

Borderlands 2 □

Borderlands 2 was officially announced on August 3rd, 2011. The game was released on September 18, 2012 in the United States, September 20, 2012 in the Australasia region and September 21, 2012 internationally. Borderlands 2 was built in Unreal Engine 3

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Story

Set five years after the events of *Borderlands*; Handsome Jack, the game's main antagonist, has taken over the Hyperion Corporation, declared himself Dictator of Pandora and taken all of the credit for finding the Vault -- going so far as to claim responsibility for killing the Destroyer. Jack has also blotted out much of the light on the planet by having a giant orbiting H-shaped base set in front of Pandora's stationary moon, creating a 'big brother' atmosphere throughout the planet. The new group of Vault Hunters in *Borderlands 2* are tasked with killing Jack and returning peace to Pandora.

Borderlands 2 begins with the protagonists on a train to an unspecified location to begin their search for the vault. The train turns out to be a trap set by Handsome Jack, to kill all who search for the Vault. The Vault Hunters defend themselves long enough to reach a train car filled with explosives and a 'dummy' Handsome Jack look-a-like. The detonation causes the train to crash in the Arctic Wasteland, with our new team strewn across the wreckage.

The game picks up with the Vault Hunters waking up to Claptrap digging through the remains. The mysterious Guardian Angel then contacts them and explains that Handsome Jack must be killed, directing players to rescue the four original Vault hunters from Hyperion's clutches to accomplish this.

All four of the original Vault Hunters reappear in the sequel as NPCs, taking a pivotal role during the main storyline and offering optional missions that continue their personal story.

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Developer(s)	Gearbox Software
Publisher(s)	2K Games
Released	September 18 th 2012 (gearbox time)
Genre(s)	FPSRPG
Mode(s)	Single-player, 4 player local and 4 player online cooperative multiplayer
Ratings	Mature 17+/PEGI 18
Platform(s)	Microsoft Windows, Playstation 3, Playstation Vita and Xbox 360

Missions

Main article: Borderlands 2 mission flow

Character Classes

Borderlands 2 initially has four player-characters:

- Axton (Commando)
- Maya (Siren)
- Salvador (Gunzerker)
- Zer0 (Assassin)

DLC characters:

- Gaige (Mechromancer) - Release date: October 9, 2012.
- Krieg (Psycho) - Release date: May 14, 2013.



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NPCs

- Brick
- Claptrap
- Dr. Zed
- Ellie
- Lilith
- Mad Moxxi
- Marcus Kincaid
- Michael Mamaril
- Mordecai
- Patricia Tannis
- Roland
- Scooter
- Sir Hammerlock
- Tiny Tina
- Crazy Earl

Enemies

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Vehicles

- Bandit Technical

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