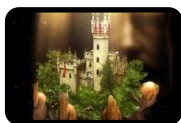


# Majesty 2: EVALUATION SUMMARY



## About Majesty 2

Developed by 1C, Majesty 2 is a fantasy-driven, real-time strategy game that builds on the success of Majesty: A Fantasy Kingdom Sim. With a strong following and with intent on building the franchise, 1C has gone to develop 3 expansion sets: Kingmaker, Battles of Arдания and Monster Kingdom. However, Majesty 2 remains a mixed bag for a number of critics and reviewers.

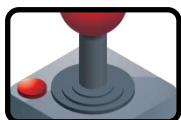
**Medium:** Disc Version

**Version Tested:** 1.00 (Patched to 1.30 to determine "DRM Removal Claim")



## About Impulse GOO

Developed by Stardock Corporation, Impulse GOO (Game Object Obfuscation) is a user-account, online-centric DRM service catered for Publishers and Developers. GOO boasts the ability to protect any game without the need for third party client services, thereby allowing Consumers to re-download their GOO-protected games from another distribution service if one ever went "out of service".



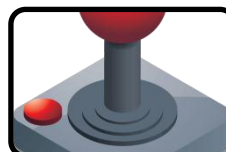
## About Paradox Interactive

A Swedish-based Video Game Developer and Publisher with a taste for strategy games, Paradox Interactive has been around since 1999 and has cultivated a strong fanbase of over 200,000. Fredrick Wester is their current CEO.

## INDIVIDUAL SCORES



41%



51%



N/A

## RYG's RATING\*

46%

UNACCEPTABLE

\* RYG's Rating is an aggregate of the Individual Scores

## AREAS OF CONCERN

### - Pre-Purchase & DRM Notification

**DRM:** Inconsistent information between packaging, EULA and website(s).

**Publisher:** As above

### - Privacy Policy

**DRM:** No documentation.

### - EULA

**DRM:** Absent.

**Publisher:** Consumers unaware of agreement until AFTER the purchase of Majesty 2; Incomprehensible and incomplete; Ownership bias; Resale not permitted.

### - Personal Backup

**BOTH:** Not permissible.

### - Installation

**DRM:** Logs not provided

**Publisher:** As above; No installation guide

### - Game Patches & Updates

**Publisher:** Difficult to find / Not Up To Date; Experience consistent with Installation process as mentioned; Patch disables online-activation component only.

### - Activation

**DRM:** Once-off online-activation; Non-disclosure of information required/requested for activation; Non-disclosure of where the information is sent/received; Activation tied to a user-account; Activation non-transferrable; Resale prohibited.

**Publisher:** As above; Poor documentation.

### - Uninstallation

**BOTH:** Some files and registry keys remain.

### - Customer / Technical Support

**DRM:** Information difficult to find and lacking on official website.

### - Internal Disputes Resolution

**BOTH:** Non-existent.