



# FIFA 17

ULTIMATE TEAM™



# USER GUIDE

# A GUIDE TO FIFA 17 ULTIMATE TEAM™



Experience FIFA ULTIMATE TEAM™ (FUT), the game mode that comes included in EA SPORTS™ FIFA 17.

## LEARN ABOUT FUT AND THE MANY FEATURES AVAILABLE:

### PLAYER ITEMS

In FIFA 17 Ultimate Team™ there are a variety of 'player items' you can obtain to build your team just the way you want it. There are many ways to obtain player items, such as through opening packs, *FUT Champions* rewards, *Squad Building Challenges* or through the Transfer Market. Bronze, Silver and Gold player items are the base items given to each individual footballer who is available to use in FUT. These come in 2 forms, *Common* or *Rare*. Special Player Items are also available including *Loan Players*, *Legends* (available only on Xbox), and *Team Of The Week* (TOTW) Players which feature enhanced attributes.



### PACKS, FIFA POINTS AND COINS

Open packs or use the Transfer Market to acquire new players to build out your club and enhance team chemistry. There are a wide range of packs available in FIFA 17 Ultimate Team™ and more ways to acquire them than ever before! They can be purchased using coins or FIFA points, earned as *FUT Champions* rewards and through playing *FUT Draft* to name but a few.



### LEGENDS (AVAILABLE ONLY ON XBOX)

Achieve greatness on the pitch with the legends of the past and the stars of today! There are 10 new legends in FIFA 17 Ultimate Team for Xbox One and Xbox 360. Get ready to play with football greats such as Jamie Carragher, Alessandro Del Piero, Rio Ferdinand and Paul Scholes! This is your chance to build that squad you've always dreamed of! We're also making it easier for you to fit Legends in your team strengthening the chemistry between them and today's players, so you only need to pair Nationality between a player and a Legend to create the strong green link on the pitch.



### NEW MODE FUT CHAMPIONS



Go for glory in the all-new competitive mode within FIFA Ultimate Team™ on Xbox One, PlayStation 4 and PC. Participate throughout the week in tournaments with various squad building requirements to earn rewards and gain access to the *Weekend League*. The *Weekend League* is your ticket to some of the best rewards available anywhere in FIFA Ultimate Team™.



### NEW MODE SQUAD BUILDING CHALLENGES



Put your club management and squad building abilities to the test with an all-new way to play FIFA Ultimate Team™. Assemble players into a squad, meet the unique requirements to complete the challenge, and exchange your completed squad for exciting in-game rewards. Improve your club by playing *Squad Building Challenges* on your console or the FIFA 17 Companion App (available on Android, iOS, and Windows).



### GAME MODES



*FUT Draft* will test your team building skills as you draft a squad and challenge opponents in a tournament to win coins, packs, and more. The *Friendly Seasons* mode lets you challenge your friends in a 1 v 1 version of the fan favourite Seasons format and track your stats, and in *Single Player Tournaments* you can enter a 16 team tournament where you have the chance to win a cup and coin bonus in an offline environment.



### COMPANION & WEB APP



Stay on top of your FIFA Ultimate Team™ anywhere! Make key trades, complete *Squad Building Challenges*, and more - all on your mobile device with the FIFA 17 Companion app. The web app is the browser based version of FIFA Ultimate Team™. It allows you to manage your squad, open up packs and make transfers when not at home or able to get access to your console.



In FIFA 17 Ultimate Team™ there are eight types of consumables, each one with a part to play, from Player Training and Manager Items to Fitness and Healing Items. Here is an overview of what each consumable item entails.



## PLAYER TRAINING

The Player Training Item's role is to increase one or all six technical attributes, during a single match. The only difference between these items is that the technical attributes of goalkeepers are different from the technical attributes of outfield players. Placing one of these Items on a player will increase that attribute for use in 1 game only.

There are many player training items that can be used to increase any of the six main attributes on both the outfield player items and goalkeeper player items. These Items also range from Bronze to Gold, with the Bronze training increasing the chosen attribute by +5, Silver increasing by +10 and Gold by +15 on the attribute defined on the item.

Rare items are ones that increase all 6 attributes, for Bronze the attributes increase by +3. Silver by +6 and Gold by +10.



## POSITION ITEMS

Position items are used to alter the original position of a given player item. This can help improve the player's chemistry as they may have previously been played out of position. On the right is an example of the position changes available in FIFA 17 Ultimate Team™. GK positions cannot be altered.



## MANAGER LEAGUE ITEMS

Similarly to player items, manager items range from bronze to gold, each coming with a league in which they manage. There are many consumable items available to change the league in which your manager manages which can improve the chemistry of your team. For example, if your team is predominantly made up of Premier League players, then applying a Premier League Manager League Item will improve the chemistry of your team and how well they play on the pitch.

(More on this in the 'Chemistry' section of this booklet).



## CONTRACT ITEMS

Strategically, contract items are very important. These items range from bronze to gold and increase the amount of games a player or manager can play. The number in each coloured box indicates the number of games this contract item will allow a player or manager of the same colour item to play. The Rare Bronze contract, when applied to a bronze player, will allow them to play +15 games, whereas when it is applied to a gold player it will only allow them to play +3 games. Rare gold contracts offer the most with +28 when applied to a gold player item.



## FITNESS ITEMS

After a number of games the players within your FIFA Ultimate Team will begin to tire. Use of a fitness consumable allows you to increase the fitness of a given player and ensures they are fresh for the next upcoming game. These range from Common Bronze to Rare Gold, allowing you to increase the fitness from +20 to a Gold of +60 on any Player item. There are also Squad fitness items which increase the fitness of the whole squad from rare Bronze of +10 to Gold of +30.



## HEALING ITEMS

Healing items are used to reduce the number of games a player item is not usable for while recovering from an injury sustained in a match. The number of games the player item is unusable for ranges from 1 - 5 matches depending on the type of injury. The number on the Healing item indicates the number of games the item will reduce from the injury time. There are two types of healing items: Injury specific (e.g. foot, leg, back...), and 'All Injuries', which cover any injury.



## CHEMISTRY STYLES

Each chemistry style has its own unique attributes that it can increase. The attribute increase is dictated by the arrows which go from 1 to 3. There are chemistry items for defenders, midfielders, attackers and goalkeepers that increase specific attributes for the given player in that position.



## FUT KITS

EA SPORTS™ FIFA 17 gives you more ways than ever to personalise your Club in Ultimate Team. With the help of world-famous artists who have performed on FIFA soundtracks and talented designers from the FIFA community, multiple unique kits will be made available in FUT 17, each with its own unique way to be unlocked. Complete Squad Building Challenges, perform well in FUT Champions, or even pre-order the game and you'll get your hands on these kits. Created exclusively for Ultimate Team, the new kits give players more ways than ever before to express themselves on the pitch.

Learn more below about the artists we've partnered with and get an early preview of some of the kits that you'll see in FUT 17. We'll also be revealing more information about these artist-designed kits over time. For the latest in Ultimate Team news, follow @EASPORTSFIFA on Twitter.

## CONCEPT SQUADS

Think you know what would make a winning team? Concept Squads is a powerful squad planning tool that allows you to put together squads using every player available in FIFA Ultimate Team™. Use concept squads to plan out your next moves. Find replacements for players, test out the chemistry of an entirely new midfield, or even a whole new squad before investing.

## CHEMISTRY

In FIFA Ultimate Team™, building the best possible side requires strong chemistry. It's mainly about the relationships between players. Both players and teams perform at their best when their chemistry is high, and you'll see the results on the pitch in the form of stunning passes and epic goals.

Chemistry can be built a number of ways. Placing players next to each other who are from the same club, league or nationality will increase chemistry as these create a link. The more of these that match, the stronger the chemistry link. Putting players in their preferred positions also increases chemistry. Players that have been 'loyal' to a club will obtain a chemistry boost, players become 'loyal' if they have been gained from a pack you've opened, or by having played 10 matches for your club.

If a player is played out of position he will not perform as well as he would if he was in the preferred position. Similarly if a player is played next to players of a different nationality and league, this will affect the movement of both players and overall chemistry of the team. Manager items with the correct league that your team play in or nationality of your team will apply a chemistry boost, improving the overall gameplay of your FIFA Ultimate Team™.

### TRANSFER MARKET IS BACK IN THE APPS

Returning FUT 16 players will receive early access to the Web & Mobile Apps, enabling trading anytime, anywhere



### EASIER TO BUY AND SELL

In FUT17 Price Ranges will start much wider, creating a healthy trading experience where players on the Transfer Market remain attainable



### PLAYER LED ECONOMY

New security measures, including split economies across consoles/systems and generations means the FUT economy will remain safe and controlled by you, the players



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## ACCOUNT SAFETY

With several promotions occurring in FIFA Ultimate Team throughout the year, it's important to keep your login information safe. With the introduction of Fun, Fair & Secure, new measures have been put in place to allow you to safely and confidently enjoy the best football gaming experience.

Find out more at  
<https://www.easports.com/playon>



# PARENTAL CONTROLS

When Gaining access to FIFA Ultimate Team online via the Web App or Companion App it is possible to set up the account for your child and place any restrictions you wish on the account.

If you're setting up an Origin Account (needed to access the web app) for your child, we suggest first creating your own Origin Account, and then using the email registered on your Origin Account as the "Parental Email" when setting up your child's account to ensure you're able to contact customer support whenever your child has an issue.

Also there is no need to put your credit card details on the console/system in order to allow the gamer to purchase packs. Simply go into store and pick up a FIFA points card – this allows you to purchase points without having to supply your card details online.

Furthermore, there are many parental controls on the respective consoles/systems that FIFA Ultimate Team is being played on. Usually found within the setting section, they allow you to place controls and restrictions on the console you require, giving you peace of mind while your child is playing.



For Xbox Parental controls visit:

<https://support.xbox.com/browse/xbox-one/security>



For PlayStation®4 system Parental controls visit:

<https://www.playstation.com/en-gb/get-help/help-library/my-account/parental-controls/parental-controls-on-playstation-4/>



For Xbox Parental controls visit:

<http://www.xbox.com/en-GB/parental-controls>



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