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Games.on.net and 3FL to merge

16 May 2012: iiNet and Internode have announced that a single, comprehensive games portal will be launched to offer gaming enthusiasts the ultimate experience by combining the best features of existing entities, games.on.net and 3FL.

The new portal, which will retain the games.on.net name, will incorporate all the games servers, files, staff and community of 3FL while providing a Voltron-like entity of immense power that will deliver a huge range of new unmetered content in both directions.

3FL's extensive range of games servers and Freezone content, including Day[9]Daily casts are now quota-free for Internode customers, while iiNet customers can now enjoy quota-free access to games.on.net's enormous range of files, patches, demos, game servers and regular editorial content.

Stephen Harley, iiNet's Chief Product Officer, said the merge demonstrates the great benefits that come with increased scale.

"By combining iiNet and Internode resources and staff, we can offer the latest news, reviews and interviews plus more than eight terabytes of files, trailers, mods and patches and a 10,000 player capacity," Mr Harley said.

"The best bit is that all servers, files and content will remain in place so it'll be an easy transition for our customers."

Internode's Content Manager, Heidi Angove, said with the combined forces of iiNet and Internode, we will change the Australian gaming landscape for the better.

"Premium titles, a plethora of servers with a choice of rulesets, fast gameplay and excellent editorial. Together we're committed to be the best possible ISP for gamers in Australia," Ms Angove said.

The merge is expected to be complete by July 2012 – in time for games.on.net's tenth anniversary.

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About iiNet

iiNet is Australia's second largest DSL Internet Service Provider (ISP) and the leading challenger in the telecommunications market. We employ more than 2000 inquisitive staff across four countries and support over 1.7 million broadband, telephony and Internet Protocol TV (IPTV) services nationwide.

Recent acquisitions of TransACT and Internode have taken our market share to around 16 percent with more than 860,000 broadband customers.

We're a publicly listed company and we maintain our own super-fast broadband network. Our vision is to lead the market with products that harness the potential of the Internet and then differentiate with award-winning customer service.

To achieve this, we employ creative thinkers and true advocates of technology. Our people are a huge part of the iiNet success story, so we've developed a unique and stimulating work culture to ensure they remain engaged and inspired.

A lot has changed since our CEO founded iiNet in a suburban garage back in 1993 and the broadband landscape continues to evolve. What hasn't changed is our passion for the transformative benefits of the Internet and our commitment to helping Australians connect better.

About Internode

Internode, a member of the iiNet Group of Companies, is a national broadband provider with offices in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide. Already a leading supplier of National Broadband Network (NBN) services, Internode delivers ADSL2+ services nationally and has DSLAM infrastructure at more than 200 exchanges in every state and territory of Australia.

Internode offers a wide range of value-added broadband services including more than 400 Internode WiFi hotspots throughout the country, NodeMobile Data 3G wireless broadband, Internode Business Connect Private IP networks, NodePhone VoIP telephony and a pioneering IPTV service through its partnership with FetchTV.



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