
Subject: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Sat, 18 Sep 2021 06:05:25 GMT

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Originally posted by: nospam.Chris.Krascek

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Subject: Re: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Sun, 19 Sep 2021 07:39:54 GMT

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Originally posted by: Joe Cincotta

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Subject: Re: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Mon, 20 Sep 2021 12:51:44 GMT

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Originally posted by: nospam.Chris.Krascek

On 19 Sep 2021, Joe Cincotta said the following...

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Awesome. Yeah, will have to look into that. I have yet to see any new Commodore mags.

Cheers.

.... A Mystic asking for a hot-dog: "Make me one with everything"

Subject: Re: C64 new games
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2021 00:33:45 GMT
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Originally posted by: Joe Cincotta

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<https://www.kickstarter.com/projects/zzap642021annual/fusion-zzap-64-and-crash-2022-annuals>

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Posted by [Chris Baird](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2021 11:12:36 GMT
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Eww. The pioneers in corrupt computer games reviewing.

I could tell it was on the nose back when it was being published.. Then about a decade ago there was a documentary that included a lot of ZZap!64 employees that confirmed they were all getting payola from the big publishers.

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Chris

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Posted by [Chris Baird](#) on Tue, 21 Sep 2021 11:20:21 GMT

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Subject: Re: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2021 00:14:12 GMT

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Originally posted by: Joe Cincotta

On 21/9/21 9:20 pm, Chris Baird wrote:

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I think budgets have shrunk a little since those days folks. Nowadays it's one of the best ways of finding out about the latest games and releases for the 64. There is also an Amiga version in the works AFAIK.

If you don't mind using YouTube, then there is a South African guy called Bastich-B who does great game reviews for the C64. His most recent was for a new 3D space trading game called Gates of the Ancients. Looks like a filled-poly version of Elite at the same framerate! Pretty amazing for a 1Mhz C64! Actually Bastich also does a 'best of genre' style video where he goes through game genres and looks at old and new games of the genre - some of these videos have been really eye opening.

Anyway, keep enjoying the 8-bit life...

J

Subject: Re: C64 new games
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Mon, 27 Sep 2021 01:15:00 GMT
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Originally posted by: nospam.Christian.Jacob

Hello Chris!

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You could always visit csdb.dk, do an advanced search, filter for C64 Games and select a date range you are interested in. Searching for C64 Games released between 1/1/20 and 12/31/20 for instance results in 119 matches.

Due to multiple releases (updates, bugfixes, etc.) this is not really the number of games released (on csdb), but it's about right.

Also there are games being commercially released and not listed (via this filter). However, there's plenty of new games to try out.

Also, keep watching itch.io for new releases. Here you can find not only free but also commercial releases such as Sam's Journey, The Shadow over Hawksmill, Neutron, Galencia and many more. It's the who-is-who among the digital 2nd distribution channel releases.

Primary source - in case you like physical releases - are online shops such as Psytronik or RGCD.

Regards,
Christian.

Subject: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Mon, 27 Sep 2021 10:13:22 GMT

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Originally posted by: nospam.Daniel.Path

Hello Chris.

18 Sep 21 18:05, you wrote to All:

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check out these:

- L'abbaye des Morts
- Steel Ranger
- Sam's Journey
- It's Magic I&II
- MW Ultra

these sites:

<http://www.psytronik.net/newsite/index.php/releases>

<https://www.protovision.games/games/gamesstart.php?language=en>

aand...

Prince of Persia and Super Mario :)

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Daniel

.... 11:59pm up 28 days, 9:51:19, load: 67 processes, 273 threads.

Subject: Re: C64 new games

Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Tue, 28 Sep 2021 09:37:40 GMT

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Originally posted by: nospam.Chris.Krascek

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Hi Christian,

Thanks for the reply. This is great! We have our retro games right, but
sometimes you just want to see what someone came up with after being
influenced by those games.

Regards,
Chris

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Hi Daniel,

Thanks! I will add those titles to my list. Seems like a few could be some
RPGs.

Regards,
Chris

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Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2021 11:18:50 GMT
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Originally posted by: nospam.Chris.Hizny

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No list, and it's not exactly a new game as it is a port but...

Someone posted a link to this new port of Galaga (playable in browser via emulation), which I think is pretty excellent. Like if you're a fan of Galaga, the arcade game, the C=64 port is impressive as it really plays like the arcade:

<https://arlagames.itch.io/galaga-c64>

Subject: Re: C64 new games
Posted by [kennethzito](#) on Fri, 01 Oct 2021 14:27:11 GMT
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On Monday, September 20, 2021 at 8:33:46 PM UTC-4, Joe Cincotta wrote:

> On 19/9/21 5:39 pm, Joe Cincotta wrote:

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Wow, thats pretty awesome news!

Subject: Re: C64 new games
Posted by [Mayhem](#) on Fri, 08 Oct 2021 08:41:38 GMT
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On Saturday, 18 September 2021 at 23:20:35 UTC+1, Chris Krascek wrote:

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If you are wanting a link to the new Zzap!64 here you go:

<https://www.patreon.com/zzapmagazine>

And ignore the messages about corruption, every mag had it anyhow, and Zzap was way less than the others back then. The current team, which includes myself, have no qualms about slagging off a game if it's bad. In fact, I'd probably say many other publications right now reviewing OVER SCORE games out of some perceived need to appease the publishers and programmers who do these things.

Subject: C64 new games
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Sun, 21 Nov 2021 11:45:29 GMT
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Originally posted by: nospam.Daniel.Path

Hello Harry.

21 Nov 21 05:27, you wrote to All:

HP> Hi! I have a WIP text adventure called Smir 3, Episode 1 that I would
HP> like to share. It only has the first "chapter," in quotes because it
HP> is not currently divided into chapters. It is Sci-Fi. If anybody's
HP> interested, please reply, and I will upload it. :)

let's see! :)

Daniel

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Subject: Re: C64 new games

Posted by [Harry Potter](#) on Sun, 21 Nov 2021 13:27:36 GMT

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Posted by [Harry Potter](#) on Mon, 22 Nov 2021 00:09:27 GMT

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Sure! It's at <https://sourceforge.net/projects/cc65extra/files/game/>. Enjoy! :)
