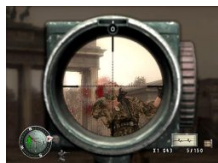


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Namco announced today that "Sniper Elite" has gone gold. A realistic sniper simulation set in the final days of World War II, "Sniper Elite" puts players in the midst of an international race for nuclear weaponry. It also features authentic sniping mechanics and online play for up to eight players. Developed by Rebellion in the UK, the game will be available this September for the PlayStation2, Xbox and PC. "Sniper Elite" depicts the end of the European theater of World War II. The Germans are nearly defeated and the Western Allies and Soviets have begun preparing for the next war. Players assume the role of an OSS agent sent behind enemy lines in an Allied bid to keep German atomic weapons research out of Soviet hands. Taking place in a war torn Berlin, a single bullet could change the course of history. "The unique gameplay in 'Sniper Elite' offers an experience few games can compare to," said Jeff Lujan, business director at Namco Hometek Inc. "Sniper Elite' was designed around the core sniper tenets of stealth, accuracy and instinct. These mechanics carry over to the multiplayer gameplay and deliver an online experience like no other. And, with an expansive single-player campaign, 'Sniper Elite' should offer players countless hours of gameplay." This week, Softpedia would like to know your opinion on gaming consoles. What is your favorite console you either own or you are planning to buy? Are you an Xbox fan or a Playstation fan? Has Xbox360 convinced you it's time to buy one? Or you'll wait for the PS3? [Express your opinion here.](#)