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## [New Super Mario Bros. Cheats and Unlockables \(DS\)](#)

### *Help the two brothers*

New Super Mario Bros. is a classic side scrolling platformer developed and published by Nintendo for their own DS handheld console. It was released in North America and Japan in May 2006, with Australia and Europe getting it in June the same year and, last but not least, Korea in March 2007. The game was the first original side scrolling platformer to star Mario ever since Super Mario Land 2: 6 Golden Coins, which was released in 1992. It also was the first to be a part of the main Mario series of games since the 2002 Super Mario Sunshine.

The story of New Super Mario Bros. is similar to almost all of the ones found in the other famous side scrollers in the Mario universe. The action follows the very popular Mario character as he fights his way through all of the henchmen commanded by Bowser to rescue the classic damsel-in-distress, Princess Peach. The Italian plumber has access to several power-ups, which are found in bricks he smashes with his fists that help him complete his heroic quest including the Super Mushroom, the Fire Flower and the Starman, each of them having unique abilities. In each of the eight worlds found in the game, Mario must defeat Bowser Jr. and Bowser before finally being able to save the Princess.

Reviews of the game were very good, achieving an aggregated score of 89 percent from Metacritic. Analysts praised the improvements made to the Mario franchise, with the new features, but criticized the fact that the game is too simple. New Super Mario Bros. received quite a lot of awards and Editor's Choice prizes from the likes of Game Informer, Electronic Gaming Monthly or IGN. In Japan, it even broke the record for the best selling debut for a Nintendo DS game. This success carried over in the North America, where in just a month, it shifted half a million copies.

### CHEATS

#### Play as Luigi

Hold L + R and press A to select a saved game file to play as Luigi in single player mode.

### UNLOCKABLES

#### World 4

Defeat the Boss in the last castle of World 2 as Mini Mario.

#### World 7

Defeat the Boss in the last castle of World 5 as Mini Mario.

#### World 8

Defeat the Boss in the last castle of World 6 as Mega Mario.

Here's a video of this game: