
Subject: Article on EA's "monopoly" of the gaming industry

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Hey, what happens to all great empires?

They fall. It pertains to everything.

If EA makes it to the very top, they'll get cocky with no competition around and eventually fuck themselves up. If they make it that far.

Although I don't see that happening any time soon...Most likely, another company will emerge to rival them and this new company to EA will be like Microsoft/Linux to Apple. The educated to the normal, computer illiterate schmoe*. Because let's face it - A stray good game might float through, but generally, EA is marketing to the average Joe Schlum moron as opposed to...respectable gamers like ourselves.

*I've got nothing against Apple, per se. I use iTunes (This is not to say that I've scraped Kazaa) and Quicktime, and I'd buy an iPod if I had the cash.
