# MARNING: PHOTOSENSITIVITY/EPILEPSY/SEIZURES

A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures or blackouts when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or when playing video games may trigger epileptic seizures or blackouts in these individuals. These conditions may trigger previously undetected epileptic symptoms or seizures in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition or has had seizures of any kind, consult your physician before playing. IMMEDIATELY DISCONTINUE use and consult your physician before resuming gameplay if you or your child experience any of the following health problems or symptoms:

dizziness

- eye or muscle twitches
- disorientation

- any involuntary movement
- altered vision
  Ioss of awareness
  seizures or convulsion.

RESUME GAMEPLAY ONLY ON APPROVAL OF YOUR PHYSICIAN.

#### Use and handling of video games to reduce the likelihood of a seizure

- Avoid large screen televisions. Use the smallest television screen available.
- Avoid prolonged use of the PlayStation®3 system. Take a 15-minute break during each hour of play.
- Avoid playing when you are tired or need sleep.

Stop using the system immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms: lightheadedness, nausea, or a sensation similar to motion sickness; discomfort or pain in the eyes, ears, hands, arms, or any other part of the body. If the condition persists, consult a doctor.

#### NOTICE:

Use caution when using the DUALSHOCK®3 wireless controller and the PlayStation®Move motion controller motion sensor function. When using the DUALSHOCK®3 wireless controller or the PlayStation®Move motion controller motion sensor function, be cautious of the following points. If the controller hits a person or object, this may cause accidental injury or damage. Before using, check that there is plenty of space around you. When using the controller, grip it firmly to make sure it cannot slip out of your hand. If using a controller that is connected to the PS3<sup>™</sup> system with a USB cable, make sure there is enough space for the cable so that the cable will not hit a person or object. Also, take care to avoid pulling the cable out of the PS3<sup>™</sup> system while using the controller.

#### WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:

Do not connect your PS3<sup>TM</sup> system to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

#### HANDLING YOUR PS3™ FORMAT DISC:

• Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids. • Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat. • Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play. • Keep this disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

#### **3D TV DISCLAIMER:**

PS3 system software v3.30 or higher, HD 3D television with compatible 3D active glasses and highspeed HDMI cable (sold separately) required for 3D features. Visit www.us.playstation.com/support/3D for details.

Some people may experience discomfort (such as eye strain, eye fatigue, or nausea) while watching 3D video images or playing stereoscopic 3D games on 3D televisions. If you experience such discomfort you should immediately discontinue use of your television until the discomfort subsides.

SCE recommends that all viewers take regular breaks while watching 3D video, or playing stereoscopic 3D games. The length and frequency of necessary breaks may vary from person to person – please take breaks that are long enough to allow any feelings of discomfort to subside. If symptoms persist, consult your doctor.

The vision of young children (especially those under six years old) is still under development. SCE recommends that you consult with a doctor (such as a pediatrician or eye doctor) before allowing a young child to watch 3D video images or play stereoscopic 3D games. Adults should supervise young children to ensure they follow the recommendations listed above.

When using any 3D enabled device with your PlayStation®3 system you should read the instruction manual for that device and check www.us.playstation.com/ support/3D for updated information.

#### Consumer Service/ Technical Support Line 1-800-345-7669

Call this number for technical support, installation or general questions regarding PS3<sup>™</sup> and its peripherals.

Representatives are available Monday – Saturday 6AM – 8PM and Sunday 7AM – 6:30PM Pacific Standard Time.

#### **Online Setup Information**

#### **Wired Connection Setup**

Plug one end of an Ethernet cord into the back of the PS3<sup>TM</sup> system, and plug the other end into an open slot on your router or modem.

Enter Setting on the XMB<sup>™</sup> and select System Update to update your system with the latest version of its software.

To confirm your Ethernet connection is working properly, select Internet Connection Test from within Network Settings on the XMB<sup>TM</sup>.

#### **Wireless Connection Setup**

If you have an available wireless connection, you can connect your PS3™ system to the Internet without an Ethernet cord.

Enter Setting on the XMB<sup>™</sup> and select Network Settings. Choose Internet Connection Settings, select Easy for your setting method, and then select Wireless for your connection method. Choose Scan to have your PS3<sup>™</sup> system search for, and then display, a list of available wireless networks.

NOTE: If your router supports AirStation One-Touch Secure System LAN setup, select Automatic for your setting method. If you follow the on-screen instructions, the necessary settings will be completed automatically.

Choose your wireless network via its SSID (the network name). Select your preferred network and the type of security it uses.

If your network uses a password, select if it is a WEP or WPA then enter the password. If your network does not have a password, select None for security. Save your settings when you are finished.

To confirm your connection is working properly, select Test the Connection.

NOTE: Depending on the network environment, additional settings for PPPoE,proxy server, or IP address may be required. For details on these settings, refer to information from your Internet service provider or the instructions supplied with the network device. or eye doctor) before allowing a young child to watch 3D video images or play stereoscopic 3D games. Adults should supervise young children to ensure they follow



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NINJA GAIDEN



#### (DUALSHOCK®3 wireless controller)



button
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😣 button	Dash
button	Slash
button	Flail/Zombie weapon
la button	Punch
L1 button	Cyborg vision
L2 button	Execute
R1 button	Block
R2 button	Grab/Throw zombie
L3+R3 buttons	Bloodlust
Left stick	Movement
Right stick	Not used
SELECT button	Unlock/Collectibles/Gameplay Menu
START button	Pause Menu

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### MAIN MENU

NEW GAME	Start a new game.
CONTINUE	Continue a previously saved game.
MISSIONS	Select and play a story mission.
NINJA GAIDEN Z	Classic arcade action.
OPTIONS	Adjust various game settings.

#### SAVING

This game saves data automatically in the course of play. You need at least 768KB of free space on the PlayStation®3 hard disk drive in order to save the game.

#### **OPTIONS**

AUDIO	Set audio options.
VIDEO	Set video options.
CONTROLS	Set control options.
GAME	Set game options.

# ECTIONS

Yaiba's default weapons are his sword, rocket punch and cyber fist flail.

#### HEARTLESS BLADE

They called it the Tempest Blade - until Yaiba Kamikaze got his hands on it. Wield it for rapid flurries against large groups of enemies. Good all-around weapon.

#### CYBER ARM

This prototype cybernetic substitute for Yaiba's severed arm delivers enhanced strength, power and torque. Best for concentrated high-damage attacks against individuals or small groups.

#### FLAIL

Discrete links of an advanced graphite polymer blend are joined for a versatile, high-impact endo-armament. The Flail is highly resistant to electrical current. Useful for crowd control.







## COMBOS

Use different sequences of slash, punch and flail attacks to perform a variety of combos. Here is a sample of some of Yaiba's sword combos unlocked with Sword Mastery from the Leveling menu:

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Long Distends 0,0,0,0

Kamikaze Drop □,△,△,○

Scrub Orbital 0,0,0,△,△

Many more combos with punch and flail can be unlocked with Upgrade Points in the Leveling menu.



#### DASH

Use dash to dodge enemy attacks, remove zombie torsos which have attached themselves to Yaiba or extinguish flames when Yaiba is on fire. It is also useful to get out of a crowd when surrounded by enemies.



#### GUARD

Use guard to block enemy attacks. But watch out because some enemies have attacks that are too powerful to block.

Pressing the guard button just before an enemy attack lands will counter its attack. Enemies will slow down for a short period of time, allowing you to cause tons of damage on a defenseless enemy.



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#### **GRAB/EXECUTION**



Yaiba can grab Stiffs to use them as weapons or to solve environmental puzzles.

#### BLOODLUST

Filling up the meter in the upper left of the screen allows Yaiba to trigger Bloodlust. Once in Bloodlust, Yaiba will move extremely fast and do massive damage to enemies for a period of time.





When displays above an enemy, press L2 to execute it. Yaiba will perform a brutal kill that adds to his Bloodlust meter, drops health packs, and - for certain enemies - harvests a weapon from them.

#### ZOMBIE WEAPONS



Successfully complete a minigame when executing certain enemies to harvest a special weapon from them. Harvested weapons can only be used a limited number of times, shown by the weapon icon in the lower right of the screen.

#### CYBER VISION



TRAVERSAL

# elemental system

Certain enemies and zomble weapons have elemental attributes: fire, electricity or bile. Combine weapon and enemy elements to cause a variety of effects. For example, hitting a fire enemy with an electrical zomble will cause a static Storm, stunning the enemy. However, make sure Yaiba is not caught in the Static Storm too!





Yaiba can move quickly across stages using a combination of buttons through traversal routes. Colors on anchor points hint at which button to press in order to progress.





Yaiba will level up as he kills enemies, earning Perk Points with each new level. Spend Perk Points in the upgrade tree (Press SELECT  $\rightarrow$  LT / RT to switch to the Leveling menu) to unlock new attacks and abilities.

Collect life shards and elemental shards to increase maximum health and increase elemental resistance.

You can check the shards you have collected in the Equipment menu (Press SELECT  $\rightarrow$  L1 / R1 to switch to the Equipment menu).





An homage to the classic 2D Ninja Gaiden games, take Yaiba on a side-scrolling romp through level after level of enemy onslaughts. Compete for the high score on leaderboards and help Yaiba find his lost sake bottle!

Health

