



***Lies of P: Complete Edition* Sets Franchise-High Rating with Nintendo Switch 2 Launch**

*Delivering combat precision and handheld play, **Lies of P: Complete Edition** sets the standard for future console launches at NEOWIZ and NOUGH Studio*



SOUTH KOREA – Aug. 12, 2026 – The reviews are in, and the launch of *Lies of P: Complete Edition* for Nintendo Switch 2 has led to the highest ratings in the history of the Soulslike franchise. With a current Metacritic score of 86, the launch has reinforced NEOWIZ and NOUGH Studio’s approach to delivering high-quality narrative gameplay experiences across PC and console platforms that resonate with audiences worldwide.

“When approaching the Nintendo Switch 2 port, our whole team was aligned on creating an experience that was faithful to the *Lies of P* gameplay on other platforms and delivering the precise feel of combat in handheld play,” said Jiwon Choi, Director, NOUGH Studio. “We are blown away by the reception from new players and will carry our learnings into our work on future projects.”

"This new peak rating is a testament to the effort we poured into faithfully replicating the high quality of the original *Lies of P* on new platforms," said a NEOWIZ representative. "We hope the *Complete Edition* allows even more global gamers to experience the

deep, engaging gameplay of *Lies of P* and look forward to the title establishing itself as a globally beloved IP."

Optimized for the Nintendo Switch 2, *Lies of P: Complete Edition* made no compromises between the docked and handheld play, maintaining a stable 60 frames per second framerate in both modes. NOUGH Studio also emphasized carrying over the franchise's Belle Époque-style world in a graphically impressive port, without losing the 19th-century Gothic environments and textures.

Lies of P was first released in September 2023 and garnered global attention for its originality in reimagining Carlo Collodi's Italian classic "The Adventures of Pinocchio" as a dark fairy tale. Alongside its prequel DLC *Lies of P: Overture*, the title has surpassed 4 million units in cumulative sales and is highly regarded for its distinctive combat system and action gameplay.

For more information on *Lies of P*, visit the [official website](#) or join the [Discord](#) for the latest updates on the franchise.

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About NEOWIZ

Established in 1997, NEOWIZ is a global leader in gaming, renowned for blending remarkable storytelling with exceptional gameplay mechanics. With a legacy spanning over two decades, NEOWIZ has solidified its position as one of Korea's foremost game companies, captivating audiences worldwide with diverse PC, consoles and mobile titles. Recent successes include *Lies of P*, *DJMAX RESPECT*, *SANABI*, *Shape of Dreams* and *Cats & Soup*, all emblematic of NEOWIZ's commitment to excellence and gamers worldwide. Welcome to NEOWIZ, where legends come to life.

About NOUGH Studio

NOUGH Studio is a development studio under NEOWIZ, the company behind the globally successful action Soulslike title *Lies of P*. Upholding the development philosophy of ROUND8 Studio and operating under the motto "Games by Gamers," the studio focuses on creating high-quality, console-based action games. Currently, the team is preparing the next installment in the *Lies of P* series under the leadership of Director Jiwon Choi.

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