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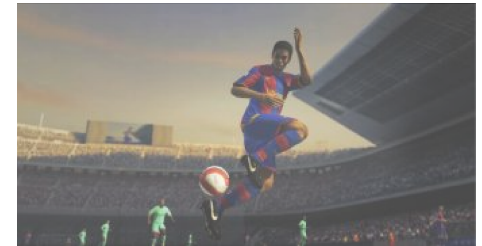
Video games are quickly starting to become an accurate virtual version of what happens in real life and [Electronic Arts](#), with its latest installment in the [FIFA](#) franchise, plans to prove us that everything is possible. And that is something that really manages to make us actually want to get our hands on the game - unlike previous versions, which didn't bring in any revolutionary features.

So, EA is planning to implement an in-game service called Adidas Live Season that will completely redefine the soccer experience: it will dynamically update your player's form, so it matches the day-to-day reality. Is Cristiano Ronaldo having a bad day and a drop in form in real life? His performance will drop in the game, too. And that is something really exciting (as long as long-term injuries are not implemented). However, this new feature will only be available for Barclay's Premier League, La Liga BBVA, Ligue 1, Bundesliga, Serie A and Mexican Primera Division - but this should be quite enough for starters.

"This is an ambitious and completely unique feature that has never been attempted before for football videogames," said Andrew Wilson, Vice President & Executive Producer for the franchise. "The game will feel and play differently each week. With adidas Live Season if Ronaldinho has a great match on the weekend you'll feel the difference when you pick up the controller as his in-game attributes increase."

So... how does this whole thing work? Well, a global network of football scouts will monitor every player in the supported adidas Live Season leagues during the entire season and they will send on a weekly basis accurate data regarding players' form - which will have an impact on player attributes and performance. As you can imagine, this service will only run until the end of the 2008-2009 season. However, it seems that it will be a paid service, since Electronic Arts announced that just one league chosen by the player will be available for free.

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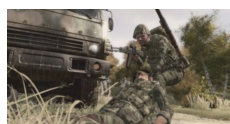
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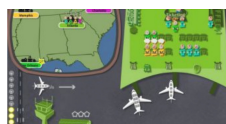
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