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Steve Harris



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EGM RATES ₹ JOYSTICKS

(Editor's Note: Since the explosive introduction of the Nintendo Entertainment System in 1985, joysticks and other add-on peripherals which provide additional interactive feedback have become more necessary, now that pads and other more compact interfaces are now the pack-in standard. We've seen an abundance of joysticks appear for the NES, almost more than can be counted, but several do stand out, boasting either revolutionary features or unique capabilities that are de-serving of extra attention. What we've tried to compile here is a brief review of some of the most noteworthy of the dozens of peripherals we examined in the preparation of this Having examined a full spectrum of joysticks that range from the conventional to the conservative to the overwhelming, you can be sure that the sticks we show have earned their place in

Also, with more and more players buying into the new game systems, it is becoming appearant that both the Genesis and Turbo will also need the behavior of joystick control very soon. Some of the current joystick makers are looking toward these two new systems and plant to bring 16-Bit users the latest in joystick technology. A brief listing of some of the stick that can be expected for the Turbo and Genesis are also contained at the conclusion of this article.

these pages.

While some still consider the pad a perfect game-playing utility, others, who want the took and feel of the arcades or the more expressive control a josystick can offer, will probably never press 'Start' without one!

THE GIZMO

Beeshu

One of the most impressive joysticks ever created comes from the masters of the trade, Besebu. The Gizmo sets out to out-ultimate the company's Ultimate Super Sitck, with a larger base, higher joystick, and independant LED indicators, rapid-fire features and slow-motion and one or two player options. The unit also extends its list of abilities even further by including a special audio cable which connects to the system and enables you to listen to your battles and adventures in complete privacy!

Some of the best features of the Gizmo include its size, which is large enough to remain stable in just about any environment that you may wish to play in. The base is much larger than any competing stick on the market which provides added security in tight places

when game action may get more frentic than expected! The Nintendo version of the Gizmo (which we previewed), also features two nicelysized fire buttons on both sides of the central stick (for both lefties and righties), and all of the other goodies found in competing sticks are Gizmo. From independant slow-motion features to adjustable rapid-fire dials, the Gizmo has it all! The Gizmo even adopts one of the most cost-efficience the features from the rival Ninfendo Advantage stick by incorporating a dual plug that allows you to toggle a switch and share the stick with a gameplaying buddy in those games which do not require two-player simultaneous play (for which a second controller must be used).

Beyond the extensive use of every joystick power-up ever seen, the Gizen tops off its superb package with an earphone attachment that lets you plug in and listen to the action without disturbing those around you. Definitely an important feature for the joystick that promises, and delivers, just about anything void want in a stick!



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NES ADVANTAGE

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One of the first joysticks available for the NES still remains on of the best? The Advantage appeared shortly after the Nintendo Entertainment System went into wide distribution. This peripheral quickly captured the attention of most game players who were out for arcade-like sensations at home, and continues to be one of the hottest selling joysticks to this day.

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The Advantage stick is well-constructed, with a large base that is slightly weighted to keep the joystick in place.

The Advantage gets its highest marks, however, in the area that is most imporSILENCER SANSUI SSS

tant for any good joystick to succeed. It delivers on its promise to actually improve player-game interaction, which translates into better performance and overall higher scores. This is the main commandment that any good controller must pass, and the Advantage was clearly one of the top winners in that respect. When you pick up the Advantage you know that you'll be able to

"...The Advantage delivers on its promise to actually improve player-game interaction, which translates into better performance

and higher scores..."

greatly affect how well you will normally do on any game, but especially high action contests and shooters that revolve around constant movement and use of the buttons. And with special weapons like rapid-fire and slowmotion, the Advantage makes it possible to rip through just about any game in no time at all! Some of the best joyaticks we previewed weren't even joyaticks as the previewed weren't even joyaticks all, but cettensions of the normal pad that late the previewed weren't be the previewed with some nifty several are available, with some nifty enhancements not found on the regular pad. (like rapid-fire or remote capabilities), the most impressive capabilities), the most impressive controllers were ever seen, was without a doubt the Silencer Sansui SSS from Hudson.

Hudson, better known for their plethora of game titles for the NES and Turbo, now deliver a pad unlike any other. Carrying a price tag that is less than most conventional joysticks, you get your standard crosshair pad, with rapid-fire built-in, plus earphones that allow you to keep all of the sounds of battle within your own head. The Sansui controller, however, goes even further by actually simulating true stereo sound through the earphones! Since the Nintendo does not have a stereo output, this enhancement is remarkable. The results that the Sansui SSS provides to both your ears and your scores make the controller even more of a bargin to game players who want to expand the scope of what their Nintendo can do while increasing game scores at the same time. The Sansui SSS was one of the favorite controllers of the review panel, which could explain why it has received so much attention, including top honors as the best control-



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CAMERICA FREEDOM STICK

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The Camerica Freedom Stick is for those players who like the look and feel of the NES Advantage but don't want the trouble or interference of wires.

The stick itself is very similar to the Advantage in most respects, with the same basic design (again, without the buttons on the left for left-handed players). The stick also incorporates the rapid-fire and slow-motion features, but not the dual player option. The problem with the Freedom Stick lies with its advanced technology. While the stick does indeed allow you to break free from the constraints of wires, it also requires a bit more subtlety in its handling. You cannot, for instance, let anything get between you and the receiving unit that plugs into the joystick ports. Doing so breaks the infra-red signal and causes you to lose control of your onscreen alter ego until you re-establish a connection between the base and

your stick. Camerica offers several different versions of the basic Freedom Stick. including a triangular model that does incorporate two different sets of buttons and an even more exciting device that will let you plug any existing joystick or pad into a remote unit (that can rest on the floor and hook onto your belt) that then beams a signal back to a receiver installed at the system. This is an even more effective way of bringing remote play to joysticks since the Remote allows you to plug in an existing controller that you are already familiar with. Now you can rack up the same high scores you have always enjoyed, but without the tiresome troubles of wires to contend with or limited mobility.

All of Camerica's peripherals are a little more expensive as you can expect, but the remote features work rather well.

WIRELESS REMOTE

Acclaim

Another variation of the wireless joystick theme, only this time Acolaim brings us remote abilities in the same pad we've grown to know and love from Nintendo, The Acolaim pad is actually quite a bit thicker than the normal Nintendo pad, but it does offer rapid-fire options for added firepower. If you like your pad than this unit should work just fine!

THE ZIPPER

Reeshu

Still another pad controller that isn't wireless, but it does have a nice feel and comes with rapid-fire switches. The Zipper doesn't have a lot of flash, but they are brightly colored and make an excellent replacement for the standard Nintendo controller.

POWER GLOVE

Mattel

The Power Glove, like the U-Force controller from Broderbund, isn't really a joystick or pad at all. These controllers use advanced sensing mechanism to detect the positions of your hands and the actions that you perform within their field of vision. The Power Glove is the only controller of its type currently available on store shelves, however. For playability and interaction, the Power Glove scores marginally. The only problems are in the same restricting field of movements that the unit can sense The unit does look quite intimidating on anyone's hand, although a lefthanded version is not produced. Some enhancements over standard iovsticks include "Thrasher" mode that lets on-screen heros go crazy with firepower in all directions. The only drawback is that you can't move during this mode! You've got to give a little to take a little

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Happ Controls

This is the utilimate in beefed-up pads for the Nintendo. The Happ Pads for the Nintendo. The Happ Competition Pro throws everything into your hands in a shape that is very similar to that of the standard Genesis pad (although this model has only two buttons). You get rapid-life, slow-motion, and more! This is the feel of a pad, but want the features of the best top-of-the-line joysticks.

THE DOMINATOR

Nexoft

This is another one those "do-everyhing" joysticks that has just about every feature you can imagine. Ahligh price tag makes this stick questionable, but if you need a stick that has no bounds and can perform some interesting tricks, the Dominator may be the stick for you.

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ANTICIPATION

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Gray Savares Mode With this method, you can use the

gray feature squares on the third and fourth levels. When you land on the gray squares, push the 'A' button rapidly until your player marker starts flashing. The gray feature square will then be playable like a normal square.



BAD DUDES AA MEN

This neat little trick will allow you

to start the game with 64 men! When the title screen appears, on controller two press B, A, Down, Up, Down, Up, then press start on controller one. The extra men will certainly help you defeat the baddies that await!

BASES LOADED

No Elections

GREAT TIP!

There is a way to keep players from being thrown out of the game. If you get hit by a pitch and charge the mound, rapidly press the 'B' button and continue to push it until the next batter comes to the plate. Now, when you go to look at the lineup. you'll see you haven't lost the batter who should have been ejected!

ADVENTURES OF LINK

Experience Booster When it comes to Role-Playing Adven-

ture games, few titles are as well-known as Nintendo's Adventures of Link. But starting out can be tough, especially building up your experience. So here's a helpful trick that will let novice players get some quick experience with very little trouble at all!

First of all, you must have one Link on any of three games who has already completed the first adventure and is into the second. For the other Links to receive this free boost, the Link who has already finished the first quest must then go through one of the palaces. When that Link's experience begins to go up, after you have set the crystal in the statues's forehead, press 'Up' and A' at the same time on controller two. The 'Continue' or 'Save' option will appear. Select 'Save', then choose another Link to use. Upon starting his first quest, the other Link's experience will begin to rise and will continue to increase many levels!





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HYDLIDE

End Code This code will take you to the

chamber where the evil Boralis awaits. It will also start you off on your quest with 90% Life, 100% Strength, and 90% Magic!

XBNMXMPNWQMNQHB7

Be sure that, when you attack Boralis, you defend against the upper corner of his wing, and back off to heal back up.

ICE HOCKEY Super Puck

This little trick will speed up the puck so that it never stops! During the player, speed, and time select screen, hold down both the 'A' and I's buttons on both controllers and press 'Start'. The puck will continue moving when you hit it and hold down the B' button.







JOHN ELWAY"S QUARTERBACK

Seper fast Reselver
In the play select mode, move the
cursor to the Normal/Reverse window, and let the time run out. This
will make the wide receivers as well
as the quarterback extremely fast
Just snap the ball, toss it immediately to a wide receiver, and watch him
glide untouched into the endzone!

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Secret Bess Attack

Here is a way to wipe out the Bosses at the end of levels two, four, sk, and seven! Get the grenade and walk in front of the Boss. Toss it, and at the very instant it hits the creature, press the 'Start' button to pause the game. Wait at least one minute, and when you un-pause the game, that Boss will be toast!





DOUBLE DRAGON Secret Points

This trick will get you all the secret hearts in mission two! In the second round, play until you reach the Williams with the baseball bat on the top of the ledge. Defeat him, then walk slowly to the right until you're facing the red girders. YOU MUST BE AT THE VERY TOP OF THE SCREEN AGAINST THE GIRDERS! A Williams will come out from the right to get you. While he is approaching, walk back to the left towards the wire fence. When the Williams is right in front of the left edge of the girders, begin to climb up the fence. The Williams will stay where he is standing. At the top of the fence, walk left along the ledge. Climb down the first wire fence and go as far to the left as possible. Once your man cannot go any further to the left, go all the way back to where you left the first Williams standing. If you keep hitting the exact spot where the Williams was standing (he won't be there now), you will keep getting points. Keep hitting and get all your hearts!



BOMBERMAN

Ending Passoode

To warp straight to the highest levels of the game (Stage 50), use this special code, and be ready to see Bomberman's secret identity:

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COBRA TRIANGLE

1,000 Point Spine
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1,000 points for each spin you do!

SUPER TRICK!



BUGS BUNNY

Ending Code

To zip through the game Bugs Bunny without a carrot break, use these sure-fire codes:

Stage 20	ZTPZ
Stage 40	TX9W
Stage 60	YTKX



CASTLEVANIA II

Different Endines

Simon's Quest has three different endings, that depend on how long it takes to finish the game. Use these codes and destroy Dracula to see the other endings!

SECOND ENDING: CTMV W26K R5KN SIBK

THIRD ENDING: C1DF O26D L1KN SWJK





THE GUARDIAN LEGEND

To skip the adventure scenes that break up the outer-space shoot-emups, type in TGL and spaces for the rest of the positions. Now the game is a straight shooter - you'll warp right from one flying sequence to another!

Secret Sound Test

To enter a secret sound test mode in the game, hold both the 'A' and 'B' buttons on controller one, and then turn on the game.

FAXANADU Secret Code

To advance to the last board before the ending of the game, with plenty of power-up enhancements and other special items, type in this code:

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KID ICARUS

To resume play at the same position you ended, and with the same implements that you had when your game ender, simply press 'B', 'A', and 'B' on controller number One before the title screen appears. Then pick up right where you left off!



KID NIKI

Secret 1-Up Whenever a Boss is defeated, a

scroll will appear. If you hit this scroll with your sword when the first and last digits of your "Time Remaining" counter match, the scroll will then turn into a free man! Power up and play on!



GREAT

KUNG FU HEROES

Sometimes when a game says "it's over," it may not be over after all. Take Kung Fu Heroes, for example.

After all your men are gone and the screen says "Same Over," hold the 'A' and 'B' buttons down at the same time. When the title screen comes on again, while still holding down both buttons, push 'Start'. You'll then be able to continue play where you left off. You will only get about five or six continues, so make them count!

LEGACY OF THE WIZARD

Secret Code

Legacy of the Wizard is an exteremely complex and detailed game. This code will allow you to begin your quest with all the available tools and weapons, including the four crowns that let you warp from area to area (when you jump into the pic-

tures of the Princess):
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LEGACY OF THE WIZARD

When the title screen appears, press right, up, and the 'A' and 'B' buttons on controller two. On controller one, at the same time, hold left, down, and 'Select'. Then push 'Start' on controller one. You'll hear a tone to let you know the trick worked.

Choose Roas and go to the shop in the tree. Buy the crystal - it says you don't have the money but you'll get it anyway.

Bonus Players

After getting the armor, go to the house and select Roas (the son) and armor. Stand outside with the armor on and run out of magic. Go back into the house. This time, enter a password if you have it (like the one on the previous page). When your character's life runs down, it will refill three times.

Music Lesson

With everyone seated at the house, move the cursor to the painting to change the music

GREAT TIP!

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL Walk On The Crowd

First, in two player mode, you need to have the bases loaded. Make the runners on second and third run back to first and second respectively, but don't let them get tagged out. You should get a numer stuck between the bases. The opposing player with the ball can now enter the stands by walking through the upper-right wall on the bases that (Vou'il start walking on the crowd! Try throwing the ball to see what telse happens.



MEGA MAN II Pessword System

Mega Man II's password system is pretty sophisticated, for the Nintendo, especially. But with these tips, you'll be able to put in whatever you want for weapons. Select your password then enter these codes for specific items:

3E for Air Shooter 2D for no Air Shooter

> 5E for Metal 1E for no Metal

1C for Flash

3D for Wood (Leaf Shield) 5B for no Wood



5C for Crash 2E for no Crash

4B for Quick (Boomerang) 4C for no Quick

1D for Bubble

3C for no Bubble

2B for Heat 5D for no Heat

For example, to start with the Metal, Quick (Boomerang), and Heat guns, and no other guns, enter:

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In Metal Gear, you can actually use the cigarettes as a helpful item, but not before you beat the Super Computer. After you have beaten the computer. timing device is initiated for the the building to



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self-destruct.

Once this has happened, run to the right and go through the door. You will meet the Boss of the enemy. When you have successfully destroyed this opponent, check your time to make sure you can still escape. If the end Boss took too much time to eliminate. you may find yourself in a critical position with very little time left in which to make your escape.

If you are dangerously low on time, then select the cigarettes and use them. This will reset the selfdestruct timing device to 2000 and will give you plenty of time to make your es-

If you are unsure of how to use the cigarettes, don't panic. While in the last

room, you can contact Diane on the transceiver for instructions on how to use the cigarettes.

No Traps

To remove the pitfalls, press 'Select' when the trap starts to open. The pitfall will then stop. To remove it, just hit the button for the weapon select mode and press 'Select' again. The trap will disappear, and you can then proceed unscathed.





METAL GEAR

Avoid Super Computer With this trick, you don't need to destroy the Super Computer! When you enter the computer's room, Solid Snake appears in the door frame. As soon as he appears, hold the control pad or the joystick to the right and you'll appear in Outer Heaven's room! Now you can attack this Boss without having to fool around with Solid Snakel

METROID

"Strange" Code

This special password lets you do many unusual things, like get bombs without having the ball. There's no Varia with this code, but when you reach the ending, there will be a special surprise.

999999 999999 KKKKKK KKKKKK



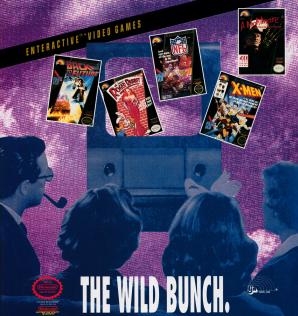
MONSTER PARTY

Lest Level Code

Forget about fighting your way through monsters and mayhem. try inputting this code instead! This will take you past all of the creatures in the previous levels and set you up for the fight of your life:

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RAMBO "Strange" Code

When the 'Start/Continue' screen comes on, select 'Continue' and input all zeroes for all the blanks, then put the prompt on 'End' to enter the code. Rambo will be invisible and the screen will be full of numbers and letters and other computer gibberish. Keep moving to the right, and you will enter a village, with Rambo still invisible. When a man appears, keep pushing up until you talk to him. Switch to the screen with codes on it, and write down that code. Reset the game and put that code in. This time. Rambo is visible, but the screen is still filled with jibberish. Keep going to the right, and you will see some rocks. Keep going right, until you again come to a village. Talk to the man in the village, and check the screen that shows your items - you will be very surprised at the items you have, and how little time it took



Secret Second Ending

Unknown to most, there are two endings to Rambo, one where his friend Co dies, and another where she doesn't. The trick to having her survive the game is not talking to her under the waterfall after she rescues you from the enemy camp. She will then be waiting for you in the helicopter after you rescue the POW's and again at the very end of the gameagh at the very end of the game you talk with Trautman. The code for the second ending is:

WL8k Xv57 TwOB WU3C BDA7 cv.I7 2PtH 9EO4

RAMPAGE

Super Point Trais

On certain levels, there are screens with rivers. Sometimes a tank will appear and drive straight into the river White the tank is submerged and is to the other strains and the submerged and is to the other side and punch very quick-by. When the tank tries to come up, you will score numerous hits and get unlimited points, until either your creature eats a person or you rate for uncomparation. You can score as many as and it can be repeated.



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RING KING

Invincibility First, start by pushing the 'A' button on controller two, then press the 'A' button, then 'Select', then the 'A' button again, all on controller one. Next, press the 'B' button on controller two, then the 'Select' button on controller one Finally, press the 'A' button, then the 'B' button on controller two, and then press the 'B' button on controller one twice. Now when you push 'Start' to begin the game, you'll be able to take as much abuse as the other boxers can dish out, and you won't ever take a fall! Remember to enter these moves during the title screen.



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ROGER PARRIT

Special Code

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RUSH 'N' ATTACK Super Glitch

This trick won't improve your score and award you 30 free men, but it is interesting and fun to watch.

To perform this trick, you must first acquire the bazooka weapon. Secondly, you must proceed to an area with a ladder.

Now, here's where some skill and timing is helpful. As you approach the ladder, shoot your bazooka in the air while simultaneously jumping, so that you land on the ladder (you need to land on the ladder in an upright position). After accomplishing this. you should move slowly up and down the ladder, avoiding enemy soldiers, until your man is in the bazooka firing position.

Keep moving up and down the ladder until the character begins to change shape. The hero's head will turn into a large rectangular mess. Then it will turn into a small explosion. a big explosion, and finally, a pile of numbers. For this trick to work, you need to have at least two shots left in the bazooka.

SPY HUNTER

Secret Dimension

To do this trick, first you need to get your car to the boathouse. Sail along until you see the boathouse that allows you to get back on the road. Pass boathouse, but just as you are lined up with it, crash into the building Be Careful!! If you crash too soon, you'll just lose a boat. If you crash too late, you'll have to sail to the next similar boathouse. The tugboat that delivers your next

tug will appear, but it will be red. Suddenly, you will see a weapons van. It will take vou overland past a fractured road. Then it will drive over a new river. It will be at the top of the screen, and your car will appear at the bottom of the

boat will move into position.

then it will disappear. Another

screen. The car will skid down then appear at the top and

SUPER TRICK!

continue until it gets to where the van would normally be. Again, be careful, because you'll be at top speed! The enemy cars will be white, the helicopters will be blue, and the road surface will seem to be slippery, as if it were ice...but it's really water! Keep going a while longer, because it gets even stranger!

If you tire of this dimension. just wait until you come to another boathouse like the one you used initially to get here. Drive through it normally, and after you pass over a small road, you will appear again on a "normal" road.

STAR SOLDIER Secret Lager

This is definitely one tough cookie to crack, but with these two nifty tricks, you'll blast your way through the game with multiple firepower and a special laser beam weapon that youwon't find anywhere in the game!

To initiate this awesome trick. before turning on the game, hold the 'A' and 'B' buttons while pressing up and to the left on the controller one keypad, and simultaneously pressing down and to the right on controller two. While doing all this (you might just need to be an octopus to do all this!). turn on the unit and during the title screen, press the 'Select' button on the controller one



keypad ten times. If you did everything right, the screen will flicker for just an instant - this will let you know that the trick has been successfully started. Press 'Start' to begin play and

hit 'Select' to switch to the special laser weapon that wipes out everything it hits! You can switch back to regular fire by pressing 'Select' again. The laser is especially effective on the Star Brains!





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Powerful Westen It is easier to defeat enemies with the Plasma Arrow To get this mighty weapon, transfer to Japan(when you get to that level). Go down the tube and move to the left. Kill the enemies flying above. Keep moving to the left. There is a man who fixes your cipher with the Plasma Arrow.

Possenda

To get to the Red DRagon (the last stage), enter this code: DMCC BGCP KPGD

Defeat The End Boss

To eliminate FanBlade, you must wait until he jumps up, and then go under him with your cipher pointing upward, and jump. He will transform into a whirlwind. Don't get hit by the whirl! ontinue this technique. and you'll eventually destroy him. Good luck!



SUPER MARIO BROTHERS II

Secret Warps

All of the warpsin SUper Mario Brothers II are listed below. You can easily warp to the end of the game using these directions:

Warp One

In World 1-3, go to the vase that's located just past the door with a potion in your hands, and you'll be able to pull down into it, and warp to level 4-1.

Warp Two

Don't climb into the clouds in world 3-1. Instead, fall into the waterfall and go through the door. Place the potion on the top of the vase, go into subspace, and down the vase to level5-1.

Ware Three

There is anotion on the second part of world 4-2, near the whales. Take the potion to the end of the stage. Jump on the whale's tail and go backwards until you get to the vase on the island. Place the potion on top and, in subspace, go into the vase to warp to level 6-1!

TECMO BOWL

Special Codes Imagine going up against the same team that you

coach in Tecmo Bowl! This code gives you Chicago versus Chicago:

697BFFA5

The letter part of the code (BFFA) is the team that you are up against; in this case, it refers to Chicago. The number part of the code (6975) refers to your team- Chicago!

Another code lets you play against Chicago and no one! Enter this code for solo play:

99-SEAN [_9:35] 13-1

397BFFA5

One more code will let you pit your skills against the same

997BFFA5

team:

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Lovel Select

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To rack up big points in Tetris, up used to have a long, vertical red block to eliminate four blocks at once. To be sure of getting a red block, as a block is falling, press 'Start' to pause the game, then push Up, Up, Down, Down, Left, Right, Left, Right, 'B', and 'A.' A long red block will replace the one at the top of the screen.



Piece Removal

To remove pieces that you placed in the wrong location, press 'Start' to pause the game, then press Left, Down, Right, U. Left, Down, Right, and then 'B' and 'A'. The last piece will apear at the top of the screen, and you can try again! This trick will only work once per game, though, so make it count!

Full Power a bit diffica

This trick is a bit difficult to do, but it really changes Ultima!

First of all, you need to do the trick with no other characters in any of the three registers. If you have names there, you have to erase them. Choose the first register and give it a name.

You'll then want to select "Create". Then select the "Ready-Made" option. Next, select the first four characters, but don't give them any names (press Reset" instead). When the "Start / Continue" choice appears, choose "Continue. The four characters will appear and will have some most unrusual terms (like 99 S un Swords).

As the game begins, three of the characters will die. The one resurrected character will have even stranger things happen to him or her, like having Latin spelling for the spells! You will be able to use both kinds of spells, but only a VERY limited amount of times.

But be warned: you CANNOT finish the game with the Unnamed character, although it is nice to be able go just about anywhere you want with this character.



WIZARDS AND WARRIORS

Here's a neal title trick that allows you to fill your gens up to the maximum! On Level Two, in the Lec Caves, get the Red key and go through the Red Door. Then go all the way up until you reach the hid-den gem block. Hif five gens out of the block, then go to the lett and fall all the way down. Climb back up to the gens to the maximum! You can only take a maximum of the gens per trip.



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Hidden Level Select First, hit 'Reset' thirteen

times just after you turn on the system, with the game already plugged in. Hit 'Start' and move the cursor prompt to "Continue." You will then be able to move left and right to select the level!



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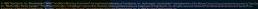


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To begin with cars A, B, C, and D and three extra lives, enter: 1 UP DOKL PEN

HOT-SECRET



ALIEN SYNDROME

Secret Weapon Use

First, you must get all the guestion marks from rounds 2 through 6. When you fight the last boss, Mr. Mimi, you'll be able to use whatever weapon you used to defeat Minosaur, the level 6 boss. That weapon will definitely be better than the normal combat rifle!

CYBORG HUNTER

Wespon Power-Ups

Keeping your guns and bomb reserves full is essential to successs in Cyborg Hunter, All you have to do is find a location where a power-up is located, retrieve the item, enter a nearby elevator and then exit the elevator on the same floor. The power-up can then be picked up again, and again, and again, and again...

AZTEC ADVENTURE

Sound Tast

Press start, and when the faces appear on the screen, press the direction pad left, then twenty times to the right. A sound test screen will appear which will allow you to access the different themes and sound effects in the game.

GREAT TIP!



THE FIGHTING MACHINE















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FANTASY ZONE

During the message screen in the demo mode, press the control pad up or down more than fifty times, and start the game. You can buy your first ship with \$1000 (usually it will cost \$2500).

Unlimited Use of Weapons

Destroying your opponents in Fantasy Zone is much easier with the laser, wide beam, and seven-way shot, and with this trick you can use these ordinarily timed weapons forever!

First, buy all four engines and keep them. The next time you buy a weapon, it will last until you lose a life.





BLACK BELT

Like many of the Double Dragon takeoffs these days, Black Belt is a tough, demanding action game that tests your endurance as well as your skill. So here's a trick to help you

hangin there!
When you begin the game, there will be a screen telling you begin with, which is followed by a blank screen. Push and hold the reset but ton down until Filki walks across the top of the screen and falls down. You will then have unlimited men!

DOUBLE DRAGON

Ferth Levil Centinee
When the fourth level appears in
Sega's Double Dragon, don't
move left or right, but instead
jump up and down fifty times.
After you do this, you will be able
to plow through the final level and
straight to the ending, with an unlimited number of continues at
your disposals.







GOLVELLIUS Ending Code

Go to the password screen and type in this password to warp to the ending of the game: VRKX A725 FMNM CDNF SQX4 CWVS YP5L QLUL

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Level Salact

Hold down both buttons, then turn on the unit and hold the buttons until the title screen appears. Release both buttons and press the upper left corner of the keypad and button one at the same time.



SHANGHAL Secret Game

To access this special game, press 'Pause' at least ten times during the title screen. Select 'Game' at the ton. of the screen. When the menu appears, choose 'Start Solitaire.' When the next menu is displayed. go to the prompt that lets you load the stored patterns. From the stored patterns sub-screen, move to Secret Game.' All of the tiles are face down, and you must select two that match to remove them.

POSEIDEN WARS 3-D Hidden Sound Test and Continue

To hear the music selections. push Up once, Left twice, Down three times and Right four times.

To continue, press Down four times, Right three times, Up twice and Left once.





QUARTET

Sound Test and Wide Beam

During the title screen press "Pause" four times and then button one on control pad two. You can then select any of

the sounds and music effects. For the Wide Beam, during the title screen press the 'Pause' button fourteen times and then press button one on controller one.

SUPER

TRICK!

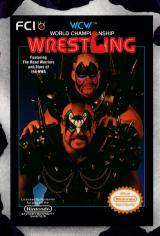
ROCKY

Defeat Drage

Rocky had a tough time beating the Russian heavyweight champ. But with this trick, your punches will guckly knock Drago for a loop!

First, you must score at least 85 during training. Then you need to score a 7 on the sandbag against Lang. Then it's on to Drago!

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R-TYPE

Invincibility Mode Before turning on the Sega Master

System, press and hold the control pad in the lower right-hand corner on controller one, while simultaneously holding up and to the left andpushing button one on controller frow. Turn on the power and keep holding the controls in the above positions until the Type logo appears on the screen.

Hidden Fourth Stage

There's also a hidden stage in R-Type that can be found at the very beginning of the fourth stage. You will see two large blank parts at the top of



screen. Touch the first blank with the left back section of your ship. At that time the hidden stage will begin!





PACTAN

KHOIMM

Uslimite Centineer
To do this trick, wait for the words
"Sega Master System" to appear on
the screen, then hold down buttons
one and two, while pressing the direction pad down and diagonally to the
left. The word "flastam" should appear
in blue, letting you know the trick has
been successfully done. Now it's no
stopping you, with all the continues
ovull lever need to finish the game!



WONDER BOY IN MONSTERLAND FREE MONEY

After you get your first sword, press the 'Pause' button 73 times, and you'll get 45 gold pieces free! This process can also be repeated.

be repeated.

Press button One twice, then button Two twice, and hold both down during the screen showing the round and area numbers. Pick a level by moving your controller Up. Down, Left or Right.



ZILLION

Invincibility

To become unbeatable, go to room C-3 and get caught in the elevator between floors. Then, move your character and touch the laser barrier nearby. When the floor of the elevator falls through and your power meter hits zero, your character will be able to proceed without any character will be able to proceed without any character for elevation that the proceed his touch the control of the proceed of the proceed without any character will be able to proceed without any character for eletting his and diving.





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Pley The Turbe Teem In the 2-Player vs. mode, choose your team second and then as you leave the team selection screen, push the button one and 'Select'. Be sure to bring your best players in from the bench to insure total domination!

CHINA WARRIOR



Debug Mode

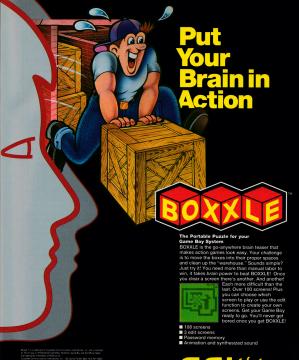
You can change the character starting round, and the enemy by resetting the game (hold 'Run' and 'Select'), release 'Run' during the title screen and press 'Up' once. Next, release 'Select' and push 'Up' three times, 'Right' six times, 'Down' twice, and 'Left' twice,

CHINA WARRIOR



To start your quest on the second act (one game finished), hold the keypad 'Up' while pressing the 'Select', 'One' and 'Two' buttons. You can continue by doing the same maneuver, but press 'Down' on the pad instead of 'Up'.





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BLAZING LAZERS Super Debug Mode and Options



During the title screen. hold the 'Select' button and quickly toggle the pad right and left until the Sound Test is activated.



Press Button One, then Button Two, and then push the 'Select' button 21 times. The Gunhed ship should appear. Make sure your Turbo-Switches are down.



Move the sound test to any effect between 0 and 9 and hit the 'Run' button. You will begin on that level! Area 0 is a special secret round not found in the game.



EXTRA MEN, BOMBS, AND INSTANT CONTINUE.,

Before hitting the 'Run' button to begin play, hold down the Number One button. You'll start play with ten fighters and ten bombs. For the first ten fighters. the game will restart at the same point you died and will not return you to an earlier point in the round. This trick can be used in conjunction with the others on this page and on any beginning level.







You can also choose to fight only the Bosses by picking a number between 00 and 0C (except 07) and then hitting 'Run' while holding 'Select'



You can activate invincibility by inputing 'AD' into the sound test and hitting 'Run'. If the command fails, try it again. Things will move slow, reset to return them to normal speed with no-kill on.

Try combining several of these commands to get super high scores and plenty of bonus men. Lise the ten men/homb trick and use the Boss select 'OA' to start on the last Boss. Defeat this Boss for a 10,000,000 point bonus (and 50 free ships). Play then begins on round one!

BLAZING LAZERS Difficulty Adjustment

You can now play even more difficult versions of Blazing Lazers once you have defeated the first! All you have to do is hold down the 'Select' button and repeatedly press the 'A' and 'B' buttons alternately. A mode select screen will appear that will allow you to choose between the difficulty settings shown below. You must repeat this maneuver for each new difficulty option to be activated. Try beating God of Game it's almost impossible!



NORMAL DOG



HARD HUMAN



SUPER MANIA



GOD OF GAME





FINAL LAP

To begin the "Quest" portion of this racing extravaganza with all of the top performance parts, all of the local racers beaten, and the raft to transport to the island where the final race is to be held, input this code:

CARR"KM LA"V3F1 LAAAAAD MQJAAGj



DEEP BLUE Secret Continue

Deep Blue is a very difficult game for even the most proficient players. No matter what you try to do you always seem to get hit! With this trick, however, you've got a chance. During the title screen, hold button one and press Start. The word "Replay" will appear under the title followed by a number (the number of continues that remain).





DUNGEON EXPLORER

Enter the password "DEBDEDDEBDA" during the entry sequence. The game will tell you that it is an incorrect code. Pick your members, then hold down the "Run" button, then press the "One" button. Not only will your character be powerful, but you can walk right over walls, water – even enemies! Watch for other strange happenings, too!

DRAGON SPIRIT

Now you can continue up to three times! This is sure to help throughout the game!

During the title screen, press the 'One'and 'Two' buttons at the same time. You will hear a short 'ping' to let you know that the continue has been activated. After vyour last dragon has been 'burned', press 'Run' to resume play.





GALAGA '90 Secret Power-Up Options

Unknown to most, there are special power-up-capsules that award erbaf filerpower, triple your ships, increase your speed, and more! Normally, you might not see these weapon boosters, but if, during the initial ship select screen, you hold the 'A' button while you press 'Start', are do agabe will appear at the end of the first round. To get the most benefit from picking up the capsule, select single fire, and when you pick up the poot, it will give you triple fire, while you still have two ships in reserve!



LEGENDARY AXE

You'll definitely need more than three continues to triumph over this challenging title! After you lose your third man, hold the 'One', 'Two, and 'Select' buttons, and rapidly press the keypad to the left. Each press will give you another continue, up to a total of around thirty or so. Now bring on that evil Jagu!



MILITARY MADNESS Sound Test and Level Codes

To enter a special sound test, begin with the 1F Continue and input the name "ONGAKU". A menu of 54 different sounds will appear which can be selected by using the pad and buttons. Reset to exit this mode.

Level One
Level Time
Level Fire
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SOUND TEST

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Borman

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Kaiser

Nector

MONSTER LAIR

To access the sound test menu, press the number one and number two buttons during the title screen. A list of different sounds, with appropriate On and Off prompts will appear and can be played.

Number Continue

This is a second continue feature that is found in Monster Lair. Make sure that you score high enough to get a record worthy of name registration. When the screen appears that allows you to input your initiats, enter 988*. You can't enter rumbers? It is you can't enter rumbers? It is possible if you press the "Select" button while moving through the different letters. Once this is done, start a new game as usual and you will be allowed to continue indefinities.



much as you want! Now Monster Lair is beatable!

MEGA

TRICK!

Secret Continue

game to complete, even with the

three continues that are offered

You can now insure success.

however, by performing this trick

When the title screen appears.

press Up, Down, Left, Right,

Select, Left in that order. You will

now be allowed to continue as

prior to play.

Monster Lair is a very difficult

MOTO ROADER

To listen to a medley of tunes from this new racing game, simply enter the word "MUSIC" during the name registration screen. A menu of different BGMs will appear which can be selected and played with the nad

Sound Test 2

To listen to the same tunes from Moto Roader but with a different password, try inputting the code "ART88" during the name registration screen. Once again, a table of different Moto Roader tunes will be displayed that can be selected and individually played via the pad and huttons.



Sarrat Tracks

Unknown to most, there are several hidden race courses in Moto Roader that you normally will not reach! You can access these different raceways by starting the game as usual, and then, when the course select screen appears, pressing one of the

combinations listed below:

One and Up Two and Down
Two and Up One and Select
One and Down One and Two



TOP SECRET! TOP SECRET!



PAC-LAND Debug Menu

There is a secret Debug mode within Pac-Land that allows you to adjust the number of Pac's you begin with (up to ten), activate a level skip feature, as well as sample some of the game's exciting sound effects. To enter this mode, hold Down, Select, Button One and Button Two while pressing Start.



PAC-LAND Invincibility

After entering the debug mode and switching the Skip option to On, press start to begin play. When the Level Skip screen appears, press Down on the pad 100 times and the words "No Hil" will appear below the word Skip. You can now begin play with no threat from any of the ghosts that are chasing you!



DATE SE

PAC-LAND Play Pro Level

To begin at the Pro stages that appear once you've beaten the game's first 32 levels of play, activate the Skip function and, when the the Skip screen appears prior to play, press Up on the pad ten times. The word Pro will appear and when you press Start you will be playing the more difficult Pro stages.

PAC-LAND

This trick doesn't affect game play that much, but it is interesting! At the end of any round, when the Break Time appears, reset the game (flun and Select) at the very moment that Pac-Man's hat raises to uncover a fairy. When you play a new game, Pac-Man's hat will hover above him exposing his bald head!



TOP SECRET! TOP SECRET!



R-TYPE

In R-Type it is possible to increase the number of remaining continues you are given at the beginning of the game. To do this, simply hold down the number One and Two buttons and then hold down the Select button as well. Credits will begin clicking onto your reserves!





SIDE ARMS Black And White Play

During the title screen, hold down the number One. Two and Select buttons while pressing the pad Up. Now push the Start button and you'll be battling evil allen invaders in black and white! Is this the future of GameBoy or what!

Slow-Me Feaqture

This trick is accomplished much the same way as the Black and White trick above. To make the game move in slow motion, hold the One, Two, and Select buttons and then press Down on the pad while pushing the Start button.





SPACE HARRIER

Normally you can enter the Mode select screen to change sounds and such. But with this trick you can also select difficulty as well as the number of men at the beginning of play. You must first get a score high enough to allow you to enter your intials. When you do, enter "MD". Now, when you go to the Mode screen you can select more.

Secret Continue

Repeat the above practice but enter "CNT" instead. Now a continue feature will appear that let's you continue at round 6 or 13!

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GHOULS AND GHOSTS Secret Weapon

To find the special weapon needed to

defeat Loki, first go to the final round, where you'll pass a treasure chest in the ground, and then meet two guards that spouf fire. Leave that treasure chest, and continue right to fight the three minimistrel winds. Return to the chest, and, with the Magic Armor on, destroy to reveal the Princess of Prover, who was the proceed to fight Lokal minimater with the state of the chest of the ches



ARNOLD PALMER'S TOUR-NAMENT GOLF

Hidden Gome

To reward a really bad golfer, Seg ahas a secret game buried in A.P. Tournament Golff To enter this game, just hit 100 shots on any hole, then, during the 'Game Over' screen, press Up, Up, Down, Down, Left, Right, 'B' and 'A', and then Start.



choose another difficulty setting,

change the length of the power

bar, and increase the number of men! Note: all tricks must be set-

up before turning on the Genesis.

Change Your Altered Equ

Press the pad Down and to the

Left while holding all three but-

secret menu screens.

tons.

Hit the 'Start' button to enter the

ALTERED BEAST

In the 16-Bit version of Altered Beast for the Genesis, you can change the game by accessing three different menu screens. In addition to a sound test, you can change your altered shape for each round, select a different round.

Play Select Menu Hold the 'B' button.

Round Select
Adjust the Play Select menu, then hold 'A'

Sound Test

Press the pad Up and to the Right, while holding the 'A' and 'C' buttons.

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THUNDER FORCE II

Special Benezes

Here are a few secrets to help you blast through one tough cookle, Thunder Force II

Level Select Mode To enter this sub-screen.

hold the 'A', 'B', and 'C' buttons while turning on the Genesis. Keep the buttons presssed and push 'Start' when the title screen appears. You can now select the starting level (1-5), the difficulty, and other onlines as well!

'Dedging' Super Bonus

To win a special bonus, you must avoid firing on the enemy through the entire round, and dodge their bullets and beams until you reach the level Boss.Attack him as you normally would, and when he's defeated, you'll receive an ad-



ditional 500,000 points added to your score!

Special Combet Bonuses

At the end of every round, once the last base is destroyed in the ovehead sceens and the Boss is defeated in the side scrolling screens, you can receive extra points on your score very easily! Simply destroy the remaining enemy forces as quickly as possible, and depending on how quick on the trigger you are, you can rack up big points!



GHOULS AND GHOSTS

Level Select

During the title screen, wait for the words
Ghouls and Ghosts' to float down the screen

Press Up, Down, Left, and Right, and you should hear a short musical tone that sounds like a harp. Then enter one of the following: 'A' Level One (Half Way) Up and Start Level Two

Ar Level One (Hair Way)
Up and Start Level Two
Down and Start Level Three
Left and Start Level Four
Right and Start Level Five
Down, Right and Start Loki *
Add 'A' to any of these selections to start in
the mixIrdia of the round.



LAST BATTLE

Last Battle is not only a difficult actionadventure game, it's also quite a long game as well. But rather than having the game end too soon, here's a trick to allow you to continue.

At the end of play, press and hold the 'A', 'B', and 'C' buttons simultaneously, while pressing 'Start' four times. If you reached a higher level, you will be able to select up to that chapter.



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TETRIS

There are three secret rocket ships contained within GameBoy Tetris. To expose them, you will need to play different games.

The first ship, the Space Shuttle, can be discovered by playing the Type B game, set on Level 9 with a heigth of 5. When you beat this game, the space shuttle will appear and take off into the sky!

The other rockets are launched from the Type A game. Score 100,000 points for a small rocket, and over 200,000 for a large one.



SUPER MARIO LAND

There is a special level select mode in Super Mario Land. Before you can activate it, however, you must first complete the entire Super Mario Land quest twice. After you beat the game the second time, a prompt will be displayed next to your score that will include the level and round number.

Use the pad to select the level and round that you would like to practice. Although you must first beat the game, this mode does let you concentrate on hard rounds.



MOTOCROSS MANIACS

Throughout each level of this fast-paced motorcycle game, you can pick up all kinds of enhancements like Nitro Boosters and Time Extenders. There are also hidden power-ups, like a Jet that enables you to use your Nitros to fly and little cycles that mean faster speeds. To find them you must do a flip in the secreta area that are located.





SHANGHAI Secret Pesswords

There are several special screens in HAL America's Shanghai that can be reached by inputting the right three letter code in the level select mode. These expand the game play in some exciting ways:

STF - This code will not let you play the game at all. Instead a list of credits appears from the people who designed the game!

REV - Reverses the tiles so that you cannot see them until they have been selected.

MAN - It doesn't get any easier!



CASTLEVANIA-THE ADVENTURE

Hidden within each level of Casilevania are secret rooms that are filled with weapon and health power-ups, not to mention however must continue to climb the rope to the right of the first big tree stump (level one), jump off the rope to the right in the middle of the stone shaft just one screen after escaping the hortzonal spikes (level three), or by walking on the invisible platform in the chamber above (level four). Now go kill Dracula!

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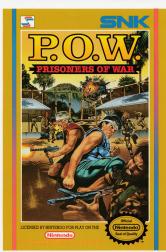
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