



Destiny 2 Sees Highest Player Count in Two Years After Latest Update

Description

Destiny 2 has a big update. This is the last one for the game. Many fans are playing the game now. The game had 167,000 players at the same time on Steam. This is the most players since 2024.

Some fans have trouble logging in. This is because so many people are playing at once. Before the update, fans wanted to beat a record. They wanted to break the player count of another game, Marathon, which had 77,000 players. They did this and caused problems for Destiny 2's servers. This happened during the workday in the US. It will be interesting to see if more players join in the evening and over the weekend.

Last month, Bungie said it would stop supporting Destiny 2 in June. Many fans were surprised. They thought there would be more updates. Bungie wants to focus on a new game called Marathon. This game is not very popular.

Fans are upset and want a new Destiny game, called Destiny 3. Reports say this game is not being made. Bungie may also lay off workers.

Vocabulary List:

1. **update** //ˈʌp.deɪt// (noun): new changes or additions to something
2. **record** //ˈrɛkərd// (noun): the best or highest result ever reached
3. **logging** //ˈlɒɡɪŋ// (verb): signing in to a computer or service
4. **servers** //ˈsɜːvərz// (noun): computers that send data to other computers
5. **supporting** //səˈpɔːrtɪŋ// (verb): helping or keeping a product working
6. **workers** //ˈwɜːkərz// (noun): people who do jobs for a company

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. What is the maximum number of players Destiny 2 had on Steam at the same time?

Option: 77,000

Option: 167,000

Option: 2024



Option: 100,000

2. When did Bungie announce it would stop supporting Destiny 2?

Option: Last month

Option: Next month

Option: In 2024

Option: In June 2025

3. What game did fans want to beat in player count?

Option: Destiny 3

Option: Marathon

Option: Fortnite

Option: Call of Duty

4. What is Bungie planning to focus on instead of Destiny 2?

Option: Destiny 3

Option: A mobile game

Option: Marathon

Option: A new expansion for Destiny 2

5. What time frame did the issue with Destiny 2's servers occur?

Option: Morning

Option: Workday in the US

Option: Evening

Option: Weekend

6. How many players did Marathon have that fans wanted to beat?

Option: 167,000

Option: 77,000

Option: 100,000

Option: 50,000

True-False

7. Destiny 2 is getting a new update after this last one.

8. Fans were pleased with Bungie's decision to stop supporting Destiny 2.



9. Many fans experienced trouble logging in due to high player counts.
10. Bungie is creating a game called Destiny 3.
11. The player count of Destiny 2 reached its highest point since 2024.
12. Bungie is focusing on Destiny 2 instead of a new game.

Gap-Fill

13. The maximum players on Steam for Destiny 2 was _____.
14. Bungie announced it would stop supporting Destiny 2 in _____.
15. Fans wanted to break the player count of _____ before the update.
16. There will be no further updates for Destiny 2 after this _____ update.
17. Bungie may lay off _____ due to the game's support ending.
18. Many players are interested in a potential new game called Destiny _____.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. 167,000 2. Last month 3. Marathon 5. Workday in the US 6. 77,000

True-False: 7. False 8. False 9. True 10. False 11. True 12. False

Gap-Fill: 13. 167,000 14. June 15. Marathon 16. last 17. workers 18. 3

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is typically included in a software update?

Option: New features

Option: Bugs fixes

Option: Security enhancements

Option: All of the above



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2. What do servers primarily provide in a network?
 - Option: Storage
 - Option: Printing
 - Option: Web hosting
 - Option: All of the above

 3. What is the main purpose of logging in software applications?
 - Option: To enhance performance
 - Option: To track events
 - Option: To manage user access
 - Option: To increase capacity

 4. What does it mean for a product to be exclusive?
 - Option: Available to everyone
 - Option: Limited to a select group
 - Option: Costly to produce
 - Option: Easy to replicate

 5. What does it mean to reveal something?
 - Option: To hide information
 - Option: To make something known
 - Option: To modify content
 - Option: To develop further

 6. What does the term upcoming refer to?
 - Option: Events in the past
 - Option: Current events
 - Option: Future events
 - Option: Unpopular events

 7. What is a launch in the context of a product?
 - Option: The initial release
 - Option: A marketing strategy
 - Option: Customer feedback period
 - Option: After-sale service

 8. What does it mean if something is promised?
 - Option: Guaranteed to happen
 - Option: Optional
 - Option: Uncertain
 - Option: Might not occur

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9. What is the purpose of a movie trailer?

- Option: To summarize the plot
- Option: To advertise the movie
- Option: To create interest
- Option: All of the above

10. What does a challenge typically involve?

- Option: An opportunity for growth
- Option: An easy task
- Option: A monotonous activity
- Option: No commitment required

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The application was designed with _____ features for supporting all users.
12. The company announced a new initiative to improve the conditions for its _____.
13. The new product's _____ focuses on user experience and functionality.
14. The software was _____ to enhance productivity in remote teams.
15. The newest book was highly anticipated as it is a _____ to the bestselling series.
16. The research has been _____ in a respected journal.
17. The new app will be _____ for download next week.
18. At the end of the meeting, a _____ of the main points was provided.
19. The company _____ its plans for future expansion last month.
20. The event will _____ the latest innovations in technology.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

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| 21. The software update included several performance improvements and features. |
| 22. Accurate logging is essential for tracking user activity and diagnosing issues. |



23. Servers are the backbone of many applications, providing necessary resources.
24. The exclusive event attracted numerous high-profile guests from around the world.
25. The art showcase featured the talents of local artists and their unique creations.
26. The company promised to deliver the products by the end of the month.
27. The movie trailer generated excitement among fans and critics alike.
28. Learning a new language can be a rewarding challenge for many people.
29. The upcoming conference will feature talks from industry leaders.
30. The sequel to the blockbuster film broke several box office records.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. All of the above 2. All of the above 3. To track events 4. Limited to a select group 5. To make something known 6. Future events 7. The initial release 8. Guaranteed to happen 9. All of the above 10. An opportunity for growth

Gap-Fill: 11. supporting 12. workers 13. design 14. developed 15. sequel 16. published 17. available 18. recap 19. announced 20. showcase

Matching sentence: 1. update 2. logging 3. servers 4. exclusive 5. showcase 6. promised 7. trailer 8. challenge 9. upcoming 10. sequel

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