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Asteroid Showers and Snakes Forecast for Summer **Super Stardust HD and Snakeball to launch on PLAYSTATION Network**

- o **Super Stardust HD and Snakeball come to PSN in June and July respectively**
- o **Blast asteroids into chunks or take to the disco floor on a 'hoversnake'**
- o **Titles are available exclusively as downloads from the PlayStation Store**

A forecast of snakes and asteroid showers means that PLAYSTATION®3 (PS3) owners are likely to be staying indoors this summer. The prediction has been made by PLAYSTATION®Network (PSN) based on the imminent arrival of revamped arcade classic **Super Stardust™ HD** and the ultra-funky **Snakeball™** in the PlayStation®Store. Super Stardust HD arrives this June, followed in July by Snakeball – and both titles are exclusive to PSN, the interactive, evolving space which opens the door to a new world of exciting entertainment opportunities.

Super Stardust HD is a reinvigorated, High Definition version of the asteroid-blasting format that's been a classic since the early days of video arcade games.

- Carve asteroids into chunks, smash them into tiny pieces, punch holes through them – just destroy them any way you can while avoiding the flying debris that results. Hordes of enemies, led by the evil Professor Schaumund, are on your tail – you'll need to clear these bad guys off the map as well.
- Delivered in full High Definition at 1080p with a seriously catchy soundtrack, Super Stardust HD will keep your trigger finger occupied for hours at a time.
- Three game modes, including 2-player cooperative in which you can team up with a friend to make short work of the asteroid menace – and there are global online rankings to determine who's the ace of outer space at this addictive game.

Snakeball is simply the funkiest online sport ever created.

- Glide across an outlandishly dazzling disco floor on a bizarre hoversnake, snapping up coloured balls to score points, while other snakeballers attempt to knock you off the top spot with flicks from their multicoloured tails or blasts from their weapons.
- Choose from a variety of Snakeball riders – and if you want something more personal, you can map your own face onto a rider with the next-generation PLAYSTATION®Eye USB camera.
- Three game modes: feed the snake to make it grow as long as possible in one-player mode; take on the fiendish defences of each arena in Challenge

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Mode; or battle up to eight other Snakeballers from around the world in Online Mode.

Both **Super Stardust HD** and **Snakeball** are exclusive to PSN and will arrive in the PlayStation Store this summer.

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