**Microsoft opening xCloud game streaming beta version**

Microsoft opened the xCloud beta version for the subscribers of the Xbox Game Pass on 11th August. The company will launch the beta version of the beta app of Xbox Game Pass for Android to include game streaming. The game streaming feature xCloud will be available officially on 15th September. The beta version will now be available on Google Play store for early trials. This new beta version for trial will soon discontinue and versions in Xbox Game Pass Ultimate will replace it.

A Microsoft spokesperson explained The Verge that as the launch date for cloud gaming with Xbox is coming closer, the Microsoft is entering into a limited period for the availability of beta version for the cloud gaming experience provided on Xbox Game Pass applications on Android. He added that the existing users of the Xbox game pass app (beta version) will get the testing opportunity for the subset of the available games, and meanwhile Microsoft is preparing the complete package experience for wider availability for release in September.

The limited beta version is capable to ensure the best experience for members, but it must not be considered as a similar concept for the final experience. The final version will have around 100+ games, but the beta version will have only about 30 of them for a free trial from today onwards. The preview beta version will discontinue by September 11th, before the main release.

To have an access to the beta version trial, one must be a subscriber of Xbox Game Pass Ultimate. Users must also have the beta app of Xbox Game Pass downloaded and installed in their Android devices. The app is available across 22 countries around the globe including the top developed nations like North America, Western Europe, South Korea’s few parts, and more expansion expected for the future.

According to the surveys, Microsoft also partnered with Razer, 8BitDo, PowerA, and Nacon for the creation of controllers and accessories for xCloud gaming.