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In the year 2049, a shortage of natural resources and world-wide recession grips the human society. The resulting widespread economic and social problems have turned most people to seek escapism in a massive multiplayer online virtual reality simulation called the OASIS. Players enter the world of OASIS by wearing immersion rigs comprising special visors and haptic gloves. These help to control the actions and interactions of their avatars in the online virtual society, which they customize and role-play using fancy monikers and stylized looks.

The universe of OASIS is split into many sectors, populated by different planets where avatars could travel between and explore. The planets are named after 80s pop-culture references, which the OASIS creator loved. When the creator died, he invited all the OASIS players on a Hunt to find an "Easter Egg" hidden within the huge virtual world. Players had to solve his puzzles to find three keys and open three gates scattered throughout the OASIS. They also had to prove their worthiness by passing the challenges at each gate and at the end, in order to win and inherit the entire OASIS. "Gunters" (short for egg hunters) formed clans, and sought to beat the "Sixers", employees of a mega-corporation (whose avatars names are their employee IDs all starting with the digit 6), attempting to win the Hunt to seize control of and profit from the OASIS.

With the recent sudden passing of the last winner, gunters and clans like yours have been invited to take part in a new Hunt, with the same prize at stake again.

You have now entered the OASIS with your fellow clan members as your avatars to take part in the Hunt. As before, there are three rounds in the Hunt. In each round, you will have to solve puzzles on different planets in the OASIS to find out the location of a key, and the location of the corresponding gate and how to clear it, so as to unlock the next round of puzzles. Once you have cleared the last gate, the Easter Egg should be near. Make haste in order to beat the Sixers, who are also in the Hunt, and have made use of their powerful artifacts to gain an advantage. The Puzzlesmiths, a group of high-level avatars, will assist gunters where necessary. Are you ready to start the Hunt?