Current status of Cloud Gaming by



Agenda

- What is Cloud Gaming
- What are the differences from the normal video streaming
- Current Standardization Activities W3C WebRTC WG
- macOS/iOS Topics

What is Cloud Gaming?

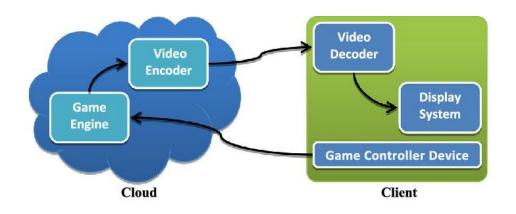


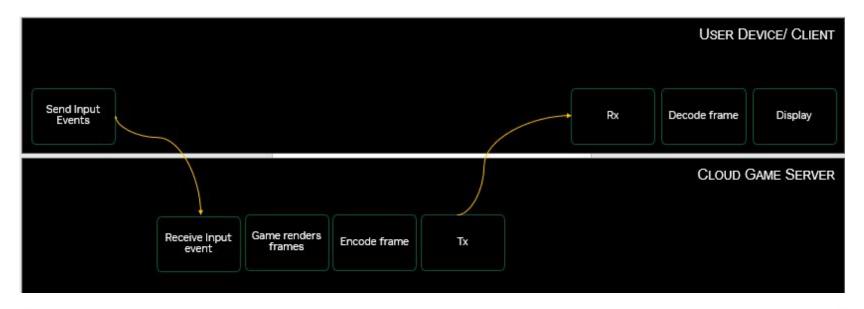
Image from: A game attention model for efficient bit rate allocation in cloud gaming

No need for new consoles, a computer upgrade - all you need is streaming capable devices and cloud gaming services.

Take a trip to the Forgotten Realms with your Chromebook and GeForce NOW

What is Cloud Gaming?

Click to Pixel Latency is one of the major performance indices in the Cloud gaming and it is recommended to be under 150 ms.



What is Cloud Gaming? - 120fps processing timeline

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What is Cloud Gaming? - Demo



What are the differences from the normal video streaming

- Ultra Low latency
 - Desirable C2P latency is < 120ms
 - > 170 ms makes first person shooter games unplayable
- Consistent latency
 - Critical for player adaptability
- Video Content
 - High motion complexity during active gameplay
 - Text, HUD overlays
 - Devil is in the details Crisp horizons, maps
- QoS
 - Video loss is highly undesirable
 - Garbled video with fast recovery better than video freeze
- And more
 - Display Vsync control
 - Unaccelerated, high event rate mouse events
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Current Standardization Activities - W3C WebRTC WG

- W3C PR#118 Quality Improvements on lossy network condition
 - Faster Video Recovery
 - <u>b/15192</u> Non keyframe based recovery through Dependency Descriptor
 - Implementing Sender Receiver Synchronization Loss notification - RPSI/LNTF (<u>RPSI Discussion</u>)
 - Consistent Latency
 - Configurable Transport Wide Collision Control Feedback interval
 - <u>b/15535</u> Increases accuracy of jitter buffer adaptation
 - Set the actual data instead of assumptions: 60fps or 10ms render delay

macOS/iOS Topics

- WebRTC Release Cycle
 - AS-IS: Bi-Annual, need to do individual update(<u>b/262881</u>)
- Higher Resolution(4K) Support
 - AS-IS: HEVC is behind a flag (b/242921)
- User Inputs(GamePad, Keyboard and Mouse)
 - Pointer Lock support on iOS(<u>b/216621</u>)
 - Keyboard Lock support (<u>i/182</u>)
 - Haptic support on iOS (<u>b/263022</u>)