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INTRODUCTION

Gran Turismo 6 is a comprehensive racing simulator for the PlayStation 3 console. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your game, ensuring an optimal driving experience. The game features a vast collection of vehicles and tracks, alongside advanced physics and customization options.

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GRAN TURISMO® 6

THE REAL DRIVING SIMULATOR



Online Interactions
Not Rated by the ESRB



Figure 1: Gran Turismo 6 game cover for PlayStation 3. This image displays the official game cover art, featuring a sleek black sports car on a race track with mountains in the background.

SETUP

1. Game Installation

1. **Insert the Game Disc:** Place the Gran Turismo 6 game disc into your PlayStation 3 console's disc drive. The console should automatically detect the disc and begin the installation process.
2. **Follow On-Screen Prompts:** Adhere to any on-screen instructions to complete the initial game installation to your console's hard drive.

2. Initial Game Updates

Upon first launch, Gran Turismo 6 may require significant updates. These updates are crucial for game stability, new features, and content. It is recommended to have a stable internet connection.

- **Update Procedure:** The game will prompt you to download and install updates. Due to the size and number of updates, this process can be lengthy and may require multiple restarts of the game.
- **Sequential Installation:** It is often necessary to install updates one at a time, following the game's prompts. Attempting to install all updates simultaneously may lead to errors or extended download times.

3. PlayStation Network Connection

To access online features, community events, and additional content, connect your PlayStation 3 to the PlayStation Network (PSN).

- Ensure your console is connected to the internet.
- Sign in with your PSN account. If you do not have one, you can create one through the console's XMB menu.

OPERATING THE GAME

1. Core Gameplay Mechanics

Gran Turismo 6 emphasizes realistic driving physics and car handling. Familiarize yourself with the controls and car behavior to master the tracks.

- **Driving Physics:** The game features an enhanced suspension, tire, and aerodynamics model, providing an authentic driving experience. Different car types and setups will significantly impact handling.
- **Car Acquisition:** Purchase new and used vehicles from in-game dealerships using credits earned from races. Over 1200 cars are available.



Figure 2: Two sports cars, red and yellow, racing on a track. This image highlights the diverse vehicle selection and dynamic racing environments within Gran Turismo 6.

2. Game Modes and Features

Explore various modes and features designed to enhance your racing experience.

- **Career Mode:** Progress through a series of races, challenges, and championships to earn credits and unlock new content.
- **Arcade Mode:** Engage in quick races, time trials, and drift challenges with immediate access to a selection of cars and tracks.
- **Online Multiplayer:** Compete against other players globally.
- **Course Maker:** Create and customize your own race circuits on various world-renowned locations.
- **Online Race Organizer:** Form and manage communities and events, ranging from local to global competitions.
- **Mobile Device Compatibility:** Extend your Gran Turismo experience through compatible smartphones, tablets, or PCs for certain features.



Figure 3: A yellow BMW M4 Coupé racing on a track. This image showcases one of the many detailed car models available in the game, demonstrating the realistic graphics.



Figure 4: A silver Mercedes-Benz concept car on a track. This image illustrates the variety of high-performance and concept vehicles featured in Gran Turismo 6.



Figure 5: Go-karts racing on a track. This image demonstrates the inclusion of diverse racing categories, including karting, offering a different driving challenge.

MAINTENANCE

1. Game Updates

Regularly check for and install game updates to ensure you have the latest features, bug fixes, and content. Updates are typically downloaded automatically when connected to PSN.

2. Disc and Console Care

- **Game Disc:** Handle the game disc by its edges. Store it in its original case when not in use to prevent scratches. Clean with a soft, lint-free cloth if necessary, wiping from the center outwards.
- **PlayStation 3 Console:** Ensure your console is placed in a well-ventilated area to prevent overheating. Keep the console and its vents free from dust.

TROUBLESHOOTING

1. Common Issues and Solutions

- **Game Freezing or Crashing:**
 - Ensure the game disc is clean and free of scratches.
 - Verify that all game updates are installed.
 - Restart your PlayStation 3 console.
- **Update Installation Problems:**
 - Ensure a stable internet connection.
 - Install updates sequentially as prompted by the game, rather than attempting to download all at once.
 - Check for sufficient free space on your console's hard drive.
- **Online Connectivity Issues:**
 - Verify your PlayStation 3's internet connection settings.
 - Check the status of PlayStation Network services.
 - Ensure your router's firmware is up to date.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Platform	PlayStation 3
Item Model Number	98296
Release Date	December 6, 2013
Language	English
Manufacturer	Sony Computer Entertainment
Product Dimensions	0.57 x 5.33 x 6.8 inches
Item Weight	0.01 ounces
Compatible Console Models	Sony PlayStation 3 CECH-4012C

SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or inquiries regarding Gran Turismo 6, please refer to the official PlayStation support channels.

- Visit the official PlayStation Support website for FAQs, troubleshooting guides, and contact options.
- Consult the in-game help sections for specific gameplay mechanics or feature explanations.