gloves packs
- A Ryan Giggs face ([screenshot](#))
- Ajax (see screenshot below), Barcelona ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United club kits
- Soviet Union ([screenshot](#)) and Dutch ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- An Anderlecht stadium ([screenshot](#))



Enjoy today's downloads, and check back tomorrow for more.

Posted by [Matt](#)

3rd in series of new MRA backgrounds

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have Jordan's 3rd excellent background from the forthcoming MRA Mega Sweetpatch 2001.



Click on the image above to enjoy the full sized fantasy. More coming soon as they receive them from Jordan.

As a show of our appreciation, please check out Jordan's excellent [Fifanet.com](#) site.

Posted by [Hilda](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Monday, March 19, 2001

Downloads for All!

Oh what a beautiful day! That it is. Why am I so excited you ask? Well, it's another exciting installation of the FIFA 2001 Online Downloads, straight from the world class [Downloads Centre](#). The additions for today are as follows:

- Realistic Gameplay Patch
- Newcastle United 2GK home ([screenshot](#)) and Paris Saint Germain 2GK
- PFC Levski Sofia, PFC Lokomotiv Sofia, FC Dobruja Dobrich, FC CSKA Sofia, FC Lovetch (see screenshot), FC Lokomotiv Plovdiv, FC Metalurg Pernik, FC Minyor Pernik, FC Neftohimik Burgas, FC Shumen, BFL, Ajax, Glasgow Celtic ([screenshot](#)), Lazio, AC Milan and Inter Milan balls
- Green & White, Irish ([screenshot](#)), Red & White ([screenshot](#)), Blue & White (see screenshot) and Yellow & White nets
- A Manchester Wallpaper ([screenshot](#))



As always, we leave you with only the best downloads. You should have enough FIFA 2001 balls to last you for awhile. As you could see, this should satisfy everyone's desire for fresh FIFA 2001 patches. Patchmakers keep them coming! Keep checking for new updates at the [Downloads Centre](#)!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Italian Euro-Ball Mirror Opens

Nati Tal, the big man over at [Euro-Ball](#) has some exciting news regarding a brand new mirror site in Italian. Here's what he had to say:

"After a bit of slow days we had lately, Euro-Ball is still here working full power for the benefit of the fans. Only yesterday we add some huge community news and great 2GK kits, and today we finally open our official Italian mirror - the great [FifaOnLine.it](#)! After weeks of preparation and the continues work of the great Italian team, the official Italian [Euro-Ball](#) is now open for the public including the best news, patches and activities all in Italian!"

With the help of the Fifa On Line staff, our other Italian partner FifaItalia and all of our mirror sites - Fifa Korea, Fifa First and the famous Israeli Fifa.co.il we promise to continue bringing you the best patches and Fifa news."

Posted by [Joe](#)

- A Touch of FIFA 99 in FIFA 2001

If you're a FIFA 99 fan, but still like to keep with the latest game graphics and ideas? Well, for all of you FIFA 99 fans, [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) has just finished transforming the classical FIFA 99 pop-ups into FIFA 2001! As the title says, this gives the FIFA 99 fan a touch of the FIFA 99 game into FIFA 2001.



If you want to see more pictures of this new creative idea by Fifa COLOMBIA, click [here](#). Or head on over to [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) for more information!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- 2nd in series of new MRA backgrounds

Today over at the [MRA site](#) they have Jordan's 2nd excellent background from the forthcoming MRA Mega Sweetpatch 2001.



Click on the image above to enjoy the full sized fantasy.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Yugoslavian League Patch is released

For all fans of Yugoslavian soccer, Slavisa Prcic and Pedro Padron have released their Yugoslavian League Patch over at the [MRA site](#). The patch will replace the Austrian league with:

- correct roster names
- all the badges
- and almost every team will have correct or close to correct Jersey
- new adboards



Check out the screenshots above and then download your copy direct from the [MRA site](#) and install it using your Sweetpatch MRA.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, March 18, 2001

- Massive Downloads Update

One of the most complete downloads updates ever awaits you today in our [Downloads Centre](#). Over 20 new patches and upgrades have just been added by [Lior](#) and Jakob. The complete list is:

- Adidas Tango ([screenshot](#)), Adidas Silver ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United balls
- Real Oviedo ([screenshot](#)), Derby County (see screen shot below), Arsenal ([screenshot](#)), Barcelona ([screenshot](#)), Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)), Celtic ([screenshot](#)), Paris St Germain and Celtic 2GK home (see screen shot below) club kits
- A Manchester United fantasy away kit ([screenshot](#))
- Belgian and Egyptian Ad Boards
- A Face Making Tutorial
- Manchester United and Israeli Premiere League ([screenshot](#)) flags
- Czech Republic 2GK home ([screenshot](#)) national kit

- Premier League referee kit ([screenshot](#))
- David Beckham face ([screenshot](#))



As I often say, there is surely something there for everyone to enjoy today. Make sure you pay a trip to the [Downloads Centre](#), and as always, surf back here tomorrow for another big update.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- New Version of the Soccer Gaming Forums

Our [Forums](#) have just undergone a dramatic face-lift. There are more new features than you can poke a stick at. The regular forum members have so far praised the new features, so why don't you pay a visit to our [Forums](#) and post your opinion? While you're there, make sure you join in the football discussions with over 6000 registered members.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Fantastic new backgrounds developed for the MRA Mega Sweepatch 2001

You heard it here first folks, over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of the forthcoming MRA Mega Sweepatch 2001, which has some ground breaking new backgrounds developed for it by the graphic king himself, Jordan Stavdis, from [Fifanet.com](#)



Jordan has currently developed 3 and there are more to follow. They will be bringing you 1 a day for a special preview into this fantastic new patch. Click on the image above for the full sized wonderment.

Check out this and all the latest news over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, March 17, 2001

- English Mega Patch

R@mon of [www.alliesplanet.com](#) has informed me that their site is producing an English Mega Patch. The patch will include:

- New Ad Boards
- New Kits
- New Music
- New Stadiums
- New Menuscreens
- New Faces
- New Boots
- New Balls
- New Nets
- and New Cameras

Click [here](#) to get more interesting information about this patch.

Posted by [Lir](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Great new Turkey Super Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) [Kerim Apaydin](#) has sent his brand new patch which the world has been waiting upon - the Turkey Super Patch. Along with the Portuguese League this has been the most requested league missing from within Fifa 2001. Wait no longer, you can now play Fifa 2001 with all the following features included:

- home and away kits of Turkey national team
- Turkey adboards
- Turkey league header with Turkey name replaces France
- ACCURATE and CORRECT rosters for all Turkey teams
- Turkey Teams Flags with crowds
- Turkey League Badge
- 2nd division teams in the Turkey Cup

You can download this patch directly from the [Patches Database](#) and it is ready to be loaded into your Fifa 2001 game using your Sweepatch MRA.



Check out the [MRA site](#) for further interesting information relating to this patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Top of the Morning with Downloads

Another day, another downloads update. Sort of, most Irish people around the world are celebrating today. Being half Irish I thought I'd mention it a few times. Anyway, it's a wee bit smaller downloads update today, nonetheless, quality not quantity. Here's what we've got for you - from the [Downloads Centre](#) - on this, the 17th day of March:

- Roma (see screenshot below) and Juventus (see screenshot below)
- Switzerland ([screenshot](#)) and Australia kits
- Skills Fix
- J-League Graphic Patch

- Pelota Stars San Lorenzo and Manchester United balls
- Rivaldo face
- Tech Adboards



We hope that these Downloads will supply you with maximum gaming enjoyment! As we always say, have fun with these, and check back tomorrow for another downloads update!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- The Big Green - Community Update

First off, to those celebrating, Happy Saint Patrick Day to you. Let us honor the (Welsch) Saint Patrick who lived 1,700 years ago. Anyway, enough of that. It's time for long overdue Community Update! Yes, it's what you have all been waiting for. A few sites to brighten up your day

- [Soccered](#) - A site about all the fifa games mainly FIFA 2001
- [FIFA 2001 Tournament](#) - FIFA 2001 Online Tournament
- [Unofficial Multiplayer Match Up](#) - All games are played IP connection
- [Patchmaker Website](#) - For more FIFA downloads
- [Dutch FIFA 2001](#) - New Dutch FIFA 2001 website
- [FIFA Champions](#) - FIFA 2001 Online League
- [FIFA Tournament](#) - Looking for players!

Thanks for everyone sending in their websites. Now if you want your's posted send the URL, name, and a short description to joe@soccergaming.com.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Friday, March 16, 2001

- Downloads Today

We present another collection of new files for your FIFA 2001 pleasure in the [Downloads Centre](#). Today we have added:

- A Beckham face update ([screenshot](#))
- Manchester United goalie kit (see screen shot below)
- Holland ([screenshot](#)) and Italy home & away (see screen shot below) kits
- Aston Villa, Bradford, Coventry, Leeds United, Leicester City, Manchester City, Newcastle United, Tottenham Hotspurs and West Ham United balls
- St. Johnstone MRA patch ([screenshot](#))



There are plenty more downloads ready to be uploaded, so tune back in tomorrow for the latest batch.

Posted by [MRA](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Extreme World Update

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have received a comprehensive list of features that will be contained within version 1 of the Extreme World Update. A sample of details includes:

- Latest trades for the
 - Austrian, Belgian, Brazilian, Danish, English, French, German, Dutch, Israeli, Italian, American, Norwegian, Scottish, Spanish and Swedish leagues
- latest player appearances (hair, face and skin) for pretty much every player in the game
- corrected every lineup for the:
 - English, Italian, German, French, Spanish and some of the Scottish league
- a nice crowd patch that is similar to the one in FIFA 2000
- a patch that will make the players have long sleeves
- improved the gameplay by editing the rotation, speed and velocity of the ball

The full feature list plus other details can be found over at the [MRA site](#) - the World's number 1 home for your FIFA Super Patches.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, March 15, 2001

- FIFA One

FIFA One is a new Dutch site. According to the webmaster it will be a great site for all. On Saturday, FIFA One will be opening with a new domain name, downloads and more. So pay a visit to <http://www.allesplanet.com> now

Posted by [Lor](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Bumper Downloads Update

Sixteen new downloads await you today in our [Downloads Centre](#). They are:

- English, Manchester United and Newcastle United ([screenshot](#)) ad boards
- 2 new goal nets (see Bayern Munich net screen shot below)
- Inter Milan ([screenshot](#)), Arsenal (see screen shot below), Bayer Leverkusen ([screenshot](#)), Middlesbrough, Manchester United ([screenshot](#)) and Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) kits
- An England national kit ([screenshot](#))
- A list of face ID's
- The Centenario stadium ([screenshot](#))
- A British TV Logos pack ([screenshot](#))
- A fix for the very popular Sky Sports Beta 3 TV Logo



That is all for today, but as you know, we'll have another equally as good [Downloads Centre](#) update for you tomorrow

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- New Club Patch - St Johnstone in Scotland

Over at the [MRA site](#) Steve Drysdale has sent in his new St Johnstone MRA Compliant Patch. It features:

- edited stadium graphics (Strip and sponsor graphics)
- new adboards
- new home and away kits
- and a mitre ball



You can download Steve's patch direct from the [MRA site](#). Check it out, it is a good un!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Fifala has lauched with a new design

Xavier has informed us that [Fifala](#) has lauched a full new design and to start off they have built the automatic [Fifala Downloads Zone](#)! This sections tells you how many times a file has been downloaded. They will also place each week the top 10 downloaded files and you can manually see all the file database where you can find a description of the file.

The good news is that they have started with the Fifa Express downloads. They will place the most downloaded files in their Latin Leagues 2001 patch. You can now download the 1st version of the patch (the Argentinean League built by Ariel Santarelli) in separate files:

- the Monumental stadium
- new Tango ball
- new menu backgrounds
- Futbol de Primera background music
- and of course the main patch that includes the first 2GK jerseys ever made and the Argentinean league

Check out all of this over at the new look [Fifala](#) and you can also find details of the updated AE2GK patch in the world famous [MRA Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, March 14, 2001

- Exclusive FIFA 2001 Online AI Editor

Folks, I'm pleased to announce that FIFA 2001 Online will shortly be releasing an exclusive programme. Written by myself, the new AI editor will allow you to quickly edit and customise the artificial intelligence levels that make up the FIFA 2001 computer opponents.

Please don't e-mail me for a release date yet, just stay tuned to FIFA 2001 Online. If you have any questions/suggestions then please e-mail me.

Posted by [Garry](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FIFA 2002, ISS Pro Evolution 2 and LMA 2001 at Soccer Gaming

There has been a lot of big news posted today at [Soccer Gaming](#) concerning many of the upcoming and new release football games. The correct name of FIFA 2002 has been announced, and 29 new shots of ISS Pro Evolution 2 (PS2) are also on display thanks to [GameSpot UK](#).

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads Update!

The [Downloads Centre](#) is truly the place to be! After the excitement of the winners of the ending of the DC competition (Congratulations to the winners, and thanks to all those who played), it is a downloads update a little smaller than most of our updates, nonetheless, worth a look.

- A Rosicky face
- Manchester United (see screenshot below) and AC Milan fantasy kits ([screenshot](#)) and a goalie kits pack (see screenshot below)
- A Paris St Germain away kit
- A new shooting fix
- A Bulgarian roster update



The good times never end. It is the same when downloading from the [Downloads Centre](#) and playing FIFA 2001 with a new kit or new stadium. With that, we end today's downloads update. As always check back tomorrow for the latest in downloads!

Posted by [Jag](#)

- Fifa Tournaments to enter

If you like playing Fifa 2001 online then check out the [MRA site](#) where they have news of 2 current Fifa Tournaments that you can subscribe to. They are:

- An alternative to 'EA Matchup'
- Fifa 2001 World Cup Tournament

If you want to join in please get over quick to the [MRA site](#) to register your interest.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, March 13, 2001

- Downloads Centre Competition Winners Announced

Quickly... everyone who entered the Downloads Centre Competition head straight for the [Downloads Centre](#) to see if you will be sharing in the \$2000 worth of football and gaming merchandise. Good luck and thank you to everyone who entered and supported the site.

We would like to thank the following companies for making this competition possible: [UMBRO.COM](#), [Microsoft](#), [EA Sports](#), [Kitbag](#) and [Software First](#)

Posted by [Matt](#)

- In The Spotlight - Nikita Startcev's Ajax and SG Kit

Two of today's [Downloads Centre](#) updates featured below included the latest creations of our own, Nikita Startcev. Pictured below you will see the new Ajax home kit and the first version of the Soccer Gaming Official Kit.



- [Download the Soccer Gaming Official Kit v1.0](#) (39 kb)
- [Download the Ajax Home Kit](#) (43 kb)

Nikita and all of the guys here at Soccer Gaming would love to hear your feedback on these new kits. Please post your comments on the respective downloads page of these new creations.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments >>](#)

- The Daily Downloads Update

Only a couple of hours remains until our [Downloads Centre](#) Competition winners are announced. The competition is now officially closed. While you eagerly wait and see if you're one of the lucky winners, pay a trip to the [Downloads Centre](#) and grab one of today's additions. The list is:

- Manchester United Ad Boards
- Barcelona, NEC Nijmegen, Lyon, Juventus, AC Milan, Deportivo La Coruña, Ajax and Bayern München home and away kits
- Galatasaray ball
- Soccer Gaming Official Kit v1.0

Be back here tomorrow when we upload another huge collection. Good luck to all who entered the competition.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- The "ology" in FIFATOLOGY

The big man behind the running FIFATOLOGY, a brand new era of patches for FIFA 2001, has some words to all the FIFATOLOGY fans. Being one myself, I look forward to everything he has to say about it.

The patch will release this weekend (March 16th or 17th)! So get ready 4 the revolution! A lot of people asked the team how the patch will work - As you know, FIFATOLOGY will feature badges in the popups and every team with its own stadium, chants, fans, fanblocks, etc.

- but how is that possible?

It was rumoured a lot... now the FIFATOLOGY team has decided to explain you how it works. It's a program that runs in the background. This program reads the userfile and realizes which teams are chosen. For these teams, the program installs the specific stadiums, fans, chants, etc. in about some seconds :)

This background program called "FIFA FX" will be a free source for everybody so that it can be used in other patches too. Then soon, hopefully, all patches will feature displayed badges in the popups, unlimited stadium-numbers, etc. You can read the whole explanation (in german and english) over at www.fifatology.de

*Kind regards from Germany,
Stefan Munstedt*

Note from Joe: I've gone over to check out the stuff that I already haven't downloaded. :-). Be Back Soon!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Monday, March 12, 2001

- Downloads Centre Competition Extended

We're giving you one more day to enter the [Downloads Centre Competition](#). Within 24 hours the winners will be posted officially at the [Downloads Centre](#). There will be over 50 winners announced. If you're wanting to be in the draw to win over \$2000 worth of gaming and football merchandise, there is still time to enter. [Click here](#) for a full list of prizes and to enter today. Be sure to check back here and at the [Downloads Centre](#) tomorrow to see if you have won!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Ladies and Gentlemen - The Downloads!

Have a familiar ring to it? Of course it does, it's our downloads update of course! From the heart of our [Downloads Centre](#) another presentation of the freshest and newest downloads in FIFA 2001, for all to enjoy! Thanks to our patchmakers and the guys at the DC, here is today's download update.

- A David Beckham face ([screenshot](#))
- Besiktas home and away flags ([screenshot](#))
- Besiktas, AC Roma ([screenshot](#)), Barcelona (see screenshot below), Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) and Middlesbrough kits
- Denmark, England (see screenshot below), and Egyptian ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Portugal team roster ([screenshot](#))
- PLUS: Charlton Athletic, Chelsea, Derby County, Everton, Ipswich Town, Liverpool, Manchester United, Middlesbrough, Southampton and Sunderland balls



As all good things must do, we come to the end of today's daily update. Hopefully we've provided you with enough downloads to keep you happy for 24 hours. Remember, if you're looking for something specific, you can search for it in our world class [Downloads Centre!](#)

Posted by [Joe](#)

- African Champions League Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#), Mohamed Awad has sent in his African Champions League patch which you can install with your MRA. It features:

- Best 12 teams in Africa
 - Egypt: Al Aly, Zamalik, Masry, Esmaily
 - Tunisia: Tarajy, Club African
 - Ghana: Kotoko Asante, Accra Hearts Of Oak
 - South Africa: Kaizer Chiefs, Sundowns
 - Morocco: Raja Casablanca
 - Algeria: Mouloudia Club D'Oran
- Correct rosters for all 12 teams
- Correct faces and attributes and approximately tactics
- Actual 12 team badges
- CAF badge in the league badge
- Africa in the league name (Replace Israeli League)
- The 2nd division teams will be (Asic Abidjan, Africa Sport, Shabebat Al Cabael) but without players

If you are a fan of African soccer then this is a must for you. You can get your own copy of this patch directly from the [MRA site](#)

Also, while you are visiting the [MRA site](#) check out all their other exciting news.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, March 11, 2001

- Portuguese Super Patch 2001 is released

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have the excellent news that a lot of the world has been eagerly awaiting, the PSP 2001 has been released!



Visit the [MRA site](#) to get the full feature list and download your copy of this excellent patch. Key features include:

- Portuguese International Team Up to date Roster (Made with FE2001)
- All Iª Liga Up to date Rosters
- Portuguese International Squad home and away Kits
- All Iª Liga home and away Kits
- Estádio da Luz "S. L. Benfica" (with photo and name on menus)

This should prove to be a very popular patch so please go and grab your copy now from the [MRA site](#). Also, check out the special screen shot above from which you can click on all the smaller images for many pictures of this great patch. Enjoy!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Harchester United Super Patch

Harchester United Super Patch from [Shearemd4](#) was released yesterday. This patch for english TV dream team include:

- Harchester United home & away kits
- Harchester United home & away flags
- Harchester United adboards
- Harchester United menu badge
- complete Harchester United roster update (replace Bradford in Premier League)
- Umbro Mach-Speed boots

You can download this great patch from [here](#).

Posted by [Hatch](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- De Oranje Patch (Dutch)

[Rini Ton](#) from [Fifa 2001-NL](#) sent us some news about his upcoming patch:

"The name of the patch is: De Oranje Patch (Dutch). All the items in the patch are orange and from the Holland National Team. A must for every Dutch Fifa player."

This patch will include many features, among them are:

- updated rosters
- new kits
- new adboards
- new goal net
- new corner flags
- new crowd
- new TV logos
- new menus

And all this shall be orange.

To find out more about this patch press [here](#). There you'll find more info and some screenshots.

Posted by [Matti](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

21 New Downloads

It has been a big day so far in the [Downloads Centre](#). Head on over there for 21 brand new FIFA 2001 updates and patches. In total they include:

- A fantasy ball
- A Marcelo Salas ([screenshot](#)) and Roy Makaay faces
- Galatasaray, Hamburg ([screenshot](#)), Lyon ([screenshot](#)), Sparta Praha, Anderlecht ([screenshot](#)), Barcelona ([screenshot](#)), Le Sporting Club de Bastia, Inter Milan 2GK, Parma 2GK and Monaco 2GK club kits
- Russian and Greek national kits ([screenshots](#))
- A Harchester United team patch ([screenshot](#))
- Adidas Predator boots
- Australian League ad boards
- Pelota Stars ball ([screenshot](#))
- Sounds Tutorial
- Ultra Realistic AI patch



I am sure there is something there to interest everyone. Check out the [Downloads Centre](#) today!

Posted by [Matti](#)

• **Saturday, March 10, 2001**

UMBRO.COM - A Must Visit For Every Football Fan

I'm sure everyone here has heard of UMBRO. We all know they make excellent football gear that is worn by some of the most respected and well-known clubs in the world. One thing though that you may not know about UMBRO is that they have recently launched an awesome website known as [UMBRO.COM](#). If you find yourself browsing through the Soccer Gaming websites, it is obvious you have a true passion for football and are more than keen to get the most enjoyment possible out of the sport we live, sleep and breathe by. Let me tell you this, [UMBRO.COM](#) is the place for you.

UMBRO.COM is no ordinary football website. Not only does UMBRO.COM boast on the minute news, exclusive articles, interviews and low price deals on all UMBRO merchandise, but it is also home to an awesome collection of live streaming football videos and highlight reels you won't find anywhere else. If you want to relive footballing memories you can see classic clips, such as all the goals from the 1996 World Cup final, and that magical moment when Bobby Moore lifted the Jules Rimet trophy.



All aspiring Michael Owen's, whether young or old, can now get one step closer to their dream thanks to UMBRO.COM's new Skills Centre (pictured in above right screen shot). From Michael Owen's preparation to Henrik Larsson's penalty technique, [UMBRO.COM](#) has got tips from the masters of their art. On top of this, some of the games most respected managers are on hand to give their coaching tips. Whether you're looking to improve your own on-field game, or maybe you even want to try some of these tips in FIFA 2001, the UMBRO.COM Skills Centre is a must visit.

By far my favourite part of UMBRO.COM is the Football Game in the Fun & Games section. It's a completely free online game and as close as you'll get to the real thing online. It's fast paced addictive fun. You control the players with your keyboard and see if you can beat the computer. If you're good enough to win, there are even prizes up for grabs. Trust me, you have to try this!



If you're a regular Soccer Gaming visitor, I am certain after one trip to UMBRO.COM you'll be updating your bookmarks immediately. Take my advice, pay a trip to [UMBRO.COM](#) and you won't be disappointed.

Posted by [Matti](#)

The Weekend Downloads!

Yes, yes! The countdown for the weekend is finally over. The best time for relaxation, watching soccer, and downloading FIFA 2001 files! That's right, the [Downloads Centre](#) is being jam packed with more files for all your gaming needs. Let's check out the first weekend batch:

- A Mendizorzo Stadium (see screenshot below)
- Inter Milan Home & Away ([screenshot](#)), Inter 3rd kit ([screenshot](#)), Inter 3rd kit Alternative ([screenshot](#)) and Inter 3rd kit 99-00 ([screenshot](#))
- A PFC Pirin ball ([screenshot](#)) and a PFC Slavia Sofia ball ([screenshot](#))
- A Player Update
- Besiktas and European Club flags (see screenshot below)



That's today's update, be back tomorrow for more awesome [Downloads Centre](#) developments! As we continue through the weekend!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- [Fifamania Superpatch v1.5](#) is here to enjoy

Over at [Fifamania](#) Rimo and the lads have just released version 1.5 of their excellent [Fifamania Superpatch](#). There are 2 versions.

- 1 for you who don't have [MRA](#) (14Mb)
- and 1 for you who have [MRA](#) (10.5Mb) - look how much space and time it can save you!



Features include (as always a full comprehensive listing can be found in the [MRA Patches Database](#)):

- **Rosters**
 - Updates EVERY Fifa 2001 team at February 2001
- **Kits**
 - Italian: Home and away jersey of every Serie A teams, Home and away jersey of 5 Serie B teams
 - Refs: 4 new jerseys
 - Lots more....
- **Nets**
 - Hexagonal nets
- **Boots**
 - Nike
- **Faces**
 - Virtualfaces Superpatch 1.5
- **Ads**
 - New 32 bit ads for every league
- **Menus**
 - New great menus
- **Aimini**
 - Edited Aimini file for better ball control
- **Other**
 - New gloves, badges and flags
- **Stadiums**
 - Delle Alpi G3, Amsterdam Arena G3
- **Crowds**
 - New crowds with photo texture



As the patch was developed for the Italian version of the game, if you have a different version you will encounter the "No Data" problem. You can solve this as follows:

- On the first "no data" screen you will see 4 "no data"s, click on the 3rd one (Options)
- Then the next screen you will see 6 "no data"s, click on the 3rd one and that will be the change language option for you
- Change it to your required language and enjoy

Coming soon from the excellent [Fifamania](#) crew they will also release:

- next week, a new utility that is a professional installer for Fifa 2001
- and in 2 weeks, an incredible Stadium Manager that will allow you to use infinite stadiums in the game

So check out all the great screenshots, visit the [Patches Database](#) for the full feature list and then get over to [Fifamania](#) to download your copy of this great patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, March 9, 2001

- You pick the Stadium!

DG, from [EJFA Italia](#), has told us about a new poll they have added at their site. So if you want to them to make the stadium you want, head on over by clicking right [here](#).

You can also see the results by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- News From FIFAUK

Tom Heaton, the webmaster of [FIFAUK](#), has some news for you about their site and upcoming patches.

"FifaUK is back, redesigned, revamped, technologically advanced and ready to bring you the best Fifa patches ever!"

To start off to celebrate the return of the Manchester derby, we bring you the Manchester Unity Patch. This brings you what everybody has been screaming out for, stadiums with home and away fans. Properley segregated!! This is the first patch of it's kind for any fifa game!!! It includes G2 versions of Old Trafford and Maine Road, with our new crowd technology, along with Jerseys, adboards and updated stadia on the menu screens.

We have also advanced the site to offer the best downloads sharing experience available for Fifa games, with the [FifaUK Downloads Xchange](#). This allows people to create a napster type file sharing community where you can upload your own files for other people to download. NO MORE WAITING FOR LAZY WEBMASTERS TO UPLOAD YOUR FILES THEMSELVES.

So pop over to [FIFAUK](#) to see what all the fuss is about, you WON'T be dissappointed."

He also sent us two screenshots of their Manchester Unity Patch. Here have a look.



For more information press [here](#)

Posted by [Niklas](#) Post Your Comments (0)

- FIFA 2002 News at Soccer Gaming

Head on over to [Soccer Gaming](#) where we have just posted some news on FIFA 2002 and announced the grand opening of the new FIFA 2002 - What the Fans Want Forum.

Posted by [Matt](#) Post Your Comments (0)

- You Guessed It... More Downloads

Make my FIFA 2001 more exciting, you say? Sure thing, we say! Today we've done exactly that with another huge collection of downloads in our [Downloads Centre](#). In total we have added

- Another David Beckham face ([screenshot](#))
- A Glasgow Rangers and Juventus kit (see screen shots below)
- A Bayern Munchen net
- Milwall FC, Bolton Wanderers, Manchester United, Newcastle United, Fulham FC, Harchester United and Blackburn Rovers flags



So what are you waiting for? Head for the [Downloads Centre](#) today and grab yourself some FIFA 2001 fun! Make sure you surf back here tomorrow for another downloads update.

Oh, and don't forget, only 3 more days until the our big [Competition](#) is drawn.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Thursday, March 8, 2001

- Past Midweek - More Downloads

Halfway through our quest to get to the weekend! Where the football is plentiful, sleeping is wonderful, and lazyness is tolerated. Keeping in mind we never get lazy here at FIFA 2001 Online and at our [Downloads Centre](#) -> The Downloads keep coming and the news keeps flowing all seven days of the week. Of course, we've got a bunch more downloads available for you with a few clicks of the mouse:

- Egyptian Ad Boards ([screenshot](#))
- An Adidas Telstar Ball ([screenshot](#))
- A David Beckham face (see screenshot below)
- 2 AS Roma ([screenshot](#)) and Arsenal Kits ([screenshot](#))
- Boca Juniors, Maracana ([screenshot](#)) and two versions of the Olympic stadium of Rome (see screenshot below)



That wraps it up for today. Tomorrow brings the end of our quest for the weekend, and brings joy to the school children and most of the adults of the world! Stay tuned football freaks, we'll have more downloads at the [Downloads Centre](#) soon!

Posted by [Jojo](#)

• Wednesday, March 7, 2001

- More Downloads - The Informative Update

Here are some figures that may blow your mind. Did you know that 400,000 downloads have been downloaded from the [Downloads Centre](#) since it opened less than 1 month ago; there are over 3000 downloads ready for you to download right this moment; we added 20 new downloads for you today? Interesting eh? Check out two screen shots of just a couple of the downloads added today.



The complete list of new downloadable FIFA 2001 updates and patches added to the [Downloads Centre](#) today is:

- Inter Milan, Sporting Club de Bastia ([screenshot](#)), Manchester Utd 1985 ([screenshot](#)), St. Johnstone, Rangers ([screenshot](#)), Panathinaikos ([screenshot](#)), Anderlecht ([screenshot](#)), Deportivo La Coruna and Valencia ([screenshot](#)) club kits

- Chile and Argentina national kits
- Edgar Davids glasses (see screen shot above)
- A Danish League roster
- Roda ([screenshot](#)), Napoli ([screenshot](#)), Feyenoord ([screenshot](#)), Hamburg ([screenshot](#)), Madrid (see screen shot above), Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)) and Amsterdam ([screenshot](#)) stadiums

I recommend everyone who owns FIFA 2001 pays a visit to the [Downloads Centre](#) today and browses through some of these new downloads. These new downloads are exactly what is needed to keep the excitement and enjoyment level of FIFA 2001 high.

Special thanks to DG who sent in all of his wonderful stadiums for today's update.

The interesting facts don't stop there guys. Did you know that the [Downloads Centre Competition](#) is drawn in less than 1 week? Yes, that's right, on March 12 we'll find out who has won over \$2000 worth of football and gaming merchandise. There is still time for you to enter. Remember, there is over 50 chances for you to win! Hurry, [enter today!](#)



Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- Spanish Power Superpatch Reviewed

In the 2nd of his excellent Patch Reviews over at the [MRA site](#), Dhruv Sood has looked at the very recently released "Spanish Power Superpatch" from [Spanish Power](#)



"I must say that this is the patch which comes in the TOP 10 Patches released in 2000/2001" is one of Dhruv's viewpoints. Check the rest of this review out by [clicking here](#) and see if you agree or disagree.

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have plenty more [Patch Reviews](#) on the way for you. Please let them know if you enjoy this feature, and if possible, how they could improve it.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Bosnian Super Patch 2001 Update

Over at the [MRA site](#) you can get a full update regarding the [Bosnian Super Patch 2001](#). While you are there you can also meet Chris and Simon who are helping with the news postings to expand the scope and quality of the content.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Iranian Super Patch v2 is released

Sam Salek from [Iranpatch.itgo.com](#) has informed us that he has released version 2 of his excellent Iranian Super Patch.



New features in version 2 include:

- Iran national team
- Iranian soccer league
- World stars team
- New adboards
- New TV logo
- New net
- New background pictures
- New flags (in menu & games)

You can check out the full feature list of this patch in the [Patches Database](#) and then download your own copy by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, March 6, 2001

- Fifaltalia Patch 1.0 Released

Fifaltalia have released their long-awaited patch known as, Fifaltalia Patch 1.0. It features:

- Updated Rosters
- Formations and Positions in the Field of every players,
- Free Kicks Strikers of all
- Serie A teams by Markcay for the 2000/2001 Season,
- Real Jerseys by Massimo Franciosa for all the Serie A teams
- Real Jersey of Italian National team by Massimo Franciosa
- FIGC Referee's
- Bayern Monaco's and Brazil's Real Jerseys by Massimo Franciosa
- 14 sets of Real Adboards with the most famous Italian Serie A sponsors by DG.
- Official Real Ball Nike Geo R9 by Icewolf.
- Shoot Real Footwear
- Nike Total 90 F.G. made by Beny
- 3D Pitch by Sung Soo Kim

- Serie A logos by DG and crowd by Sesam.
- Translation by Grinta



For a huge collection of screen shots and a link to download this awesome patch, [click here](#).

Posted by [Mali](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, March 5, 2001

- Patch of Solidarity

We received some news about this very special patch from it's creator [Chris](#). This is a patch made especially for the Victims of the 1 January Volendam fire. And here is what Chris wants to say about it:

"01-01-2001 - The close knit community spirit of a small Dutch fishing town is helping residents begin to come to terms with a New Year tragedy which claimed 10 lives. The 10 died when a café crowded with celebrating young people became engulfed in flames and smoke shortly after midnight on New Year's Day. More than 180 people were injured. The youngest victim so far was 13-years-old, with the others all aged under 25.

27-02-2001 - Volendam stadium is home to the benefit match between FC Volendam and the Friends of Volendam team, a team full of stars: Gullit, Van Basten, Koeman, Kanu. After this match I decided to make a patch together with international FIFA-stars, so we'll never forget this special Match, trying to raise money for Giro 800 by letting sponsors pay a small amount of money for every time the patch is downloaded."

Here is what the patch will include:

- original Volendam "De Dijk" stadium by DG (from [FIFAItalia](#)) and Lunardon (from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#))
- official Match of Solidarity home and away kits
- roster update with official line-ups

This patch will hopefully be released by Friday March 9. All the information about it is held on the [FIFA Benelux](#) site and you can find it by pressing [here](#).

Posted by [Nikita](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Downloads - Rid The Early Week Blues

The early week rush is now upon us. Another fulfilling weekend in the world of [Soccer Gaming](#). Now we look ahead with hopeful eyes for another successful week. We'll start off this week with some brand new downloads, featuring some new Argentina National team kits and some new player faces. Let's see what's been added today at the [Downloads Centre](#):

- A Jordanian Patch
- Luis Figo ([screenshot](#)), Robert Pires ([screenshot](#)) and Zinedine Zidane ([screenshot](#)) faces
- A Swedish flag update
- Aston Villa ([screenshot](#)), Spartak Moscow (see screenshot below), Auxerre ([screenshot](#)) and Bordeaux kits
- An Argentine national kit (see screenshot below)



Download away! Remember, despite being the start of another busy week: "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy". Take a break with FIFA and the many downloads and updates available in the [Downloads Centre](#)! While you're there don't forget to sign up for the Downloads Centre competition, with only a few days remaining!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Croatian 1.HNL Mega Patch v1.0

Over at the [MRA site](#) [Zeljko Mojca](#) has sent his new Super Patch for all fans of the Croatian 1.HNL. It features:

- changed league name into "1.HNL"
- 12 Croatian league teams with their correct names
- current rosters with original names and the latest transfers
- correct line-ups and team management
- correct numbers for several better teams
- both home and away kits for all 12 teams
- all 12 badges for each team and for the league
- Poljud Stadium of Hajduk Split RS 2000/01 stadium by [FifaItalia.com](#)
- adboards by [Dinko Jakovljevic](#) and [Toni Skoko](#)
- made fully MRA Compliant by myself

Go grab your own copy of this patch direct from the [MRA Patches Database](#) and use the "Add New Patch" option in your Sweetpatch MRA to automatically install this patch.

There will be updates to this patch and coming soon is version 1.1 including the 2.HNL league.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Club Patches - Feyenoord of Holland

In the final chapter of the weekend trilogy of Club Patches over at the [MRA site](#), our good friend Robert van der Pol from [The Feyenoord-Files](#) has informed us about some great new Mega patches they are working on. You can vote on their site for which patch they should make first.



You can choose between the following:

- The Excelsior Pack
- T.U.F.P.2
- Feyenoord 1970 Patch

Check out the full exciting feature lists of each of these patches at the [MRA site](#) and then pay [The Feyenoord-Files](#) a visit and cast your vote on these great looking patches.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Sunday, March 4, 2001**

• **A Bucket of News from FIFA First!**

[FIFA First](#) has now established itself in the FIFA Community after many months of hard work. Their FIFA 2001 site has managed to attract a number of loyal daily visitors. After many months of continual hard work they can now announce the official opening of our second site. CM First is a brand new Championship Manager site its made and run by the same team you run FIFA First. Some of the features include:

- Player Details with over 110 players analysed each with individual screenshots from the game
- Team guides for over 20 teams each with two screenshots and detailed information
- A detailed Game and Manager guide written by Championship Manager expert Martin Davies
- Tactics and Formations, including ways to make the most money
- The story of Championship Manager

Also, to celebrate the opening of their new site, they are having a new giveaway. This time it's a Playstation 2 with three games! They hope that their plans to unite the two games pays off with the help of you and the Championship Manager fans out there.

You can find all this and more at the [FIFA First](#) website!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **More FIFA Colombia Wallpapers!**

Well, what do you know... yet more soccer wallpapers at [Fifa COLOMBIA](#)!

They seem not to take a minute off. Now its time for Greek and Italian fans to come on over to [Fifa COLOMBIA](#). Why, you ask? Because they have just published 2 new wallpapers from Olympiacos Pireaus and Italian giants AC Milan! You can have a look right here and get yourself a copy over at [Fifa COLOMBIA](#).



But that's not all! Next week they will be starting a "Greatest Player's Wallpapers Month", so you'll be able to get yourselves some quality soccer wallpapers from some of the world's best players like Paolo Maldini, Edgar Davids or Luis Figo.

But [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) is not just wallpapers. For all you people who just LOVED Fifa 99... well, they'll soon be bringing you a big surprise, as we are now working on "dusting off" the old Fifa 99 pop-ups and bringing them back to life in FIFA 2000!!!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **A Message**

I have received an email from the man running the site at <http://www.fifa2001worldcup.homestead.com/index.html>. This is what he had to say:

"After about a month of time in development of my patch, I have decided to change the plans slightly. I was originally planning on relying purely on donations from people who make kits, which was actually rather successful (46 teams now done). However, I have decided that it would be much wiser to get an actual team of kit makers who want to devote themselves purely to this patch. I will still gladly accept kits from people too busy to become fully involved, but this practice will take a backseat to the teams' own published kits.

There are simply too many for me to do alone, so I hope to get a group of at least 4-5 guys. Obviously, experience in kit making is needed, and it should be noted that I will be using only 256 color kits (the "old technique") simply because the other methods do not work on all computers.

I already have a few possibilities, so if you would like to join the team visit my site and give me an email."

With that said, visit his site and, like he said, email him if you are willing to help. It will be much appreciated.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• **Sunday Downloads**

The best day of the week by far is upon us. No work, no school, ample sport on TV and a great day to enjoy FIFA 2001. With the awesome amount of new downloads we just added to the [Downloads Centre](#) the day has just got even better! In total [Lior](#) added:

- A Nike Geo Merlin ball ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Zoom Mercurial boots (see screen shot below)
- Fabien Barthez ([screenshot](#)) and David Beckham ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Barcelona ([screenshot](#)), Kaiserslautern ([screenshot](#)), Rennes ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Yugoslavian ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Hadjuk Split stadium (see screen shot below)



Our [Downloads Centre](#) is proud to be associated with this Sunday, FIFA 2001 Online's official favourite day of the week.
 Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- New FIFA-MRA Chat!

Big news from David Witts at Sweetpatch-MRA! Tonight they are opening their very brand new and very cool new chatroom. I've already had a sneak peak and, wow, it is awesome. It translates things in many different languages, whether you want to see it in English or in French. So, for the next few minutes from this post, join me and David Witts in the brand new [MRA Chatroom](#) right now!

Posted by [Jaw](#)

- Club Patches - Clube de Regatas Flamengo from Brasil

Over at the [MRA site](#), in the 2nd of their Club Patches this weekend they have the latest update for all the players of Clube de Regatas Flamengo, from Rio de Janeiro, Brasil. It includes updates to all

- names
- looks
- and numbers

Grab your very own MRA Compliant copy by visiting the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, March 3, 2001

- Club Patches - RBC Roosendaal from Holland

As promised, over at the [MRA site](#) please find here details of the first Club Patch of the weekend.

Arend from Holland has sent a patch he made for the Dutch club RBC-Roosendaal. They have made it fully MRA Compliant for you and it features,

- a stadium
- a new crowd
- an icon for your desktop

Go grab yourself a copy of Arend's patch direct from the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- More FIFA 2002 News!

Some big news from Stefan Munstedt, listen up!

"Hi friends,

I have once again some exciting news for you - concerning FIFA 2002

After having a call with the EA Sports development-team in Canada and EA Sports Germany, I have the latest news concerning the next version of the fifa-series. EA Canada told me that the concept for FIFA 2002 has been finished and the development-team has already begun to program the basics.

EA Sports Germany published some more detailed info on the concept. EA Sports Germany has officially confirmed that the user will be able to configure the controls himself. NBA and NHL-series support free configurable hotkeys/control since many years, but it was never realized in FIFA, although lots of fans wished this feature.

After an official poll, EA has noticed that this is an attractive feature and it will be included in FIFA 2002!

I think that are great news for individualistic fifagamers!"

We keep getting more and more news regarding FIFA 2002. We'll keep you posted!

Posted by [Jaw](#)

- Stadium Viewer 2001 Released

FIFAMANIA.IT have done it again! From the guys who have brought you some of the best stadiums and programs for FIFA 2001 comes one of their best utilities yet. Known as Stadium Viewer 2001, this easy to use program allows you to view stadiums as well as change the textures of them and do many other things that will make the life of any stadium editor far easier. Check out the screen shot below:



You can either download Stadium Viewer 2001 from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) or direct from our Downloads Centre by [clicking here](#). Make sure you grab yourself a copy today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- What's Happening In The Downloads Centre?

We have the answer for you. More Downloads! Pay a trip to the [Downloads Centre](#) to grab any of these new files

- An Egyptian ad boards pack
- Nikita Startsev's Valencia Away Kit (see screen shot below)
- A Nike ball
- Racing Club, Bordeaux and 2 Millwall kits
- Fantasy Matthew and Mikecastle United kits
- Scottish and Dutch roster updates

[Click to enlarge.](#)

Head for the [Downloads Centre](#) today! Remember to return tomorrow for more. Cheers to Jakob for all his help in the Downloads Centre recently!

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Coming this weekend - Club Patches

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have recently received a number of club specific patches so they have stored them up so they can release them all to you as a special feature this weekend. Check back later for news on all the following clubs patches.

- Feyenoord of Rotterdam in Holland
- RBC Roosendaal from Holland
- Clube de Regatas Flamengo from Rio de Janeiro Brazil

Check back later at the [MRA site](#) for news of these plus many more new patches for the [Patches Database](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, March 2, 2001

- Ole Ole Ole - Downloads!

Ole! Another day, the bright sun in the sky (Well, in my case it's kind of dark out right now). As we always promise, it's another Downloads Update brought to you kindly by the hard working people over at the [Downloads Centre](#). Today we bring you a variety of downloads.

- Adidas Precision ([screenshot](#)) and Nike Air Zoom ([screenshot](#)) boots
- Ipswich Town ([screenshot](#)), RC Strasbourg, Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) and Tottenham (see screenshot below) Hotspur kits
- Argentinean ([screenshot](#)) and England ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Manchester United goalkeeper kit ([screenshot](#))
- The Riazor stadium of Deportivo (see screenshot below)



Another day has passed, and another downloads update is drawing to a close. Who knows what the weekend holds for Downloads and for the FIFA Community in general?

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Spanish Power Superpatch beta Released

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has news from [Spanish Power](#) of their brand new Super Patch which has been released and includes:

- New improved gameplay with a new aimain file
- All rosters up to date for the Primera división Española
- All home and away kits for the Primera división Española
- Kits for Real Madrid, Deportivo and Barcelona Goalkeepers
- plus more exciting features over at the [MRA site](#)



This sounds like a great new patch especially for fans of the excellent Spanish league. Check out full details in the [Patches Database](#) and then go download your own copy by visiting the [Spanish](#) or [English](#) version of their site.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, March 1, 2001

- The Coolest Update Around!

Okay, I've been told I have to tell you that this might not be the "coolest" update around. But it does give you something to do when you're bored or just want some fresh FIFA gaming news! Of course, it's the traditional Community Update. This week we've got five websites for you.

- [FIFA Nederland](#) - It has to be a great site for in the future!
- [FIFA Planet Network](#) - All for Fifa2001, Brazilian Fifa2001 site, very Brazilian World Files.
- [Football0](#) - Fifa 2001 tournament, links and downloads, and so on.
- [FIFA 2001 - NL](#) - The site has a lot of downloads and daily news updates, so check it out!
- [New FIFA Site](#) - Looking for a name! Go there to help!

Once again we wrap it up. Don't forget to check them out! Of course, to note, if you have a website you want posted in the Community Update, send it to joe@soccergaming.com. The letter should include the URL, the name and a short description. Send them in, and look to see them on this site soon!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- The Daily Downloads Update

As you've come to expect, we've once again updated our [Downloads Centre](#) today. Head on over there and check out the following additions:

- An Iran patch (see screen shot below)
- A David Trezeguet face ([screenshot](#))
- Arsenal (see screen shot below), RSC Anderlecht ([screenshot](#)), Bordeaux ([screenshot](#)), Feyenoord ([screenshot](#)) and West Ham ([screenshot](#)) kits
- English, French and Dutch ([screenshot](#)) national kits



As soon as you wake up tomorrow and log on to the net, head straight back here or directly to our [Downloads Centre](#) for another update.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- [Allsoccers.50megs.com](#) is updated

See Toh is back with 4 great new kits over at [Allsoccers.50megs](#) including:

1. England New kit
2. France
3. Brazil
4. China

Pay See Toh a visit at [Allsoccers.50megs](#) to check out his great kits.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- **Red Devils Mega Patch Review**

Continuing their new series of [Patch Previews](#), over at the [MRA site](#) 18 year old Michael Mari from Kent in the UK brings you his first excellent [Patch Preview](#). It is a beauty, especially for all fans of Manchester United, it is the [Red Devils Mega Patch](#). To check out Mike's review [click here](#)



If you agree or disagree with his observations please post your comments below this article or in the newly formatted [MRA Forum](#). While you are in the [MRA Forum](#) please also leave us a comment on what you feel about its new look.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

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April 2001

Monday, April 30, 2001

Soccered's Australian Patch Release
 We just got this great news from [Robert](#) from [www.soccered.com](#)

Today we released our latest project the 'NSL 2001 Australian Patch' I am very excited about this patch, and can tell you that the patch works in all modes including software, and also comes with a [MRA](#) installer or a normal installer. The user also has a chance to download an Australian Edition of Steve Suttons Sky Sports Beta 6

This patch includes all the 15 teams of the National Soccer League as well as Carlton, which were kicked from the league while the patch was in progress. The league includes 12 teams (those teams not to be relegated next season when the league becomes 12) the 2nd division is 4 teams and will be promoted if you play season mode. You can play with all teams during the cup.

There will be some addons released later, including:

- C7 TV graphics
- Enhanced kits
- Menu Arts (maybe)
- Cyber faces (maybe)
- a Stadium (maybe)

Robert suggests that everyone heads over to [www.soccered.com](#) to download this and to see [Iceboy's](#) latest creations.
 Posted by [Joe](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

FEd2001 V 1.0.12 With Bug Fixes Released
 Joe may not have wanted you to read his downloads update below, but I sure want you to read this :-). The updated version of FEd2001 (the must have FIFA 2001 editor) has just been released. It aims to fix as many of the bugs found in the original version of FEd2001 as possible. The new features of FEd2001 Version 1.0.12 include

- Fixed American version bug
- Fixed Greek version bug
- "Delete League" is now working
- Fixed face importing bug
- Fixed a bug in Transfer which caused the "unknown player" error
- Support team badges in GIF format (with transparency)
- Fixed a bug where FIFA2001 Folder is incorrectly displayed when another database is imported
- Player Attributes are now displayed correctly (1 to 7 only)

Make sure you grab your copy of the upgrade today at the [Official FEd2001 Site](#)
 Posted by [Matt](#)

Don't Read the Downloads Update!
 You know, you should have followed the instructions above. Actually, studies show that if you post something like that people will read it more. So, I've got more people reading this now, haha! Anyways, time to get serious, here's today's beautiful barrage of bare naked downloads straight from the Mecca of FIFA 2001 updates, the [Downloads Centre](#)

- Irish ([screenshot](#)), Manchester United ([screenshot](#)) and Serie A ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- A Brine Air Attack ball ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Air Zoom Italia boots
- A Dennis Bergkamp face
- A Malmö FF kit (see screenshot below)
- A Malaysian kit
- A Pepsi kit ([screenshot](#))
- A TV3 TV logo ([screenshot](#))
- Realistic Movement Patch
- Argentina, Spain and Venezuela 2GK Home & Away Kits
- Goal & Autogol sounds
- 3 Goalie kits
- Seedorf, Zidane, Inzaghi and Rivaldo faces

EA Sports have answered your questions direct from our FIFA 2001 Forum

We hope you update your FIFA game with the above downloads, or the thousands of other files available at the [Downloads Centre](#). Until tomorrow, keep playing and don't get dead!
 Posted by [Joe](#)

Extreme World Roster Update
 Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of a new project the "Extreme World Roster Update v1.0" which will include

- updated rosters for all club teams plus new selections for many international teams (the rosters add even the unknown reserve players e.g. Aston Villa is going to have Jonathan Bowers, Thomas Hitzlsperger, John McGrath, Stephen Cooke and Neil Cutler! Plus more players should be added for every English team!)

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2. Shooting Fix
3. Realistic Nets
4. Champions League
5. Nike Ball Version 2
6. FEd 2001 for Wizard Input
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- updated gameplay patch using the AI Settings from FED2001
- new formations and line-ups for many club and international teams
- renamed leagues eg. England is now FA, Carling Premiership and Italy is now Serie A
- debugged the popular "Rest of World" section and that also includes that rosters and line-ups
- all teams and players will have realistic ratings
- texture big file that will make the jerseys much more realistic (2GK)

This patch should be out by late May if not sooner and sounds excellent. Check out the [MRA site](#) for more details.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, April 29, 2001

• Brand New Patches Database is here for you!

As promised, today we have a life changing event for all fans of Fifa Super Patches and especially the 1,000+ daily visitors to the old MRA site's Patches Database. This has proved a very successful feature and therefore we have worked very hard to try and enhance the value of this.

My thanks go out to Jamie who has worked extremely hard on producing this feature and to all the people who have tested it and provided us excellent feedback.



The new Database will enable you to list and select patches based on any of the following criteria:

- Free text search
- Fifa game
- Country
- Patch developer
- Release status

You will also be able to post your comments and rate the patches. We very much hope this will add value to your enjoyment of Super Patches. Soon they are also hoping to bring an excellent translation service to the database so it will be accessible all around the world.

Also, take a few minutes to meet up with us now in the [MRA Chat Room](#) as we celebrate this new feature and pass on your views to us.

All this leaves me to say is get over to the [MRA site](#) and "Enjoy!"

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Italian Derby Superpatch Released

Leo from [Fifaonline.it](#) has contacted us to inform you all of the release of their Derby Superpatch 1.0 Roma-Lazio version. It contains:

- Olympic Stadium with fan of Roma and Lazio (thanks to Fifamania.it for the structure)
- Roma and Lazio home and away kits
- Updated rosters and flags of the two teams that you have to install with FED 2001



Thanks for that Leo, the patch sounds brilliant and we've already got ours! You can view screenshots of the patch above and you can download it at [Fifaonline.it](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Can't take the Downloads!

Despite some anti-Soccer Gaming propaganda around these parts, the downloads update must go on! Even if you dislike FIFA 2001 Online, I hope you don't forget and still enjoy the little old [Downloads Centre](#) update. If you don't, then I'm out of a job! So, here they are in their delightful delicate display, the downloads:

- Belgian ([screenshot](#)) and Champions League ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- Avi Nimni (see screenshot below) and Tal Banin ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Uhlsport and Reusch gloves ([screenshot](#))
- Bayern Munich (see screenshot below) and FC Fehervar ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A mega roster update
- A Champions League TV logo



A Bayern Munich kit and an Avi Nimni face

Please don't take my downloads away, you don't know dear, how much I love you, so please don't take my downloads away! Anyway, as we must always say, to all the fine folks reading this and visiting the site, "Ado Ado, to you and you and you".

Posted by [Daz](#)

• FED2001 Release Delayed

The release of the new version of FED2001 has been delayed until tomorrow. Sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused

Posted by [Matt](#)

• New features for World Cup 2002 Patch

Mohamed El Tanany has sent the [MRA site](#) news of the latest features of his very popular forthcoming World Cup 2002 Patch. It will include:

- new hi colour kits with team names on the back
- new different colour and styles of jersey numbers
- the FIFA Anthem in the beginning of every match (high quality) as in real matches
- also new music when receiving red and yellow cards and Campione 2000 (Euro 2000 music) played after goals are scored



Check out the excellent new graphics whilst we wait for this patch which is due to be released soon.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

World Patch 2.0 features released

As the excitement mounts over at the [MRA site](#) for the release of the brand new Patches Database, Patch news has been flying in to them. They start today with a new feature list for Sebastian Ner's World Patch 2.0 using FEd2001

Check over at the [MRA site](#) for this full new feature list

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, April 28, 2001

FIFA Nederland Pack is released

[MRA site](#) News Poster [M@rk](#) from the [FIFA Nederland site](#) has today released the FIFA Nederland Pack. It features:

- All Dutch kits (first and second division!)
- All badges
- 5 stadiums:
 - The Philips stadium (PSV)
 - The Kuip (Feyenoord)
 - The Goffert (NEC)
 - The Parkstad stadion (Roda JC)
 - and the Stadium of Willem II
- Dutch boots and gloves
- Dutch national team kits (home and away)
- A great looking Dutch crowd!
- A pack of Dutch adboards
- A special "FIFA Nederland" menu!
- And much more!



The graphics look awesome so come and grab your copy of this great Dutch Patch at the [FIFA Nederland site](#). Extra screen shot available for you at the [MRA site](#)!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Downloads - Better Late than Never

If you [Downloads Centre](#) fanatics haven't noticed yet, the downloads update is a bit late (Please send all complaints to lior@seccergaming.com) I know in the past few hours you have been really down because you thought there would be no downloads update. No worries! It's here, set your eyes on this fruitful feast of fabulous downloads.

- Beckham ([screenshot](#)), Owen ([screenshot](#)) and Roy Keane faces
- Reebok 3XL Supersoft gloves ([screenshot](#))
- Middlesbrough ([screenshot](#)), Roberto Carlos (see screenshot below) and World Cup 2002 menus ([screenshot](#)) + Egyptian badges
- An Indoor patch (see screenshot below)
- A C7 Sports TV logo



An Indoor patch and a Roberto Carlos face

We hope you didn't have a heart-attack waiting for the [Downloads Centre](#) update. Of course, I think we all can put the blame on Lior for his lateness (just kidding Lior)! There will be more in a short few hours so hang tight!

Posted by [Joe](#)

FIFAOne News

[FifaOne](#) have informed me that now everyday they have a downloads update. [Ramon](#) tells me that the site still needs a crew. They are looking for a downloads maker, a new poster and more. Head on over to www.fifa4players.de/nl and look at their new design.

Posted by [Lior](#)

Brand New Patches Database Coming Sunday

That's right folks, the excellent new fully automated Patches Database is coming to you this weekend at the [MRA site](#). Since they introduced the Patches Database it has proved a massive success with over 1,000 visits per day.

What is the Patches Database? Well for those of you who do not know or are new to this site, the Patches Database is a collection of details and download links for all of the major patches being created for FIFA games. It includes release dates, full features and links to where you can download awesome patches that completely change FIFA 2001.

They wanted to improve on this feature for you. So as a result of many hours development the new version will include many new features and enables you to list and select patches based on any of the following criteria

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- Patch developer
- Release status

You will also be able to post your comments and rate the patches. We very much hope this will add value to your enjoyment of Super Patches.

Take a look at the current [Patches Database](#) and make sure you check back on Sunday at [MRA site](#) for the big launch of the new and highly improved version

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Friday, April 27, 2001**

• [FEEd2001 Update](#)

Just a quick note to let you all know that due to the success of the testing of the new version of [FEEd2001](#), it will be released this Sunday the 29th of April. Make sure you drop by and grab your copy.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• [The Joy of Downloads](#)

I am tempted to break out into song into the "Pepsi-Cola" song. To spare you all, I will not sing, yet, I will bring you the finest buffet of downloads, from our one of a kind [Downloads Centre](#). The Joy of downloads, joy of fifa on your screen. Oops, I slipped into it. Anyway, here are today's downloads.

- Champions League ad boards (see screenshot below)
- A Jamaican patch
- Barthez ([screenshot](#)), Saviola (see screenshot below) and a face pack
- Galatasaray nets
- Montpellier ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Song 2 and the Singapore national anthem
- Cobreloa, Colo-Colo de Chile, Universidad de Chile, Universidad Catolica, Deportes Concepción, Real Madrid, Arsenal ([screenshot](#)), FC Barcelona ([screenshot](#)), Bayern Munchen ([screenshot](#)) and Juventus Turin 2GK ([screenshot](#)) kits



Champions League adboards and a Saviola face

As a wise man once said, "Tha Tha Tha That's all Folks!". I'm not sure if he was wise, either way, check in next time for the daily dose of diabolical downloads!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• [E3 - Here I Come](#)

I'll be flying off to E3 this year to cover the expo for [Soccer Gaming](#). We hope to get some exclusive screen shots and behind the scenes looks at FIFA 2002 and other new football games.

Head to [Soccer Gaming](#) for more details.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• [FIFA Max Is Back](#)

Great news Latin American FIFA fans, your favourite FIFA website, [FIFA Max](#), is back and better than ever! After months of uncertainty, we are proud to announce that our official Latin American website has a new webmaster and a bright future. David Guiza, the man behind the popular and awesomely designed, [FIFA Colombia](#), has also moved into the drivers seat of FIFA Max. The site is once again being updated daily with all the FIFA 2001 news from around South America.

David has informed me that he has some huge plans instore for FIFA Max. He also asked me to mention [FIFA Ecuador](#), one of the members of the FIFA Max Network which is yet to receive any proper publicity. Pay it a visit if you're from Ecuador.



Visit FIFA Ecuador

David is also looking for news posters and helpers on FIFA Max. If you're interested, [drop David an email](#)

Pay a trip to [FIFA Max](#) today. You are already able to see David's modern style of designing shining through.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• [FIFA Korea and Soccer Gaming Join Forces](#)

The internet's largest and most popular Korean FIFA website today joined our ever expanding network. [FIFA Korea](#) provides daily FIFA updates in not only Korean, but also English and French. They will now be viewed by a far wider audience through links and promotions on [Soccer Gaming](#).

Koreans are arguably the world's most loyal and committed FIFA fans bringing a whole new audience of football loving viewers to the [Soccer Gaming](#) community.

Make sure you pay [FIFA Korea](#) a visit today and look out for some exciting news from FIFA Korea right here at FIFA 2001 Online

Posted by [Matt](#)

• [Soccer Gaming Road To the World Cup 2002 patch](#)

Joris from [Fifa Benelux](#) and the Soccer Gaming team are very happy to announce one of the biggest patches in history which will be made for FIFA 2001, in co-operation with us, the [Soccer Gaming](#) Road To the World Cup 2002 patch. Finally the game will be improved for every FIFA-fan from the whole world, from Brazil to Angola, from France to Trinidad & Tobago.



The Soccer Gaming RTWC patch is the perfect mix between the still very popular FIFA RTWC 98 game and FIFA 2001. Look at the incredible features of the patch:

- ALL home and away kits for 98 teams
- ALL badges for those 98 teams
- ALL flags
- ALL rosters
- 5 brand new G3 stadiums built from zero including:
 - National Stadium of South Africa
 - National Stadium of Denmark
 - National Stadium of Trinidad & Tobago
 - a stadium of the World Cup 2002
 - and the Columbus Crew stadium
- Brand new popups
- Gameplay improvements
- Adboards from every region
- and all graphical aspects of the game such as a ball etc...

If possible they need somebody who's familiar with the program FitaFX from FitaTology. If you are, please contact Joris by [clicking here](#). Soon the official site will open, hosted at [Fifa Benelux](#).

We are very excited about this great patch, so check back here regularly for updates as it develops.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, April 26, 2001

• FIFA 2001 Workshop Opens

We finally managed to complete the Workshop. As you might know, you can use the Workshop to request files that you aren't able to find in the [Downloads Centre](#). So head over to the [Workshop](#), our team of patchmakers are ready to make patches.



Posted by [Jakub](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Hello Downloads my Dear Friend

If your old enough, that phrase may ring a song into your head. Well, we aren't trying to get that old music into your head! We're trying to get you to download the files that we have for you! Say it with me, "Hello Downloads!" Yes, that's right, downloads are your dear friends. Now that we have that down, let's get right down to the downloads update direct from the greatest place on earth, the [Downloads Centre](#).

- Irish ad boards
- 2 Adidas Terrestar balls ([screenshot 1](#)) ([screenshot 2](#)) and a WWF ball ([screenshot](#))
- Adidas pack 3.7 ([screenshot](#))
- Beckham ([screenshot](#)) and Figo ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Aston Villa (see screenshot below) and Udinese ([screenshot](#)) kits
- An ITV patch (see screenshot below)
- Premier League roster update
- Crowds With Flash, Eminem Version 2 ([screenshot](#)) + Tunisia 2001 ([screenshot](#)) + Shevchenko menus ([screenshot](#))
- Parramatta Power SC team
- Ceske Budejovice ([screenshot](#)), Old Liverpool, FK Drnovice ([screenshot](#)) and Stavo Artikel ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Adidas Predator Precision boots
- Iván Helguera ([screenshot](#)), Roberto Carlos ([screenshot](#)), Claude Makelele ([screenshot](#)) and Manuel Pablo Garcia ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Argentina 2GK, Korea 2GK and England kits
- Shooting & Passing fix



ITV Patch and Aston Villa Home kits

As we always have to do, say goodbye to downloads for today. If today wasn't enough for you, come back tomorrow for more downloads! Indeed, come back tomorrow. Of course, I have been just kidding about all the things mentioned above. Yes, that's right, kidding.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Beta Testers required for older Fita games

As previously reported, the next version of Sweetpatch MRA will make every zip patch file (including kits, balls, stadia, etc...) ever produced for all your Fita games fully MRA Compliant including:

- Fita Road To World Cup 98
- World Cup 98
- Fita 99
- Fita 2000

- Euro 2000
- and Fifa 2001

They are hoping to release this version very soon as it includes integration with excellent utilities such as FEd2001, [FifaMania's](#) Music Manager and the [MRA site's](#) brand new excellent fully automated Patches Database.

In order for this release to be very successful they need people who are interested in giving the time to test zip files for the older versions of the game from Fifa 98 to 2000.

If you can help to make this the ultimate version of Sweetpatch then please contact Dave and they will include you in the list of beta testers. They also have space for any new beta testers so if you would like to become part of the excellent MRA Beta Testing Team, please [send an e-mail](#) and inform them of which games you are able to test.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Bug Fix for Ultimate Roster Patch

Due to issues that have been reported, Edwin Sturuss has made a new version of the very popular Ultimate Roster Patch (URP) over at the [MRA site](#). Version 1.5 has the same roster updates as version 1.0, but it fixes all the bugs that have been reported, except the FEd2001 bug.

Download your copy of this updated patch now from the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Latest Rosters from Treebeard

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have full details of the latest release of Treebeard's Fifa Rosters which Jochen has produced using FEd2001

Grab your copy of Jochen's greatest update from [Treebeard's Fifa Rosters](#) after you have checked the full feature list over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, April 25, 2001

• It's Raining Downloads!

Ouch! Ow! Stop! Oh no, take cover, it's the dreaded downloads downpour! [Lior](#) from the Downloads Centre is dumping us with some [Downloads Centre](#) downloads! There goes Blur's Song 2. Wow, that was close, that Nottingham Forest patch nearly hit me head on! I'll have to take to Lior about this method of giving me downloads. Well, I better get this over with quick, here is today's downloads update:

- Belgian ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- A Nike ball ([screenshot](#))
- Gutierraz ([screenshot](#)), Rivaldo and Xavier faces (see screenshots below)
- A Sideline patch ([screenshot](#))
- Montpellier kits
- Blur's Song 2
- A Premiership update
- A Nottingham Forest patch



Rivaldo and Xavier faces

Okay, this is not funny. Uh oh, I see the Belgian ad boards coming down, better go! I'll be back tomorrow for more downloads!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• FIFA Community - Help Wanted

Here is a quick summary of some websites that are needing some help in the FIFA Gaming Community.

- [FIFAMANIA](#) - The FIFAMANIA.NET is searching a webmaster to work in english, spanish and portuguese (Portugal) sites of the FIFAMANIA's network. FIFAMANIA is needing webmasters of other languages too

Interested? Email: munio@netcabo.pt

- [Fifa 2001-NL](#) - Has got a new host. Fifa Benelux. Now the site is faster and bigger. Now we can place more downloads en we are using NewsPro so we can place your news faster than before! We only searching for downloadmakers.

Interested? Email: fifa_nl@hotmail.com

- [IRANFIFA](#) - This site has started and they need some assistants for soccer News and News Reporters, only English speaking people! At this site they have some Forms, but the forms are not ready!

Interested? Email: Manir2001@yahoo.com

Thanks for everyone submitting their requests to FIFA 2001 Online! Since it has been awhile, if you have a site you would like mentioned in our next community update, send it to joe@soccergaming.com. Make sure it includes the name, URL, and a short description.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Asian Club Championship (Semi Final) Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sam Salek of Iranian Super Patch fame has done it again. This time he has developed the Asian Club Championship (Semi Final) Patch which includes:

- 4 teams
 - Pirouzi (IRN)
 - Jubilo Ivata (JPN)
 - Irish Pavlodar (KZA)
 - and Samsung (KOR)
- with their kits and flags for the Asian Club Championship Semi finals 2001



Check out the screen shots above and you can grab your copy of this patch, plus the [Iranian Super Patch](#) series, at his excellent new site - www.iranpatch.com

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, April 24, 2001

~ Another One Bites the Dust

Another day down, time keeps moving on! As time moves, so do we. Scrambling to get our downloads update from the five star [Downloads Centre](#). So without further ado, here they are, the Grand Ole Downloads:

- An Adidas ball
- An Australian patch ([screenshot](#))
- Desailly, Keane and Lopez ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Euro 2000 indicators
- Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)) and Rome (see screenshot below) kits
- Champions League and ITV TV (see screenshot below) patches
- Ultimate Aimain Update
- FIFA All Star kits ([screenshot](#))
- Ujpest ([screenshot](#)), AC Milan 3rd ([screenshot](#)) + Training + Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) + Centenary ([screenshot](#)) and Ferencvaros ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Ecuador and Peru kits



Roma Kit and Champions League Patch

Now that another downloads update has "Bit the Dust", it's time to say farewell to all you download maniacs as you head off to the Downloads Centre. As always, "Same place, same time -- tomorrow" :-)

Posted by [Joe](#)

~ FEd2001 Update Features

If all goes to plan, we should be able to release the updated version of FEd2001 this weekend. This new version fixes a number of bugs and includes a couple of new features.

Bugs fixed:

- American version database bug
- Greek version database bug
- Face import bug
- Fixed a bug in Transfer which caused the "unknown player" error

Also new in the next version:

- New installer which doesn't need MSI
- Support team badges in GIF format (with transparency)
- "Delete League" is now implemented

Make sure you check back on the weekend to grab your new version of FEd2001. If you still haven't downloaded FEd2001, what are you waiting for? [Download your copy today](#)

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

~ Screenshot for Portuguese Mega Summer Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they previously reported on a fabulous new patch that will be finished in the summer called the "Portuguese Mega Summer Patch" (PMSP). Full feature list can be found over at the [MRA site](#).



They have today received a new screen shot from this patch which you can check out above.

Keep an eye here and over at the [MRA site](#) for further news on this patch as it develops.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

~ Ajax Fifa Files needs you

[Ajax Fifa Files](#) Webmaster, Matthijs Landsmeer, is thinking about creating an English version of his site so many more people can enjoy their great work.

To achieve this he needs a new crew of newsposters, download makers, etc. If you would like to work on this new site then please contact Matthijs by [sending him an e-mail](#).

Check out the site now over at [Ajax Fifa Files](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

~ New Online World Competition

Following the success of his Online Champions League Season 2000-2001, Antwestel has created a new Online World Competition at www.geocities.com/antwestel.

He needs people for this competition so if you enjoy playing Fifa 2001 Online then check out this new [World Competition](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, April 23, 2001

• Fifala Release River Plate 'Monumental G3' Stadium

Good news here as Xavier from Fifala has informed us that they have released an amazing new hexedited stadium. The River Plate "Monumental G3" by Salvador Capiello. This stadium has an amazing similarity to the original stadium. It also has photographic textures and an edited crowd.



You can see a screenshot of the stadium above and visit [Fifala](#) to download this stadium.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Ultimate Roster Patch

Edwin Sturuss has released version 1 of his Ultimate Roster Patch exclusively over at the [MRA site](#). It features a Roster with

- All latest transfers for the whole world
- Updated names for leagues, cups and teams
- Updated player names, numbers, faces, skills, attributes, line-ups (for Germany, Italy, England, Belgium, Scotland, Spain, France, Holland, MLS, Austria, Denmark, Sweden, Norway and some international teams)
- Updated line-ups
- Added lots of teams to the 'Other' league
- Fixes the Dutch kit bug (in matches as Feyenoord-Ajax, both teams wore home kits)
- This has all been changed with FED2001 so you will not lose your commentary

Get your copy of this excellent patch direct from the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

• German Bundesliga Patch 1.1 Released

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of a new German-Bundesliga Patch Version 1.1 has been released. The features of this new patch are:

- All Home and Away Kits from the German League in great quality
- German Adboards
- German Referee Kits
- New Fanflags for every German Team
- New Adidas boots
- A very good roster for all leagues



Check out the the screenshots above and then download this patch by visiting [rain-drop.de](#). Full details soon in the brand new [MRA site's](#) Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Fifa 2001 Wales Patch Update

Wales fans read on because the [Fifa 2001](#) Wales patch and the Fifa Wales site are nearing their release date. The Fifa Wales Patch will include:

- 18 team League of Wales from Indy, full of correct players, positions, etc.
- 6 extra Welsh teams from English Leagues (eg. Cardiff, Wrexham)
- Fantastic Kits, Flags and Badges from Madd Dogg JJ.
- Steve Sullon's BBC Sport Wales TV Graphics
- Superb Stadiums by Dihego at Fifa Millennium including The Millennium Stadium
- Welsh Soundtrack, featuring music from Stereophonics and Manic Street Preachers.
- New Welsh Advertisement boards
- And may be New Menu Screens

This patch looks like its going to be a good addition to the Fifa 2001 patches world - one might say a patch and a half! Full details soon at the [MRA site](#) in the Patches Database.

Their website will be released to coincide with this superb patch ... coming soon!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• The Wide World of Downloads!

This isn't your mothers downloads update! It's the new Downloads update, jam-packed with enough bytes to crush your cranium. We're talking bone jarring, hard hitting, fast action downloads. Crammed into every little morsel of the [Downloads Centre](#) server. Coming at you at 300kph, EA Sports can't make them this good.

- Adidas pack 4.0 ([screenshot](#))
- A Bulgarian patch add-on
- An Alan Shearer menu (see [screenshot](#) below)
- Arsenal ([screenshot](#)), Bayern Munich, Manchester United ([screenshot](#)), Perth Glory, South Melbourne (see [screenshot](#) below) and Sydney Olympic ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Juventus goalkeeper kit
- Ultra Hard Patch v0.1
- Chunnam, Pohang, Busan, Sungham, Wolsan and Suwan home and away kits
- Premier League Transfer & Squad Update
- Roy Keane ([screenshot](#)) and Kily Gonzales ([screenshot](#)) faces



Alan Shearer Menu and South Melbourne Kit

I have been told to inform you under my own free will "gun click" that EA Sports could make better if they wanted. FIFA 2001 Online and their patchmakers cannot and do not make the best high quality patches and games like EA Sports -- Konami does! "gun shot"

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Sunday, April 22, 2001

- Iranian FIFA Cup Site - Help Wanted

Mani Mohseni from [Iranian FIFA 2001 Online](#) has told us that the site [Iranian FIFA Cup](#) needs some webmaster help. It's a site for online leagues in the Iran region. They are specifically looking for Persian and English speaking webmasters. If interested, head over to the [Iranian FIFA Cup](#) website.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- World Cup 2002 Patch in English

Ariel Santarelli from [FIFA Express](#) has informed us that he has just opened a new page (in English) about the World Cup 2002 Patch at www.fifaexpress.fifa.com/CM.

There you can see screenshots of the patch, the stadium and IGGex 3.0



Ariel would also like Fifa fans to decide which will be the 58th National Team of the patch. There is one more place left so get over to [FIFA Express](#) now and cast your vote

Full details of this patch can be found as always in the [MRA site's](#) Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Great new song from Mike Kasal

The [MRA site](#) today proudly present you the latest composure from Mike Kasal titled "Lay it Down". Mike describes 'my motivation was to do something in the style of "Night in the Benz", but better' and it certainly is very good. It has a very catchy chorus to it.

Go grab Mike's latest work from the [MRA site's](#) Music Centre and load it into your Fifa game with the excellent [Fifamania's](#) Music Manager.

More great music coming soon from well known people in the Fifa scene! All guesses below please.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Your Quest is Over with Downloads

Join me on the quest! No, not the quest to travel the world! The quest to update your FIFA 2001 game! Unless, you've been living in a cave for the past week, you know that [FEd2001](#) has been released, and you should be now playing FIFA 2001 nonstop! Further more, it is our duty to continue to update and enhance your FIFA 2001 gaming experience. Without further delay, here are today's [Downloads Centre](#) updates:

- An England 1966 ([screenshot](#)) patch in the FIFA 2001 Country Patches section
- A FIFA 2001 cursor
- Beckham ([screenshot](#)), Morientes ([screenshot](#)) and Shevchenko ([screenshot](#)) faces
- A Palestinian menu
- Barcelona ([screenshot](#)) and Udinese ([screenshot](#)) kits
- BBC and Sky Sports TV (Beta 6) patches (see screenshot below)
- Daejunm, Ahnyang, Buchun, Chunbuk, Real Madrid and Arsenal kits
- Adidas Equipment Fingersave Titanium Gloves 2nd Version
- Fabien Barthez and Dennis Bergkamp faces
- Gameplay Patch v0.2



Do not let your quest be denied! Finish your quest by visiting the [Downloads Centre](#) and getting the latest and best new updates available for your FIFA 2001 Online game! The quest is almost over!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Saturday, April 21, 2001

- Weekend Downloads

We know you love downloads so we've just uploaded a huge amount to the [Downloads Centre](#). Grab some of these today:

- Batistuta, Figo and Paulo Sousa ([screenshot](#)) faces
- A Galatasaray ([screenshot](#)) and Lazio kits
- English ([screenshot](#)) and Swedish ([screenshot](#)) kits
- We Are The Champions music
- FC St Pauli, Hansa Rostock and Arminia Bielefeld stadiums
- A Manchester derby patch for Man Utd Vs Man City
- World Class Patch and DNA's Airmain Fix
- Euro 2000 Textures
- Real Madrid and Jorge Campos goalie kits

- Belgian Fifa Patch 2001 Add-on 1
- Winter net
- Blue & Yellow Adidas Tango ball



Babstuta Face and Manchester Derby kits

Make sure you return tomorrow for more and the big chat session with FE2001 creator, Chau Le.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

- German Bundesliga Fan?

If you are, you will be highly interested in the news Joe has just posted over at [Soccer Gaming](#). EA are developing a new management game based around the Bundesliga which looks very promising. We have screen shots and some extra info on it.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- World Patch 1.5

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sebastian Neri has released version 1.5 of his world famous World Patch series. Features include:

- an update for the Championship of France D1 2000/2001 with
 - latest transfers
 - adds all new players (with right name, surname, position and number jersey for all players)
 - and correct formations for all teams
- an update for national championships
- new badges for Morocco and Portugal national teams + update badges for others national teams
- new home/away Portugal national team's kits
- new home/away Morocco national team's kits
- new flags for Portugal
- new flags for Morocco



Grab this and all versions of Sebastian's World Patch Updates direct from the Patches Database at the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, April 20, 2001

- Fifa Korea Release Menu Screen Patches

Good news for Korean fans as [Fifa Korea](#) have just published the Korean players menu screen patch for Fifa 2001. The menus published are:

- Ko Jong Soo Background Menu
- Hong Myung Bo & Seoul Gi Hyun Background Menu



These menus provide a more clear and cool feeling to the game menus. See the screenshot and visit [Fifa Korea](#) to grab your copies.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Super Colombia 2001 v 2.0

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have some great news from [Fifa Colombia](#). They have started work on their new SUPER COLOMBIA 2001 patch. It will include:

- New menus
- Faces of the Colombian players
- All the Colombian uniforms in New Format 2GK that does not need 3D graphics card
- Referees kits
- New flags
- Possibility of choosing between different TV stations (RCN, Caracol, PSN)
- and more...



If you want more information as this patch develops check out their site over at [Fifa Colombia](#).

Also, check back soon at the [MRA site](#) to see the fantastic features they will be providing in partnership with [Fifa Colombia](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Fifa 2001 Chile Release New Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have good news for Chilean fans as Sergio Poblete of [Fifa 2001 Chile](#) has published a new patch called "Equipos Clasicos Chilenos". This new patch contains:

- The best Chilean equipment of history
- The respective shirts in 2GK and the old form
- Flags
- Shields
- and much more...

For more information and the patch go to [Fifa 2001 Chile](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, April 19, 2001

FIFA One News

R@mon has informed me that his site [Fifa One](#) has opened with a new design. The site is now under the Op F4P network and has more than 150 downloads. He has also informed me that they are searching for staff to work on the site. Click [here](#) to visit [Fifa One](#).

Posted by [Lior](#)

Fußball ist Unser Leben - Downloads

No, you're not at some German site. You are at FIFA 2001 Online, with a new update from the [Downloads Centre](#). I just thought I would say "Congratulations" to the boys from Munich (or who play for Munich). A nice win to finish off Manchester United. Like they say: "Revenge is Sweet". Enough of that, time for the downloads update.

- A Nike soccer ball ([screenshot](#))
- A face package + Palermo ([screenshot](#)) and Savio ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Ajax (see screenshot below), Fiorentina ([screenshot](#)) and Paris St Germain ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Brazilian kit
- A Barcelona GK kit
- 1991 English semi final and EPL roster updates
- Realism Fix and Easy-Shooting Patch 2
- Nike Geo Merlin Ball v3.0
- Esperance de Tunis (see screenshot below), Banik Ostrava ([screenshot](#)), FC Slovan Liberec ([screenshot](#)), FC Synot ([screenshot](#)), CU Bohemians Prague ([screenshot](#)), Manchester United 95 ([screenshot](#)) and Parma ([screenshot](#)) kits



Ajax away kit and Esperance de Tunis kit

That's all folks! As it says above "Football is our love". If you are reading this, it must be one of your loves. Respect the game and FIFA 2001, download from the [Downloads Centre](#) and update it!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Wednesday, April 18, 2001

Another Live Chat with FEd Creator Chau Le - Saturday 10pm

Hey! Great news! After the massive success of the Chau Le live chat last week, FIFA 2001 Online has arranged another chat with the FEd 2001 creator this coming Saturday at 10pm UK time.

Using our new live chat system we can guarantee all users will be able to ask Chau at least 2 questions each. We know Chau's time is important and there's questions we'd all like to ask. So make sure you're there! Remember, 10pm UK time. Saturday! Just click chat!

Posted by [Garry](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

ISS Pro Evolution Website - Webmaster Needed

We here at Soccer Gaming are looking to start up a huge fan site based around the highly popular Playstation series of soccer games known as International Superstar Soccer (ISS). If you want to find out more, pay a trip to [Soccer Gaming](#) for all the details. We're in need of a quality webmaster who is a big fan of ISS. We're also in need of someone to create an attractive design for the site. If you'd like to design our ISS site and gain free publicity for yourself, please send me an [email](#).

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Downloads Centre - Where All The Action Is

Lior and Jakob have done it again. In the past, if 20 new downloads were added to a site, we'd all be surprised, however now days, with Lior and Jakob working together, a daily [Downloads Centre](#) update of 20 new downloads is considered a common event. This is what we have for you today.

- Xtreme Nike, Fantastic and Black balls
- Beckham and Raul ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Nike Talon Curve gloves ([screenshot](#))
- Mamelodi Sundowns, Perth Glory ([screenshot](#)) and River Plate club kits
- Dutch ([screenshot](#)), Mexican ([screenshot](#)) and Romanian ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- Dr Bernitz, Long Distance and Realistic Gameplay patches
- France ([screenshot](#)) and Red & White nets
- Filippo Inzaghi ([screenshot](#)) and Champions League ([screenshot](#)) menus
- EA Stars Kits ([screenshot](#))



Xtreme Nike Ball and River Plate Kit

Sorry, but I'm not as talented as Joe, that's why my post wasn't in the form of a popular song :-). I'll keep trying though while you keep enjoying the [Downloads Centre](#).

Posted by [Matt](#)

New EPL-SPL 2001 patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have details of a new English Premier League (EPL) and Scottish Premier League (SPL) patch for FIFA 2001. It is currently 80% complete and will include:

- All home and away kits for all EPL and SPL teams
- 10 new goalkeeper kits
- 4 EPL referee kits
- Sky Sports Beta 5 by Stephen Sutton
- Realistic Gameplay Patch
- New Net

They will be hosting the patch at the [MRA site](#) so check back soon for its arrival.

Posted by Dave Post Your Comments (0)

- Shoes Superpatch at FifaOnline.it

Leo from [FifaOnline.it](#) has just released the Shoes Superpatch that contains a lot of shoes for the most important sport labels.

Check them out at [FifaOnline.it](#)

Posted by Dave Post Your Comments (0)

- Champions League Season 2000-2001

Over at the [Champions League Season 2000-2001](#) site Jeff Wijs needs three more people so they can start the online league. The following teams need managers now:

- Helsingborg
- Molde
- Panathinaikos

If you are interested please pay them a visit at the official [Champions League Season 2000-2001](#) site.

Posted by Dave Post Your Comments (0)

• Tuesday, April 17, 2001

- What's Hot in the Downloads Centre

Today I'm going to take a look at a few of the "hot" files in our [Downloads Centre](#).

Of course we must start with the number 1, most popular FIFA 2001 download of all-time, the one and only [Sky Sports TV Patch](#). On Sunday, the latest version, beta 5, was released. Already the Sky Sports TV Patch has notched up almost 50,000 downloads. If you're looking for a realistic looking game of FIFA 2001, make sure you grab your copy today too.



Sky Sports TV Patch Beta 5

Nikita Startcev has been a regular contributor to the [Downloads Centre](#) since its beginning. He has just released 4 new versions of his popular kits. Featuring new "Euro 2000 Textures", photorealistic shorts and socks, make sure you grab Nikita's latest kits for [Juventus](#), [Inter](#), [Barcelona](#) and [Milan](#).



New Version Milan and Inter Kits

Lastly, we can't help but go past the brand new FIFA 2001 editor, FEEd2001. Almost 20,000 unique downloads in less than 3 days just can't be ignored. If you haven't downloaded FEEd2001, make sure you [grab your copy](#) today.



Remember, everyday we bring you a new list of download from our [Downloads Centre](#). Make sure you check back daily for all the updates.

Posted by Matt Post Your Comments (0)

- Downloads Update to "Good Riddance"

(To the tune of Green Day's "Good Riddance") Another turning point, a many a download for you to see. Joe grabs you by the hand and tells you where to click. Downloads for many, and FEEd2001 downloaded by all! It's not a virus, but a download received in time (faster if you have a good connection!). If it's something worthwhile downloading, then you should move your mouse, so check the download update now:

- A blue and yellow Nike ball (see screenshot below)
- Adidas Predator and Nike Mercurial boots ([screenshot](#))
- A Christian Vieri face ([screenshot](#))
- Arsenal ([screenshot](#)), Chelsea, Ipswich Town, Leeds ([screenshot](#)), Manchester United, Southampton, Fiorentina, Inter Milan, AC Milan, Juventus and Barcelona
- A Jorge Campos goalkeeper kit
- A Celtic squad update
- Manchester United players menu
- Uhlsport Fantasy Goalkeeper kit
- Belgian Ad Boards Version 2
- Easy Shooting and Sideline Patch Version 1.0
- Rock, Adidas Gamarada Club Pro and Adidas Telstar Take Off ball



CLICK FOR LARGER IMAGE

I have to say, I think that's the most corny downloads update I've done so far! Nonetheless, head on over to the [Downloads Centre](#) to update your game of FIFA 2001!

Posted by Joe

• New Live Chat Launched

Hi! I'm proud to announce that after the overwhelming success of the live chat with FEd 2001 creator, Chau Le, yesterday, [Soccer Gaming](#) has launched it's new real-time, fully interactive Live [Chat](#) service.

The new system is five times faster than the old system, and, for the technically minded amongst you, is IRC based, so you can use programmes such as [mIRC](#) to access it. To join Live [Chat](#) now, click [here](#)

Posted by [Gary](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FIFA Express Argentina - World Cup 2002 FIFA 2001 patch

Ariel Santarelli from [FIFA Express](#) has informed us that he is working on a World Cup 2002 patch in 2GK.

This patch will also incorporate the IGGex 3.0 (In Game Graphic express), check out the screenshots below.



This patch will include:

- 58 National Teams (only the important ones with home and away kits). Check out the quality of the Kits!
- stadium for 2002 World Cup, with new textures and very colourful
- teams like:
 - Nigeria
 - Uruguay
 - Peru
 - Bolivia
 - Bulgaria
 - Ukraine
 - and many others that are absent from FIFA 2001

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have included some more screen shots as the quality of them is fantastic. Check them out as this patch looks like it will be a winner.

The patch will be ready in a couple of weeks so keep checking back here for all the latest news. Full details as always can be found at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Recruitment Opportunities at the MRA site

After the success of the last recruitment campaign over at the [MRA site](#) they are still looking for more staff if you are interested. They would primarily like people to do news posting and patch reviewing

- News posters will be sent some guidelines for posting news, but don't be put off they are simple guidelines
- Patch reviewers will need to do an example piece to help you get the best results on your main pieces

If your interested in a position [e-mail Chris](#) or ICQ him at 61030334

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Updated International Patch

Fuad Tuqan has updated the flags in his popular International Patch using Harry Karayannis' excellent [Badges Tutorial](#) at the [MRA site](#)

You can get this updated patch direct from the [MRA site's](#) Patches Database and don't forget it contains Fuad's excellent Game Play improvements!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Dinamo Kiev Adidas Super Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) Vladimir Streletsky has released his Dinamo Kiev Super Patch for you. It includes:

- Dinamo Kiev New Adidas Kits and 2GK Flags
- New rosters
- Ukrainian National Team
- Dinamo Logo
- Adidas ball and boots

Pop over to the [MRA site](#) where you can download your own copy of this patch direct from the Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

▪ Monday, April 16, 2001

- New FIFA 2001 League

We have been informed of a brand new Fifa 2001 League which is open to anyone and starts soon over at http://www.geocities.com/fletcher_karl

Check it out if you are interested in playing Fifa 2001 online.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Your Daily Serving Of Downloads

Has [FEd2001](#) unleashed a whole new lease of life on your copy of FIFA 2001? Keep your game up to date with today's latest downloads from our highly popular [Downloads Centre](#). We've recently added:

- Adidas Terrestro and Uhlsport balls
- Adidas Predator Precision ([screenshot](#)) and Puma Cellerator Respira boots
- An AC Parma menu ([screenshot](#)) and Belgian flags
- Arsenal ([screenshot](#)) and Atalanta away ([screenshot](#)) club kits
- A German national kit ([screenshot](#))
- A Manchester United goalkeeper kit ([screenshot](#))



If this list doesn't interest you, make sure you still do pay a trip to our [Downloads Centre](#), as there are currently over 3700 downloads for you to choose from. I'm sure you'll be able to find *something* that takes your interest there.

Posted by [Lior](#)

- An Evening With Chau Le

Well, it's over. I really want to thank Chau for taking time to come and talk to us in the chat room and answer questions regarding FEd. I also want to thank all the people who participated in the chat. If you missed the chat and want to read about Chau and Leppy's interesting discussions and how Joey has a graphics card to sell (FEd questions were also asked, don't worry), [click here](#) to read the chat transcript.

Posted by [Lior](#)

• Sunday, April 15, 2001

- Workshop 97% Ready

We're almost ready to re-launch the FIFA 2001 Workshop. We just need to complete a few sections in order to kick off. You can take a look at the site [here](#).

Posted by [Jakob](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Easter Downloads Update

Yes, Happy Easter to all those who celebrate it! With all the FEd2001 news and release, we just about plum forgot about the Downloads Update! Don't despair any longer, because I'm sure you were all saddened at the release of FEd, because you knew we wouldn't have time for the downloads update. Okay, yea right! Anyway, here comes the fries with the big meal, straight from the [Downloads Centre](#).

- Adida Questra, Adidas Tricolore, Boca Juniors and Nike Geo Merlin balls
- A West Ham menu
- Inter Milan and Newcastle United kits
- A Lithuanian kit
- A fantasy stadium
- Beta 5 of the famous Sky Sports TV patch
- FEd2001
- Brazil, Holland and Portugal 2GK home and away kits
- Inter Milan, Valencia and Monaco ([screenshot](#)) 2GK kits
- Premier League and 2GK Nike goalie (see [screenshot](#) below) kits
- TV3 Logo Beta 1 ([screenshot](#))
- Adidas Tango Stadium ball ([screenshot](#))



As always, we must wrap up the downloads update for today. As mentioned, hope you have a good Easter with good fun and fellowship, and remember what it is for. And if you are not celebrating, have a great day and check in next time for the downloads from [Lior](#) and Jakob at the [Downloads Centre](#)!

Posted by [Lior](#)

- The FEd2001 Downloads Rush

It seems as though everyone is rushing to download FEd2001. With over 10,000 unique downloads in less than 24 hours, FEd2001 looks set to be one of the most popular FIFA downloads of all time.

To make downloading this must-have FIFA 2001 utility even easier, we have just added a new Korean and Russian mirror link in the downloads section of the [FEd2001 Official Site](#). On top of this, other FIFA webmasters of non-English speaking websites will be happy to know that we have updated our downloads section with translations for Korean and Greek speaking FIFA fans.

Many people have also complained that they receive an error message when trying to install FEd2001. To fix this problem, you simply have to download the [MSI Installer](#).

What are you waiting for? Grab your copy of FEd2001 today by [clicking here](#). It is only 1.6 mb.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Saturday, April 14, 2001

- FEd2001 Released - Surprise

We've released FEd2001 a whole day early! Head to the [Official FEd2001 Site](#) now and download your copy!

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(16\)](#)

- FEd2001 - Attention Webmasters

If you are a webmaster of a FIFA site and have not received an email from me today, could you please [drop me a line](#) so that I can add your details to the list for important FEd2001 release details.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- FEd2001 Official Site Launches

We're proud to announce that the [FEd2001 Official Site](#) is now live. Make sure you check out the brand new site for all the pre-release FEd2001 info. There is literally only 24 hours left until FEd2001 is released, and to keep you busy, we've release two new screenshots.



For more information on these shots, pay a trip to the new [FEd2001 Official Site](#).

There are many people who worked hard on producing the FEd2001 site. Thanks must go out to Lior and inparticular Ferdi Kegel who designed the magnificent art work and site.

Get ready FIFA fans, as the way we play and enjoy FIFA 2001 is very close to changing forever. Webmasters please keep an eye

out in your mailbox for instructions on how you can link to FED2001 on your site. Thanks to your support, we've been able to translate the FED2001 download page into a number of different languages, meaning FED2001 will be the most popular FIFA editor of all time

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Stay Inside and Download!

Why not just stay inside today and download your favorite FIFA files from the [Downloads Centre](#)? Hey, it beat's being ambushed, interviewed, and getting in the back of the squad car with the police. Then finding out that you really didn't match the description of the suspect (Ask me or Mike Kasal about that one)! Anyway, if you are reading this, you have made the choice to stay inside and check out the newest downloads. We will not make you wait anymore. Here they are:

- Real Madrid Adidas and Nike rainbow ([screenshot](#)) balls
- An Australian patch ([screenshot](#))
- An Eminem menu ([screenshot](#)) and Portuguese badges
- Atalanta (see [screenshot](#) below), Chelsea ([screenshot](#)) and Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) kits
- An Egyptian roster update
- Austria and Hungary home and away kits
- 3 new aimain patches
- Egypt and Easy turfs and a AC Parma menu
- Pompey (Portsmouth) and Portuguese Kits



Well, that certainly beats being ambushed by four police cars, now doesn't it? Couldn't find your download? You can check the library of thousands of FIFA downloads at the [Downloads Centre](#)! And stay tuned, BIG FED2001 news is coming your way!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Friday, April 13, 2001

- Yugoslavian League Patch 2.0

At the [MRA site](#) they have news of the Yugoslavian League Patch 2.0. It will include:

- new adboards
- new accurate jerseys home and away
- and a menu background



[Click for larger image](#)
of new YLP2001
Partizan Belgrade kit

For full details of this patch check the Patches Database over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- More Sweet Music for you today

Over at the [MRA site](#) in the Music Centre they have Mike Kasal's 3rd track entitled "Funkhorn" for you today. In Joe Lemon's words:

"I think it's pretty good actually, reminds me of NBA (basketball) music, but I kind of like the sound"

Go grab your copy of this great song by visiting the new Music Centre over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FifaUK NextGen Stadia

We have received the following excellent news from Tom Heaton over at [FifaUK](#):

They've finally cracked the stadium structure coding !!! This means [FifaUK](#) can now make stadiums from nothing. The first in their collection is a new version of Manchester United's home ground, Old Trafford. Check out the screenshot below



The stadium is NOW AVAILABLE in their Downloads Xchange. They are also going to have a poll to decide the next stadium they'll make, please [e-mail them](#) your suggestions and the poll will appear soon.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- An Evening With Chau Le

To celebrate the release of FED2001 and our new [Chat](#) room, FIFA 2001 Online has managed to arrange a special chat where you can ask Chau Le anything you want regarding FED. If you want to take part in this special occasion, park yourself in the FIFA 2001 Online [Chat](#) room this Sunday April 15th at 22.00 BST and get your questions ready

Posted by [Lor](#)

- Amsterdam Arena G3 at [www.tudu.nl](#)

Ferry has released the first real stadium @ [www.tudu.nl](#) It is the Amsterdam Arena G3, totally built from zero. This is the first one but many more stadiums will come. They are already working on a Gelredome Arnhem and a Nieuw Galgenwaard Utrecht stadiums both G3.



Without FIFAMania (for making the *.rav files editable) and FIFATology (for making convrav) Ferry would have been unable to create this stadium, so he wants to thank them both.

The stadium can be downloaded @ www.tudu.nl

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FEd2001 - Thank You!

I have been overwhelmed with emails from volunteers wanting to help translate the FEd2001 download page into their language. Thanks to everyone who emailed and helped out, we've already successfully met our goal. However, if you feel there is a language with huge FIFA interest we did not mention in the earlier post, please feel free to drop me a line.

Only 2 more sleeps until FEd2001 is released. Be excited!

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- Downloads to Brighten your Day!

Is life bringing you down? Are you ready to throw in the towel? Brighten up your day with a fresh batch of downloads, straight from the World Class [Downloads Centre](#).

- Adidas Tango ([screenshot](#)) and Nike Geo Merlin ([screenshot](#)) balls
- A Francesco Coco face
- Club Brugge, Real Madrid and Tottenham Hotspur ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Czech Republic and Denmark ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Porsche kit ([screenshot](#))
- A WMV Video making tutorial



Now, don't you feel better? So next time your feeling down, cure your depression with a hearty dose of Downloads.

Posted by [Jon](#)

- FEd2001 - Your Help Is Needed

We're currently busy preparing the FEd2001 Official homepage for the big release of FEd2001 on Sunday. To make downloading FEd2001 easy for everyone, we are planning to translate the main FEd2001 download page into a variety of languages. If you can translate around 100 words of English into German, Hebrew, Korean, Dutch, Italian, French or Greek could you please [email me](#) or contact me on ICQ (3501785) immediately. Thank you.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- More Music and Patches for you

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has Mike Kasal's 2nd music track for you and they also have news on a great new patch for Portuguese fans.

The patch is entitled the "Portuguese Mega Summer Patch" (PMSP) and some of it's features include:

- both Portuguese leagues (I Liga and II Liga)
- all Portuguese home and away kits
- Portugal national team with home and away kit
- all Portuguese players and teams updated
- soundtrack by Limp Bizkit, Anouk and Smash Mouth
- Boavista's national stadium (estadio do Bessa)

You can find the full feature list over at the [MRA site](#) where you can also download Mike's latest song "Get my Baby"

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• Thursday, April 12, 2001

- Here We Go Again...

How does another 20 new FIFA 2001 downloads sound? Good I hope. Head for our [Downloads Centre](#) for:

- Fabien "Clown" Barthez ([screenshot](#)), Patrick Kluijver, Edgar Davids ([screenshot](#)) and Veron faces
- A Ronaldo menu
- Aston Villa, Wycombe Wanderers, Esteghlal home & away ([screenshot](#)) and Middlesboro away kits
- A Liverpool GK kit ([screenshot](#))
- Portuguese and Scottish roster updates
- A Hong Kong Cable TV Sport 2 logo ([screenshot](#))
- Cool Boots v0.1
- England National Ad Boards Version 2.0 ([screenshot](#))
- World Cup 98 ([screenshot](#)), Adidas Tricolore ([screenshot](#)) and Nike ball ([screenshot](#))
- A Long Sleeves & Gloves patch ([screenshot](#))
- Convert RAV 0.33 (Stadium Utility)



On a more somber note, as many of you would have heard, there was a terrible tragedy in South Africa recently during an important football match. We'd all like to express our sympathy towards the families and friends of those killed.

Posted by [Matt](#)

Manchester United Mega Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#), Steven Grbavac has released his brand new Manchester United Mega Patch which includes:

- updated rosters for the Red Devils
- very well designed Old Trafford
- current Manchester United adboards
- Man United ball
- correct turfs for Old Trafford
- realistic home and away kits using 2GK

You can download this patch direct from the [MRA site](#). Steven is also working on the Extreme World Update version 2 which we will have news on very soon.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• **Wednesday, April 11, 2001**

Have a Very Happy Un-Birthday!

To you? To you! Of course, most of us will remember the un-birthday from "Alice and Wonderland". It's every 364 days of the year, and of course, you're birthday is the other one day of the year. Anyway, we here at FIFA 2001 Online and the [Downloads Centre](#) thought it would be a good idea to give you your un-birthday present! So, here they are, the newest FIFA 2001 Downloads.

- Anelka ([screenshot](#)) and Henry faces ([screenshot](#))
- Benfica, Boca Juniors, Fenerbahce and River Plate flags plus a Bayern Munich menu
- Argentina (see screenshot below), Spain (see screenshot below) and Ukraine ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Luis Figo face ([screenshot](#))
- Real Mesh nets and Real Mesh nets in assorted colors
- Through Pass fix and Gameplay Patch v0.1
- FK Teplice ([screenshot](#)), Sparta Prague ([screenshot](#)), Sigma Oolomouc ([screenshot](#)) and Marila Pribram ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Super Parche Televisa Version 0.9 ([screenshot](#)) and TF1 Beta 1 TV logos



We hope you enjoy the nice gift and may your FIFA game last longer with many more days to come! (Note: We supply downloads 365 days a year, which means, we'll even have more for your un-birthday and your real birthday!)

Posted by [Joe](#)

The Saint Paul Invasion

Sound the air sirens! Hurry the children under their desks! Cover your heads! Look yonder! No, it's not a nuclear winter, it's the "Saint Paul Invasion". Being from Saint Paul, Minnesota and a member of [Soccer Gaming](#), I'd like to introduce you to one of my best friends from down the street and school Mike Kasal. As Dave mentioned below, Mike is making some music for [MRA](#).

Take it from me, Mike is really musically talented. He owns and plays a piano, bass guitar, guitar, and drums among the bigger things. He has just started up on making music with programs on the computer. Mike is such a friend and good musician that he even let's me borrow his drum set (well because he is busy working on [MRA](#) music).

So listen up football freaks and music punks, check out Mike Kasal's [MRA](#) tunes, including "Night in the Benz", and soon to be released "Get My Baby Instrumental". I usually hear these first, and they are great! If you happen to download his songs (which I hope you do), give him or me feedback by clicking [here](#)!

Posted by [Joe](#)

Sweet Music to your ears

Today sees the start of a brand new feature over at the [MRA site](#) where they are looking to encourage musical artists to present their work to the world.

As part of this opportunity they have also partnered with [Fifamania](#) to provide the excellent Music Manager by Fabio Bresciani to allow you to convert MP3 files into the correct format to be included in your FIFA games. Music Manager also enables you to manage your many music files and to select which ones you would like to include in your game.

To start this new feature they have 2 excellent songs for you:

- Night in the Benz by Mike Kasal
- RedKola's excellent MRA Theme Tune

Grab your copies of these great songs by visiting the [MRA site](#). Many more songs coming soon.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Sweetpatch Brasil is here

This is a great day for all Brazilian fans over at the [MRA site](#). Mario Renato has very kindly designed a new site for all fans of the MRA in Brasil, where he will keep the world updated on all the greatest MRA news.



Check out his new site over at www.fifa-mra.com/brasil where he is also looking for assistance to help make this a very successful site. A big thank you goes out to Mario.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

FIFA Max Needs A New Webmaster

We are in need of a new webmaster over at our Latin American site, [FIFA Max](#). If you have experience in running a website, are interested in FIFA and want to be the new webmaster of FIFA Max please [send me an email](#) with your details.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Tuesday, April 10, 2001**

The Melting Pot of Downloads

Looks like we've got a lot of Downloads from our [Downloads Centre](#) for you today! Well, I said one to many words already -- enough talking let's get straight to it:

- FA Cup ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- A Spanish league menu (see screenshot below)

- K-League ([screenshot](#)), Barcelona ([screenshot](#)), Juventus ([screenshot](#)), Reggina ([screenshot](#)) and SV Salzburg kits
- Danish ([screenshot](#)) and Uruguayan ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A PSV Eindhoven stadium (see [screenshot](#) below)
- FA Cup, Premier League, Arsenal United Champions League, Leeds United Champions League, England National and Champions League ad boards
- Nike Geo Merlin, Nike Orange, Adidas Black, Nike White and Classic balls
- Croatia ([screenshot](#)) and Korea home and away kits
- Westfalenstadion Turfs Patch ([screenshot](#))



Well that's all I've got for you, if that isn't enough already! I'm getting very tired, so I think I'm going to hit the hay. As for you, we put these up here for a purpose! Exercise that clicking finger and download yourself to the FIFA 2001 gaming paradise

Posted by [Joe](#)

- The All New FIFA 2001 Chat Room

Check out our brand new [FIFA 2001 Chat Room](#). From now on we'll be arranging chat sessions so you can all get in live contact with the thousands of FIFA 2001 fans out there. Whether you want to arrange an online game, or just discuss football, the [FIFA 2001 Chat Room](#) is for you.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Final feature list for EWU v2

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have the final feature list for version 2 of the excellent [Extreme World Update](#) patch. A few key features include:

- home and away kits for every International team
- home and away kits for every club team in the game
- current International selections for every team
- a patch so that every club team has thirty players
- a patch so that all players have long sleeves
- stadiums for:
 - Manchester United
 - Roma
 - Real Madrid
 - and Rangers
- a chant patch with various chants for around the world
- a texture big file that improves the design of all the kits in the game (2GK)
- updated rosters for all the club teams
- a very realistic aim and patch that makes you score from outside the box a little more often and improves player's skills
- new songs:
 - Smack my bitch by The Prodigy
 - Setting Sun by The Chemical Brothers
 - Kernkraft 400 by Zombie Nation
 - Sand storm by Da Rude

Over at the [MRA site](#) you will also find details of 2 other patches Steven is also working on:

- Croatian League Patch
- Manchester United Mega Patch

Sounds like Steve is a very busy person. Check back as the fruits of his labour arrive over at the [MRA site](#) in the Patches Greengrocers!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- First Brazilian FIFA 2001 Network

The first Brazilian FIFA 2001 Network, [FIFAMANIA.NET](#), is now open.

FIFAMANIA is a complete Brazilian FIFA 2001 site, and probably one of the largest of Latin America sites. It's updated daily, with many series of news and files, mainly shirts - the website's specialty. Besides also having the biggest file collection in Latin America, it also has the largest and most well-known patches. From BR2001 v1.0, with 61 Brazilian teams + 21 updated national teams, to their brand-new patch that is being created (With more than 130 teams, among them Brazilian, Argentinean, Portuguese, and more than 30 updated national teams.)

In other words, if you want to play at Maracanã, with Flamengo or Vasco da Gama, or even São Caetano, with updated balls and flags, visit [FIFAMANIA.NET](#)!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Your-FIFA Opens!

The guys at [SportPlanet](#) have opened a new FIFA site called [Your-FIFA](#). This site has many new surprises for the avid FIFA gamer.

Their site has a special service called myFifa where users can customise the site to suit them by removing info on games they don't have. They decided what they do want to see and what they don't want to see. Users also get a favourites page for access to pages they visit most and also they get a free yourname@your-fifa.com address.

The latest addition to Your-Fifa is an easy to use team number search, which allows you to find out the jersey, flag and badge number of your favorite soccer team. Your-Fifa will also be the home of the Popup Toolbox, the only FIFA 2001 popup editor out there, which allows you to edit the in-game popups (scoreboard, corner stats etc, etc.). By using the 'Easy Positioning' feature, Popup Editing is no longer a secret, everyone can edit them by using Your-Fifa's Popup Toolbox.

So if that excites you enough, or you're just a curious bugger, like myself, head on over to [Your-FIFA](#).

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Great News from FIFALA

Since Xavier is always so ambitious to get in and tell you what is going on at [FIFALA](#) we'll let him explain what this great news is:

"Fifala.com (for the third consecutive year) has published the biggest add-on ever!! The Spanish commentary is now ready to be downloaded from our server. We have published the Fila 99, Fila 200 and now the Fila 2001 commentary! Over 100 MB of files to enhance your Fila are waiting for you at www.fifala.com. We also have a surprise for the people that start downloading the

Spanish commentary! [FIFALA Mexico](#) has published small WAV files to customize your Spanish commentary! Using the Speech editor 2001 you can insert this Mexican commentary in your Spanish commentary!"

Take it from him folks, if you speak Spanish and are looking for some new commentary, head on over to [FIFALA](#) and their new Mexican mirror site!

Posted by [Jaw](#)

• Monday, April 9, 2001

• Join The FIFA 2001 Forum and Win!

We're pushing for a more active and enjoyable [FIFA 2001 Forum](#). To do so, we need new users and more activity on our boards. Everyone of our registered members, and everyone who registers between now and the end of April and posts a message in our Forums will go into the draw to win an awesome [Microsoft Sidewinder Game Voice](#). This new piece of technology is quickly catching on and is a must have for everyone who plays games online.



Just to clarify, if you're already registered in our Forums, you're automatically in the draw. If you're not registered and want a chance to win, make sure you register today and post a message. Not only will you be in the running, but you'll also have a great time discussing all things related to FIFA and football. Pay a visit to the [FIFA 2001 Forum](#) today.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• GOOOOOOAAAALLLLLL!!!

We hope you score more of them with these new FIFA 2001 patches and upgrades direct from our [Downloads Centre](#).

- Nike ([screenshot](#)), Benfica, Adidas Tango Kick and 3 Brands balls
- Bulgarian and English patches ([screenshot](#))
- An Alan Shearer face ([screenshot](#))
- Everton and Reggina ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Panama home and away (see screenshot below) and Germany '98 national kits
- A Matthew United home kit ([screenshot](#))
- Dario G, Goal and Boca Juniors music
- A Cable TV Sport 2 Logo ([screenshot](#)) and Tunisian TV Logo Beta II ([screenshot](#))
- Bayern vs Man Utd (see screenshot below) and David Beckham ([screenshot](#)) menus
- Champions League wallpaper ([screenshot](#))
- Equipment Fingersave Titanium gloves



We're also starting the FEEd2001 count down today. There are officially only 6 more sleeps until FEEd2001 is released. The download will be small (approximately 1.5 mb) and best of all, completely free. Be excited!

Posted by [Matt](#)

• World Cup 2002 Patch Team List

Following our recent news of the development of the [World Cup 2002 Patch](#), I was asked many times which teams were being included.



I asked Mohamed El Tanany and he has provided the definitive list for you.

- Europe
 - France, Portugal, Netherlands, Russia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Turkey, Sweden, Belgium, Scotland, Poland, Spain, Italy, Germany, England
- Asia
 - Saudi Arabia, Korea, Japan, Iran
- South America
 - Argentina, Paraguay, Brazil, Ecuador, Colombia
- Africa
 - Cameroon, Egypt, Nigeria, Tunisia, South Africa
- Concacaf
 - USA, Mexico, Costa Rica

Check out the screen shots of the menus from the patch and you can find the full feature list over at the [MRA](#) site.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• Bosnian Super Patch 2001 is here

As promised, after 5 months in development, today over at the [MRA](#) site they have the Bosnian Super Patch for you to download. The patch includes:

- 16 teams
- badges
- flags
- kits
- TV logo



- ad boards
- menu

Check out the full extensive feature list in the Patches Database at the [MRA site](#) and also download your copy of the patch whilst you are there

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, April 8, 2001

- FIFA.gr is back and ready for action

After the technical difficulties that followed the success of the [GSP 2001](#) the lads are back and ready for action at [FIFA.gr](#)



They have a collection of jerseys that are very unique and cannot be found frequently. So they decided to please the fans of those teams and went ahead and made some for them. In their EU Kits section you can find the uniforms of:

- Haka Valkeakoski
- HJK Finland
- Levadia Maardu
- Linfield FC
- Lokomotiv Moscow
- Red Star Belgrade
- Servette
- Shakhtar Donetsk
- Slavia Prague
- Sporting Lisbon

If your favorite team is not there place an order to their Rest Of Europe specialist and they will get working on it. Check out the return of [FIFA.gr](#) now by [clicking here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads part of a Complete Diet

To get the full complete nutritious benefits, you must have 3 core meals. Start the day off right with the FIFA 2001 Downloads from the [Downloads Centre](#). We here at FIFA 2001 Online give you the opportunity to get these gaming nutrients by showing you the complete list of new downloads:

- An Adidas ball
- Nike Air Zoom Internacional boots, and 2 other Nike Air Zoom boots
- Club Brugge, Juventus and Manchester United kits
- A Barcelona goalkeeper kit and the second version of the Nike kit
- The FIFANet global roster update
- Through Pass Fix v1.1
- Real Mesh and Multicolored Real Mesh nets, Blue and Colored Serie A menus and a Champions League menu
- Nike Match Mercurial R9 Copper, Red Nike Match Mercurial and Black & Silver Adidas boots
- Nike Silver ball
- Newcastle United home kit

It is said that you will find many gaming vitamins that will make you play better, help you stay on top of your game and increase your interest in playing FIFA 2001, just by downloading those files! That's it for today, don't forget to take your vitamins.

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Saturday, April 7, 2001

- Sweet Patch Updates

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of 3 great patches:

- Azerbaijan National Team Patch
- Bosnian Super Patch
- Yugoslavian League Patch (kit-add on)



Check out the screen shots and then get over to the [MRA site](#) for the full details and to grab your updated Yugoslavian League kits.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- A Big Weekend Of Downloads

Lets kick off the weekend in style with 20 new downloads from the [Downloads Centre](#). Take a trip over there today for:

- Danish, Nike, Adidas ([screenshot](#)) and Diadora balls
- Nike Air Zoom boots
- Boca Juniors 00/01, Napoli, Chelsea and a Manchester City away ([screenshot](#)) club kit
- Dutch ([screenshot](#)), Germany 2CK, Chile and Norwegian ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- Two new AIMain patches
- A Canale 5 TV logo ([screenshot](#))
- Uhlsport Excel Granulat gloves



That's all for today but as always we'll have more [Downloads Centre](#) updates for you by tomorrow.

Posted by [Matt](#)

World Cup 2002 Patch on the horizon

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news from Mohamed El Tanany that within 2 weeks you will be able to play in the World Cup 2002, a whole year before the real life tournament kicks off!



The patch will include (full list over at the [MRA site](#)):

- The most expected 32 countries to reach the World Cup finals
- New Team kits with World Cup logo
- New Official World Cup adboards
- New Menus
- New World Cup Stadium
- New Adidas World Cup ball
- New jersey numbers
- New TV logo
- World Cup logos & more...

Check out the excellent screen shots above, visit the [MRA site](#) for full details and then wait patiently for the release of this excellent patch

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

Patchmakers Needed

As we're trying to get the FIFA 2001 Workshop up and running, we are going to need some more patchmakers, because a lot of the "old ones" have resigned. So if you have some good skills in making kits or other patches, and want to help other people, then please [contact me](#), and tell me what you're good at making, for example: kits, stadiums etc.

Posted by [Jacob](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Friday, April 6, 2001

Downloads Update

Here is what we have for you today in the [Downloads Centre](#)

- A new boots and gloves pack
- The second version of the Champions League team icons
- Italy home (see screenshot below) and away kits
- 3 Lions music
- Two new roster updates
- The Nou Camp (see screenshot below) and Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)) stadiums
- The new FIFAMania Installer (see earlier post by Dave)



Enjoy the downloads guys and don't forget to scroll down for the new FED2001 screenshots.

Posted by [Matt](#)

More FED2001 Screenshots

I know nothing can be better than actually having FED2001 but today I have some new screenshots showing you some of the new features FED2001 has. One of them as you can see involves the [Downloads Centre](#). Being the nice guy that I am, I'm not going to tell you more but let you think about how the [Downloads Centre](#) could be involved with FED :)



Well incase you didn't get it, FED2001 now allows you to search for downloads using the Downloads Centre system. If you still don't get it, picture this, you're looking at the EA Sports version of the England kit and say "eerieugh", you click on the Downloads Centre button and in front of you pops up a window with all the new England kits in the Soccer Gaming Downloads Centre. There is only one thing to say about this new feature Fabulous!

Posted by [Lior](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

FifaMania Installer 2001

The [FifaMania](#) team present their brand new professional installer.



Here's every detailed feature of the program.

- it recognises the folder Fifa 2001 is installed in automatically
- it recognises the correct folder for all FIFA 2001 files!
- it install correctly jerseys (it also includes Fabio Negroni's Kit Wizard Import), players faces and flags, importing .fsh files in big
- it can keep a backup copy of every file modified when installing an update
- it can uninstall an update (if you chose to keep backup copies)
- it can show a readme file and a preview screenshots of the update
- it installs from the Fifa 2001's CD every missing file needed for the correct installation of the updates (for example kits big of face big if Installer doesn't find them)
- you can install an update simply by dragging its zip file on the program's icon
- you can install an update simply by clicking with the right button of the mouse on the Zip file and choose "Install with Fifamania Installer" command
- it installs Rosters Updates (FIFA01 file) without loosing saved games
- it recognises FED2001 exported files

Get on over to [FifaMania](#) or to their [English site](#) and grab your copy of this great new utility. I beta tested it and I can tell you it is very good.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, April 5, 2001

• FED2001 - Released April 15th 2001

Finally we have a date. The day the way we play and enjoy FIFA 2001 will forever change is now officially, April 15. The most complete FIFA editor of all time is set to be released. Spread the word and stay tuned to this site for all the latest FED2001 details.

As I mentioned yesterday, we're also giving away prizes to celebrate the release. The prize list has already expanded with more goodies being added daily. Everyone who downloads FED2001 will automatically go into the draw to win awesome games and games accessories thanks to Microsoft. Stay tuned for more details.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• These are the Champions - Downloads!

The Champions, the champions! As you can plainly see I am very excited over the Bayern Munich win on Tuesday night. I do feel sorry for the Manchester United fans, as I know how hard it is to lose it in the last minutes (as all Bayern fans should!). Besides that, it's time to get down to business, that's right, the downloads! Straight from the world class [Downloads Centre](#), run by [Lior](#) and Jakob:

- Spanish ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- A Josep Guardiola face ([screenshot](#))
- New Turfs, an English menu ([screenshot](#)) and Egyptian flags
- Shimizu S-Pulse (see screenshot below) and Newcastle United kits
- Czech Republic ([screenshot](#)) and German kits (see screenshot below)
- New goal scoring music



And that's it for today! As they said in the Atlanta games "Ya'll come back now, ya hear" (Translation: Come back, there will be more!)

Posted by [Jim](#)

• Presenting TUDU 2001 Online v1.2

The TUDU-team is proud to present you the latest version of The Ultimate Dutch Upgrade. The Team has been working very hard to get all the latest stuff done. TUDU will feature 100 high quality kits, for both Dutch and International leagues, all done by their own Kits-developers, who made kit creation an art. TUDU 2001 Online V1.2 can be downloaded from their website [www.tudu.nl](#), which is available in three languages: Dutch, English and German.

TUDU 2001 Online V1.2 Features

- Rosters for KPN-Eredivisie, TOTO-Divisie and 10 Intersport Competitie teams
- Kits for all 3 leagues mentioned above
- Some foreign kits: Man Utd, Real Madrid, Barcelona, Valencia, AC Milan, Inter Milan, Juventus, Arsenal and more
- About 100 kits
- Some G2 Menus
- New 32 Bits Adboards
- Channel Chooser for all the Popups
- NOS popups (optimised for 1024x768)
- Canal+ Popups
- SBS6 Popups
- And More



TUDU 2001 Online Future

Ferry is doing another amazing job at the moment, he brings us the first screenshot of the G3 Amsterdam ArenA. The Amsterdam ArenA has been built from zero. Which means Ferry has built every detail, every pillar, every stand. Although not completely finished yet, the screenshot gives you a great view of what's in store for the upcoming TUDU G3 stadiums. Next up in line after the completion of the Amsterdam Arena, will be the Gelredome.



Get over to [www.tudu.nl](#) to download your copy of TUDU 2001 v1.2 now and the [Patches Database](#) will be updated very soon.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Extreme World Update is here

That's correct folks, over at the [MRA site](#) they have an early version of the Extreme World Update patch by Steven Grbavac. Features include:

- updated rosters for every league
- very realistic crowd
- a really nice blue Adidas ball (similar to World Cup 98 for Nintendo 64)
- new realistic turfs

- Hadjuk Split stadium
- corrected badges for all the teams who were missing it
- a patch that will correct all the cameras and will give them a higher view point
- a Manchester United menu
- full MRA Compliance

Go grab your copy of this patch direct from the [MRA site](#) by [clicking here](#). While you are there check out the full feature list of the forthcoming version 2 - it is awesome!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Belgian Fifa Patch is released

Over at [BFP](#) they have released the much awaited Belgian Fifa Patch. The patch includes:

- Home & away kits for the first division
- Flags
- 5 new stadiums
- A new ball with a special BFP design
- New boots
- New music in the game
- Adboards
- And a lot of more....



Check it out for all the latest news on this exciting patch development after looking at the screenshots and visiting the [Patches Database](#) for the full exciting feature list for this patch. Download this great patch at the [BFP site](#)!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, April 4, 2001

- FEd2001 Update - Win Prizes Too

Just a quick note to everyone who is anxiously awaiting the release of the ultimate FIFA 2001 editor, FEd2001. The great news is that the official release date will be announced here first thing tomorrow.

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered their server for mirroring FEd2001. To make downloading this must-have utility a breathe, we need as many mirror sites as possible, so please [email me](#) if you are able to donate space on your server.

As an extra added bonus, everyone who downloads FEd2001 will automatically go into the draw to win one of 20 copies of Microsoft's Soccer 2000 and Links 2001 Golf games. We'll have more details on the prize draw when we announce the release date tomorrow.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Munchen Olympic Stadium G3

Rimo from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) wants to inform you all that they have a new stadium to download over their site. Giorgio Lunardon's latest creation - Munchen Olympic Stadium G3. This stadium was converted from EURO 2000. Here you can see a screenshot



This one and many other great stadiums you can find over the [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) site.

Posted by [Nikla](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FEd2001 Release Date - Your Help Needed

The FEd2001 Release Date will be announced very soon. Stay tuned.

Due to the huge popularity of FEd2001, as always we ask for volunteers to come forward who have server space to mirror the FEd2001 download. Could anyone who has access to a server and would be happy to host the FEd2001 program on their server please [send me an email](#). All volunteers will receive a link in the "Thank You" area of the Official FEd2001 site.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Bye Bye Beckham?

Is this the end of David Beckham appearing in FIFA football games? Find out why at [Soccer Gaming](#)

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The "D" Word

Downloads! That's the word we all love to hear (or read in this case). The best download of all: the FEd2001 FIFA 2001 editor, will be released very shortly. We'll have a release date for you soon. We're not deliberately teasing you, we simply want to make sure we can make our deadline as the last thing we'd ever want to do is let you down. Take a look at today's earlier news for more details. Now back to today's [Downloads Centre](#) additions. They are:

- Champions league cursors and icons
- A Guardiola menu (see screenshot below)
- Derby County ([screenshot](#)), Grasshopper, West Ham ([screenshot](#)), Benfica, Boavista, Braga, Farense, Vitória, Leiria, Maritimo, Porto and Sporting Lisbon club kits
- English ([screenshot](#)) and Yugoslavian national kits
- The San Siro stadium
- The software mode version of the Sky Sports TV Patch



What's that I hear you say? You want to download these files? Well I'm not stopping you... head for the [Downloads Centre](#) now and update your copy of FIFA 2001.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Massive announcement over at the MRA site

As we reported recently, the next version of the MRA will make every patch in the world ever developed for your Fifa games MRA Compliant! You will even be able to patch files straight into your Fifa game if that is your required option.

They have been testing this new feature tonight and are very excited about it. Check out some of their fantastic findings for both users and patch developers over at the [MRA site](#).

This is a massive break through for the Sweetpatch MRA utility and will now ensure that any patch or file can be installed where you like. Keep an eye on the [MRA site](#) for all the latest news regarding this new release which should be available within the next couple of weeks.

Please post your views on this new feature below this article.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Sweetpatch MRA Announce New Feature - Tournaments!

Yes - it is true. The [MRA site](#) is expanding into the field of tournaments. They are going to be running soon:

- Fifa 99 (UK only)
 - League
 - Cup
- Fifa 2000 (UK only)
 - League
 - Cup
- Fifa 2001 (the World!)
 - League
 - Cup

These tournaments will be run by Simon and the leagues will have 20 people in each and the cups will be an unlimited amount of players.

This is an exciting development over at the Sweetpatch [MRA site](#) and the team is buzzing with excitement. More details will follow in the near future...

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, April 3, 2001

- Ecuadorian League Patch Over at FIFA Millennium

We just got some news from [FIFA Millennium](#). They have just published a patch for the Ecuadorian League. Here is what the patch includes:

- 12 2GK kits
- 10 teams div A and 2 teams div B
- New popups
- 4 new stadiums
- New songs including most famous Ecuadorian soccer song and themes from Nike, Coca Cola and ESPN
- New flags
- New adboards
- Updated rosters for the world best leagues

Here you can see 2 screenshots from the patch.



Visit [FIFA Millennium](#) to download.

Posted by [Jdubz](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• 23 New Downloads

Aren't we just the site that keeps on giving? 23 new downloads await you today in our [Downloads Centre](#). One of them is the latest creation from the Soccer Gaming Award nominated, Nikita Startcev. Take it from me, they're a great collection. We have:

- 20 English Premier League ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- The Adidas boots pack 3.6 ([screenshot](#))
- Paolo Maldini ([screenshot](#)) and Steve McManaman ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Premier League, Newcastle United ([screenshot](#)) and Real Madrid (see screenshot below) club kits
- Argentinean ([screenshot](#)), Finnish ([screenshot](#)), Mexican (see screenshot below) and 2 Romanian ([screenshot](#)) national kits
- The new Allstars and MLS 2001 v1.0 roster updates



- UEFA Champions League menu ([screenshot](#))
- Gabor Kiraly ([screenshot](#)), Nike ([screenshot](#)), Reebok ([screenshot](#)), Yellow ([screenshot](#)) goalkeeper kits
- A Corbe Mullen United FC fantasy kit
- Aimain Patch
- Yellow & Blue Nike ball ([screenshot](#)) We've also launched a new feature in the [Downloads Centre](#) today. Keep an eye out for this  icon. It is available on all of the downloads now and allows you to recommend the download to your friend(s).

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Xavier's News

Once again, this bit from Xavier Baez, the master and manager of many sites including [FIFALA](#).

Fifala is launching more and more sections based on the results of its voting poll. People wanted downloads and more downloads. Based on their request I've built the "Fifala Download Zone 3!"

The third version of the very popular Download Zone looks like your #1 stop for all your latin american downloads. We have uploaded a total of 35 MB of files to enhance your Fifa 99, Fifa 2000 and Fifa2001 games. Our download zone is fully automatic and it uses php3 language. Therefore all the pages are built using the download template so we'll soon include more features in the page (like the search and rank-it feature).

Currently we have 14 files (over 4 000 downloads already) and we invite you to take a look at our Download Zone 3 at www.fifa2001.com/descargas

Well, I'm speechless, he took the words right out of my mouth, or I took the words out of his. ...Either way, get on over to www.fifa2001.com/descargas

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Brand New Fifanet.com

That's right folks, Jordan and his fantastic team have totally redesigned Fifanet.com. Together with their new design and the many new files, very soon they will also be bringing you Fifanet's New Super Patch.

They are proud for being one of the only sites, which from the first day the game is released, they provide you every day with new files. And that makes them the No. 1 site in Greece and stand among the 3 best sites of the world. For this reason only they go on giving you everything FREE, since 1998.

Pay the lads a visit at Fifanet.com and enjoy their great new site, especially their new Forums which they are very proud of - well done the Fifanet.com team.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Monday, April 2, 2001

- Spreek je Nederlands?

[Mark](#) from [EIFA Nederland](#) has informed me that he is looking for Dutch speaking news posters to work at his site. So if you are willing to do this, contact him by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Lior](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The April Fools Gag

For those of you who didn't read the non-existent Press Release, the news we broke yesterday about EA Sports and Sports Interactive merging was simply an April Fools joke. My apologies to those who I tricked, but the truth is there will be no merger and two separate games will continue to be made for a long time to come, more likely forever.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Ob La Di Ob La Da

Tuck the children into bed, shut off the TV, make some popcorn, and fire up the fireplace, it's FIFA 2001 downloading time. Much better than a movie, and even more relaxing than reading a book. The perfect way to settle down for the night is to check out and download the latest files from the [Downloads Centre](#):

- Manchester United Premiership and Champions League ad boards
- Rivaldo ([screenshot](#)) and Van Nistelrooy (see [screenshot](#) below) faces
- Ceske Budejovice ([screenshot](#)) and Sigma Olomouc ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Brazilian ([screenshot](#)), Czech ([screenshot](#)) and English kits (see [screenshot](#) below)
- A Fox Sports TV logo



A nice selection added by [Lior](#) today. And it should be noted, if you're a FIFA 99 fan, Nick has just added 8 FIFA 99 files to the [Downloads Centre](#). You should check those out as well as all the other FIFA and CM gaming files available at the biggest soccer related downloads site, the Soccer Gaming Downloads Centre.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- More Nominees Named

I've just finished updating the [Soccer Gaming Awards 2001 Nominees](#) page with some of the final nominees. We're still accepting nominations however the doors will soon be closing. Stay tuned for further info.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Slovenian Mega Patch released

We have just received news from Niko Starman regarding the release of the Slovenian Mega Patch (SMP). For the Slovenian fans this is the one and only update!

It includes:

- all 12 teams of the Slovenian league + updated Slovenian national team and latest transfers
- realistic 3rd generation adboards
- all badges and ingame flags
- 24 kits (all 32bit)
- new shooting fix
- new camera angle patch
- and a special, Fifamania Channel 4 01 by Maurizio Romero !!!

On this site will also be updates for this patch. So, go to www.sloveniansoccer.com (site in Slovenian language) to download this great patch! You can also download it by clicking [here](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, April 1, 2001

- Delayed but here - DC Update

As Matt touched on slightly before, the [Downloads Centre](#) has been updated and is ready for your files. Before we list off what is new today, we'd like to tell you that the Downloads Centre has a brand new number one downloads patch. This patch just had an update released a few days ago, and if you had seen that, you know it is the "Sky Sports Beta Patch". The patch took over the Shooting Fix (which was first for one month). Good job to the makers of the patch, surely it is something that everyone wanted and looked forward to downloading.

With that said, we bring you to today's [Downloads Centre](#) update, [Lior](#) and [Jakob](#) have been busy packing the DC with more files. Here's today's current roster:

- Manchester United 2GK ([screenshot](#)), Real Madrid, Celtic 2GK (see screenshot below), Rangers 2GK ([screenshot](#)) and Viktoria Zizkov home & away ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Realistic Gameplay Patch
- New Numbers Patch
- Lotto Stadio 3d ([screenshot](#)) and Nike Match Mercurial 3d boots ([screenshot](#))
- F16 White ball (see screenshot below)



And that's a wrap folks! Stay tuned and keep looking, as it is almost a certainty there will be another update in just a few hours. And while you're at the [Downloads Centre](#) looking at the downloads above, check out the Sky Sports Beta Patch to see why everyone is downloading it!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Latest news from Fifala

We have received the following news from Xavier:

"After a very long process [Fifala](#) has now moved to its new server. Now you can visit any of our three pages Fifala 99, 2000 or 2001 at our usual URL: www.fifala.com. We have excellent news for all the fanatics and over 25,000 thousand people who downloaded the famous "Fifa Latinamerica 2000" patch. We have opened our official page of the Fifala patch (now called "Copa Libertadores 2001"). This year the patch will be made by Ariel Santarelli, Francisco Rojas and Xavier Báez. Francisco is a very skilled webmaster and he has re-joined Fifala not as a webmaster, but mainly as a patch developer!

Feel free to take a look at our patch official site: <http://www.fifala.com/libertadores>

Plus we have also made a partnership with the official page of the Copa Libertadores: www.conmebol.com so you can expect all the official logos and graphics in the "Copa Libertadores 2001".

Sounds like great news so check out all the latest goings on over at [Fifala](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Massive news update over at the MRA site

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sweetpatch has a big news update for you today. Over there you will find news on all the following:

- 5th MRA Mega Sweetpatch Background
- Latest news from [FIFA 99](#)
- GSP 2001
- World Patch 1.5 update from Sebastian Neri



Also, don't forget that today is your last opportunity to sign up to test out the brand new fantastic Patches Database. Get yourself over to the [MRA site](#) and check out all this great news and much much more.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FIFAMANIA.IT News

Rimo from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#) have some news for you. He called this "NEW ERA FOR STADIUMS". Here you can read what exactly he meant:

"After G2 and G3 here now G3 plus with flags position edited!!! No more flags in every part and mixed between home and away, with our "Napoli G3 plus" stadium you will see for the first time in the web Flags moved from original position."

Here you can have a look at their new Napoli stadium:



That's not all news for today from [FIFAMANIA.IT](#). For every stadium creator they made a new utility called "FLAG POSITION EDITOR". It allows you to edit position of cameramens, photographs, benches etc. Here is a screenshot:



Interested? So why you still read this? Press [here](#).

Posted by [Nikola](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads Centre Update

Incase you haven't noticed, our [Downloads Centre](#) has been updated with plenty of new files for you. Joe will have full details for you shortly. We have also seen the first change in the top spot of the Top 10 Downloads. The [Sky Sports Beta 4 TV Patch](#) is our new number one download, having dethroned the [Shooting Fix](#) for the first time.

Posted by [Man](#)

- FEd2001

Expect some exciting FEd2001 news this week, including new screenshots and details for you.

Posted by [Man](#) [Post Your Comments \(7\)](#)

- EA Sports and Sports Interactive Merge

Unbelievable news that is set to change the football games industry forever has just been released. EA Sports, creators of the popular FIFA series of action computer games, and Sports Interactive, the company behind the famous Championship Manager series, have officially merged. In a press release announced today, both companies expressed their delight and excitement over the new found partnership. Details of their first release were also announced. To be known as "FIFA Champions 2001/2002", the new game will feature the well known action features of FIFA games, plus the total management aspects people have come to love in CM games. The release of FIFA Champions 2001/2002 is scheduled for as early as May 31. For screen shots, further information on this unbelievable news and the full press release [click here](#). Everyone is recommended to read the [Press Release](#) as it includes some very important information.

Posted by [Man](#) [Post Your Comments \(17\)](#)

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May 2001

Thursday, May 31, 2001

Hot and steamy, just like right out of the oven???

For those of you who like things hot and steamy, like if they came right out of the oven, [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) has just published the **New Colombian National Team kits** that have not even been used yet by the national team!!

Thats right, the new kits were presented on a wednesday gala but are scheduled to be used for the first time on sunday in the World Cup qualifier against Argentina, but still these guys managed to get it already!

You can go and make the download over at [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) right away.

And on the other side, we have received news that FIFALA has just joined with some of the most important latinamerican sites in a great project for all of you latinamerican fifa-natics out there, the first **Completely Latin MultiPLAYER database!!**

This great new project is brought in conjunction with many of the most important latinamerican sites such as [Fifa Millennium](#), [Chile MAX](#) and [Fifa COLOMBIA](#) forming a great multiplayer network wich already counts with over 1000 players!!!

If you are from anywhere in Latinamerica, this is definitely your place to be, so click on the logo above and get there ASAP

Posted by [David Guiza](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

8 More Downloads

We have another 8 new patches and upgrades available for you to download from our [Downloads Centre](#) today. They are

- Vicenza 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)), FCE Arlac (see screenshot below) & Chelsea 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) kits
- Men's Air Zoom Total 90 Nike ([screenshot](#)) & Reebok Prestige boots
- Jan Koller face
- Nike numbers
- Romanian League Super Patch

Visit the ever-growing Patches Database for Super Patches from every corner of the globe.

We want to keep you happy and make your FIFA 2001 gaming experience even more enjoyable. Submit your request for to our team of patch makers today!

These new additions bring our overall total of downloadable files to a whopping 4341 with more being added every day. So make sure you stop by the [Downloads Centre](#) and update your copy of FIFA 2001.

Posted by [Jah](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Wednesday, May 30, 2001

The Running of the Downloads

That's right! It's that time of the year. It's the time for the running of the downloads. Ladies and Gentlemen, let's get our running shoes on as Jakob is about to unleash the downloads from the [Downloads Centre](#). Ready. Set. Go!

- Romanian Kits Pack and Tottenham Hotspur London 2002-2003 home kit ([screenshot](#))
- Bart Simpson Ajax, Ferrari F1 Kit v1.0 (see screenshot below), Real Madrid Goalkeeper Kit, Jordan F1 Kit v1.0, McLaren Mercedes F1 and Save Chip kits ([screenshot](#))

Heads up everyone! Keep looking forward, don't look back. Oh no, here comes the Ferrari Kit. Oh, Matt has tripped over his feet. Get up, get up! No, Matt!

Posted by [Jah](#)

Tuesday, May 29, 2001

Too Much FIFA? Never!

While we wait for further FIFA 2002 news, there is a number of FIFA related activities you can do.

Why not check out the latest additions to the popular, [Fifa 2002 Wishlist](#)? Or register for some multiplayer action with nearly 4000 other FIFA players at our [Multiplayer Database](#). Our [Forums](#) are constantly active, so why not talk the talk with some of the

top 10 downloads

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Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

Monday, May 28, 2001

- News Galore At Soccer Gaming

It is a rare day when [Soccer Gaming](#) has more news than this site, however today they certainly do. There is new details on FIFA 2002 and CM 01/02 as well as some hot gossip about the cancellation of EA Sport's Stars series of games. Make sure you head straight to [Soccer Gaming](#) for all the latest.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- We're Raising Money For Charity

We're proud to be raising money for charity by offering you some excellent auction deals. Thanks to our auction partner's, [QXL](#), we have three quality items up for auction and bidding starts at a ridiculous £1. The reserve price on all three of these items is only £8

- An Olympiakos Official Home Shirt
- A Microsoft Sidewinder Joystick
- A Microsoft Sidewinder Game Voice

Remember bidding starts at only £1 and ALL proceeds go directly to the charity of your choice. We also pay for all of the shipping costs to any part of the world.

To do your part for charity and grab a great deal, [click here](#) and follow the appropriate link to the item that interests you

Bidding at QXL is very easy and this truly is for a great cause.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Time to Use your Imagination

They say the TV, video games, and lack of books are ruining our minds. We at FIFA 2001 Online realize this threat, and are encouraging people to use their imagination. For today, there will be no screenshots! From the [Downloads Centre](#) we have:

- Austrian Club Badges For ECC & EFA
- Ball Changer v1.00
- Champions League & Adidas Finale Champions League balls
- Fila Goalkeeper kit
- Galatasaray 00/01 Home & Away kits
- The Ultimate Women's Soccer Roster Version 1.0
- Nike Match Silver Boots

Just imagine those Champions League balls, and those Nike Match Silver Boots! Okay, that's enough of this imagination stuff. Let's hope tomorrow our email is back up so we can get the screenshots. :-)

Posted by [Joe](#)

Sunday, May 27, 2001

- Sunday Downloads

It's Sunday! The day we all love and a perfect day for some FIFA 2001 gameplay! Keep your copy of FIFA 2001 up to date by grabbing our latest updates and patches in our [Downloads Centre](#). New for today is:

- Liverpool 2GK 2002 'White Away, Valencia Champions League, Real Madrid Home & Away & Fiorentina 2GK Home & Away kits
- FC Dinamo Bucharest & Adidas v3 balls
- World Cup Korea-Japan 2002 patch
- Pablo Aimar face

Where are the screenshots? We'll be adding them shortly. For now though, just use the ones in the [Downloads Centre](#). Have fun!

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

Saturday, May 26, 2001

- The Magical World of Downloads

You thought magic was only in the movies! You know, Jakob has to do some creative stuff to get us the downloads each day. The patchmakers have to also make their own "magic" to make all the downloads. The downloads come to us in a mystical way. Well, some call it email.

- New Mesh Nets Pack & Fulham Badge
- The Gloves ([screenshot](#))
- Silver Nike Boots ([screenshot](#))
- Czech Super Patch
- Champions League & 80's Style balls ([screenshot](#))
- K-League 2GK Kit Pack

Experience the magic of downloads by heading to the [Downloads Centre](#). Update your FIFA 2001 game today, and experience the magic of soccer gaming!

Posted by [Joe](#)

Friday, May 25, 2001

- Fifala - New Server

Xavier Baez has sent us some news regarding his FIFALA, here is what he had to say:

"Fifala has changed its URL to [fifa.gamestats.com](#)

Fifacentre has also a new URL: [fifa.gamestats.com/fifala/fifaexpress](#)

Now its [fifa.gamestats.com](#) and it will be there for a couple of weeks until we change the registrant. However all the other sites (such as [fifamania.net](#), [fifacentre.com](#)) will be ready this week.

Also don't forget to send us your FIFA 2002 wishes. Fifala and EA have made an agreement in which EA committed to hear our suggestions and actually include features that we send them. The game is in a very early version, and therefore your suggestions are welcome to [xhc99@yahoo.com](#)."

Take it from Xavier. He always makes sure we get ALL the news from Fifala!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Soccer Gaming Auctions For Charity

[Soccer Gaming](#) have announced they will be conducting a series of auctions for charity starting this Monday. Visit the site for more details.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

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Friday's FIFA 2001 Files

The long awaited day is upon us. The official end of the week. Here we are at the week's end, looking forward to the fun of the weekend! Playing FIFA 2001 to the sunrise, downloading so many patches that it almost hurts your modem! We can help you with latter. Direct from the 24 hours, 7 days a week [Downloads Centre](#), here are your downloads:

- Swedish Badges (see screenshot below)
- ISS Update Final Version
- Milan 00/01 2GK Home ([screenshot](#)) & AC Milan 2GK Home ([screenshot](#)), Away, 3rd & Cenetary kits
- Cosmin Contra ([screenshot](#)), Pavel Nedved ([screenshot](#)), Oscar Téllez ([screenshot](#)), South American ([screenshot](#)) & Mark Viduka (see screenshot below) faces
- Didadora boots



Swedish Badges and a Mark Viduka face

Sometime this weekend, make it a FIFA night! Bring back the old games, and download some patches and upgrades for FIFA 2001. Play the night away!

Posted by [Joe](#)

Thursday, May 24, 2001

More Downloads

Another day, yet another [Downloads Centre](#) update. This is what you can find today:

- Czech Club Updates Part 1 ([screenshot](#))
- The Ultimate Stars Kits Pack ([screenshot](#)) & Juventus 2GK Goalkeeper kit ([screenshot](#))
- Nationwide League badge v1.1
- Champions League pause menu
- 2GK Texture Fix
- Lazio 2GK Home, Away, 3rd & Champions League, Arsenal 2GK 2002 Gold Away, Corinthians 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) & Wimbledon 2001 Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) & Goalie kits



Arsenal and Lazio Kits

As always, there will be more tomorrow so make sure you check back.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

Wednesday, May 23, 2001

FIFA 2002 Is Coming... Join In The Fun

Over at [Soccer Gaming](#) we have two FIFA 2002 Wallpapers direct from EA. They look great so make sure you grab your's today.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(4\)](#)

Finally... More Downloads

Yes, shameful I know. Two full days without news. Joe is sick, I was on a plane, Lior is doing exams and Dave is on vacation. Ah, enough of the excuses and on with the [Downloads Centre](#) update. Check it out for:

- Global Roster Update
- Brescia 2GK Home, Away & 3rd, Charlton 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)), Aston Villa Home & FC København Home & Away kits ([screenshot](#))
- Hernan Jorge Crespo face ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Cross Trainers boots ([screenshot](#))
- Champions League music
- Corfe Mullen Utd kit v2 ([screenshot](#))
- White Umbro ball



Jamaican and Charlton kits

There was actually an update done the other day too, so make sure you pay a trip to the [Downloads Centre](#) as they'll certainly be something there that will interest you.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Monday, May 21, 2001

Downloads on a Stick

Things come on sticks all the time these days. It's about time we put our downloads a nice stick and send them to you. You'll have to use your imagination! From the [Downloads Centre](#), introducing the new "Downloads on a Stick". Enjoy!

- Worthington Cup ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- UT-1 TV patch ([screenshot](#))
- FC Schalke 04 Home, Away + Goalkeeper & Charlton 2GK Home & Away (see screenshot below) kits
- Nationwide League Badge
- Brighton & Hove Albion 2000/1 Team Patch
- Palestine Home ([screenshot](#)), Jamaica Home (see screenshot below), England Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) & Belgium

- Home & Away kits (screenshot)
- 3D Patch for FIFA 2000



Jamaican and Charlton kits

Soon we'll have a wide variety and assortments of things on sticks. Look out for the new "Forum on a Stick" and "Joe Lemon on a stick", as well as the much anticipated "Hacker on a stick".

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Sunday, May 20, 2001

- Positions Available - FIFA First

FIFA First are looking for a full time manager to run FIFA First.net and .COM. The Job would mean that the chosen applicant would have control over news and downloads updates as well as staff. The Manager does need a medium level of knowledge using FTP Programs and also needs access to either Front Page 2000 or Dreamweaver 3 or 4. All applicants must have good English spelling and grammar, reliable, trustworthy and most importantly of all, love FIFA Games.

If you would like to Apply for this position E-Mail the Owner of FIFA First at davecottage@hotmail.com.

Posted by [Joe](#)

- My Bum is on the Downloads

Despite being an older song, I thought I'd bring it up. My bum tends to be on everything these days. Usually the sofa, or the chair. Either way, you should put your bum on the [Downloads Centre](#) downloads right now.

- Bombonera RS Stadium (see screenshot below)
- Adidas Equipment Fingersave ES2 gloves (screenshot)
- Realistic Gameplay Patch & ISS Style Ball Physics Update
- Phillip Cocu (screenshot) & Roberto Carlos (screenshot) faces
- 3DFX nets & Telsim Türkiye Birinci Ligi badge
- Matthew United 01/02 away kit (screenshot)
- Westham United 01/03 home kit (see screenshot below)



West Ham 01/03 Kit and Bombonera RS Stadium

Get your bum on the way over to the [Downloads Centre](#) to download those downloads to update your precious game of FIFA 2001! Good Luck to you and your bum in searching the thousands of files in the [Downloads Centre](#). Where you are bound to find the perfect patch for you and your bum! (A good example of the overuse of the word "bum")

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Saturday, May 19, 2001

- Ultimate Malaysian Patch Underway

We have got some news on a new upcoming patch. The Ultimate Malaysian Patch for FIFA 2001. It will contain:

- Mleague 01 (Malaysian League 2001) Menu Screen
- Mleague 01 teams logo (Premier 1 & Division 2)
- Mleague 01 ad boards
- Mleague 01 TV Logo
- Mleague 01 Flags
- Premier 1 teams with actual kits (home & away)
- Division 2 teams with actual kits (home & away)
- Actual lineups with tactics for each teams

But the creator needs help to complete the patch, so if you should have any info on one the following criteries you should mail ikmal. He needs help for:

- The lineups for each Division 2 teams
- The team logos for Division 2 teams
- The kit pictures for Division 2 teams

Any kind of help would be nice.

Posted by [Jakoby](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Welcome to the Big Show

Okay, so maybe it's not as big as Matt's big E3 news. Nonetheless, this show much keep on moving. Get ready! Moisten your clicking finger, relax your eyes, and make sure your modem is ready. Here they come:

- IFK Göteborg Home Kit, Udinese 2GK Home (see screenshot below), Away & 3rd & Manchester United Away kits
- Robbie Fowler face (screenshot)
- Nike Kraken Elite Gloves (screenshot) + Black/Silver Match Mercurial Boots & Nike Premier Gunn Cult Gloves (screenshot) + Red Match Mercurial Boots
- Stars 2001 Fantasy kits (screenshot)
- Adidas ball
- Puma Gloves Version 2
- Pergamon's Shooting Fix



All of these "Fifatastic" downloads are available at our state of the art [Downloads Centre](#). Sure, FIFA 2002 information is on the rise. Download some new FIFA 2001 files and pretend it's FIFA 2002. Eh?

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Our Meeting With FIFA 2002 Producer, Marc Aubanel

Take a trip to our [Soccer Gaming @ E3](#) website where you can read all about our meeting with the Executive Producer of the FIFA series, Marc Aubanel and FIFA programmer, Nick Wodyka. We hit them with the tough questions and the answers were pleasing to say the least. A new gameplay system, increased reality and all the features we've been waiting for look set to show up in FIFA 2002. To read why FIFA 2002 will be, in our opinion, the true football simulation [click here](#)



Marc (Exec. Producer), Myself and Nick (Programmer)

[Soccer Gaming](#) will once again be working closely with EA to make sure FIFA 2002 is everything we hope for. Our meeting today showed us EA's true intentions to please the FIFA community and develop the game we've been asking for for years. Get ready FIFA fans, this year will be a year to remember.

In FIFA 2001 news... Joe will have details on the latest [Downloads Centre](#) update in the morning.

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(2\)](#)

• Friday, May 18, 2001

- FIFA gAmEpLaY pAtCh 2001

Nick Clubman's FIFA gAmEpLaY pAtCh 2001 is nearly finished. His friend Alvin Luchmun has sent him his Mega Roster 4 update which he said he could use with his patch.

What he's done is edited the players attributes and made the goal keepers in teams better. He has also made his own ISS style 'aimain' file.

He asked me to inform all of you wonderful people as he says you will want something to keep you going before FIFA 2002 is released. There will be more versions of this patch in the future, with or without updated rosters as he has not yet decided.

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- FIFA 2002 and E3 Website

All of your E3 football video games news can now be found under the one roof at the new [Soccer Gaming @ E3](#) website. I have personally written my views on my time testing both FIFA 2002 and This Is Football 2. Make sure you check it out and keep checking back here for more updates as they come to hand.



[Soccer Gaming @ E3](#) includes photos of E3 booths as seen above. An early version of the FIFA 2002 Fact sheet has also been released by EA Sports. You can read the document by clicking [here](#).



Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads in Good Times

There is no doubt that with all the E3 activities and revealings going on, that things in our community are heating up. That is if you're not counting the downloads. :) A few downloads with even less screenshots for you today.

- Anderlecht 2001-2002 Home, Club Brugge 2000-2001 Away, Lierse 2000-2001 Home, Club Brugge 2000-2001 Home, Lierse 2000-2001 Away, KV Mechelen 2000-2001 Home and Roma 20K Home ([screenshot](#)), Away & 3rd kits
- Star ballsection
- Election Day patch section
- Marcelo Salas face ([screenshot](#))

Your internet browser is not experiencing any problems. That's right. There are no pretty little colour images. Perhaps when you check back and at the [Downloads Centre](#) we will be able to add some more colour to the update! For now, and keep your ears wide open (don't shut them), because we will be posting the latest E3 news from LA at anytime!

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Thursday, May 17, 2001

- The E3 Downloads Update

We've gone E3 crazy here in LA. I'm lucky enough to be going to E3 within a few hours and I'm also lucky enough to be bringing

you this whopper of a [Downloads Centre](#) update. Over the past two days we've added:

- Iran ([screenshot](#)), Nigeria ([screenshot](#)), Portugal ([screenshot](#)) & Brazil Home & Away national kits
- Nike numbers (see screenshot below)
- Liverpool White Away ([screenshot](#)), Ajax Champions League 95 Home, Arsenal Away 01/02 and Manchester United EPL Champions 00/01 club kits
- Real Madrid Fantasy Goalkeeper kit ([screenshot](#))
- World Cup 98 Version 2 ([screenshot](#)) and Adidas Champions League balls
- Portugal (see screenshot below) and Darth Maul faces
- Silver Puma Referee kit
- Scottish Cup Final 2001, Warbury Warriors and Better Gameplay patches
- FC København flags
- Silver Nike boots



Nike Numbers and Portuguese Faces

Make sure you check back here tomorrow for even more [Downloads Centre](#) updates plus your first shots from inside E3. I'll be able to show you what EA are offering this upcoming season!

Posted by [Alan](#)

- The World's Biggest Fifa Patch ever?

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have been informed of the forthcoming patch WBFP (the World's Biggest Fifa Patch).

The patch itself will contain many different pieces of work by different patch makers, all put together (with the makers permission) to make one massive patch that is aimed to improve your Fifa gaming experience.

Some of the things included in the patch are as follows:

- New up to date team rosters for the new season (with a new league structure and totally updated leagues)
- New updated kits for the start of the season
- New leagues such as Argentina, Portugal, and a Classic league added to the game
- New TV patch with exclusive popups
- New Adboards for all major leagues
- New in-game music and sounds
- New aimain file with best ever gameplay
- New Menu's
- Sideline Patch
- New Nets
- A new ball
- and much more...

Keep on eye on this developing patch as if it lives up to its name it will be the World's Biggest Fifa Patch ever! Full details in the [Patches Database](#) over at the [MRA site](#) plus check out all the latest news on this patch over at <http://www.wbfp.homestead.com>

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FA Stars 2001 patch update

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have a sample screenshot of the Arsenal home kit, which includes the Premiership Logo on the sleeves, from the forthcoming FAS 2001 patch.



Alvin, who is developing the patch, also needs help from fans in making the patch. If you can help, contact him by [clicking here](#). Full details of this patch can be found as always in the [MRA site's](#) Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Wednesday, May 16, 2001

- Paris Saint Germain Super Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of a new Paris Saint Germain Superpatch from www.fifafrance.com. It contains:

- Camera views from FIFA 2000
- Canal+ logo
- Nike Geo Merlin Ball
- Parc des Princes Stadium
- PSG away 2GK
- PSG home 2GK
- PSG goalkeeper kit
- PSG numbers
- PSG's flag
- PSG shoes 2GK
- Shooting fix

Check this new patch out if you are a fan of French football over at www.fifafrance.com. As always, you can find all the details and link to the download in the [MRA site's](#) Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Uruguay League Patch wanted

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have been asked if there are any Uruguay League Patches available. They have no details in the [Patches Database](#) for one so if anybody knows of any please could you [e-mail](#) them the details so they can add them to the [Database](#).

Many thanks in advance from the [MRA site](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, May 15, 2001

• All the Downloads

(To the tune of *Blink 182's - All the Small Things*) All the Downloads, for me, for you. I'll make one click, you're right, good kit. Always, I know, you'll be downloading. Sitting, waiting, commiserating (?) Say it is so, downloads aren't slow, here we go. (Na Na Na Na Na)

- White Bike ([screenshot](#)) and Champions League Final balls
- Dennis Bergkamp menu (see screenshot below)
- FA Cup Final Patch 2001
- White Nike Air Zoom Total 90 version 2 & Talon Curve Pro Gloves ([screenshot](#))
- Figo Face v4 0 ([screenshot](#))
- Arsenal 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)), Aston Villa 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)), Bradford City 2GK Home & Away (see screenshot below) and Manchester United 2GK Away kits ([screenshot](#))



Bergkamp menu and Bradford home and away kits

Late night, log on, dial-up sucks, I know. They left me downloads on the site, updates let me know they care. Say it is so, downloads aren't slow, here we go. Keep your modem still, downloads be your thrill. The game will go on, my little PC. Say it is so, downloads aren't slow, here we go - the game will go on, the game will go on, my little PC!

(All Downloads Available @ the [Downloads Centre](#))

Posted by [Joe](#)

• Monday, May 14, 2001

• A Bouquet of Flowers

Welcome back to the most spectacular show on earth... the FIFA 2001 [Downloads Centre](#) update. Brought to you, by me. Everything for Joe Lemon! You can get Joe Lemon T-shirts and hats at the Joe Lemon shop (not available anywhere). Enough of me. I'll shut my lip and give you what you are really reading this for, the downloads.

- Liverpool, Juventus 2GK ([screenshot](#)), Manchester United 2GK ([screenshot](#)) and Arsenal 2001-2002 2GK kits
- Saudi Arabia 2GK Home & Away ([screenshot](#)) kits
- World Stars Fantasy kits (see screenshot below)
- Diego Simeone face (see screenshot below)
- Total Football and T & T patches
- Champions League Ball Pack ([screenshot](#))



World Stars Fantasy Kit and a Diego Simeone face

If you celebrated Mother's Day, and maybe were short on some money, bring your mother to computer, and show her the bouquet of beautiful downloads. She'll only have one thing to say...

Posted by [Joe](#)

• New Ukrainian and Russian Leagues patch released

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news from Alex Kluboff, of www.donin.com/sports/fifa2001/, who has released version 2 of his Ukrainian and Russian Leagues patch. It includes:

- Ukrainian championship and cup of Ukraine only with the Ukrainian clubs
- Russian championship and cup of Russia only with the Russian clubs
- National teams of Ukraine, Russia and Belarus
- Latest team's line-ups, complete player names, rating of teams corresponds to taken places in the tournament table for May, 2001
- Kits 2GK for the Ukrainian clubs (separate module)
- Flags 2GK for the Ukrainian clubs (separate module)
- Kits for teams from the "REST of EUROPE", logos and flags
- Kits, line-ups and flags for teams of 1 league of Ukrainian and Russian Championship

Check out the Patches Database at the [MRA site](#) where they have the full list of all the features and a download link for the patch and then visit Alex's site at www.donin.com/sports/fifa2001/ to check out all his great work.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• Fifala and Fifaexpress have temporary homes

Xavier has informed me that Fifala and Fifaexpress are not available at their normal URL's for 2-3 days.

The temporary URL's are:

- [Fifala](#)
- [Fifaexpress](#)

Check out these sites for all the latest Latin American Fifa news, especially as [Fifaexpress](#) recently appeared in a very important Argentinean magazine.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, May 13, 2001

• Release Of New Mega Polish Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news that the new Mega Patch PL for all Polish fans of Fifa has been released.

They also have some new screenshots for you below so if you love Fifa 2001 and support the Polish league then get over to the [MRA site](#) now to find out all about this new patch.



Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Fifamania Release New G3 Cups

Rimo from [Fifamania](#) has informed us that thanks to Giorgio Lunardon, the man that allowed everyone to edit the stadium structures, has started a new project in Fifa 2001 editing - CUPS patches.

Here is the first beta version of a cup - the Intercontinental cup, this can be viewed below. Promised cups in the near future include:

- Champions League Cup
- World Cup

You can download the patch at [Fifamania.it](#)

Cheers for that Rimo sounds like a cool addition to Fifa 2001 - now all we have to do is win the cups. .



Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- New Downloads Database at FIFA Benelux

[FIFA Benelux](#) have opened a great new Downloads Database. There are a lot of new features added, and over 300 new downloads! Here are some features:

- "Recommend download to a friend" option
- Rate the download
- Top 5 of downloads
- Downloads for [FIFA 2001](#), [FIFA 2000](#), and also some later for [FIFA 99](#) and [FIFA 98](#)!
- And a lot more!

So come on and visit [FIFA Benelux](#), or their great new [Downloads Database](#) with daily updates.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- The Downloads Are Back

After a couple of days break, we're back with fresh new downloads direct from my [Downloads Centre](#). Here is what we have for you today:

- Aston Villa 2002 ([screenshot](#)), Lazio 2GK, Valencia 2GK, Villareal 2GK, Coventry City 2000/2001, K-League 2GK kits (see screenshot below)
- Solo Move replay in the FIFA 2001 Replays
- Birdcrap Title Screen ([screenshot](#)) and FC Bayern Munich Menu (see screenshot below)
- European Leagues Roster Update



K-League kits and Bayern Munich menu

Make sure you pay a visit to the [Downloads Centre](#) and grab your nuts.

After a few days of changes in the [Downloads Centre](#), we now have one person running the show while Lior is away for 3 months. Jakob is back and is now waiting for your files. If you want your files posted, please follow the instructions [on this page](#).

Posted by [Lior](#)

• Saturday, May 12, 2001

- Updates at Ajax Fifa Files

[Ajax Fifa Files](#) has the following news headlines for you:

- They have added 2 new shirts for Cambuur and Heerenveen of the Dutch league
- In a few days, they're going to launch the subscribe form to allow you to register for their online Fifa competition
- Also, maybe, the name of the site ([Ajax Fifa Files](#)) is going to change to "The Fifa Files". What do you think about that?
- [Mail Matthijs](#)
- The English part of the site will be online this week

So visit [Ajax Fifa Files](#) often to keep updated on all their events.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Portugal International Patch update

Further to the [MRA site's](#) news earlier this week, James Melia has now teamed up with Chris Arnfield to jointly make the [Portugal International Patch](#). Check out below the screen shot of the new Portugal kit (converted from Euro 2000)

 Click for larger image

The patch should be released next weekend so while you wait check out the full feature list in the [MRA site's](#) Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- FA Stars 2001 patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) Alvin Luchmun has informed them that he is creating a new patch that converts all the kits for the English Premiership from FA Stars 2001 and contains:

- Fox Sports World Popups
- adboards
- menus
- full updated Rosters
- ball
- etc...

This sounds like a great new patch and it will be released around 23 May 2001. Check back nearer the time for more details and also Alvin needs help from fans in making the kits. If you can help him contact him by [clicking here](#).

Full patch details available as always in the Patches Database at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, May 11, 2001

- Kanchpatch Ready

Over at [DKG Kitstore](#), The Kanchpatch base is online and available for download now! The patch that now has a new slogan "The Patch You Build For Yourself" updates all of the rosters for all of the league AND international teams. For more info and to download the patch, visit [DKG Kitstore](#).

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

- Interviewing EA, Sony and Microsoft at 3E

I've been lucky enough to score appointments to meet with EA, Sony and Microsoft reps at 3E this year. On top of trying all the new games and consoles, I'll also get a chance to ask them some questions about soccer games and their opinions on the industry. If there is anything you'd like to find out, make sure you post it in our "[E3 - The Questions You Want Answered](#)" forum topic.



On FIFA note, I'm actually going to be getting a chance to see FIFA 2002 behind closed doors. I've been told to expect a whole new and improved gameplay system. I'll be equipped with a digital camera, meaning you won't miss a thing.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Support Treebeard - A FIFA Community Legend

One of the longest serving and most respected members of the FIFA community, Treebeard, needs our support. After some recent criticism by unappreciative low-lives in his forum, Treebeard is having second thoughts about continuing his popular FIFA roster updates at his site, [Treebeard's FIFA Rosters](#). In an email to me today he had this to say:

"Over the past few years I have provided updates as a free service to FIFA gamers and the response has usually been excellent. Granted, one or two errors may slip in and the use of FEEd may mean a few bugs here and there but each roster release is subsequently built upon and they are never final until the release of a new FIFA game.

The updates are done in my own spare time - 10hours was spent this past weekend updating many of the international teams. I have a job which takes about 60hours a week and a wife to spend time with. I don't have time for the endless criticism or to reply to every message board post nor to I spend hours in front of my PC playing games night after night. I do have a life!

If people says player ratings are incorrect, bear in mind that they are the EA ratings unless the player was created by me and I am more than happy to update them and accomodate suggestions where possible but the comment in one message posted today has made me think that perhaps I will no longer be releasing updates for FIFA2001 or any other future FIFA release from now on. I may well release v0.7 as a lot of work has gone into it but after this, the site may well close and you can go somewhere else to save you the time of updating your games. Some people out there really do need to get a life!"

We all need to rally behind Treebeard and make sure he doesn't leave the FIFA scene. He has been an excellent figure in the FIFA community for so long! Make sure you send him an [email](#) with your support, or [Post Your Comments](#) on this topic. Let's not let the pathetic attitudes of a few people spoil it for everyone!

Posted by [Matt](#) [Post Your Comments \(14\)](#)

- On the Road to the World Cup

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of 2 patches related to the World Cup. The first is the fantastic update for all fans of Fifa RTWC 98 by the lads over at <http://www.fifarwc.cjb.net> and the second is an update with regard the release date for the World Cup 2002 patch.



Check out the screen shots and then get over to the home of the Super Patch at the [MRA site](#) for all this latest World Cup news.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Great new TV patch from Fifa Express

Ariel from [Fifa Express](#) has informed us that he has just released a great new version of his excellent TV patch IGGex series, this time version 2.5 "Camaleon".



There is a whole new page dedicated to this excellent patch so check it out now by visiting the [home of the IGGex Camaleon](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, May 10, 2001

• [Fifatology](#) appear on GIGA-TV

Stefan and the lads from [Fifatology](#) were recently invited to appear on a German TV Show. Especially for that show they have made a complete new fantasy Stadium called GIGA-TV Arena. Check out the screenshots below, it is fantastic and certainly made me go WOW! when I saw it.



Well done [Fifatology](#) appearing on TV and promoting yourselves is truly a step forward in Fifa and computer gaming - congratulations from us all.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• A Football Frenzy for Downloads

Before we begin today's succulent serving of roast beef and yorkshire pudding, I would like to congratulate Bayern Munich, of course, for their win against Real Madrid. Good playing, but as a lot of us like to say "Auf Wiedersehen". I hope Valencia is ready for the team that is Bayern Munich!

I hope I made some enemies in today's post, after all, that is my goal. Let's hope you didn't take that seriously. Nonetheless, here is today's downloads update brought to you by [Lior](#) the lone man at the [Downloads Centre](#).

- Nike and The Rock balls in the FIFA 2001 Balls section
- Marcelo Salas ([screenshot](#)) and Zinedine Zidane faces
- A Nottingham Forest badge
- A Division One kits pack and Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) and Perth Glory kits (see screenshot below)
- An All Stars roster
- The Parc des Princes stadium (see screenshot below)



Perth Glory kits and the Parc des Princes

Now we must say a sad, but not forever, goodbye to Lior. He is now a busy little bumblebee, so he will have to leave the scene for a few months. At the [Downloads Centre](#), I will be taking Lior's spot for the time being. So for now, Lior our friend, Goodbye! (Lior rides his "Downloads Horse" into the sunset. Ouch, he fell off! That's got to hurt!)

Posted by [Joe](#)

• New Mega Patch PL (Polish)

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news from the [Polish FIFA Center](#) who proudly present The Mega Patch PL! The Patch will be ready to download on Saturday 12th of May - exactly in 2 days. So what will be the contents? (full list as always at the [MRA site](#)).

- professionally made text localisation for the game (Polish language inside)
- brand new Polish menu with all graphics and backgrounds
- actual Polish league rosters with exact player names, shirt numbers, tactics, formations and players faces
- Polish National Teams Kits and actual rosters
- five second division teams with all kits and rosters
- brand new and realistic looking crowds
- realistic localised adverts and adboards
- two Polish stadiums
- Wiza Sport TV logos and layout - just like on the Polish Digital TV Platform
- and plenty more listed at the [MRA site](#)

Now it is time to wait 2 days. Whilst you are waiting you can check out all the details at the [MRA site](#) in the Patches Database and pay a visit to [Polish FIFA Center](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Mexico 68 Z9 Stadium by Fifamilennium

Dihego over at [Fifamilennium](#) has developed the Mexico 68 Z9 stadium with cool details like a beer can behind the goal and an aeroplane in the sky. Check it out by clicking on the image below.



He has also finished the first period of stadium requests and now has 20 stadiums to work on for the next month. Once completed he will be accepting requests again.

Check out the fantastic screen shot and then pay Dihego a visit over at [Fifamillennium](#) to obtain your copy of this great new stadium.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• **Wednesday, May 9, 2001**

- The Mini-Community Update

It's at that turn of the week were we all turn our heads to the newest websites in our neighborhood. We've just got one for you right now, here it is.

- [FIFAustralia](#) - A new Fifa Website. FIFAUstralia has now opened, with NSL and fifa gaming news, downloads, forum, links, reviews and a wish list at your disposal.
- [Afro-Arabic FIFA Patchers](#) - Just celebrated it's Grand Opening. A site worth checking out, especially if you are in that part of the world!

Two is still not enough for us! We need more websites to be posted! If you've got a new website or just a website that you want posted to get visitors, send in the websites name, URL, and a short description, to joe@soccergaming.com

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Iranian Patch v1.0 for FIFA 2000

If you still enjoy playing Fifa 2000 then this could be just for you. Over at the [MRA site](#) S.A. has sent in a new patch for Iranian Fifa 2000 lovers. This patch adds:

- Iranian Azadegan league
- updated Iranian National Team
- all Asian Cup 2000 Teams + India and UAE
- 14 64 Colour Jerseys (For Iran League and National Team)
- new 8 bit Jerseys
- updated other leagues for 2000-2001 seasons
- adds Iranian flag and a new background
- Iran Classic teams (1974-78, 1990, 1996) + Perspolis 1970
- Continental All-star teams + Celebrities team

You can get your copy of this new patch from the [MRA site](#) and it is well worth a look for all you Iranian Fifa 2000 fans.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Fantastic Stadiums from FifaTology

Better late than never and apologies to Stefan for delay in posting this great news.

The excellent [Fifatology](#) team from [German FIFA-2001 Online](#) recently developed four completely new amazing G3-stadiums.

You'll be excited and amazed - as all the stadiums have been completely built up from nothing to the very last pixel. More than 1500 elements per stadium will give you the original atmosphere of each stadium. Every detail was taken into consideration - 100% authentic! These stadiums can now be downloaded over at [Fifatology](#)

- Volkspark (Hamburg SV)
- Georg Melches-stadium (RW Essen)
- Weserstadion (Werder Bremen)
- Olympic stadium (Hertha Berlin)



Check out the fantastic screenshots from these new stadiums and get over to [Fifatology](#) to get your own copies.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(1\)](#)

• **Tuesday, May 8, 2001**

- Downloads Back to Normal

While we were graced with Lior's presence, I'm afraid he had to go -- riding his "horse" into the horizon. I'm back again for a high volume dosage of the [Downloads Centre](#) downloads. I won't confuse you with my tomfoolery, it's straight to the update.

- Champions League ad boards ([screenshot](#))
- Concord boots
- A Mexican patch
- A David Beckham face
- A deteriorated pitch and a Ronaldo and Beckham menu ([screenshot](#))
- Inter Milan kits (see screenshot below)
- A Juventus goalkeeper kit
- A crowd singing patch
- The Cardiff Millennium stadium (see screenshot below)
- A sideline patch and an AC Milan flag
- Beijing 2008 and Stoke City ([screenshot](#)) ad boards
- Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)) and Manchester United kits
- A Belgian national kit ([screenshot](#))
- Nike Match Mercurial boots ([screenshot](#))
- A Roy Keane face ([screenshot](#))
- An Aimain update



Inter Milan kits and the Cardiff Millennium Stadium

Well, that's it for the downloads update today. Instead of mentioning riding a downloads horse, I think we should all hop on our dogs and go for a ride, sounds good doesn't it? Well, just don't blame me for any injuries...

Posted by [Joe](#)

Iranian FIFA Online Patch 2001 coming soon
Shahryar Fekri from [Iranian FIFA 2001 Online](#) (IRFO 2001) has published the forthcoming IRFO Patch 2001 features.



New Features:

- Azadegan League
- Iranian Cup
- Iran National Team
- Online Teams/Players Database
- Team Flags
- Team Badges
- OIS Adboard
- And many many more...

Also, over at the [MRA site](#) you can find some very interesting news with regard the new Online Teams/Players Database

Please check regularly over at [Iranian FIFA 2001 Online](#) for further news and new screenshots; and need I say it? Full details as always in the Patches Database over at the home of Super Patches, the [MRA site](#)!

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

New Portugal International Patch

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news that from James Melia regarding his new Portugal International Patch that is going to be released in the next couple of weeks. It was made with FED2001 and contains up to date rosters.



[Click for larger image](#)

He also sent them two pictures from his patch, one of the two Portugal kits and the other with some of the faces that will be included in the patch.

Full details can be found as always in the brand new Patches Database over at the [MRA site](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Monday, May 7, 2001

Fifa Brasil Network have released Campeonato Paulista 2001 patch

Murilo Lima of [Fifa Brasil Network](#) has informed us that they have just released their great new patch called Campeonato Paulista 2001.



They have sent us 2 great screenshots, one is the patch menu and the other is the Corinthians roster, kit, adboards and flags - check them out above.

The 16 teams in the patch are: Corinthians, São Paulo, Palmeiras, Santos, Portuguesa, São Caetano, Ponte Preta, Guarani, União São João, União Barbarense, Mogi Mirim, Matonense, Rio Branco, Internacional-SP, Botafogo-SP and Portuguesa Santista

And the features of this patch include:

- Rosters for all the 16 teams of the patch (made with FED2001)
- Home and Away kits
- New Flags (with real textures)
- New Badges
- Penalty Star Ball
- Official Paulistão 2001 Adboards
- New Menus
- You can install the complete patch or just select the teams you want with the files in *TEA format
- An extra Team with the best players of the Paulistão 2001

Full details of the patch can be found as always in the ever expanding Patches Database over at the [MRA site](#) and then check out [Fifa Brasil Network](#) to get your copy of this patch.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Iceboy's New Face

After his success with the David Beckham face, Nicholas Seah Chenghong whom we all know as Iceboy pops back and has created a new face. Who's? I hear you say. The one and only Andy Cole. This new face will be available with [www.soccered.com](#)'s new patch RDSP II. For the moment, we only have a screenshot, so get your goggles ready and stare at this masterpiece.



Andy Cole Face

P.S. When will Iceboy become Iceman? ... I'll let you think about that one :)

Posted by [Lor](#) [Post Your Comments \(3\)](#)

- Red Devils Super Patch Beta Testing

I got this news from Robert @ [soccered.com](#)

"We need beta testers for the next installment of the Red Devils Super Patch. As we can't release it to every one (then where would the testing be at?) we are asking for people to post why THEY should test the patch. The team will then choose the top 5 responses.

Not only will you be the first to get the patch you will also be able to get the work as it becomes available.

The only rule is one post and you must have at least 3 posts in this forum to do so.

So post why you should beta test RDSP [here](#)."

Posted by [Lor](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Let The Horse Run Wild And Free

Well I lied. Here I am again with more files that were added to our most favourite site: "The [Downloads Centre](#)".

- A Nakata face
- A Barcelona menu ([screenshot](#))
- Manchester United (see screenshot below), Perugia ([screenshot](#)), Sampdoria ([screenshot](#)), Southampton ([screenshot](#)) and Wolverhampton Wanderers ([screenshot](#)) kits
- An Italian national kit (see screenshot below)
- Limp Bizkit's My Way
- An Italian roster update



Italian Kits and Manchester United Away Kit

Now, I know I said yesterday Joe would probably be doing this, but what I really meant was tomorrow as in today's tomorrow [If you get what I meant please tell me as I didn't]. Well about time I leave before I embarrass myself even more. Have fun downloading and please leave the horse at home.

Posted by [Lor](#)

- Sideline Patch From Fifanet

Tomorrow, our very popular network partner site, [Fifanet](#) will be uploading a new patch known as Side Elements v.1. This new patch will give your sidelines a realistic feel in FIFA 2001.



Sideline Patch v.1

As you can see in the screenshot above, it includes:

- New cameramen
- New reporters
- New assistants
- New uniforms for the bench teams
- New suit for the Coach plus much, much more

I know I'll be grabbing my copy tomorrow, so make sure you pay a trip to [Fifanet](#) to grab yours.

Posted by [Matt](#)

- Musical day at the MRA site

As reported recently, a big player from the Fifa scene has now turned his hand to creating music. Over at the [MRA site](#) you can find the identity of this mystery artist and find out how to obtain his tracks to download into your Fifa games.

One of his songs recently even made it into the top 10 progressive trance charts over at MP3.com!

Pop over to the [MRA site](#) to find out who the mystery musician is.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Sunday, May 6, 2001

- Ride The Downloads Horse

Don't worry, this is probably the last time I'll be doing this here, so here is what we added to the [Downloads Centre](#):

- An Israeli patch
- Zvonimir Boban, Marc Overmars ([screenshot](#)) and Ronaldo faces ([screenshot](#)) + a face pack (see screenshot below)
- 2 K-League kit patches ([screenshot](#)) (see screenshot below)
- Holland national kits ([screenshot](#))
- A Champions League referee kit ([screenshot](#))
- An ISS Aimag patch



K-League Patch and Face Package 3

Get ready for Joe tomorrow as I'm sure he'll be doing this as usual. In the meantime get on your horse and ride it to the [Downloads Centre](#)

Posted by [Lior](#)

- New Libertadores Patch (CTL)

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news from [FIFAMANIA NET](#) who have recently released the Libertadores of America patch. This patch overwrites the TCE Cup and includes:

- all the teams of Libertadores 2001
- plus 16 more
- all kits with normal or 2GK options
- this patch has Portuguese and Spanish support and was created with FED2001 - By YoRkE



Check out the screenshots above, visit the [MRA site](#) where they have details of all the teams included plus links to the patch and add-on. As a show of appreciation visit [FIFAMANIA NET](#)

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Saturday, May 5, 2001

- NSL 2001 Patch

This is from Robert of [Soccered.com](#).

"As many have found out, the non English versions of FIFA do not support NSL 2001. This patch should fix everything. Just extract it to your Fifa 2001 directory. Click [here](#) to download the Fix! Sorry for the inconvenience."

If you are experiencing problems then download the fix by clicking [here](#)

Posted by [Lior](#)

- Say Hello To More Downloads

Well today you have me doing this downloads update since I did this update really late, which meant neither Matt nor Joe were online to report about it. Here is what we added to the [Downloads Centre](#)

- Assorted Premiership ad boards
- A face package (see screenshot below)
- Manchester United flags and a Manchester United menu ([screenshot](#))
- A Valencia kit ([screenshot](#))
- A French national kit ([screenshot](#))
- A Euro Allstars kit ([screenshot](#))
- The "Oh Le Oh Le" chant
- A Glasgow Rangers roster update
- A Juventus TV logo (see screenshot below)



Face Package and A Juventus TV Logo

Those were the files added today. If you have a file you made and want it added then send it to [me](#) and I will do my best to add it as soon as possible to the [Downloads Centre](#). Remember we have an update each day so get ready for tomorrow for even more files!

Posted by [Lior](#)

- FIFA 2002 Wishlist Updated

SCTW and I just thought we'd let you know that the [FIFA 2002 Wishlist](#) has been updated. Along with that, now it is even easier to find the subject you are looking for! With "Go To" links on the top of the wishlist just click on the link and go to that subject. Go on and check it out, or if you have a wish that isn't yet on the list you can send it to SCTW by clicking right [here](#)

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Great new Spanish Super Patches

Over at the [MRA site](#) they have news of 3 great Super Patches for all fans of Spanish soccer. If you visit the [MRA site](#) you will find the following excellent patches from [FIFA España](#)

- LFP from Spain
 - which is based on all the teams from 1st and 2nd division of Spain
- Champions League Super Patch
 - provides full update with Champions League theme
- Super Spanish 2 Division Patch
 - which is for all fans of the Spanish 2nd division

 Click for larger image



Check out the screenshots and then get over to the [MRA site](#) for more plus download the patches direct from the Patches Database.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Friday, May 4, 2001

Hot Deals From Soccer Gaming Sponsors

A few of our sponsors have some incredible offers taking place this month. Today I'll take you through the details of three of them.

BettingCorp.com have an excellent offer on where you can deposit \$20 on a bet, and receive a free \$10 bet. They're no normal betting website. You can bet on nearly every sport in the world, in particular football, in either Head-to-Head or Pools styles. This means much higher prizes. If you like the odd flutter, and know your footy, make sure you check out [BettingCorp.com](#) today.



Eurobet have recently announced a magnificent prize where two lucky football fans can jet off to Asia to see Manchester United tour the Asian countries. Dubbed, Man U Mania, there are also 100's of other prizes to be won such as official signed kits, photos and baseball caps. Make sure you check out Eurobet's [Man U Mania](#) for further details on how you can enter.



QXL Auctions, Soccer Gaming's exclusive auction partner site, as always have some incredible auctions taking place on nearly everything you can imagine. From football gear, games DVD's and computers, QXL has it covered. This week's special evolves around the brand new 32 bit colour GameBoy Advance. This thing is just like having a Playstation in the palm of your hands and their Auctions are starting at as low as £80. Make sure you [check it out](#) today.



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Posted by [Matt](#)

Feel the Power of Downloads!

Behold the power of downloads! Able to update and enhance your FIFA 2001 gaming experience in a single download! Faster (depending on your baud rate) than a speeding football! Look up on the site, it's an update, it's a post, no! It's the Downloads Update! From the files of the [Downloads Centre](#), comes today's update.

- Nike Air Zoom ([screenshot](#)) and Valsport boots ([screenshot](#))
- A Figo face ([screenshot](#))
- Bayern Munich ([screenshot](#)) and Jancker ([screenshot](#)) menus
- A Kappa goalkeeper kit ([screenshot](#))
- World Patch 2.0
- A new goal chant
- The Cuauthemoc stadium (see screenshot below)
- A new ITV TV patch



Always in the nic of time, the downloads update will soon return! When the patchmakers need to be advertise, it will be there! When people need something new, the downloads will step in! Until next time!

Posted by [Joe](#)

FIFA Korea News

[FIFA Korea](#), being our newest partner and affiliate has some news for us today. Apparently they have released 2001 FIFA Confederations Cup Korea/Japan - Korea, Japan, France, Brazil Background Menu Patches!

This patch, they say, provides a more sleek and clean feeling for you. You can judge by looking at the pictures below, or even better, experience it by downloading it by clicking on the link below!



If it looks good, you can download it by clicking [here](#) to go directly to the FIFA Korea website. Enjoy!

Posted by [Joe](#)

World Patch v2

Over at the [MRA site](#) Sébastien Neri has done it again as he delivers the latest version of his world famous World Patch series. This is the first version which has been produced using FE2001 and contains:

- an update for the Championship of France D1 2000/2001 with:
 - latest transfers
 - adds all new players (with right name, surname, position and number jersey for all players)
 - and correct formations for all teams
- an update for national championships
- new names for teams and national teams
- new names for different competitions
- new badges for Nigeria and Ukraine national teams + update badges for others national teams
- new home/away Nigeria national team's kits
- new home/away Ukraine national team's kits
- new flags home/away for Nigeria
- new flags home/away for Ukraine



This patch is fully MRA Compliant and you can download it directly from the [MRA site's](#) brand new [Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Thursday, May 3, 2001

Big Downloads Update

I'm not even going to attempt to match it with Joe's comical downloads posts. You win Joe! Ok, happy?! :-). Here is what we have in our [Downloads Centre](#) today

- Malaysian and Brazilian ad boards
- Adidas Predator Traxion and Nike Match Mercurial ([screenshot](#)) boots
- David Beckham, ([screenshot](#)) David Seaman, Luis Figo ([screenshot](#)) Oliver Kahn, Robert Pires and Zinedine Zidane faces
- AC Milan flags
- A Real Madrid kit
- A Juventus and Adidas ([screenshot](#)) goalkeeper kit
- Champions League music
- An International super update
- Adidas gloves
- Brazilian and Jamaican national kits
- A Marijuana kit ([screenshot](#))



Juventus GK kit and Real Madrid kit

Today the total number of files in the [Downloads Centre](#) exceeded 4000 for the first time.

We also have to say goodbye to Jakob today. He has run out of time to continue working at the [Downloads Centre](#). Thanks for all the great help Jakob! This means that we need someone to help [Lior](#) like Jakob has been doing recently. If you have a couple of spare hours everyday, speak English well, and would like to help [Lior](#) update the [Downloads Centre](#), drop [Lior](#) an email with all your details.

Posted by [Matt](#)

• Wednesday, May 2, 2001

ECP is out!

No, this is not a new strange disease, it is the fantastic European Clubs Patch (ECP) which has been released over at the [MRA site](#).



After 3.5 months of hard work, Dimitris and the ECP team have released the biggest patch made in FIFA history. Both as MRA compliant and also for everyone who doesn't have the MRA (is there anyone? hehe).

The patch features:

- 86 missing European Clubs (plus Boca J. and River Plate) from 29 Countries with their:
 - kits-flags-badges-rosters-balls-adboards-TV patch-aiman ini-faces-boots
 - Stadiums made by DG of [www.fifa2001.com](#)
 - Music patch
 - etc. etc. .
- The Countries are:
 - Russia-Georgia-Lithuania-Ukraine-Belarus-Latvia-Poland-Yugoslavia-Slovakia-Czech Republic-Croatia-Slovenia-Bulgaria-Romania-Iceland-Finland-Luxemburg-Hungary-Malta-Switzerland-Turkey-Cyprus-Republic of Ireland-Portugal-Wales-Northern Ireland-Bosnia-Estonia-Albania
- More than 500 kits of high big quality so now every team in FIFA 2001 has its own kit!

Over at the [MRA site](#) you can also find the full list of teams for each country which are included in this mammoth patch and download the patch from the brand new [Patches Database](#).

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

Highbury NextGen

We have received this piece of news from [FIFA UK](#), it involves a poll and the answer to the results of the poll at their site.

"Arsenal's ground highbury has won our stadium poll, with Real Madrid's Bernabau in second place. This was closely followed by Anfield.

Therefore, Highbury has been made into a NextGen stadium, and is now available in our Downloads Xchange. Please checkout the screenshot below. For more info and screenshots, as well as the file itself visit [www.FifaUK.net](#) now"



You heard him! Head right on over to [FIFA UK](#) to check out their Downloads Xchange and the stadium pictured above!

Posted by [Joe](#)

- Turkey Mega Patch is released

Today sees the release of some great new Super Patches for you over at the [MRA site](#).

The first of their great new Super Patches is the Turkey Mega Patch by Kerim Apaydyn over at [www.fifacenter.org](#). This is a follow up to the excellent [Turkey Super Patch](#) and includes:

- home and away kits of Turkey national team
- Turkey New 3D adboards
- new Kits
- new original Turkey Teams Flags with crowds
- Turkey League New 3D Badge
- 2nd division teams in the Turkey Cup
- TV cam fix
- and the correct speech for players names



This patch is fully MRA Compliant and can be downloaded directly from the brand new [Patches Database](#). Great work Kerim over at [www.fifacenter.org](#) and we know this will be a very popular patch as there are many Turkish Fifa 2001 fans out there.

Posted by [Dave](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

• Tuesday, May 1, 2001

- DKG Kitstore - National Teams Patch

DKG Kitstore is in the process of developing a new patch for FIFA 2001 focusing on the national teams. The features of this very soon to be released patch are as follows:

- Fully compatible with all the kits of the web
- Realistic updated leagues with the latest transfers
- Very accurate national teams rosters
- All kits for all the national teams
- Other teams added instead of only Galatasaray

These are the features of version 1.0 of the patch which will be complete very soon. Keep an eye open here for its release.

Posted by [Nick](#) [Post Your Comments \(0\)](#)

- Downloads to your Health!

Nine out of Ten webmasters recommend the [Downloads Centre](#) downloads for FIFA 2001! Of course, who cares what they have to say, judge them for yourself by checking out today's latest update from the world of FIFA 2001 downloads:

- A Boca Juniors ball
- Beckham (see screenshot below) and Figo ([screenshot](#)) faces
- Inter Milan ([screenshot](#)), AC Milan ([screenshot](#)), NAC Breda, Arsenal (see screenshot below) and Real Madrid ([screenshot](#)) kits
- A Vietnam kit ([screenshot](#))
- An ITV CL patch



A Beckham face and an Arsenal kit

It is recommended that you download at least twice a day to get the maximum benefits of downloading! Cheers, downloads to your health! (Note: None of the statements above can be proven and are not factual)

Posted by [Joe](#)

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