



Popular real-time battle strategy game 'Age of Empires II: Definitive Edition' has introduced a new DLC (Downloadable Content) expansion, Dynasties Of India, that allows players to play as the Bengalis. The new DLC introduces three new civilisations: Gurjaras, Dravidians and Bengalis. The Gurjara and the Dravidian campaigns follow the stories of Emperor Babur and King Raja Chola, respectively. The Bengali campaign follows the story of Devapala, the 9th century Bengali emperor of the Pala dynasty.

In the game, Bengalis specialise in elephants and naval units. Bengali elephants are more resistant to anti-elephant bonus damage than elephants from other civilizations, in addition to having a strong technology tree. Furthermore, they can improve their attack speed by researching the unique technology Paiks, which also improves Rathas. Bengali ships regenerate hitpoints, allowing them to last longer. These advantages are the result of a strong economy.

When each Age is reached, Bengali

You can now play as a Bengali emperor in Age of Empires II: Definitive Edition

Town Centers automatically spawn more villagers, and the Bengalis can support a larger economy after discovering the unique technology Mahayana, which reduces the amount of population space taken up by each villager.

In addition to the gold accumulated during each trip to/from an allied Market, Bengali trade units and those of their allies generate food.

Dynasties of India will be available on the Microsoft Store and Steam from April 28, 2022.

EDITOR'S NOTE

Pixels of green, red, sweat and tears

The wide world of the web can be a wonderful place. Check out this week's Cover Story on the massive collaborative art project hosted by the subreddit r/place, and how fellow Bangladeshis battled for our spot on the internet's most colourful canvas.

We also reviewed the new Xiaomi Redmi Note 11, test drove the latest 2022 BMW X3 and compiled a list of six local smartphones under Tk. 25k, to be found on Bytes, Shift and Tech Tips respectively. As always, a colourful assortment of contents to look out for!

Ramadan Mubarak and best wishes. Until then.

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Samsung Galaxy A13 launched in Bangladesh

Samsung Bangladesh recently launched the latest version of its Galaxy A series: Samsung Galaxy A13.

Samsung Galaxy A13 features an Exynos 2.0 GHz Octa-core processor, geared with Samsung One UI 4.1 which is powered by Android 12. It comes with RAM Plus, which expands the RAM by up to 4GB by borrowing space from the ROM.

It has a 6.6-inch FHD+ display with a glossy back design and is protected with the Corning Gorilla Glass 5. The device is also equipped with a 5000mAh battery and 15W Super-Fast Charging.

The 50MP main camera is accompanied by a 5MP ultra-wide camera, 2MP depth sensor and 2MP



macro camera, along with an 8MP front camera.

Samsung Galaxy A13 is available in three colours – Blue, Peach and

Black. It is available in two variants of 4GB/64GB and 6GB/128GB, at offer prices of Tk. 16,999/- and Tk. 20,999/- respectively.

Google releases 'Switch to Android' app for iPhones: reports

Google has recently launched their much-awaited 'Switch to Android' app for iPhones, reports claim.

According to Google, this app will allow users to easily move contacts, photos, videos and calendar events to a new Android device from an existing iPhone.

This will make migrating to Android devices from iOS much easier, according to reports.

The app also includes features such as guiding how to set up a new device and turning off iMessage so important notifications are not missed.

Before the app can be used to transfer data, it will ask for a few permissions first. Only

afterwards can users use the iCloud service to move photos and contacts across devices.

While contacts and personal data can be transferred via this app, it does not allow transfer of apps, most likely due to third-party app limitations between iPhones and Android.

However, the app is currently unavailable in most countries outside the US. At the time of writing, Google has yet to officially announce the release of this app.

According to reports by TechCrunch, since April 11, the app was available for download via a direct link of the US version of the iPhone App Store.



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