



Firaxis Surprises with Sid Meier's Civilization 7 VR Reveal!

Description

Firaxis has announced a new virtual reality game called Civilization 7 - VR.

This game will come out in spring 2025. It is special because it is the first Civilization game in virtual reality. It will only be available on Meta Quest 3 and 3S.

2K Games, the publisher, said that PlaySide Studios is making the game. PlaySide has made other VR games, like The Walking Dead: Saints & Sinners.

In Civilization 7 - VR, players will look down at the world on a table. They can see buildings and units up close, like a real-life game. Players will meet famous leaders and make choices about peace or war.

The game can be played in virtual reality or mixed reality. Players can switch between the two. They can also play solo or join with up to three friends online.

Firaxis is also working on fixing problems that some players have said they did not like in Civilization 7.

Wesley is the UK News Editor for IGN. You can find him on Twitter.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Virtual** /'vɜːr.tʃu.əl/ (adjective): Existing or occurring on computers or in a computer-generated environment.
2. **Available** /ə'veɪ.lə.bəl/ (adjective): Able to be used or obtained; at someone's disposal.
3. **Special** /'speʃ.əl/ (adjective): Better greater or otherwise different from what is usual.
4. **Players** /'pleɪ.ərz/ (noun): Individuals taking part in a game or sport.
5. **Choices** /'tʃɔɪsɪz/ (noun): The act of selecting or making a decision when faced with two or more possibilities.
6. **Leaders** /'liː.dəz/ (noun): Individuals who lead or command a group organization or country.

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. When is the planned release date for the game Civilization 7 - VR?

Option: Spring 2022



- Option: Fall 2023
- Option: Spring 2025
- Option: Summer 2026

2. On which platforms will Civilization 7 - VR be exclusively available?

- Option: PlayStation 5
- Option: Meta Quest 2
- Option: Meta Quest 3 and 3S
- Option: HTC Vive

3. Which game development studio is responsible for creating Civilization 7 - VR?

- Option: Firaxis
- Option: 2K Games
- Option: PlaySide Studios
- Option: Bethesda

4. In Civilization 7 - VR, how can players interact with the game world?

- Option: Through voice commands
- Option: By using a traditional controller
- Option: By looking down at the world on a table in virtual reality
- Option: By using hand gestures

5. How many friends can players join with online in Civilization 7 - VR?

- Option: 1 friend
- Option: 2 friends
- Option: 3 friends
- Option: 4 friends

6. What improvements is Firaxis working on for Civilization 7 - VR?

- Option: Improved graphics
- Option: Enhanced gameplay mechanics
- Option: Fixing problems identified by players
- Option: Adding more levels

True-False

7. Civilization 7 - VR will be the first game in the Civilization series to utilize virtual reality technology.



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8. Players can only play Civilization 7 - VR in virtual reality mode.
 9. PlaySide Studios has previously developed The Walking Dead: Saints & Sinners in virtual reality.
 10. Wesley is the lead game developer for Civilization 7 - VR.
 11. Players will have to choose between peace or war while playing Civilization 7 - VR.
 12. Firaxis will not address player feedback and issues in Civilization 7 - VR.

Gap-Fill

13. Civilization 7 - VR is set to be released in the spring of _____.
14. The maximum number of friends players can join with online in Civilization 7 - VR is _____.
15. The game development studio PlaySide Studios has experience in creating virtual reality titles such as The Walking Dead: Saints & Sinners and _____.
16. In Civilization 7 - VR, players will have the option to switch between virtual reality and _____ modes.
17. Firaxis is actively addressing and resolving player complaints and issues with Civilization 7 - VR, aiming to improve the overall _____ experience.
18. The virtual world in Civilization 7 - VR will offer players an up-close view of buildings and units as if playing a real-life _____ game.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Spring 2025 2. Meta Quest 3 and 3S 3. PlaySide Studios 4. By looking down at the world on a table in virtual reality 5. 3 friends 6. Fixing problems identified by players

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

Gap-Fill: 13. 2025 14. 3 15. others 16. mixed reality 17. gameplay 18. strategy



Vocabulary quizzes

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

1. Who are scientists that study fossils?
Option: A. Geologists
Option: B. Biologists
Option: C. Paleontologists
Option: D. Chemists
2. Which term relates to something that exists in a digital or online environment?
Option: A. Real
Option: B. Virtual
Option: C. Physical
Option: D. Material
3. Which gas is a potent greenhouse gas and is often associated with cattle farming?
Option: A. Oxygen
Option: B. Nitrogen
Option: C. Methane
Option: D. Carbon Dioxide
4. Who are individuals who deceive others for personal gain?
Option: A. Inventors
Option: B. Scammers
Option: C. Researchers
Option: D. Entrepreneurs
5. What term describes the increase in the average temperature of the Earth's surface?
Option: A. Cooling
Option: B. Melting
Option: C. Warming
Option: D. Freezing
6. What term refers to the general direction in which something is developing or changing?



- Option: A. Standstill
- Option: B. Decline
- Option: C. Trend
- Option: D. Stagnation

7. What do we call measures taken to ensure safety and protection from harm?

- Option: A. Insecurity
- Option: B. Protection
- Option: C. Safety
- Option: D. Security

8. Who are participants in a game or sport?

- Option: A. Spectators
- Option: B. Referees
- Option: C. Players
- Option: D. Coaches

9. What term refers to the range of possibilities from which one or more may be selected?

- Option: A. Decisions
- Option: B. Options
- Option: C. Directions
- Option: D. Choices

10. What term is used to describe finding something that was previously unknown?

- Option: A. Revelation
- Option: B. Invention
- Option: C. Creation
- Option: D. Discovery

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

11. The term _____ refers to the wishbone found in birds used in making predictions or decisions by many people.

12. Smartphones laptops and tablets are examples of electronic _____.

13. The new policy had a significant _____ on the company's profits.

14. Strong _____ often inspire and guide their teams towards success.



15. The use of plastic bags was _____ in an effort to protect the environment.
16. Reducing carbon _____ is crucial in combating climate change.
17. Efforts to _____ relations between the two countries were welcomed by the international community.
18. The new software update will be _____ for download next week.
19. The team prepared a _____ surprise for their coach to show their appreciation.
20. The artist received a _____ for a mural in the city park.

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

21. It is essential to the hard work and dedication of the employees.
22. A video can be created using artificial intelligence to manipulate appearances.
23. The university offers a wide range of programs for students to pursue their chosen field of .
24. The authenticity of the information depends on the credibility of the .
25. The film director used a creative technique to convey the character's emotions.
26. The of a new species of dinosaur excited the scientific community.
27. The economic downturn had a severe on job opportunities in the region.
28. Great can motivate others to achieve common goals.
29. Online users should be cautious of potential trying to steal personal information.
30. In a reality environment users can interact with simulated worlds.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. C. Paleontologists 2. B. Virtual 3. C. Methane 4. B. Scammers 5. C. Warming 6. C. Trend 7. D. Security 8. C. Players 9. D. Choices 10. D. Discovery

Gap-Fill: 11. Furcula 12. Devices 13. Impact 14. Leaders 15. Banned 16. Emissions 17. Normalize 18. Available



19. Special 20. Commission

Matching sentence: 1. Acknowledge 2. Deepfake 3. Study 4. Source 5. Montage 6. Discovery 7. Impact
8. Leaders 9. Scammers 10. Virtual

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