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Thread: [Patch is due to be released tomorrow. Patch details inside.](#)

Funtage - November 19, 2014, 7:17 pm

Source: <https://twitter.com/Halo/status/535269027011391489>

Patch Details: [aka.ms/nov20update](#)

MATCHMAKING

Addressed a number of issues that resulted in extended matchmaking times and low matchmaking success rates.

Made a number of updates to how matchmaking progress is communicated to the player. With this update, you'll see better, more frequent and more informative status updates throughout the matchmaking flow – so “Players Found” for example, will be displayed to let players know where they are in the matchmaking process instead of simply wondering if it's going to connect.

The improved matchmaking flow is as follows:

Searching

Searching for more players

Players found

Finalizing matchmaking process

Connecting session

Made an update to ensure that parties stick together when returning from the post-game carnage report

Prevented the ability for players “kick” other players from matchmaking games

Made an update to ensure that the Roster correctly displays the “searching” UI rather than “My Game Session” while searching for players

Removed the possibility to boost ranking through a custom games exploit

Made an update to ensure that players cannot get stuck in the matchmaking screen during map voting

Made an update to ensure that the “Connecting to your game” message no longer incorrectly displays in the lower right of the screen during gameplay

Made an update to the “team creation” phase that allows players to be grouped by team

Made an update to prevent players from seeing the “connection failed” dialogue if disconnected during the map voting screen

Improved roster / matchmaking lobby stability

Made improvements to the accuracy and stability of the “Game Session Details” UI

Improved version compatibility

UI

Improved emblem and nameplate behavior to ensure that they do not reset to default (especially after game sessions)

Corrected career stats that did not update uniformly across different profiles in multiple titles

Improved Forge map display names in Theater

Corrected various medal inconsistencies across titles

CAMPAIGN

Made updates to the attainability of various achievements, including “Goat Roped,” “Monopolized,”

“You’re Joking,” and “Devastating.”

Improved Halo: CE career stat tracking

Resolved scoring and time HUD reset and display issues

Made an update to ensure that rival emblems are displayed correctly

HALO: CE

Improved consistency and reliability of shot registration

Improved headshot hitboxes

Fixed an issue where respawning players could momentarily appear at their death location

Made an update to ensure that the match ends when the entire opposing team quits

Improved fall damage consistency (specifically in regards to uneven surfaces)

Improved Halo: CE menu and loading screen stability

Improved consistency with multikill rewards

Made an update to improve post-game carnage report accuracy for Halo: CE FFA games

Updated default language settings

HALO 2

Made an update to ensure that the team color shown in pre-game lobby matches in-game

Improved a variety of networking issues to allow for improved consistency between host and clients in peer to peer matches

Improved a variety of networking issues to allow for improved gameplay consistency

Made an update to service tag functionality, allowing for service tags to appear for all players

Improved the post-game carnage report to correctly display team color

Made an update to ensure that the match ends when the entire opposing team quits

Improved “original” medal icon functionality in split-screen

Improved host migration functionality

Corrected “headshot” stat tracking

Addressed a crash that occurred with the Scarab skull

Addressed art errors that occurred on the opening cinematics for “Uprising” and “High Charity”

HALO 2: ANNIVERSARY

Made an update to prevent players from gaining achievements in Forge

Improved Forge item display names

Resolved text overlapping issues

Improved split screen stability

Made an update to resolve the notorious “-1th” scoreboard text

Improved lobby functionality to address players not being able to reconnect to the party leader after completing a match

Improved host migration functionality

Corrected vehicle and weapon thumbnails in the “Tools of destruction” table in the post-game carnage report

Addressed a dedicated server issue that caused gameplay physics issues on Stonetown

Improved split-screen party functionality to ensure that players are not directed to a broken lobby screen after completing a game session

Improved Forge mode stability

Made an update to King of the Hill scoring to prevent multiple hills from counting down at the same time

Improved Shrine objective spawn points

Improved King of the Hill and Ninjanaut mode stability

Addressed an issue where controller vibration could persist during the pause menu

Improved Race mode respawn zones

We have additional content updates on the way, and work is already underway in an effort to continue to improve your experience with Halo: The Master Chief Collection. We thank you for your

continued patience and support.

Formant - November 19, 2014, 7:36 pm

Hopefully it'll make the game playable. #WeBack

McCaskey - November 19, 2014, 7:44 pm

Thanks for the post, but didn't have to make a whole thread regarding lol.
Made an Announcement thread for a reason until game is fixed and playable.

Captain Duck - November 19, 2014, 7:46 pm

I'm ready to go full nerd and give up my life for this game

Funtage - November 19, 2014, 7:54 pm

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Instead of making 20 threads.

LancerImpact - November 19, 2014, 9:01 pm

every game has an update saying improve host migration
i thought games didnt have a 'host' since it was on dedicated servers?
but even i have been host and there is a difference just like in h3

Redwall - November 19, 2014, 9:07 pm

I don't see anything here about being able to give party leader to somebody..

Latina Girl - November 19, 2014, 9:12 pm

It looks promising man. Now let's see if 343 can back up their words here.

Redwall - November 19, 2014, 9:20 pm

(Nov 19, 2014 10:12 PM)Slifer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It looks promising man. Now let's see if 343 can back up their words here.
Get online man.

Let's run some Halo ?

HollowSquad - November 19, 2014, 9:20 pm

That's pretty cool that they acknowledged Speed runners "Goatlope" And "Mr Monopoly". By getting thier own achievements.

DDoS Yah Dig? - November 19, 2014, 10:10 pm

(Nov 19, 2014 10:20 PM)Archfiend Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's pretty cool that they acknowledged Speed runners "Goatlope" And "Mr Monopoly". By getting thier own achievements.

Also Joker with the "you're joking" achievement. Kid goes to my school he's a beast.

Douchebag # 145 - November 19, 2014, 10:32 pm

Finally I'll be able to derank on all the kids I'm playing with. YES.

x Snoopy - November 19, 2014, 10:51 pm

Hopefully this patch actually does something so I can turn my Xbox 1 on again. I feel as if I bought it for no reason since it's just been sitting there, lmao.

iDuL - November 19, 2014, 11:14 pm

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Yeah I've actually gone back to playing Destiny over even trying to do anything with MCC.

Going to run campaign tonight so I get used to the controls again - dat transition.

who Boston - November 20, 2014, 12:12 am

(Nov 19, 2014 10:12 PM)Slifer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It looks promising man. Now let's see if 343 can back up their words here.

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Redwall - November 20, 2014, 12:15 am

Tomorrow will be the day ?

#WEBACK

kappa

Commview - November 20, 2014, 12:17 am

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lol....I was obviously being sarcastic. If you have read my previous posts about 343, you will know I was kidding. Chill out dude. lol

I have 0 faith in 343 since Reach came out. Don't worry, I'm with you on this.

CueBasE - November 20, 2014, 5:20 am

That list is sooooo long lol. Goes to show that 343 really fucked up. They basically had to recode everything.

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Yeah, I still don't believe they are going to fix this by today. I won't believe it until I see it.

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?nxy - November 20, 2014, 10:22 am

Okay sounds good, looking forward to it. ?

Haven't played much at all yet, I refused to cooperate with the brokenness.

McCaskey - November 20, 2014, 10:27 am

(Nov 20, 2014 01:17 AM)Commview Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I agree with this. I don't know why they tried to release a beta as a finished game.

Beta?

Hell naw, this game is still in Alpha lol.

Deany - November 20, 2014, 10:27 am

They better fix the campaign scoring as well. I only got like 9k points with 4 skulls on LOL. 343 can't do Math Kappa.

McCaskey - November 20, 2014, 10:27 am

(Nov 20, 2014 11:15 AM)TD5X Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) you're just mad cause he got to it before you did, early bird gets the thread ?

Kid posts everywhere i do.

Knew this kid was gay, finally coming out of the closet.

LancerImpact - November 20, 2014, 10:37 am

so did the update come out yet anyone know?

want to play a bit if it did

Dusty - November 20, 2014, 11:03 am

I've been waiting for this. I haven't even been touching the game because of the problems and no swat.

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Mac - November 20, 2014, 11:23 am

Glad to hear the patch will be out anytime now.

I can start wrecking people ?

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That probably translates to tonight EST time. If even at all. lol

Redwall - November 20, 2014, 3:24 pm

So the patch still hasn't been released?

Turtle???? - November 20, 2014, 3:29 pm

(Nov 20, 2014 04:24 PM)Redwall Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So the patch still hasn't been released?
Correct, it hasn't been released yet.

McCiskey - November 20, 2014, 3:32 pm

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LancerImpact - November 20, 2014, 3:42 pm

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CueBasE - November 20, 2014, 4:04 pm

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m?rk - November 20, 2014, 4:11 pm

Hi guys this is Mason Cobb here and I just thought i'd drop in to let you know MCC is never getting updated. We pulled down your pants and made sweet sweet love to your anus. Thanks for all the money and enjoy your half finished game.

Much love, Neighbour.

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"After download you will still experience multiple glitches still.
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As long as I can find games while searching with my friends I won't be too mad if there is still a few glitches they need to work out.

LancerImpact - November 20, 2014, 4:54 pm

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But it still takes a while

McCaskey - November 20, 2014, 5:05 pm

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Still am not finding H2A games.... im not sure why... :/

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Sounds are still fucked up too.
Just played a 5v3, that was fun... not.

Formant - November 20, 2014, 5:37 pm

BREAKING NEWS: The game is still broken. The only improvement I can see so far is the in game friends list which is still meh. Bravo tweeted that every playlist will be 5v5 until "playlist specific fixes have been made". Whatever the fuck that means. But I guess games lock in when they feel like it. I'm still playing unbalanced matches. First game 5v4 Warlock Flag. And it still took 10 minutes to find a game.

InfamyHALO - November 20, 2014, 5:38 pm

I'm getting matches a LOT quicker and a LOT more frequently but the whole 3v4 4v5 issue is still widely prevalent. In a game as we speak where it's a 3v4v1.

Douchebag # 145 - November 20, 2014, 5:39 pm

Someone, instead of kicking people in matchmaking, ended the game for me.
wat

InfamyHALO - November 20, 2014, 5:44 pm

Yeah that just happened to me.

29-13 and a kid on the other team ended it.

Redwall - November 20, 2014, 5:45 pm

So the game is still messed up lol?

I'm at work right now I'll try out for myself, when I get home.

InfamyHALO - November 20, 2014, 5:46 pm

You find games relatively instantly but everything else is still pretty fucked lol.

CueBasE - November 20, 2014, 5:47 pm

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And my cousin is a network security tech at google.

You get what I'm saying though. How many times over the years have we heard "Im gonna get you banned, I know someone at microsoft"?

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That picture doesn't prove anything lol. However, if what you say is true, you could really get you friend in trouble by spreading word like that without permission.

Funtage - November 20, 2014, 6:22 pm

Yo yo yo yo, just woke up

someone tell me

can i find games

in

matchmaking

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Gory - November 20, 2014, 7:12 pm

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You should be able to get one pretty easy yeah.

Still can't search as a team without the chance of getting split up though apparently.

Overcome - November 20, 2014, 7:32 pm

How evil am I for kind of being glad that this happened? The longer this goes on the less I'll be behind when I start playing over x-mas break.

Detoxicate - November 20, 2014, 7:36 pm

(Nov 20, 2014 08:32 PM)Overcome Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How evil am I for kind of being glad that this happened? The longer this goes on the less I'll be behind when I start playing over x-mas break. This, I'm waiting for my 25% Walmart discount to buy my XB1 MCC.

Latina Girl - November 20, 2014, 7:48 pm

So, someone tell me. Is it even worth my time getting on and playing, or this game complete screwed still?

who Boston - November 20, 2014, 7:50 pm

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LancerImpact - November 20, 2014, 8:00 pm

(Nov 20, 2014 08:48 PM)Slifer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So, someone tell me. Is it even worth my time getting on and playing, or this game complete screwed still?
yeah if you play for fun
you can find games a lot quicker
just dont care about win or lose cause teams are usually unbalanced

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(Nov 20, 2014 08:50 PM)who Boston Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Not even worth it. Still just as broken as before for me. I've seen 0 improvement.
Well, I'll probably just get on Netflix. Screw 343 right now. I'm about to go back to Halo 3 on 360 for a while and play my NBA 2K15 on the One.

Redwall - November 20, 2014, 8:07 pm

Not even letting me download the update.

Gg

Latina Girl - November 20, 2014, 8:08 pm

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I'm going to turn the Xbox on and see if I can get it downloaded.

Funtage - November 21, 2014, 12:15 am

oh cool, found a game in 1 min

even teams, 3v3.. i can deal wit dat

'setting up game'

10 mins later

'setting up game'

quit

rinse, repeat

KusH™ - November 21, 2014, 4:05 am

(Nov 20, 2014 08:48 PM)Slifer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So, someone tell me. Is it even worth my time getting on and playing, or this game complete screwed still?

If all you want to do is play custom games (party issues still) or play campaign, go for it. Otherwise, wait.