

PBOfilelist

Command-line tool for listing contents of a PBO archive; by Faguss (ofp-faguss.com)

1. Overview

This program will read selected PBO archive (for the Operation Flashpoint) and create a text file listing its contents and properties.

2. Usage

Drag PBO files (or folders containing them) over the program. Text file(s) will be generated with the same names but with `.txt` extension.

Output contains:

- PBO header properites (if present)
- File listing with file sizes (rounded) and file modification dates (in ISO 8601)
- Signature (if present; extra bytes written at the end of file; packing programs would write a comment there)

If you use the program from the command line there are additional options available:

-t – timestamps

Program will write file modification dates as UNIX timestamps.

-b – bytes

Program will write file sizes in full numbers of bytes.

-c – csv

Program will generate a csv (comma separated values) file that can be imported to a spreadsheet. It will skip writing header properties and signature.

-f – fix timestamps

Program will correct file dates if source folder exists. PBO will be modified but file modification date will not be changed. File listing will be generated afterwards.

-r – recursive search

Program will search for PBO files within subfolders of a selected folder.

-s – single file

Program will write listing for all PBOs in a single file *PBOfilelist.txt*

-g – GS script

Program will compare file dates from the first PBO with the dates in the second PBO. If they are different then it will generate *PBOfilelist_GS.txt* with a script for the [OFP Game Schedule](#) website, containing instructions that will the second PBO match the first.

-h – header removal

Program will remove properties header (some programs are not compatible with it). PBO will be modified but file modification date will not be changed. File listing will be generated afterwards.

Examples:

```
PBOfilelist -tb Noe.pbo Bizon.pbo
```

To access all PBOs in the current directory pass dot as an argument:

```
PBOfilelist -s .
```

3. Version history

v1.0 (14.03.21)

First release