

#### THE RIVER OF NO RETURN

It's a long, long snaking river. Reports tell us that it never ends. Ever. Over a thousand bridges. And twenty thousand enemy encounters!

Blast battleships. Blow up bridges. Down dangerous helicopters and jets. And make sure you have plenty of fuel – if you're going to survive this mighty river.

## FLIGHT PREPARATIONS

- Set up your computer system. Follow manufacturer's instructions.
- · If using a disk, type: Load "\*",8,1. Press RETURN.
- If using a cartridge, insert it into your computer with power OFF. Then, turn power ON.
- Plug a Joystick into port one. When playing with a friend, plug another Joystick into port two.
- Press F3 to select game variation number. The higher the bridge number, the greater the challenge. (See "Variations")
- Press F1 to start.
- Press RUN/STOP to pause. Press again to continue.
- Hold RUN/STOP down and press RESTORE to return to title screen.

**Your Jet Fighter** banks to the left and right when you move the Joystick left and right. To accelerate, push Joystick forward; to slow down, pull it back. Press the red button to fire missiles. Earn one additional Fighter for each 10,000 points scored.

**Fuel** is used up at a constant rate, regardless of speed. A siren alerts you when your fuel is low. To refuel, fly over a fuel depot. The farther up the river you fly, the fewer fuel depots you'll find.

#### **FLIGHT PLAN**

The river is divided into sections. A bridge marks the end of each section, and is a good way to measure your progress. For the greatest survival, learn the river by pinpointing areas with the highest enemy concentration, **and** the most fuel depots.

Fuel is critical. When you're far up the river, fuel becomes scarce. Therefore, flying to the next fuel depot should be your top priority.

To score higher, you'll find you can actually blow up a fuel depot while refueling.

## **VARIATIONS**

## Game Number Starting Bridge # Of Players

1	1	1
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1	2
3	5	1
4	5 5 20 20 50 50	-2
5	20	1
6	20	2
7	50	1
8	50	2

## SCORING

Target	Points
Battleship	30
Helicopter	60
Balloon	60
Fuel Depot	80
Enemy Jet	100
Helicopter Gunner	150
Bridge	500
Bridge with Tank	750

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