



Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus[™] FACT SHEET

Publisher:	Sony Computer Entertainment America Inc.
Developer:	Sucker Punch
Genre:	Action-Adventure
Players:	Single-player
Platform:	PlayStation®2 Computer Entertainment System
Peripherals:	DUALSHOCK [™] analog controller, standard digital controller, Memory Card (8MB) (for PlayStation 2)
Launch Date:	September 2002
Target Age:	8 +
Rating:	“E” for Everyone

OVERVIEW

There's a new thief in town! Sly Cooper is all about taking chances and in this exciting new adventure, gamers will enjoy richly detailed, toon-shaded worlds, comically animated and amusing characters, brilliant gameplay and an action-packed caper that will have gamers sneaking around and proving they are the best thief ever! Created and developed by Sucker Punch, *Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus* has been in development for several years and is the team's first entertainment venture for PlayStation®2.

STORYLINE

Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus is a vibrantly animated caper starring the charming and wry, charismatic thief, Sly Cooper. Born into a family of the world's greatest thieves, Sly is given, on his eighth birthday, the *Thievius Raccoonus*, a family heirloom that is passed down from generation to generation containing all of their best-kept secrets and thieving techniques around. Later that evening, a gang of ruthless villains broke into his harmonious home. As Sly watched, the intruders overpowered his father, as they stole the *Thievius Raccoonus* splitting it five ways and each taking a piece of this legacy with them.

Ten years later, Sly is out to steal the *Thievius Raccoonus* back and reclaim what is rightfully his. He enlists the help of his gadget genius pal Bentley, and his big eager friend Murray, and the trio embark on a quest to restore honor to his family's name.

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KEY FEATURES

- A completely innovative and unique game adventure that blends realistic physics in richly detailed, animated worlds.
- A crafty and charming bandit determined to become the world's best thief, Sly Cooper the raccoon is a clever, colorful and witty new character for PlayStation 2.
- In addition to the charismatic Sly Cooper, gamers will meet an entire eye-popping family of loveable and not-so-nice characters all with fluid actions that will provide amusing entertainment for hours on end.
- A blend of realistic physics in richly detailed, toon-shaded worlds. As one of the world's greatest thieves, gamers will enjoy smooth, seamless gameplay and animations. Watch as this cartoon world comes to life with a depth and dimension unlike any other.
- Deep interactive environments using triple pass polygonal rendering for lighting and effects add mood and ambiance to a uniquely stylized look. Shadows, spot lights, building details and special effects take on a whole new look.
- Gamers can choose from a variety of gameplay options including stealth, platform, vehicle, boss and mini-games. Stealth and smarts are required as you sneak through the day and night...rooftop chases, narrow escapes, dodging security guards and ninja-like jumping...through windows, doors and across buildings.
- Multi-tiered gameplay including primary, secondary and tertiary objectives provide additional challenges for gamers.
- Sneak around in five unique hideouts while trying to recover the Thievius Raccoonus, including Ice, Underwater, Bayou, Venice, and Industrial.

MARKETING SUPPORT

Sony Computer Entertainment America will support *Sly Cooper and the Thievius Raccoonus* with a blockbuster multi-million dollar marketing campaign. This will include aggressive national television, print, online and viral advertising campaigns, full promotional support, dedicated point-of-purchase displays and merchandising support, broadbased public relations support, immersive and interactive website and featured coverage in the PlayStation Underground CD Magazine.

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