
Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/11/21 22:53

This game I have decided is a lot better than Guitar Hero 3. It's a little easier but I'm almost done on the guitar and it does get somewhat challenging. Most of the few hammer-ons you get to really fast but they are just a little bit easier than Guitar Hero 2 but not even close to as easy as 3. But really this game has just so much more to offer. Really.... way more.

So I'd recommend this especially if you want the drums and stuff now or later... I can't wait for those it will make the game even more entertaining.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/11/21 23:10

Definitely looking forward to it, but I'll probably hold off until Christmas. Especially since I have Mass Effect and CoD4 to play.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by EvanVolm - 2007/11/21 23:26

I've heard Activision made Guitar Hero 3 quite a bit harder than the previous two, which hurts the casual gamers. Rock Band looks easier and more family/casual gamer friendly.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by toastman3 - 2007/11/22 00:08

To build on what Andy said, it feels like this game's difficulty is more in the riffs with chords, which are actually pretty challenging.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/11/22 00:14

I'm glad that the hammer-ons are like GHII's.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/11/22 12:31

Yeah, this game definitely gets difficult... I'm on this one song by the Outlaws and it's like Free Bird almost and it's still 10 songs away from the end... I don't even know what awaits me. Of course I played it at like 2 in the morning but I did fail 3 times in a row so... I'm not expecting much next time I try either.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Chris - 2007/11/22 17:38

I was reading there has been a large failure rate on the guitars with Rock Band. Apparently the down strokes on the paddle don't work after awhile.

Warranty anyone?

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by v1rax - 2007/11/22 19:53

Sadly I hardly have time to play games these days.. :(

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by mglundy - 2007/11/23 00:11

The fender guitar is complete garbage. The strumbar is awful, gives no feedback and feels like your not even strumming. The rest of the guitar is cheap and it looks laughably fake despite going with a realistic look. Thankfully the game is really fun.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Jamez - 2007/11/23 00:59

I don't know if i fully agree with that mglundy, though I don't like the guitar either. Feels very fake, and as if it's trying to be real. Honestly I didn't like the GH3 guitar much either when I played with it at E for All, and am quite happy with the GH2 guitar. Though I'll have to play around with it more to see.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/11/23 01:17

I haven't used the Rock Band guitar much, but from the time I had with it, I didn't hate it and I didn't like it. I was in between. I'm sure if I could use it a bit more I could get a definitive answer. I love the GH3 guitar though.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/11/25 16:31

I finally had a chance to play Rock Band for a good amount of time and it is in fact much more fun that GH3. Easier, but more fun.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Tkenney22 - 2007/11/25 20:40

RB Guitar is horrible. At best buy i tried playing on medium and failed with it. You litterly cant hit a note. But they have a GH3 guitar available to play with and i found it fun. Hammer-ons are really fun to do for some reason. I like the drums.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Chris - 2007/11/25 23:32

I'm still loving my GH2, but after watching "Guitar Queer-o" on South Park the other night I can't help but laugh everytime I hear the buttons click!

As far as RB goes, I'm a bit apprehensive to give into the temptation. I suck at singing, and any friend that would be here to play it is just as bad. By matter of deduction then, if the game is only at its funnest when all elements are put together, and I couldn't get a singer, then I just don't see it being worth what little expendable cash I have.

GH3 on the other hand...

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/12/04 14:56

yes its probably funner with a full band but really the guitar is just has fun if not funner then gh3 by itself. plus its probably better without a singer cause you can listen to the real person sing.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by \$\$\$KENT\$\$\$ - 2007/12/11 15:45

Dude i sound better than them OBVIOUSLY. I will be vocals.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/12/11 22:27

well i found out that the pack is a waste of money for previous guitar owners considering that the live headset works for vocals. so if you want to spend 170 just for drums basically instead of wait a few months and still have all the instruments available ... be my guest.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Chris - 2007/12/12 13:23

I'll agree. Give it some time and I bet 2nd party accessories become available for cheaper.

Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/12/12 22:36

im waiting for the the drums to be sold seperatly so in all the game will cost me 120\$ but i will have all the compeonents

Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/12/18 17:36

Rock Band weekly DLC:

Via Joystiq.com:

Clearly, it's a worthless struggle to bring the bands providing this week's downloadable Rock Band content together in one place. Not even Harmonix dared to assemble a catch-all track pack, only offering the three new tunes individually on the Xbox Live Marketplace and -- beginning Thursday -- the PlayStation Network.

Individual songs

- * My Iron Lung -- Radiohead (160 MS Points / \$2)
- * Buddy Holly -- Weezer (160 MS points / \$2)
- * Brass in Pocket -- The Pretenders *Cover* (160 MS Points / \$2)

You'll find videos of the songs after the break, along with our lingering curiosity as to what content next week will bring, if any.

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My Iron Lung is a pretty awesome song. Rock Band is definitely getting some good DLC.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/12/18 22:53

i dunno iron lung but buddy holly is one of my favorites from weezer so i might get taht one.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Chris - 2007/12/19 01:29

These individual song downloads is awesome/genius. They cost little more than an iTunes download, but you're getting gameplay and a song.

GH3 should take from this.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/12/19 14:29

Arc_Angel wrote:

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Click the link. There are videos of each song.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/12/24 01:51

I got the Rock Band bundle and honestly, I have to admit that I like the guitar. I'm not really sure what all the fuss is about. The only downside of it is it's wired.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by Arc_Angel - 2007/12/24 13:35

can i say an awseome band must be started?!

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2007/12/27 13:46

Yeah, takes a while to get decent at the drums, but you get the hang of it.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2008/01/16 18:01

Xbox.com has listed the rest of the DLC for this month:

Week of Jan. 22: Oasis Pack (440 MS points/ \$5.50)

Don't Look Back in Anger (160 MS points/ \$2)

Live Forever (160 MS points/ \$2)

Wonderwall (160 MS Points / \$2)

Week of Jan. 29: Progressive Pack (440 MS points/ \$5.50)

Siva - Smashing Pumpkins (160 MS points/ \$2)

Working Man - Rush *Cover* (160 MS points/ \$2)

Ten Speed (Of God's Blood and Burial) - Coheed and Cambria *Cover* (160 MS Points / \$2)

I'll definitely be picking up the Oasis pack and Siva since they're awesome songs AND original recordings.

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2008/01/16 18:16

Oasis - Wonderwall

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FAPtTS0TYtU>

Oasis - Don't Look Back In Anger

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D-ysg62GmFo>

Oasis - Live Forever

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_9GiLnZyUgM

Coheed And Cambria - Ten Speed (Of God's Blood And Burial)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xbx6rGNmvB0>

Smashing Pumpkins - Siva

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dNqlikchzAk>

Working Man - Rush

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ztv8lsgpmml>

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Re:Rock Band

Posted by in\$aneELF - 2008/01/24 17:04

<http://www.joystiq.com/2008/01/24/rock-band-standalone-instruments-dated-priced/>

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