

To all parties concerned:

TSUBURAYA FIELDS HOLDINGS INC.

Launch of New Pachinko Machine *SMART-PACHINKO GANTZ*

TSUBURAYA FIELDS HOLDINGS INC. is pleased to announce that its consolidated subsidiary, FIELDS CORPORATION will release a new pachinko machine, *SMART-PACHINKO GANTZ*.



This new machine will be released as a smart pachinko machine.

■ About *GANTZ*

GANTZ is a popular manga series by Hiroya Oku, which was serialized in *Weekly Young Jump* (Shueisha) from 2000 to 2013, with cumulative comic sales exceeding 26 million copies (as of February 2024).

- **Story outline:** This sci-fi action series follows individuals who, after dying, wake up in a strange apartment room. Under the orders of a mysterious black sphere known as "GANTZ," they are equipped with advanced suits and weaponry and forced into life-or-death battles against bizarre alien entities. The series is widely acclaimed for its highly original concept, intense atmosphere of suspense and dread, and visceral action sequences. At its heart is a gripping drama exploring the characters' personal senses of justice and psychological struggles, all woven into a profound narrative centered on life and death.
- **Cross-media developments:** To date, *GANTZ* has been adapted into novels, anime, and games. In 2011, a live-action movie featuring a star-studded cast generated significant attention. Following after, a full-3DCG animated movie, *GANTZ:O*, was released in October 2016, and the stage play *GANTZ:L -ACT & ACTION STAGE-* was performed in January 2018. Through these diverse media adaptations, the franchise has continued to attract a large and dedicated fan base.
- **Derivative works:** *GANTZ:E*, a spin-off manga series of the original *GANTZ* series, is currently being serialized in *Weekly Young Jump*.

■ Launch Schedule

SMART-PACHINKO GANTZ is scheduled to be available at pachinko halls nationwide starting October 2026, targeting a wide audience including pachinko and pachislot enthusiasts as well as manga and anime fans.

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