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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to NBA 2K26 Standard Edition for PlayStation 4. This manual provides essential information to help you get started, understand game features, and ensure a smooth gaming experience. Prepare to immerse yourself in the world of professional basketball with enhanced gameplay and various modes designed for both casual and competitive players.



Image: Front cover of NBA 2K26 Standard Edition for PlayStation 4, featuring a basketball player in action.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

1. **Insert Game Disc:** Gently insert the NBA 2K26 PlayStation 4 game disc into your PlayStation 4 console's disc drive. Ensure the disc is clean and free of scratches.
2. **System Updates:** Your PlayStation 4 console may require a system software update. Follow the on-screen prompts to

download and install any necessary updates. An internet connection is required for this step.

3. **Game Installation:** The game will automatically begin installing to your console's hard drive. This process may take some time. You can monitor the installation progress from the PlayStation 4 home screen.
4. **Game Updates:** After the initial installation, the game may download and install additional updates or patches. An internet connection is required. These updates often include bug fixes, performance improvements, and new content.
5. **Account Requirements:** An internet connection and an NBA 2K Account are required to redeem and use bonus content, and to access online features and modes.



Image: Close-up of the NBA 2K26 game disc and its case, ready for installation.

OPERATING THE GAME

Gameplay Modes

- **MyCAREER:** Create your legend and build a MyPLAYER to lead an NBA franchise to the NBA Finals. Achieve individual and team success, raise banners, and play your way into the Hall of Fame.
- **MyTEAM:** Collect and compete with past and present legends of the game. Assemble a star-studded roster, test your dream team in single-player and multiplayer modes, and acquire new cards.
- **MyLEAGUE:** Write the next chapter of an NBA franchise as a General Manager. Add to its storied history by raising banners, influencing the future of the sport, and leaving an indelible mark on the league.
- **Play Now:** Jump into immediate action with your favorite NBA teams and players. Showcase your skills with enhanced gameplay and challenge friends or rivals.

Basic Controls

NBA 2K26 features enhanced gameplay and authentic controls. Mastering these will allow you to orchestrate offense and dictate the pace of play.

- **Movement:** Use the left analog stick to move your player.
- **Passing:** Utilize different pass types such as bounce passes, overhead passes, and normal passes.
- **Shooting:** Improved shooting mechanics allow for precise aiming. A green bar indicator will assist in timing your shots.
- **Dribbling & Moves:** The right analog stick can be used to perform various dribbling moves, crossovers, and fakes to separate

from defenders.

- **Defense:** Engage in defensive maneuvers, including lateral movement to guard opponents and contesting shots.



Image: An in-game screenshot from NBA 2K26 showing a player dribbling the basketball on the court.

Official Product Videos

NBA 2K26 Gameplay Overview

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Video: This video provides a detailed look at NBA 2K26 gameplay, showcasing various in-game actions, player movements, and visual fidelity. It offers insights into the dynamic basketball experience.

NBA 2K26 Game Highlights

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Video: A short video highlighting exciting moments and key features of NBA 2K26, demonstrating the game's engaging and fast-paced action.

MAINTENANCE

- **Disc Care:** Keep the game disc clean and free from scratches. Store it in its original case when not in use. Use a soft, lint-free cloth to wipe the disc from the center outwards if cleaning is necessary.
- **Software Updates:** Regularly check for game and console software updates. These updates often improve performance, add features, and fix bugs. Ensure your console is connected to the internet to receive these updates.
- **Console Ventilation:** Ensure your PlayStation 4 console has adequate ventilation to prevent overheating, which can affect game performance and console longevity.
- **Data Management:** Periodically manage your game saves and installed data. Delete old game data or screenshots if storage space becomes an issue.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue	Possible Solution
Game not loading or freezing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure the game disc is clean and free of damage. • Restart your PlayStation 4 console. • Check for and install any available game or system software updates. • Reinstall the game if the issue persists.
Online features not accessible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verify your internet connection is active and stable. • Check if PlayStation Network (PSN) services are online. • Ensure you are logged into your NBA 2K Account. • Restart your router/modem and console.
Controller input lag or unresponsiveness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure your controller is fully charged. • Reconnect your controller to the console (via USB cable or Bluetooth pairing). • Minimize wireless interference by moving other devices away from the console.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

- **ASIN:** B0FH5FCLZG
- **Release Date:** September 5, 2025
- **Item Model Number:** G39176
- **Type of Item:** CD-ROM (Game Disc)
- **Language:** English
- **Manufacturer:** Take Two Interactive
- **Item Weight:** 2.2 pounds
- **Package Dimensions:** 8.11 x 5.31 x 4.06 inches

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For any issues not covered in this manual, or for further assistance, please refer to the official 2K Games support channels.

Optional Protection Plans

Extended protection plans are available for purchase separately to cover potential issues beyond the standard manufacturer's warranty. These plans offer additional peace of mind for your game purchase.

- **2-Year Protection Plan:** Available for \$7.99 (one-time billing).
- **3-Year Protection Plan:** Available for \$9.99 (one-time billing).
- **Complete Protect:** Covers all eligible past and future purchases for \$16.99/month (monthly billing).

For detailed terms and conditions regarding these protection plans, please refer to the respective product pages or contact the plan provider.