NetEase & CCP Confirm December 2019 Open Beta for EVE Echoes on iOS and

Android

GUANGZHOU, China and REYKJAVÍK, Iceland – Oct. 24, 2019 – NetEase Games and CCP Games today announced that the open beta for EVE Echoes, the authentic EVE Online experience for mobile devices, will go live this December. Developed by NetEase Games in conjunction with CCP Games, EVE Echoes was unveiled last year and will be available to demo for the first time at EVE Vegas in Las Vegas, Nevada, this weekend.

In celebration of the open beta announcement, new assets, an official website, and social media channels are now live for EVE Echoes.

Venture into the depths of space with official gameplay footage here: https://youtu.be/7Cai8fwFa0l

"We're very excited for the first public outing of EVE Echoes, the next revolutionary step in mobile MMO gaming," said Hilmar V. Petursson, CEO of CCP Games. "I can't wait to see the reaction from our core PC players, who will no doubt recognize the unparalleled scale and sophisticated gameplay of EVE Online's virtual world running through the veins of EVE Echoes."

"CCP Games is a pioneer in space MMOs, and will make its mark on the industry even further by expanding the EVE experience to mobile with EVE Echoes," said Ethan Wang, Vice President of NetEase, Inc. "Combining CCP's leadership in game design with our NeoX game engine and leadership in game publishing will no doubt create a spacefaring sandbox MMO for mobile devices unlike anything seen before."

EVE Echoes brings the vast, interstellar EVE universe from PC to the palm of your hand. Built using NetEase Games' proprietary NeoX graphics engine, EVE Echoes stays true to CCP's hallmark EVE Online design principles and immerses pilots in beautiful starry skies and across boundless star fields. Pilots must collect resources, manufacture items, and explore thousands of uncharted planets to write their own history in pursuit of galactic glory. A realistic social system enables players to join and lead corporations, form coalitions, capture rival territories, engage in intergalactic combat, and much more across thousands of planetary systems.

Taking place October 25 - 27 in Las Vegas, EVE Vegas is the largest gathering of fans from around the world in celebration of all things EVE. During EVE Vegas, attendees will learn more about EVE Echoes as well as the expanding EVE franchise, play the game hands-on ahead of its open beta this December, hear from the developers, and interact with fellow EVE pilots. To learn more about the event, visit https://vegas.eveonline.com.

To learn more about EVE Echoes, visit:

- Official website: www.eveechoes.com
 Discord: https://discord.gg/2xm4EQB
- Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/EVE</u>Echoes
- Twitter: www.twitter.com/EveEchoes
- YouTube: www.youtube.com/channel/UCd8xVjWv8A-E62knESgelKg/

For more information about the EVE Universe, visit ccpgames.com/products.

About NetEase Games

NetEase Games is the online games division of NetEase, Inc. (NASDAQ: NTES), developing and operating some of China's most popular PC-client and mobile games. As one of the world's largest incubators of quality online game content, NetEase Games is dedicated to supporting the growth of innovative studios around the globe and growing an international presence along the way. To complement its self-developed games and world class R&D capabilities, NetEase Games also partners with other industry leaders including Blizzard Entertainment, Mojang AB (a Microsoft subsidiary) and other global game developers to operate some of the most popular international online games in China.

About CCP

CCP is a leading independent game developer that has been praised for its artistry, technology and game design that facilitates emergent behavior, empowering players with compelling means of self-expression. With the launch of EVE Online in May 2003, CCP established itself as a pioneer of cutting edge massively multiplayer games, winning numerous awards and receiving critical acclaim worldwide. Founded in 1997 on the principle of pushing the envelope and breaking new ground on all levels, CCP is on a mission to create virtual worlds more meaningful than real life. CCP is headquartered in Reykjavik, Iceland, and has additional studios in London and Shanghai. For more information, visit www.ccpgames.com.

About EVE Online®

EVE Online (PC/Mac) is a compelling, community-driven sci-fi MMO game where players can build and pilot a wide variety of spaceships, traversing vast solar systems for free and choosing their own path from countless options, experiencing space exploration, immense PvP and PvE battles, mining, industry and a sophisticated player economy in an ever-expanding sandbox. EVE is a captivating game in which hundreds of thousands of players compete for riches, power, glory and adventure, forging their own destinies in a single thriving universe. For more information, visit www.eveonline.com.