

THIS IS FOOTBALL 2 –

GAME OVERVIEW & KEY FEATURES LIST

Background:

The original “**This is Football**” has proved to be one of the most successful sports simulation ‘debut’s’ for PlayStation having sold through more than 500,000 copies in the PAL territories since it’s launch last year.

With the sequel “**This Is Football 2**” SCEE Team SOHO have listened to feedback (both good and bad) levelled at it’s predecessor resulting in a more thorough gaming experience that captures all the excitement and emotion that ‘the beautiful game’ can offer.

TIF2 also retains the association with **FIFPro** (the International Association of Football Players Unions), all genuine players will be fully represented.

Game Overview:

With “This Is Football 2” Team SOHO have built upon the realism that made it’s predecessor such a success. There is now the option of playing a full domestic football season incorporating the relevant European competition (equivalent Champions League / UEFA Cup) as well as all the domestic cups (equivalent FA Cup etc). These matches will run consecutively with league matches – creating a real sense of involvement with the team’s fortunes as the season progresses.

Previously other competitor Football titles, have focused upon the top divisions throughout the world (Premiership etc). TIF2 will also offer the consumer the option of selecting second division teams. Stunning brand new stadiums will also be featured.

The emphasis on authenticity and detail has also been applied to the gameplay. Players not only look more realistic with enhanced shading and motion captured animation detail but they also move more rapidly, having quicker reactions to commands resulting in a more free flowing, enjoyable experience. The ability to conduct real time strategic changes also enhances the competitive edge to the gameplay. Players will have the ability to conduct new and exciting special moves with enhanced player AI ensuring that there will always be a competitive challenge.

Hidden features within the game include a ‘jumpers for goalposts mode’ where there is the opportunity to re-live a school playground kick around (without ruining your trousers).

Combining all of these key features and improvements with the playability of the original, ‘**This Is Football 2**’ will be pure footballing heaven on PlayStation.

Key Features List:

- **Faster gameplay** for a more dynamic football experience
- **More responsive passes and shots** for improved player control
- **Real time strategy changes** allow the player to execute sophisticated strategy changes while still in the game
- **ICON Passing** the innovative 4 button action selection system from the Award-winning TOTAL NBA series is back to enhance all game set pieces (corners, throw-ins, Goal Kicks, Free Kicks) with a unique ICON Through-Ball feature
- **New leagues and teams:** e.g. English League Division 1, French Division 2
- **Season Mode** plays just like a real season – success in the Season qualifies you for entry in other European championships.
- **Gourad shaded players** for improved detail and 3D effect
- **New special moves** including chip/lob shots, dummy passes, plus new shimmies and feints
- **New CPU AI** the computer plays more sophisticated and entertaining football
- **New shooting system** easier to use, but even more flexible
- **Timewarp League:** historically-authentic teams from the 50's 60's and 70's featuring authentic old style kits.
- **Kids League:** 10 schoolyard teams on a special pitch with goals made up of jumpers and bags – naturally played at school lunch time!
- More sophisticated **custom kits** - for greater realism.
- **Domestic Tournaments** featuring 32 teams (England and France) 16 teams (other countries).
- **Euro Club Cup (equivalent UEFA Cup)** to qualify, finish in top 6 of respective domestic league.
- **World Club Cup (equivalent World team championship)** to qualify, win Euro Super League.
- **Euro Super League (equivalent Champions League)** win domestic league to qualify.
- **All new Commentary** the already descriptive commentary system is revamped to incorporate more sophisticated and varied feedback on the game action.

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<p>Developer: SCEE/Team Soho Genre: Sport No of Players: 1-8 players Peripheral: DUALSHOCK™ analog controller, Standard Digital Controller, Memory Card</p>
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