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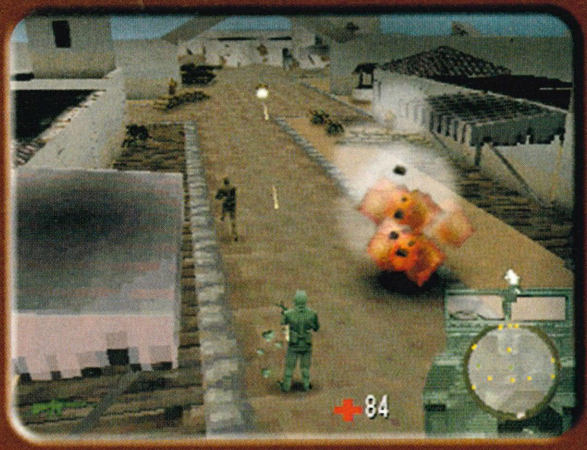
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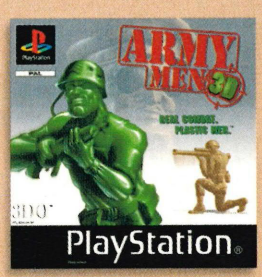






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You chose Buffy to play Lara, said that the Aussies we showed off were horny but not famous, Catherine Zeta-Moans was past it and Kelly Brook was thick-as. Remarkable taste. Given that Buffy's Sarah Michelle Gellar is fit in both meanings of the word, you've chosen wisely.





CRACKING

Gran Turismo 2 has blown us away. Early stuff we saw a few months back made us think it wasn't going to be much cop. But we were wrong. It's one giant, rammed-to-bursting, petrol-drenched kick. It's stuff like this that's going to keep PlayStation in pole position 'til PS 2 turns up.

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We reckon PlayStation is about having a top crack. That means thrashing the nuts off mates. Beating the console. And having a top laugh whilst doing it.

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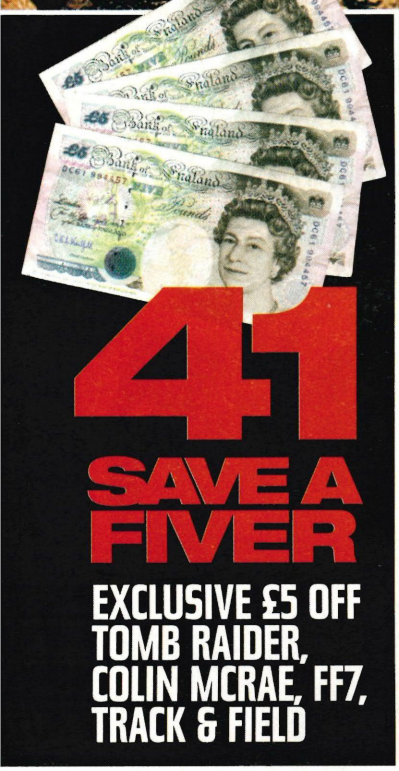
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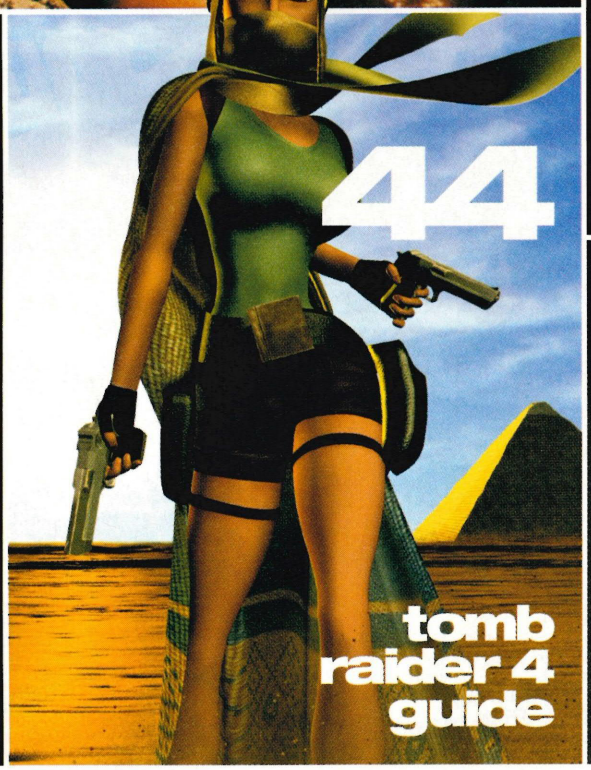


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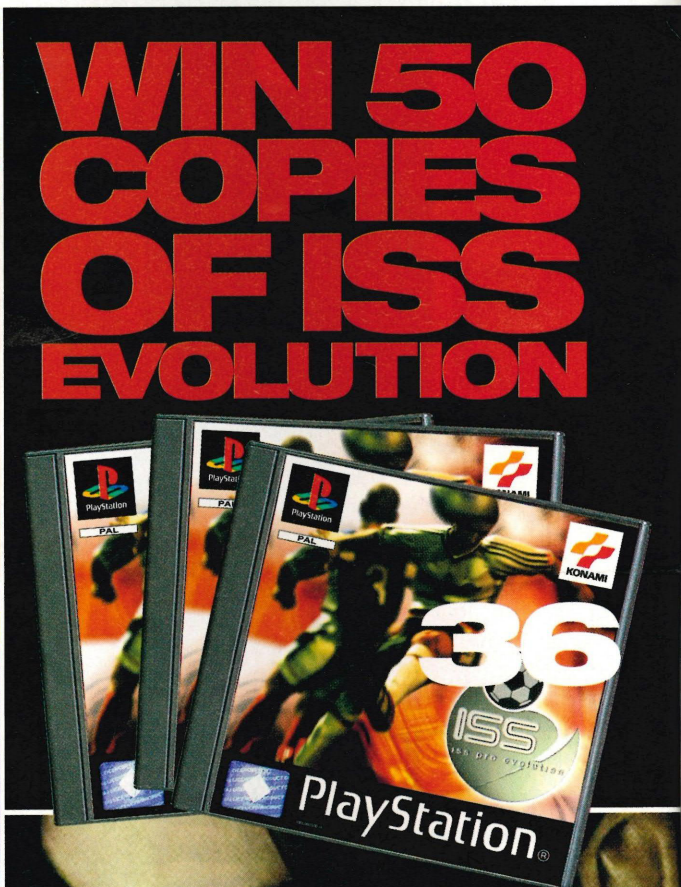
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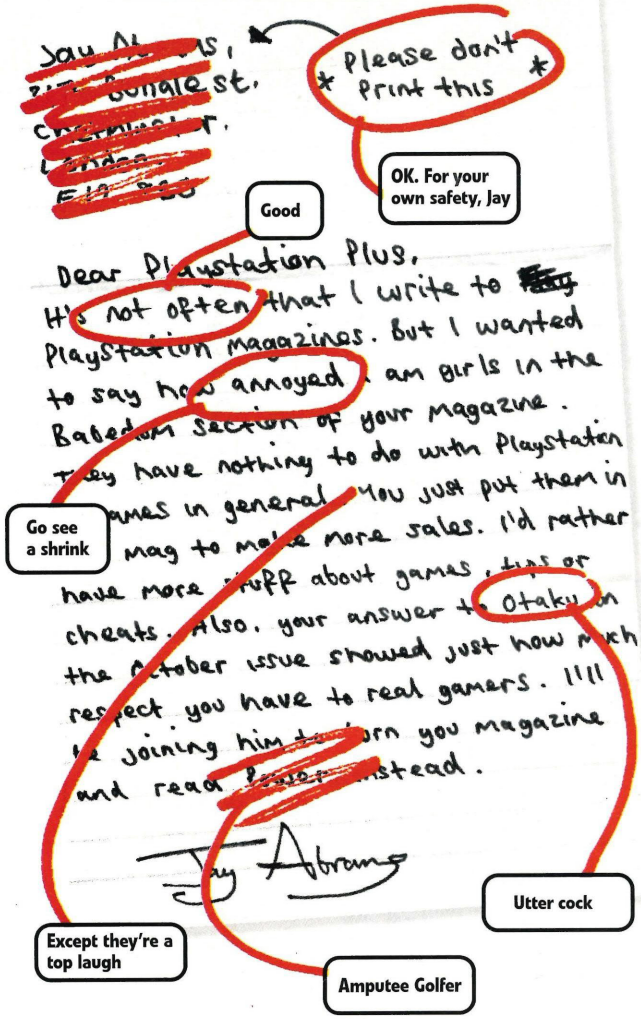
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You should organise a Tekken 3 battle between the world champion Ryan Hart and that twat Les Phillips **(from last issue's Verbal)** to see if Les is still as cocky after he's had six shades of crap kicked out of him by the Tekken 3 god.

David Beattie, Isle of Wight
Six shades of crap can be ordered directly from rob.waugh@ecm.emap.com

ESSENTIAL SLAG

What I read from others slagging off your reviews in December's Essential 101 is rubbish. Those guys don't know what they're talking about. Your marks are spot-on.

Justin Gabriel, Curraheen, Co. Cork

SEE-THRU PS 2

Congrats for a great new look in the mag and still keeping it funny. I'm looking forward to PS 2 and the screenshots are impressive. But, from the shots I've seen of New Ridge Racer and GT2000, none of the cars appear to have transparent windows. Not major, but it'd look so much better. Look at Scud Racer or Sega Rally 2 in the arcades or even TOCA 2 on PlayStation. Please tell me this is just because the games are early in development.

Matt Mountney, by e-mail
Holy shit, are you tellin' us that you're not going to buy PlayStation 2 'cos Jin's flares are a bit wide or the uniforms in Quake 2 haven't been ironed properly? The games are early in development.

FULL O' GAZZA

I'm not chuffed with your comment about Middlesbrough in your Football Manager 2000 review. They might not be the best team in the world but they're a damn sight better than most.

Ian Littlefair, by e-mail
They should call themselves Lower-Middlesbrough.

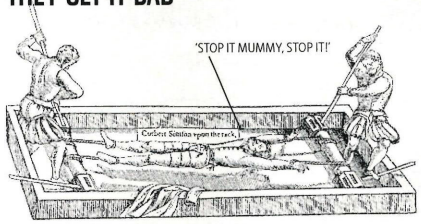
RESIDENT TWAT

Res Evil 3 looks exactly the same as all the rest. But you scored it ten. You're all cocks.

Pete Elias, Norwich
Apologise. Or eat our sputum.

PUNISH US!

WHEN THE PLUS TEAM GET IT WRONG, THEY GET IT BAD



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Accused: editor Smallman
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Sentence: shards of frozen dung pushed into his throat

Witness: Mike Walls, Newport Pagnell
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Witness: Andy Tolbourne, Essex
Accused: editor Smallman *again!*
Charge: lied about there being a Freepost envelope available to write to Verbal with
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Accused: deputy art editor Mike Newson,
Charge: used a cover of Running Wild instead of Crash Bandicoot 3 in Crash Team Racing review
Plea: guilty (by dint of criminal insanity)
Sentence: wear a suit sewn from Velcro. And no underpants



● Lindsey unveils Gossard's all-new Itsa-bleedin-Wonderbra

DAWN ON ME

Thank you for printing the picture of Adrienne Batberger who is absolutely gorgeous. In an older issue of your magazine you printed a picture of Lindsey Dawn-McKenzie posing topless, except you had put strange objects on her nipples. Could you please print this picture a bigger size, without the objects on her breasts?

Sephiroth of Nibleheim, Oxon

Anyone familiar with Lindsey would know that the whole Norwegian peninsula would need to be logged to print a poster of her. The objects you're talking about were a lifesize pair of Millenium Domes.

YANK OFF

I think it would be criminal not to have a British girl (or Australian) to play Lara. No Yanks! I believe La Femme Nikita's Peta Wilson would be a very good choice. She's used to hi-tech devices, explosives and guns. It's not a question of how big she is, she just needs to speak with a good English accent. Kate Winslet would be a good choice or Catherine Zeta-Jones 'cos she's Welsh. But please, definitely no Yank accents!

Julian Wheeler, Cheltenham

Vanessa for Lara! She's big.

PS 2 BOTTLE

If I give you a fiver, could you give me one of the ten Playstation 2s you've got up for grabs?

Chris Thomas, by e-mail

Wide-boy chancer! No bribes less than an expenses-paid trip to New York with Steps' Fay as personal masseur will count.

SCOREDRAW

Just like to say, great mag but I agree with Jamie Raisey. I prefer your marks out of 100% .Why don't you put it to the vote? Also, if I subscribe, will I stand a better chance of winning a PS2?

john.hodder, by e-mail

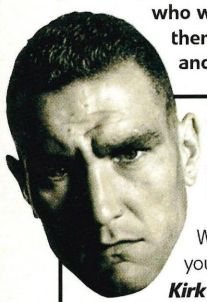
Look, what's the difference between 68% and 72%? No, we've no idea either. We think percentages are used by mags who want to big themselves up and confuse you.

LADYBOY

I saw your Tony Hawk Pro Skater stuff in the October issue and in one of the sections, you talk about the 'dudes' and how you can select '9 different blokes'. In case you didn't know, Elissa Steamer is a girl!

Cheryl Lawson, by e-mail

Fooled by the baggy combats, hoodies and sneakers we were.



VINNIE JONES REPLIES TO LETTERS WE CAN'T BE ARSED WITH

When PS 2 comes out, will you still cover PS 1 stuff?

Kirk Donohue, Fort William

'That's my business. Keep ya conk outta it.'

I reckon Jo Guest....

Joel Croft, Northants

'Wouldn't touch her if I had the last pole on earth'

In FIFA 2000, you said...

Richard Crooks, Liverpool

'I said nuffink, awright?'

Your scoring system is shit. And...

Anthony Wall, Cornwall

'I'm the Daddy. Shut your fat trap and I'll fink nuffink more of it.'

You bastards...

Alan Leeson, Kent

'I won't 'ave a word said 'gainst me family. Now apologise like a good boy.'

Middlesbrough are not rubbish...

Tracy Pfeiffer, Hull

'It's been emotional.'



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RISMO 2

e motors to make Jeremy Clarkson stiff, Gran uto heaven

It's hard enough choosing your favourite chocolate from a box of Quality Street, but when you're faced with hundreds of the coolest cars from around the world, making your decision is almost impossible. And shitloads of motors is just one of the things which makes Gran Turismo 2 the most impressive driving game you'll ever see on your PlayStation.

It's so big it comes on two discs. The first is the arcade mode, allowing you to get out to the race track in a matter of seconds. The GT mode, which spans disc two, is a more overwhelming beast. You start off with a few pennies in your pocket but that's it. Visit the second-hand motor shop and you'll get your first car, but it's only by winning races, upgrading your car and splashing out on new motors that you'll progress through the classes. It takes a lot of time though, so unless you've got a spare month and a lot of patience, you're not gonna see everything this game has to offer.



▲ Change your alloys for a cool 200,000 credits. Don't affect performance but it looks cool

WHEEL SHOP

ALLOY ALLOY, WHAT WE GOT HERE THEN?

Nine manufacturers including Dunlop and Bridgestone sell loads of different alloys for your wheels, from over-the-top gold spokes to boring silver. These change the appearance of your car but not the performance. To buy new tyres you need to visit the manufacturer of your car direct.

IT'S EVEN GOT A CAR WASH!

THE GT MODE IS SO DETAILED YOU CAN ALMOST SMELL THE GASOLINE

FOUR CITIES FULL OF CARS. GET 'EM ALL!

YOU CAN HAVE ANY CAR YOU WANT IF YOU'VE GOT THE CASH

HOME

You start the game with a million credits but no car. Although a cool mill sounds a lot, it actually buys bugger all. Most brand new motors cost at least twice that amount, so the second-hand market is the best place to buy your first car from.

NORTH CITY

Visit this place to check out cars from the UK and Germany. Manufacturers include Volkswagen, Lister, Audi, Opel, TVR, Jaguar, Lotus, Mini & MG, BMW, Mercedes-Benz and Aston Martin.

WEST CITY

France and Italy form West City's car lot, with motors from Peugeot, Fiat, Alfa Romeo, Citroen, Renault, Venturi and Lancia.

EAST CITY

The Land of the Rising Sun has a massive selection of cars on offer, including motors from Suzuki, Honda, Subaru, Mazda, Nissan, Daihatsu, Tommy Kaira, Toyota and Mitsubishi.

SOUTH CITY

Want a growling Yank tank? You've come to the right place then. Choose a car from Dodge, Shelby, Ford, Vector, Chevrolet or Plymouth.



'BRAND NEW MOTORS COST A FORTUNE SO THE SECOND-HAND MARKET IS THE BEST PLACE TO BUY YOUR FIRST CAR FROM'

LICENCES

There are five licences to pass. They're tests of skill, starting off simple and getting tougher.



▲ There are gold, silver and bronze awards to collect for each test

MACHINE TEST

Push your car to the limit over three distances, to fine tune set-ups and any modifications you've made.



▲ Check out the performances of your motor on the oval circuit

CAR WASH

For 5,000 credits your motor is given a new shine. Like, wow.



● For those who just want to wash and go

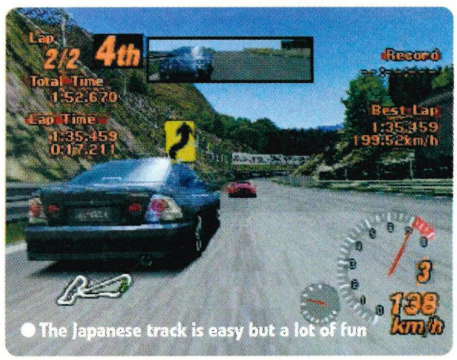
GO RACE

TARMAC TRACKS, OFF-ROAD CIRCUITS AND SPECIAL TROPHY RACES. THEY'RE ALL HERE

When you've got a car there are four divisions to compete in, from the famous GT league to new additions like the dirt events and endurance races.

1 GT LEAGUE

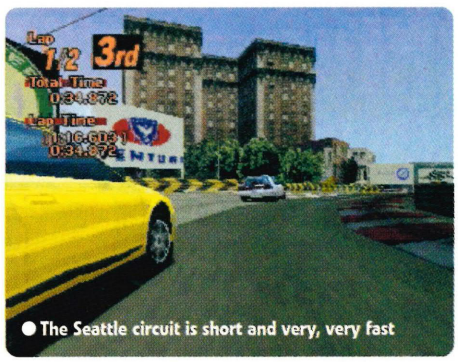
This is the main place where you can win money. You start off with six basic tracks, each with either two or three leagues to compete in. Win these and you can progress to the International semi-finals and finals if you're good enough. Get through and the prize money is enough to buy a top of the range motor.



● The Japanese track is easy but a lot of fun

2 SPECIAL EVENT

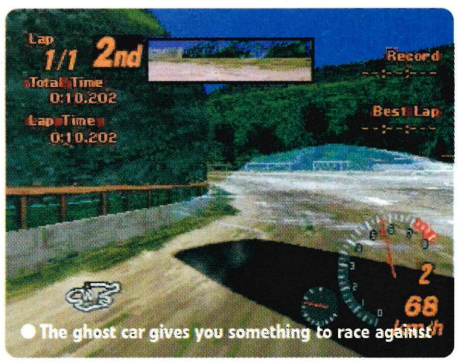
The Special Event races start off easy but soon get difficult. You'll have no worries breezing through the Clubman class races, but the other 22 events will push your driving skills to the max. There are also competitions for specific types of car including front and four-wheel drive races. You're awarded cars and cash if you win.



● The Seattle circuit is short and very, very fast

3 DIRT EVENT

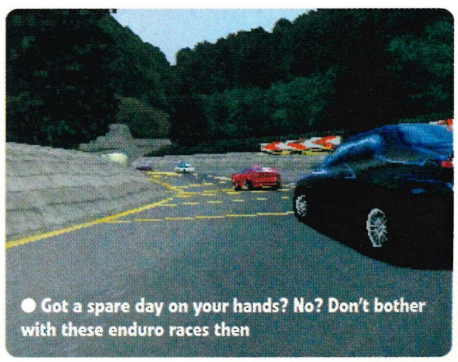
Off-road racing's much tougher than steaming round a tarmac track, so you need a couple of licences under your belt and a set of dirt tyres before you you can race. Rather than racing against other cars you're up against the clock, trying to beat the fastest time on one of the four different dirt tracks.



● The ghost car gives you something to race against

4 ENDURANCE

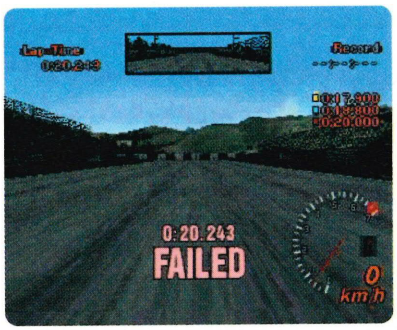
You must have the two toughest licences, International A and B, to race in these competitions. Oh, you'll also need the patience of a saint and a lot of time on your hands, because the shortest race here is a massive 30 laps. Some of the races are more than 200 miles long. The prize money is very, very good though.



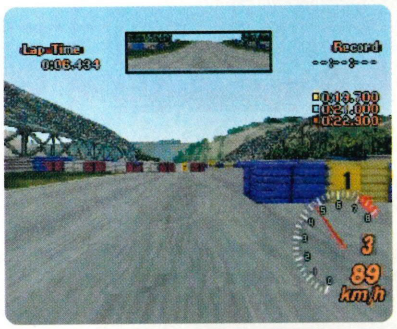
● Got a spare day on your hands? No? Don't bother with these enduro races then

LICENCED TO DRIVE

There are five licences, each with 10 tests you have to pass to access all the tracks, cars and competitions in the game. They start off easy, with simple brake tests where you have to stop on the line, but they get more and more difficult and the time limits get shorter. When you've weaved through a chicane and skidded around a hairpin in under 20 seconds, it really feels like you've earned the licence.



▲ You'll miss out on a pass even if you miss the target times by a split second



▲ Weaving through the barriers would be easy if it wasn't for the strict time limit



WHAT'S IT LIKE TO PLAY?

Gran Turismo 2 looks superb, especially in the replays. But what's really great is the way the game handles. You can really notice the difference between cars and, with a bit of practice, sliding around corners without easing off the accelerator becomes second nature.

And what makes this a real winner compared to the first GT is how clever the other cars are. It always feels like you're battling for first place: the cars bunch up into packs, weave across the track and do everything they can to make life difficult.

DRIVE 39 CARS AROUND 16 TRACKS

ARCADE MODE GIVES YOU INSTANT ACCESS TO COOL CARS AND TRACKS

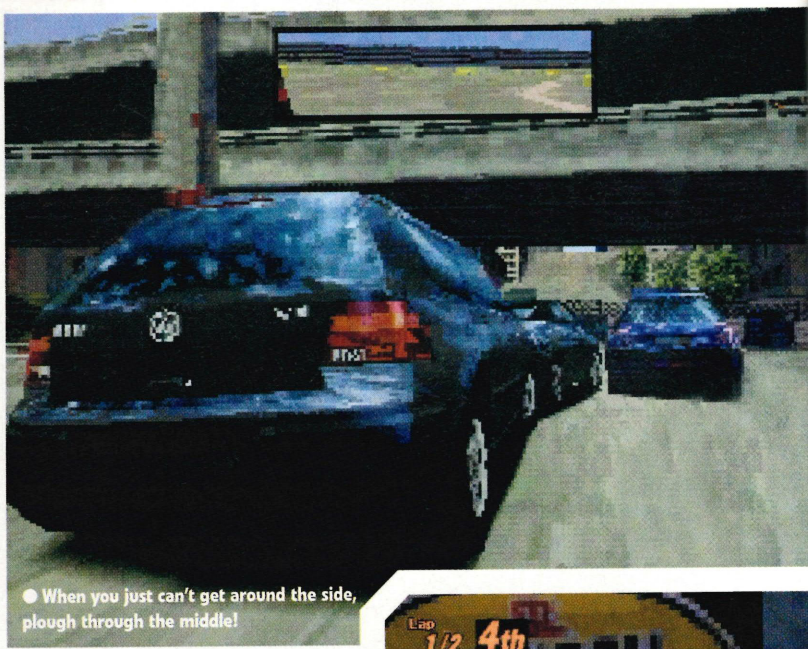
The arcade mode is the fastest way to get out onto the track and into a race. There are four options available, including time attack and two-player, but the real meat and veg of this baby is the single race and dirt track options.

Go for the single race and there are three classes to choose from, from cool sports cars to not-so-smart hatchbacks and estate cars. There are loads of cars to choose from in each division, all of which are pretty evenly matched. But what's different from the GT mode here is that you can't fiddle around with the specs – what you see is what you get basically, although you can change the colour of the bodywork.

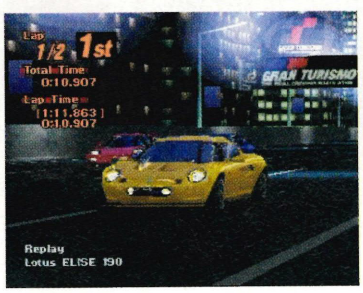
You'll recognise some of the 12 tracks of offer if you've played the first GT, such as the High Speed Ring. But there's some great new tracks to race on, like the Seattle and Rome circuits, and winning races will open up new courses, as well as giving you more motors to play with.



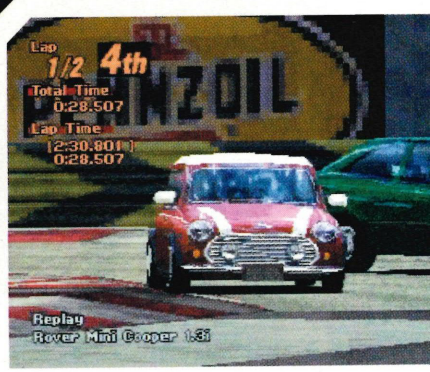
▲ The other drivers won't let you past easily, often swerving to block your way



● When you just can't get around the side, plough through the middle!



▲ A couple of the circuits from the first GT make an appearance



▲ The Mini sticks to the track like glue, but it's really, *really* slow

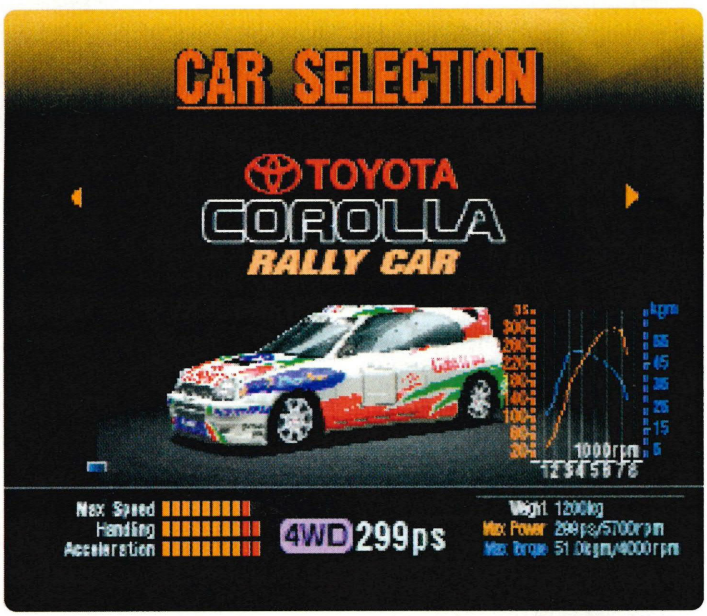
DIRT RACING

YOU'LL NEED THE REFLEXES OF A PANTHER TO HANDLE THE TRICKY OFF-ROAD RACES

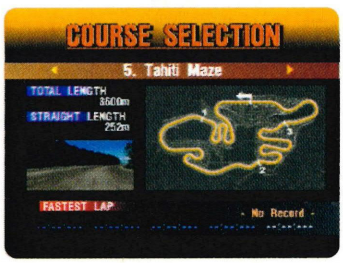
The off-road races in here are so cool it feels like you're getting a whole rally game for free. It's 'proper' rallying, too: you race against the clock rather than a load of other drivers, so you only have to worry about the bumps in the road rather than constant ramming from other cars.

It's a lot harder than most rally games. Powersliding around muddy corners feels just right as you carefully tap the brake, but it's not as forgiving as rally games like Colin McRae Rally. Make one tiny mistake, and you're gone. A lot of it is to do with the set-up of your car, making sure the suspension is spot on and the off-road tyres provide enough grip to stick to the course.

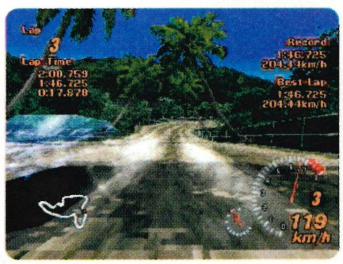
But you still have to take it carefully, braking into the corner and opposite locking the wheel to stop the back end from sliding out, otherwise you'll be left spinning helplessly into the verge. It's well tough.



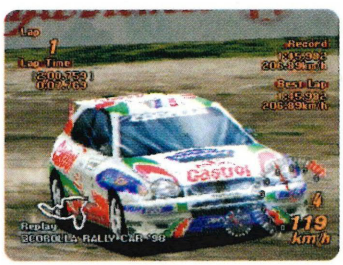
▲ There are 13 rally cars to choose from in the off-road arcade mode



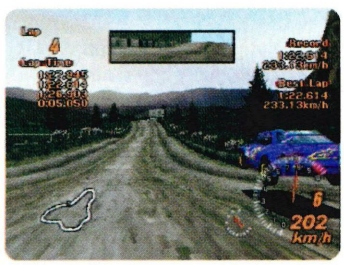
▲ Some of the tracks are really twisty-turny, so keep your speed down



▲ The see-through car is the ghost of your fastest lap. Can you beat it?



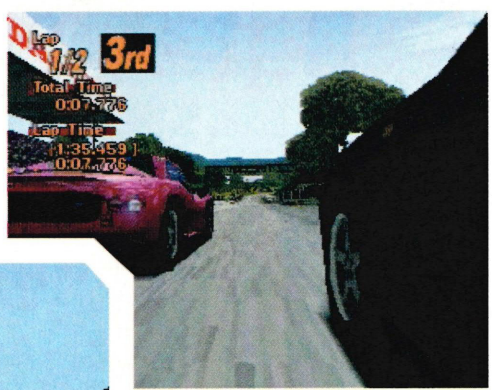
▲ You need to learn how to powerslide to stand a chance of winning



▲ Use a Dual Shock and you feel every little bump in the road

HOW MANY CARS!?

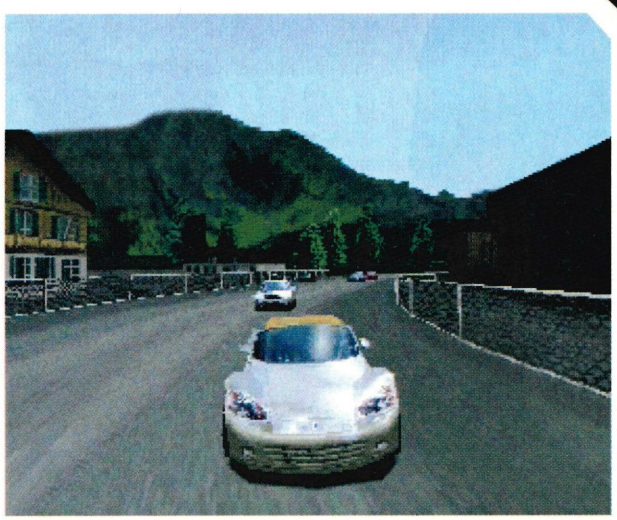
Gran Turismo 2's got more cars than any other driving game. In fact it's probably got more cars than every other PlayStation racer added together: more than 600 basic models! There's also race models and special editions to win in some of the races, adding up to more than 1000 cars. If there's a car you've always wanted to tinker with, you're pretty much guaranteed it's in there.



▲ You can even see the logo on the boot



▲ Let's face it, you can't beat the curves of the Audi TT



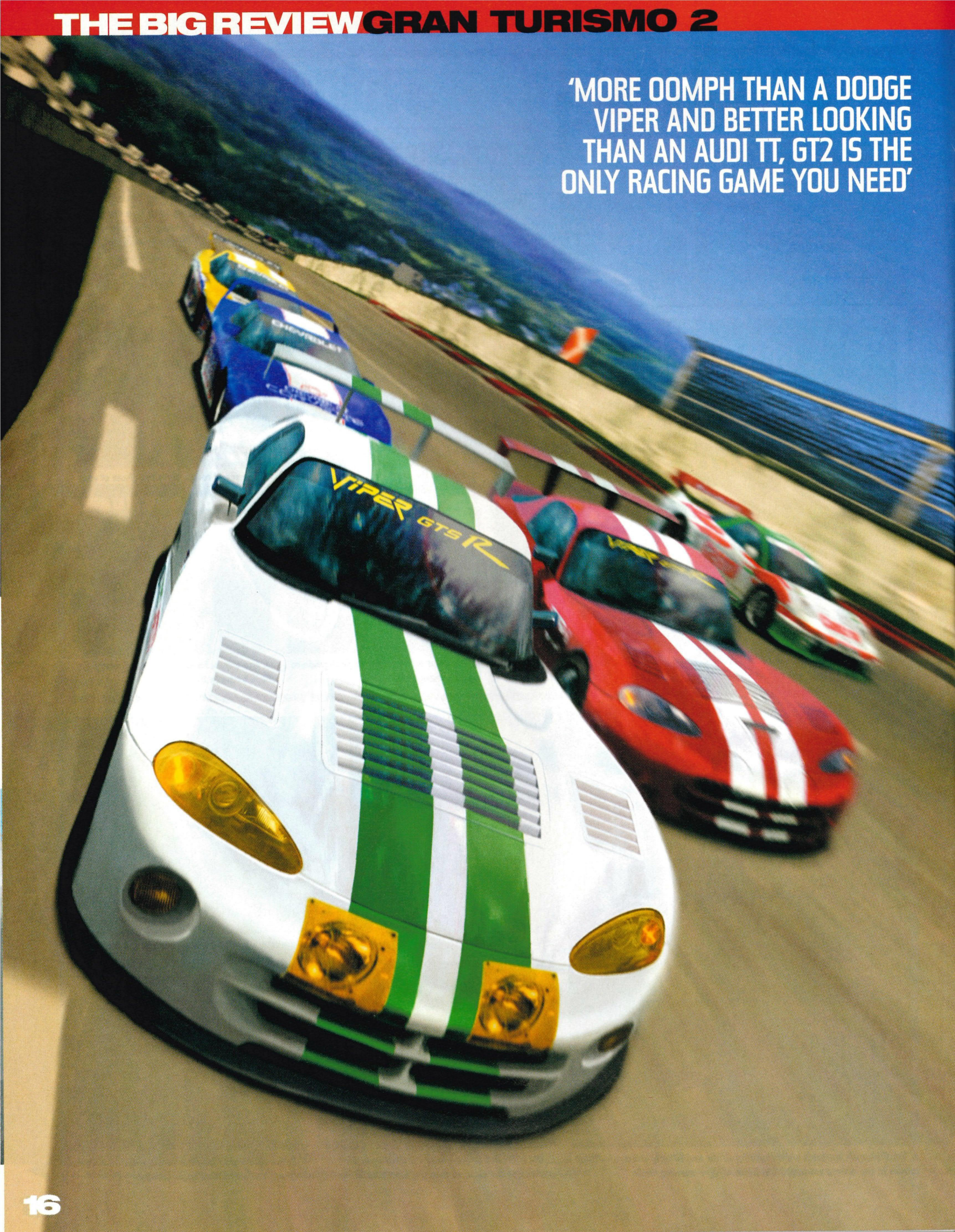
▲ The Plymouth Spyder is a slick looking motor and it fairly shifts, too. The coupes in the arcade mode provide hours of tyre-burning thrills



▲ It's well hard to get a real VW Beetle even if you've got the cash, so race the next best thing!



▲ The cars are so detailed you can tell what you're up against just with a quick glimpse


'MORE OOMPH THAN A DODGE VIPER AND BETTER LOOKING THAN AN AUDI TT, GT2 IS THE ONLY RACING GAME YOU NEED'
VIPER GTS R

REPLAYS

The replays were brilliant in the first Gran Turismo so it's no surprise they look just as good here. Graphically GT2 is mind-blowingly sharp. Some of the backgrounds look a bit blocky and it's not that much of an improvement over the original, but the courses look great and the cars are instantly recognisable. And let's face it, the first Gran Turismo was an absolute beauty, so why fix something that ain't broke?



● The replays looking stunning, especially as the cars fight for the finishing line



▲ The camera angles make it look like you're watching a proper race on the TV



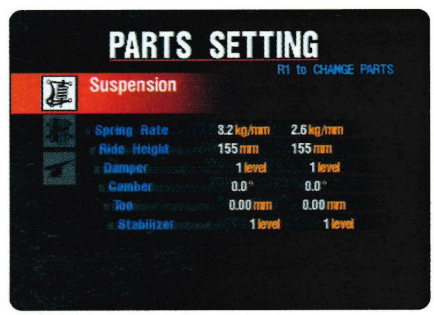
▲ You can recognise the cars just from their shape, and even make out the logos

CUSTOMISING YOUR MOTOR

You have no idea how much detail there is in the GT mode in GT2. Providing you've got the cash you can customise, modify or upgrade your car in almost any way, buying meatier engines or turbos, better suspension, more effective braking systems – whatever you want. Then you can fiddle around with the car in the car, fine-tuning your set-up to suit the style of the circuit you're about to race on. It's in-depth stuff, but when you're totally clued-up and know how to get the most from your motor, it's very satisfying.



▲ If you've got the cash it's essential to upgrade your car with any of these spare parts



▲ Nerdy alert! Be warned, Gran Turismo 2 goes into *a lot* of detail, so get your anorak ready

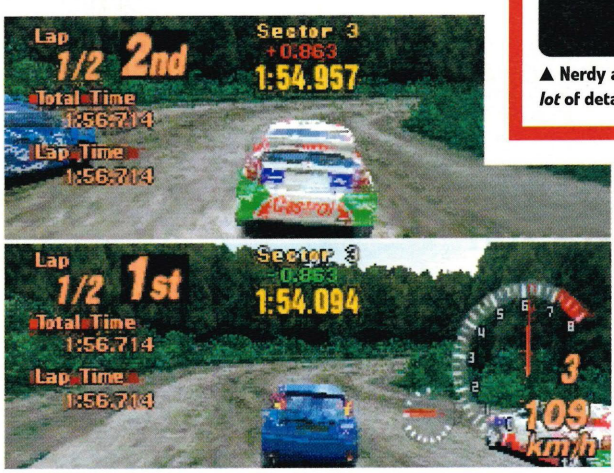
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GT2'S TWO-PLAYER IS AN ABSOLUTE CRACKER

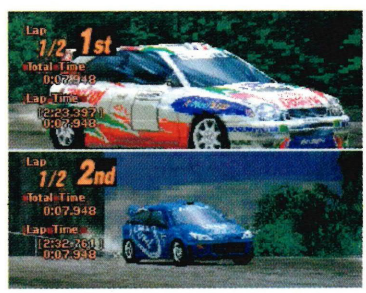
Only available in the arcade mode, the two-player's the only mode where you can race against another car on the dirt tracks. The road races are just as good too, and you get the same number of cars and tracks as offered in the one-player game – that's one heck of a lot. You can also load any cars you've saved in the GT mode. It's a bit annoying there's only two cars on the track, but it looks great in split-screen, so who's complaining?



▲ Choose from any of the arcade mode's cars and tracks



▲ Off-roading, two-player style. Plays well, but it's difficult



▲ If one driver is much better than the other there's not much of a battle for first place

LIKE THIS? TRY THESE

Ridge Racer 4: more arcade-y than GT2, but blinding all the same



Colin McRae Rally: awesome off-roader that's a steal for £20



PLUS RECKONS

More oomph than a Dodge Viper and better looking than an Audi TT, Gran Turismo 2 handles sweeter than a sports car and it's a lot more affordable. And with more extras than a Hollywood blockbuster, this racing classic will keep you on the track for months. GT2 is the only racing game you need. **Alex**

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INTERNATIONAL TRACK AND FIELD 2

Bash the buttons till your fingers bleed or your joypad falls apart. Warning: this PlayStation game can seriously damage your health!

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1-4 PLAYERS JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD, MULTITAP

Anyone can compete in armchair athletics. All you need is your full complement of limbs, a couple of mates and a multitap. Problem is, unless you can hit the joypad buttons at least 50 times a second, you've got about as much chance of breaking world records as a bed-ridden OAP.

International Track & Field 2 is essentially the same kind of game as the first one, but with a handful of new events, such as springboard diving and cycling. There's more variety too. The key to success on some events is split-second timing rather than full-on thrashing, as well as button combos to pull off tricky twists and turns in the horse vault.

And it looks fantastic. The runners are detailed and well animated, and it moves smoothly. Looks like we got a winner.



● 'Victory is mine!'. Breaking world records is what Track & Field 2's all about



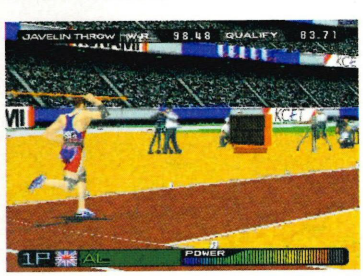
● Check out the detail during replays

THE EVENTS

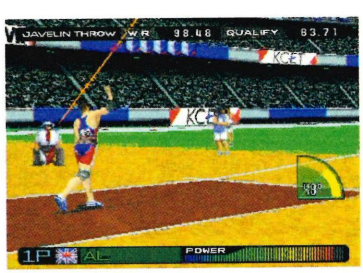
Track & Field boasts no complex storyline or brain-busting gameplay to chew on. For most of the events, you hammer the buttons as fast as possible, to rack up the highest score. Simple. In fact only one of the 12 events, the horse vault, is kind on your joypad. Everything else will leave your fingers raw from continuous punishment. And you know what, it's fun even though it hurts.

JAVELIN

RECORD: 101.24 METRES



▲ Guess what? Run like the clappers by caning your pad's buttons

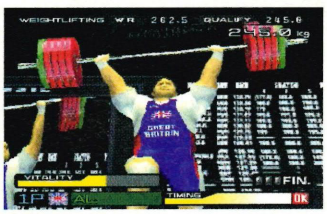


▲ Then press and hold jump to throw the pointy stick. Overrun and you're disqualified

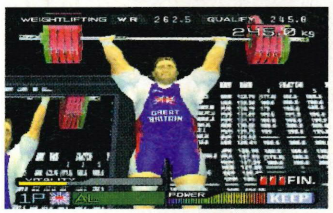
WEIGHTLIFTING



▲ Go button-bashing crazy to build power and hit jump when the bar reaches go



▲ Time the jerk so fat boy lifts the weights over his head



▲ Keep hammering the buttons until all three clear lights have lit up

100 METRES

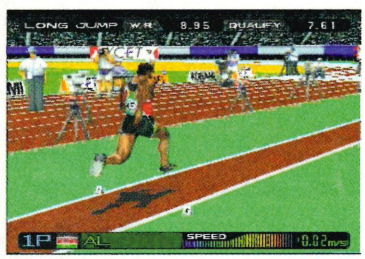
RECORD: 7.80 SECONDS



▲ Tap the run buttons as fast as you can, then press jump to stretch for the finish line

LONG JUMP

RECORD: 10.20 METRES



▲ Press and hold jump to take off



▲ Get close to 45° for the best jumps

CANOEING

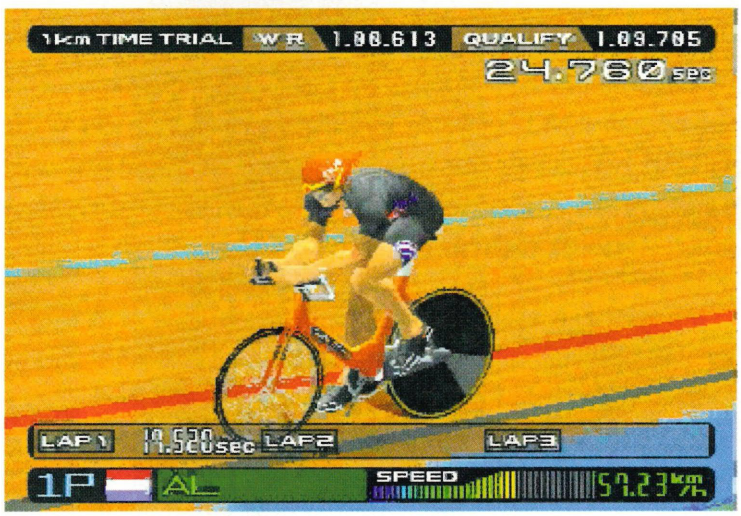
RECORD: 1 MIN 23 SECS



▲ The closer you get to the oar stroke, the faster you go. Harder than it sounds. This is all about rhythm. Press the run buttons alternately, in time with the rowing

1KM TIME TRIAL

RECORD: 59.62 SECONDS



▲ This is a killer. Furiously pound the buttons for three whole laps, then stretch for the finish line. 60 seconds of torture!

HAMMER

RECORD: 100.54 METRES



▲ Punish the joypad to build up power slowly, then thrash near the end



▲ On the sixth spin, press and hold jump to chuck the hammer



▲ It's not easy though because you've got to aim the throw *and* get close to 45°

SPRINT



▲ Keep a steady rhythm for to win



▲ Block rivals by hogging the track



▲ Finally, go last lap crazy

RECORD: 900 POINTS

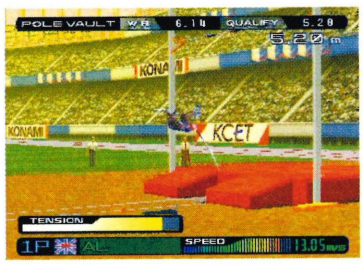
50M FREESTYLE



▲ Swim like an oiled porpoise and reach for the finish line by using jump

POLE VAULT

1-First, select the height that you're attempting to leap over with your pole
2-Build up your speed and when the pole lowers into the slot, hold jump to catapult skyward
3-Release jump when your geezer's cleared the bar, and see yourself fall to earth

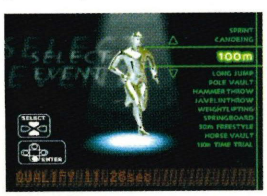


RECORD: 6.59 METRES

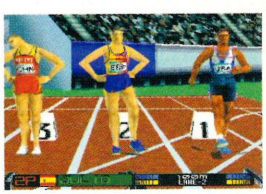
SOLO'S A NO-GO

THIS IS MULTIPLAYER HEAVEN

We like Track & Field 2 a lot. But this is a game that only kicks arse when you're playing with mates, ideally with a multitap so four of your compete at the same time. In one-player you're always up against the computer, so you can't wind your mate up when they fall face down in the sand pit during the long jump. And that's half the fun of Track & Field, taking the piss. Get some mates, get a multitap and get ready for awesome four-player fun.



▲ The 12 events are best enjoyed with mates

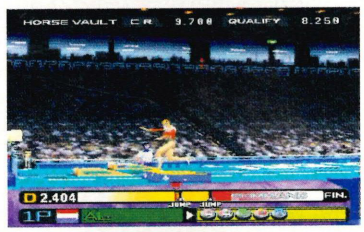


▲ Depending on the event, you compete together or take turns

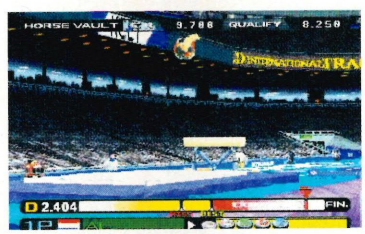
HORSE VAULT



▲ Choose the difficulty of the jump first



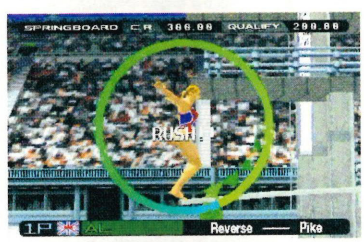
▲ Press the button when cursor flashes



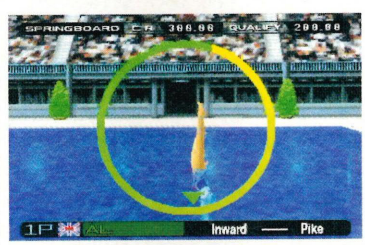
▲ Tap in button combo before she finishes

RECORD: 9.750 POINTS

SPRINGBOARD



▲ Tap jump to time your spring



▲ Press jump to slide smoothly into the pool

RECORD: 320 POINTS

IT'S ALL IN THE WRIST

OUR RECORD-BREAKING BUTTON TECHNIQUES

To be a Track & Field überlord you need the tips below. Gently tap buttons and your 100 metres time will be longer than the director's cut of Titanic. Instead, pound buttons as if they are an enemy's face.



▲ The Ben Johnson: so called because artificial stimulation is what you use to run faster. In other words, give your fingers a rest and use a pen top



▲ The Fingernail Thrash: a Plus favourite. Set up your buttons so △ and ⊗ are run, and the Right shoulder buttons are Jump. Use fingernails



▲ The Shitting Dog Shake: Hold joypad loosely with your thumbs on the Run buttons. Now shake the pad like crazy. You look stupid but it breaks records!

LIKE THIS? TRY THESE

Track & Field - It's got different events and it's only £20. Bargain



Fisherman's Bait - Hammer buttons to catch fish. Simple, but kinda fun



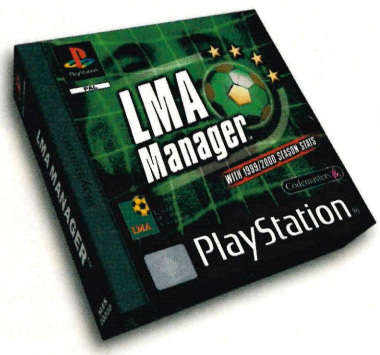
PLUS RECKONS

For post-club PlayStationing, you don't get much better than this. It's an absolute belter with three mates and a multitap, because it's dead easy to pick up and play, plus it looks the business. **Alex**

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1-2 PLAYER JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD

PSYCHIC FORCE 2



▲ Keep rivals wincing on the end of combo attacks, or you're toast

Gagging to see airborne Manga characters with death rays zip around a giant glass box? An appointment at the shrink awaits



▲ Dive away from brutal special attacks

This is the world's first free-roaming 3D beat 'em up. You play a bunch of jetpack-wearing weirdos who fight it out inside enormous glass cubes.

Most of Pyschic Force 2 is about being swift enough to dive out of the way of huge fireballs and shimmering death rays that disintegrate anything in their path. It's a nice idea. The good news is it works pretty well. Most of the time.

You must have nimble fingers if you want to pull off specials. Most of the really worthwhile attacks require you to do half-circles on the direction pad combined with punching the ✕ or ◉ buttons.

But if you want to get straight into the action, you can switch it to Easy mode, where single button pushes will give you big, flashy attacks. Nice touch.

This is different from any beat 'em up you'll have ever played, 'cos you've got eight different move buttons.

Dodging's an absolutely massive part of the gameplay. You'll also need to be pretty handy with your combos. If you don't keep the other guy wincing on the end of your combination attacks, he'll regroup and punch your ass from here to Kingdom Come. Hardcore stuff.

INTO THE THIRD DIMENSION

Gameplay's pretty fast and intense, but it's tricky to get used to moving in four directions at once. This is definitely not a game for beginners. Dodging is pretty hard, and if you're trying to rack up combo attacks at the same time, it's bloody impossible.

On easy mode, it's a bit simpler to get to grips with, but the 3D movement's still an absolute headfry. Once you've got used to it, there's a lot of depth here, and swooping, diving fights can get really strategic.



▲ A last-minute sidestep will avoid pain



▲ Keep moving to avoid taking damage



▲ Some big attacks can't be dodged



▲ See a big attack building? Hit 'em fast



● Fast little fireballs like these can be countered with more powerful moves

MASSIVE ATTACKS

You can string attacks together to form combos, or you can attempt to blast people out of the ring by using a massive attack on them when they're stunned next to the cube's outer wall.

Each of the character's got a selection of long-range attacks, and some of your attacks can blow up or disable missiles from the other bloke.

When you know how the characters work, and you've got your head round a few moves, this starts to look like a fireworks display. Fireballs flash, counter-moves smack into each other. Awesome.



▲ Sneak in close to clean up



▲ Death ray locks rival into a box of lasers

DON'T LOOK BACK IN MANGA

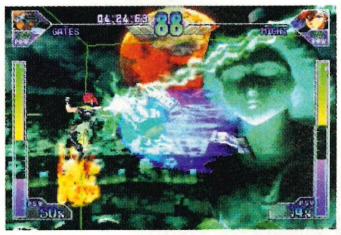
The characters are Manga-esque Japanese weirdos who talk in high-pitched voices. If you're a Manga fan, you'll lap up the way the characters chat to each other after bouts. Might has the hots for Patty, so whenever he beats her, he whines 'Oh, Patty' in a broken voice. And despite their weird looks, the characters are all well-balanced, and interesting to use. Some of them have great moves, too. There's one where an old geezer summons up two flaming planets, that look like the evil force from The Fifth Element, before he cracks them together on your head.



▲ Whenever Might beats Patty, he cries out 'Oh, Patty' in his sad voice



▲ Old geezer can crack two planets together around your head



▲ This is a Jap fighting game so of course there are robots



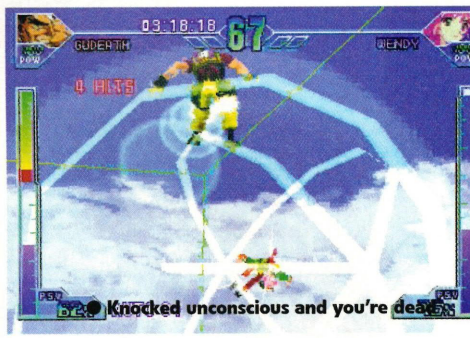
▲ And loads of thigh-revealing schoolgirl action. Can't be bad



● Completely hatstand look hides sensible attack moves from Manga character



● Fast fireballs useful for long-distance fighting



● Knocked unconscious and you're dead

ZOOMING IN, ZOOMING OUT

Each of the characters has different moves, and you need to use a different strategy for each. Some of the characters are best for zooming in close for man-to-man fisticuffs.

With others, it's best to stay far away from the other guy and use fast-moving fireball attacks.

What makes this ace to play is that you need to change your strategy all the time depending on where you are in the cube, the way you're facing and what the other guy's doing. There's loads to learn here, and plenty of secret characters, too.



▲ Use different moves depending on rival



▲ Some moves will freeze you to the spot



● Some characters perform best up close and personal



● Characters are sourced from Manga comics

PLUS RECKONS

Flaky graphics and a weird concept make this difficult to get into. Get past that and it's got a core of lip-smacking gameplay that'll keep you hooked for weeks. **Rob**

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1 PLAYERS JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD



▲ After strafing wave after wave of little enemies, you'll take on giant bosses



▲ Take on this planet-sized metallic bruiser in the depths of space



▲ Do your bit for the war effort by wiping out gigantic laser-pumping robots

SPACE DEBRIS

Kill all enemies. Collect bonuses. This is pure arcade action, no fuss, no mess

Space Debris has 'arcade' written all over it. You play the last heroic defender of the human race, facing a mighty alien armada out in the void. You'll have only your laser cannon, your wits and the comfort of having heard it all before. This is a space shooter with no brain.

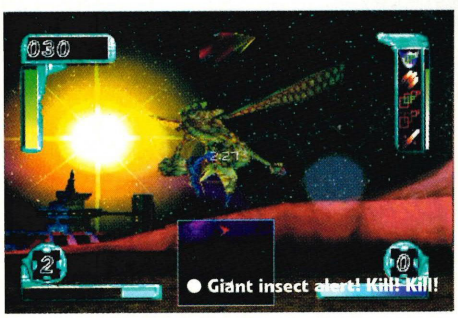
But it's fast. It's violent. It's got massive volleys of laser weapons in disco-light colours. And it doesn't let up. If you fancy a trip back to the old school of gaming, look no further.

The action zooms round ruined space stations, the surface of comets and through asteroid belts. You're constantly blasting your way through alien space destroyers, fighters and other brightly-coloured ships that look like lobsters. Graze any of them with your laser cannon and they go up in a massive ball of fire.

Every so often you'll find yourself up against battle stations that look like giant evil versions of fish, snakes and insects. You've got scope for huge amounts of weapon power-ups, and a cargo bay to fill up with smart bombs which destroy every on-screen. And believe us, you'll need every last drop of killing technology if you're going to stay alive.



▲ Duke it out with giant space spiders



● Giant insect alert! Kill! Kill!



● Swoop through a space armada



● BOOM! Off goes a smart bomb



▲ Blast alien gunboats with smart bombs



▲ Kill a whole squadron to get a power-up



● Planet surface action: well intense!

BACK TO THE OLD SCHOOL

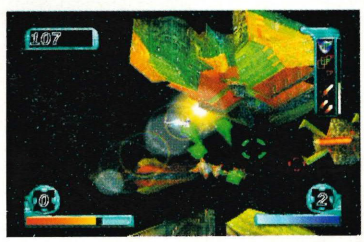
The action here's basic beyond belief. It's just a question of zooming from side to side, getting aliens in your crosshairs and tapping the fire button as fast as you can. If you cream a whole line of aliens in one pass, you'll get power-ups ranging from health bonuses, through double lasers, to huge smart bombs that wipe out everything on the screen at once. But don't go expecting the power-ups to spruce up the gameplay. After about five seconds you've sampled all the challenges that Space Debris has to offer. Kill everything you see. And... er... that's it.

MY FINGERS ARE HURTING!

Space Debris looks great and plays smoothly as the non-stop technicolour action zips by. But there's no time for a Kit-Kat. You'll still be taking hits from one giant battle station when a support squadron of deadly space crustaceans appear with their phasers set on 'kill'.

And here's where the problems start. Space Debris is ridiculously hard. If this was an arcade machine, it would be the kind that costs you about £100 in pound coins to get to the end. It'll make grown men cry in frustration. In the great tradition of coin-up shooters, it is as unrelenting as it is unbearably intense. If you blink, you die.

If you fancy yourself as a drop-dead games god, you're probably already drooling. Otherwise, you'll want to give this a miss and save yourself a hernia.



▲ Giant coloured shapes fly at you

PLUS RECKONS

If Colony Wars: Vengeance is Mastermind, this is It's A Knockout. Looks and plays good, but is way, way too difficult for all but the hardest of the hardcore. **Rob**

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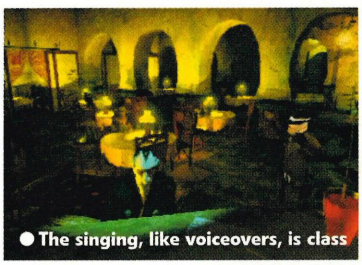


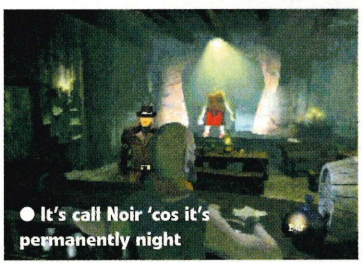
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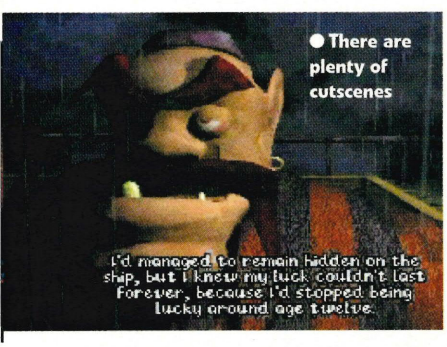
1 PLAYER JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD, MOUSE

DISCWORLD NOIR

Terry Pratchett fans, turn away now! This 'adventure' set in a fantasy world on a turtle's back is more turtle's head


● The singing, like voiceovers, is class


● It's call Noir 'cos it's permanently night

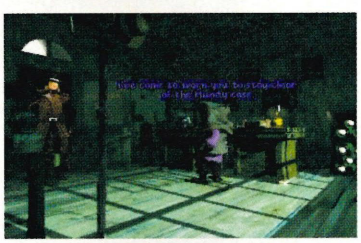


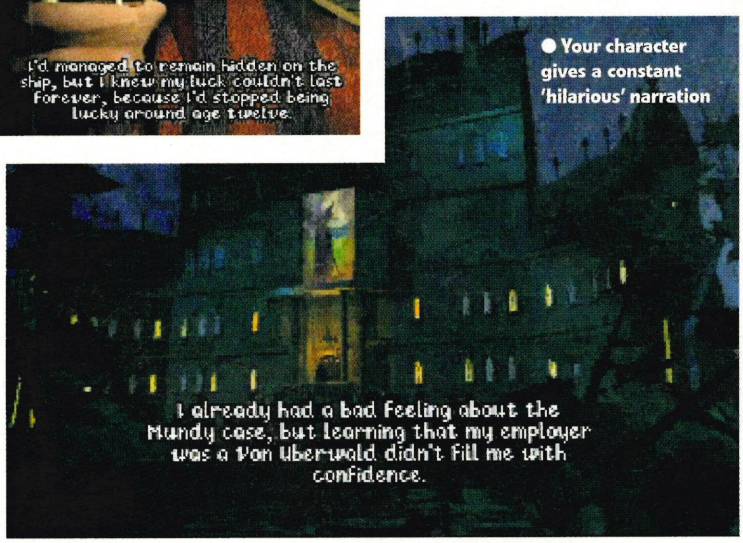
● There are plenty of cutscenes

To some, point and click games are text-heavy adventures that offer minimal action but maximum puzzle solving. Before you buy painstaking whodunnit Discworld Noir, you should be damn sure you love this sort of thing.

You play a private detective in a city where it is always night. The cast of characters takes in troll nightclub singers, half-elf barmen, and Death himself. Everything looks neat but you'll undergo an aching amount of loading as you trawl through seedy bars, manky docks, and other gloomy locations.

Sadly, logic seemed to have left the building when this game was being put together. You'll wander around locations hoping something will happen or being frustrated by too-clever-by-half puzzles.

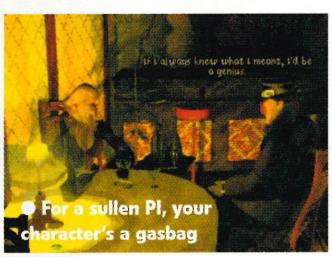

▲ Your office is the centre of the game



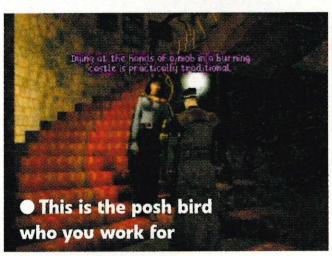
● Your character gives a constant 'hilarious' narration

'JUST CUT THE CHAT!'

OK, so any point and click adventure is going to have loads of dialogue, but the torrent of overblown chin wagging here puts Vanessa Feltz to shame. The voice acting is fine but after a while you find yourself facing a Catch-22. You either have to sit through reams of tedious bantering, or click through it 'cos you're so bored and risk missing the one bit of info you actually did want to hear.



● For a sullen PI, your character's a gasbag



● This is the posh bird who you work for

LAUGH? YOU GOTTA BEARD THEN

Discworld is a series of comedy fantasy novels loved by bearded archaeology students who discuss how funny it is over pints of cider and black. But if you don't know your Discworld from your Lostworld, the clever-clever jokes will be as likely to make you laugh as a maths textbook. In the end if you don't get into the whole 'off-the wall' atmosphere and weird puzzles, it'll just make you intensely annoyed.



PLUS RECKONS

If names like Ankh Morpork and Pseudopolis mean anything to you, it's possible you'll love this. If not, you'll prefer water torture. **Steve O**

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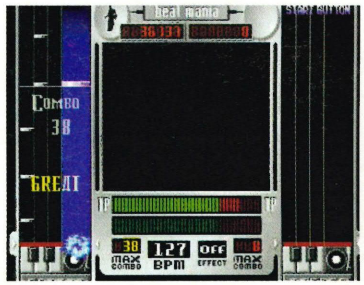
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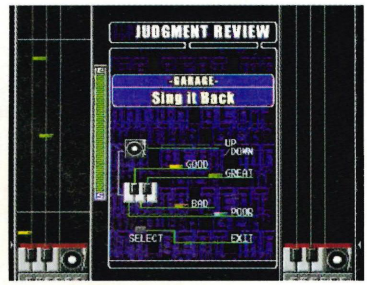
1-2 PLAYERS JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD, VIRTUAL DECKS



▲ Hit the button at the right time



▲ Keep it going to rack up combos



▲ You can even analyse your performance

BEATMANIA

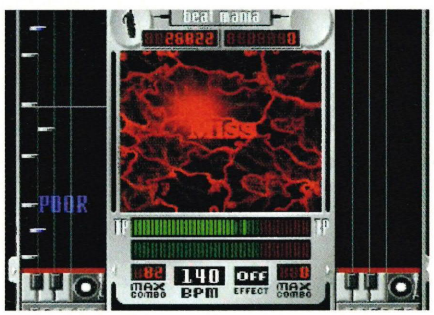
Tap in time with the music on your virtual decks is kinda fun, but are you the next Fatboy Slim or will it all go a bit Pete Tong?

Even if you don't like dance music, you've got to admit DJs are pretty damn cool. Not the kind who mix Steps at school discos, but geezers like Paul Oakenfold are vinyl gods when they hit the turntables.

But stop the doe-eyed adulation right now, because your PlayStation can turn you into a dance music deity, proving you've got the natural rhythm to keep the songs in time and in tune with the beat.

In theory, Beatmania's a cinch to play. You just press the right button at the right time, kinda like Parappa the Rapper. The chord bar appears on the side of the screen, along with five notes and a turntable. All you do is press the buttons or 'scratch' the table when the bars pass through the bottom of the screen. Easy?

No, it's bloody difficult after the first couple of levels. Thankfully there's a training mode so you can brush up your breakbeats, but you still need incredible hand and eye co-ordination to keep up with the leaping chords and manic drums of a pounding house track.



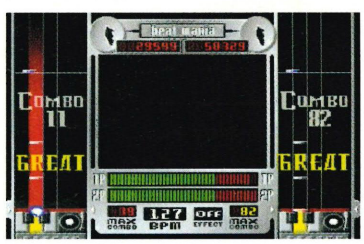
▲ Uh oh. Too many misses and you're outta there!



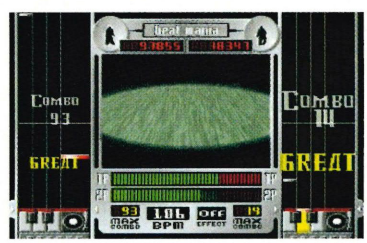
● Only DJ demons are this good

TWO DECKS ARE BETTER THAN ONE

Two mates can team up to blat out one of the tunes. The first DJ knocks out his bit before passing it across like a rhythm relay race, then it's back to you a few beats later. It's pretty good fun, especially as you can blame your useless deck buddy for screwing up your tune. Joypads will do but two sets of decks are best for the full effect.



▲ You can either battle it out with a mate



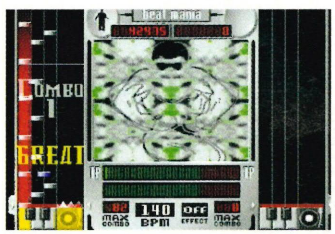
▲ Or play tag, so you both DJ the same song

COOL CUTS & RAVE ANTHEMS

Beatmania's choice cuts range from chart-friendly 'Sing it Back' by Moloko, to weird Japanese hip hop where is hard enough on the ears, let alone trying to tap along to the bastard. You get to play along to the Metal Gear theme, belt out the bassline to a hard techno track or 'tap' the vocals to some ambient melody. Obviously, as the BPM increases, so does the difficulty. Keeping up with the happy house tracks is tough, but when full-on drum 'n' bass thunders from your TV, you might as well switch the bloody thing off.



▲ House and garage, but no Shed 7



▲ Keeping in time with techno is tough

PLUS RECKONS

Get the decks and Beatmania's a good laugh and a change from beat 'em ups and driving games. But you'll play most of the tunes within hours so it's limited value.

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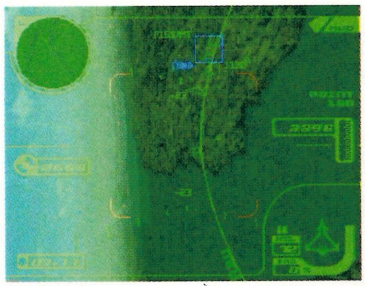


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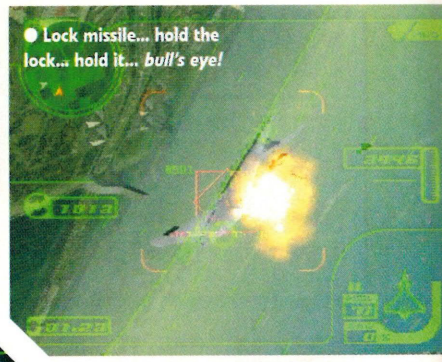
1 PLAYER JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD



▲ Green cockpit HUD keep you on track



▲ HUD helps deliver your payload accurately



● Lock missile... hold the lock... hold it... *bull's eye!*

ACE COMBAT 3 ELECTROSPHERE



● Lush cityscapes prove to be a jungle once you're over them

If you think that flying simulators is a bit 'Dad', think again. This white-knuckle air blaster is as hardcore as games get

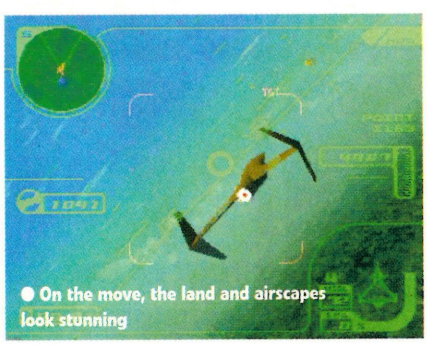
There's only ever been one flying game worth thinking about on PlayStation. That was Ace Combat 2, released a couple of years back. Now it's spawned a sequel. Ace Combat 3's a mix of lush graphics, fiddly controls and knuckle-bleaching dogfight action. And it's pretty damn fine.

You play a fighter pilot in a harsh future war. Most of the planes are real-world super-fighters such as MiGs and F-117s, and a lot of the action's Top Gun-style aerial shoot-outs. You'll also be ordered to take out submarines, convoys, tanks and radar installations.

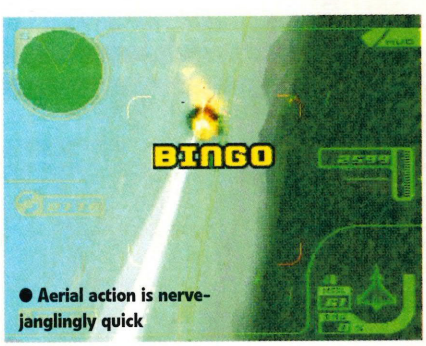
There's a war going on here, and your contribution's going to swing whether it's the good guys or the bad guys that come out top.

It's all mission-based. You'll be given a shopping list of things to blast with heatseekers and Vulcan cannons, and a time limit to do it in.

But you'll be trying to blast tricky ground targets such as hidden bases whilst being harried by enemy fighters. And the control system's tricky, so flying isn't easy. You've got eight directional controls to deal with, and that's before you start thinking about keeping your engine RPMs up and locking your missiles on.



● On the move, the land and airscapes look stunning



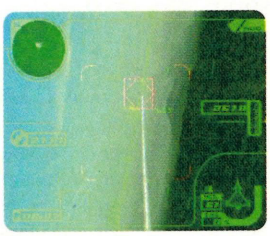
● Aerial action is nerve-janglingly quick

STICK MAKES YOU AIRSICK!

ANALOGUE STICK TOO TWITCHY

One of the major gripes people had with Ace Combat 2 was that it was too easy. Thanks to a new, extra-fiddly control system, that's certainly not the case with Ace Combat 3. You control which way your plane pitches and rolls using either the directional pad or the analogue stick, then you use the shoulder buttons to bank to either side, and to control the throttle. Takes a while to get used to, but after a couple of levels you'll be on top of it. That's if you use the directional pad. If you try to use the analogue controls, you die. That's because the analogue sticks are unbelievably sensitive.

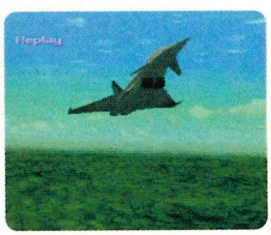
Breathe on the left one, and you're straight into a death dive. Breathe on the right one, which controls which angle you see your plane from, and suddenly you'll be looking up your own exhaust pipe. Which is pretty inconvenient if you're trying to avoid an incoming missile, believe us.



▲ 'But I was flying straight a second ago!'



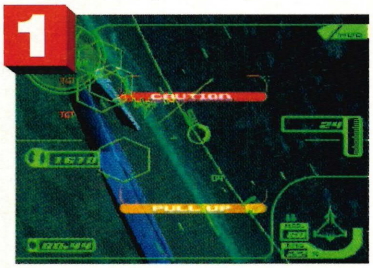
▲ Brush the left stick and you'll lurch into a spin



▲ Touch the right stick and you quickly get a glance of your belly

MOVING IN FOR THE KILL

On some of the missions, your knuckles are going to be Michael Jackson white. Your intercom's just crackled into life and told you there's three gunboats, a squad of fighters, four ground emplacements and a radio station that need to be turned into charcoal in three minutes flat. That's it. No guidelines, no handy hints, no maps showing you which way to go. Just you and them. And the clock's ticking.



▲ Three gunboats are heading for the marine fortress. You've got to stop them



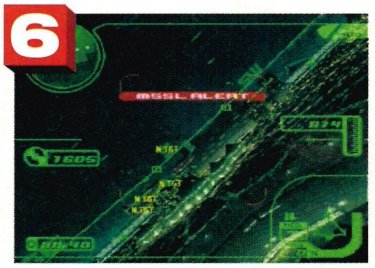
▲ Streak out to sea to paste the gunboats with everything you've got







▲ You'll figure out that if you fly over the city, you risk being shot down like grouse

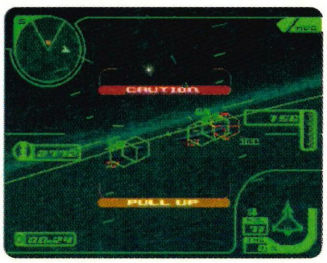


▲ So you've got to circle and keep rolling to avoid cratering

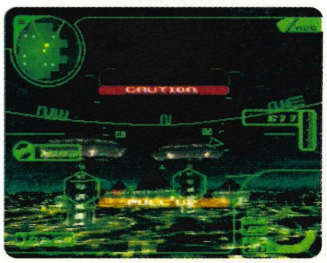
POCKET ROCKETS

BASIC MISSILES DESPATCH RIVALS BEST

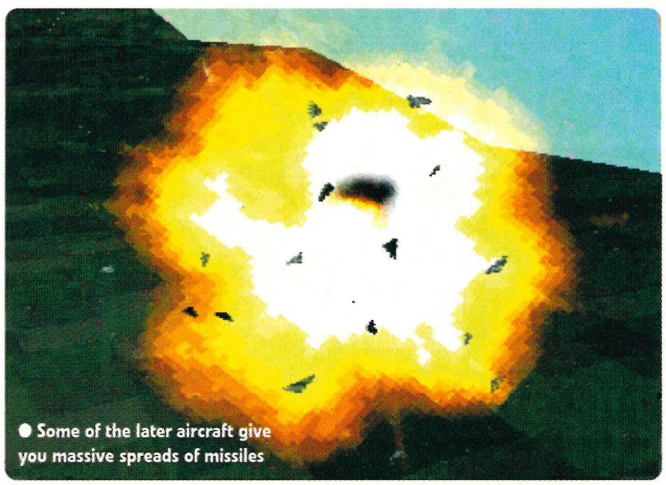
Heatseekers, laser-painted missiles, machine guns, Vulcan cannon. There's plenty hardware to choose from here. And it all looks pretty nice, and works just how you'd imagine it would. There's only one problem. If you're looking for a quick, efficient kill where you *know* they're dead, the best weapon's still the lock-on missiles you get at the start. It's only later in the game that other weapons come into their own for certain missions.



▲ The Vulcan cannon is useful, but not in all incidents



▲ The traditional lock-on missile's the most trustworthy killer



● Some of the later aircraft give you massive spreads of missiles

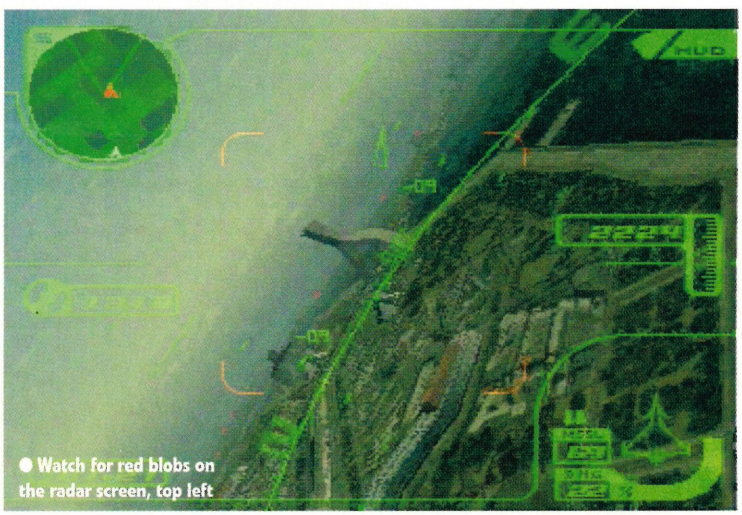
'I'VE GOT HIM IN MY RAD-AARGH!'

Combat's mostly a question of being able to keep 'em in your sights long enough for a missile to lock on and hit home.

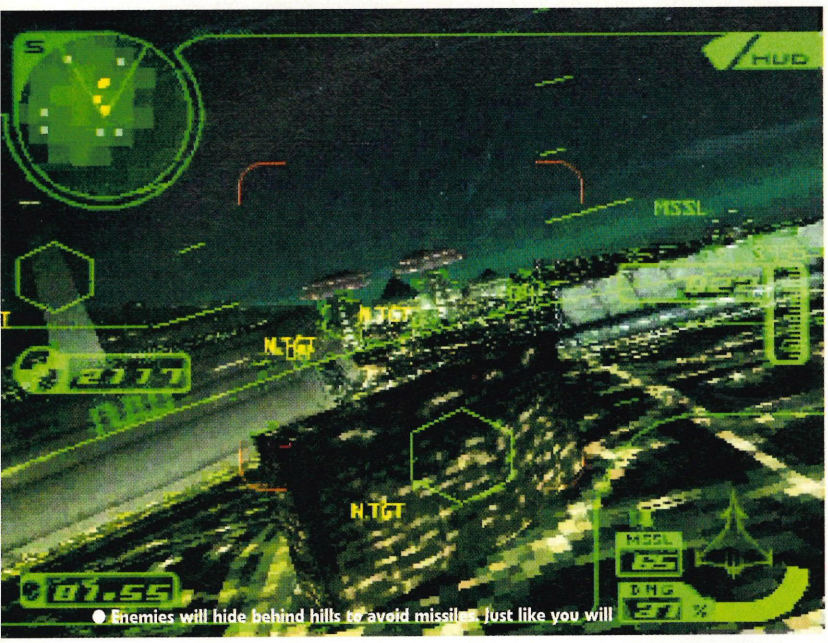
So if you haven't mastered the sticky controls, that's going to be a problem.

Your radar system shows you where your closet enemies are, and a waypoint indicator shows you which way to rotate your plane so you're facing them.

Fights are mad, loop-the-loop affairs, but thanks to the double radar, it's fairly easy to keep track of where to fly next.



● Watch for red blobs on the radar screen, top left



● Enemies will hide behind hills to avoid missiles, just like you will

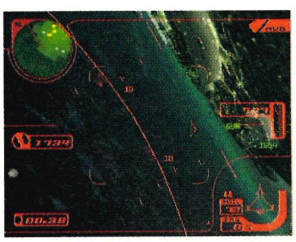
CLOCK 'EM, LOCK 'EM, ROCK 'EM

This game's at its best when you're doing two things at once. For example, when your mission's to destroy ground targets but you have to fight off airborne attackers.

The enemy artificial intelligence is well smart. On later levels, you'll really feel like you're up against air aces. A lot of the skill of Ace Combat 3 is about being able to drop behind your opponents so you can lock on to them and punch them into supersonic shards of alloy and titanium.

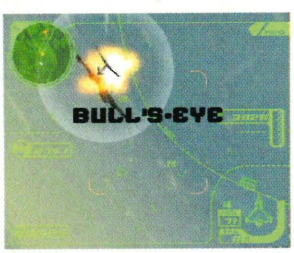
But that's no mean feat when you're trying to do it whilst dropping fat ones onto transmitters.

And it's even harder if there's another couple of MiG's looping round to give it to you hard up the tradesman's. Your opponents are wise to your tricks, too. Cut the throttle to drop behind them, and they'll cut their speed and pepper your fuselage with tracer fire.

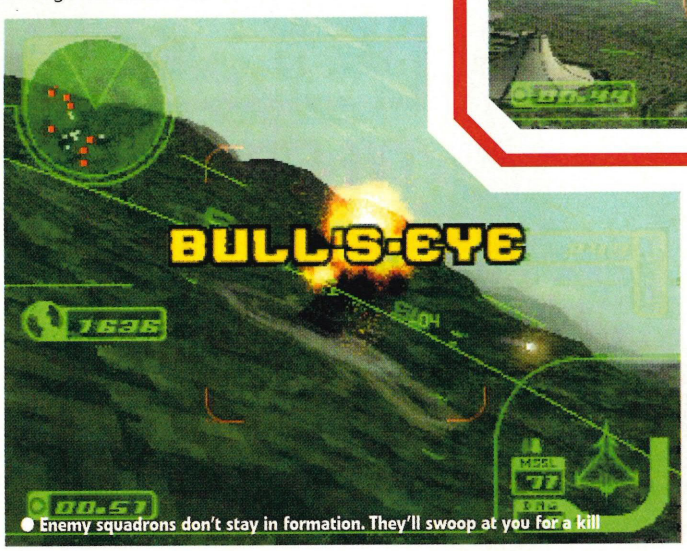

▲ Lure enemies away to to kill 'em



▲ Enemies are sharp as tacks



▲ That's one down, six to go



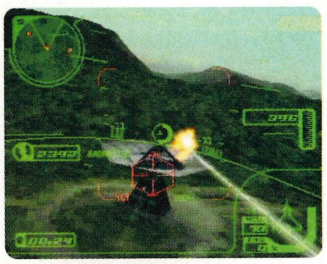
● Enemy squadrons don't stay in formation. They'll swoop at you for a kill

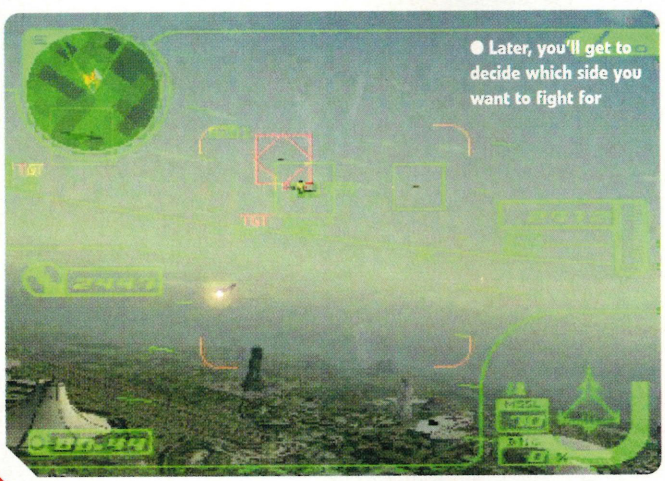
MISSION POSSIBLE?

CHOSE MISSIONS WISELY MY SON

One of the class features of Ace Combat 2 was how you could choose which way to go through the game. Here, it's like that, but more so. On every mission, you'll have a range of objectives to do. If you fail a couple of objectives, you'll get 'Mission Over' instead of 'Mission Completed'. Depending on how well you do, different paths through the game open up. And there are places where you choose what you want to do next, and even what side you want to fight for. We won't give too much away, but depending on your choice, there are real surprises in here.


▲ If you get all the radio turrets, you'll get a Mission Completed


▲ But miss turrets like this and it's Mission Over


● Later, you'll get to decide which side you want to fight for

WHY SHOULD I BUY THIS?

There isn't that much on the PlayStation to compete with this. The only freewheeling dogfighting shoot 'em ups you can buy are the Colony Wars games, set in space. If what you're looking for is real-world action tooled up with all the world's finest fighter aircraft, this is the one for you.

LIKE THIS? TRY THESE

Not quite as good-looking as Ace Combat 3, but the controls are easier



Silky smooth dogfighting action in space. Moves fast, looks brilliant



PLUS RECKONS

Once you've got your head round the fiddly controls, this is a blast to play, loads better than Ace Combat 2. It looks smooth, moves fast and plays great, and if the idea of flying the world's fastest fighters and shooting people with heatseekers doesn't appeal to you, you should check your pulse. **Rob**

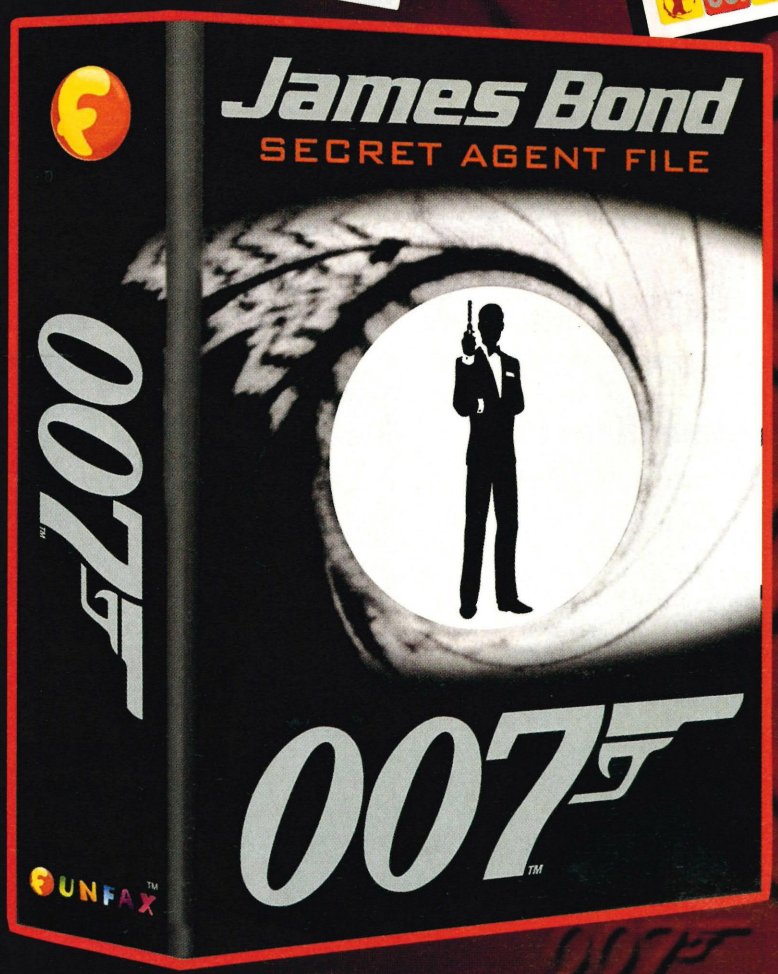
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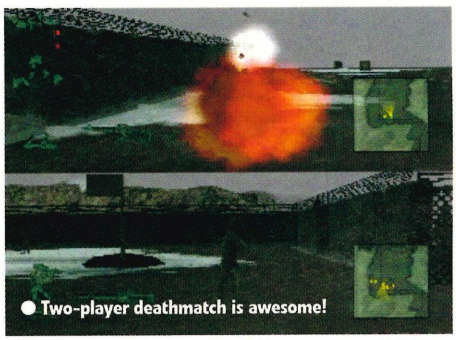
ARMY MEN 3D

£39.99 ● OUT NOW ● 1-2 PLAYER JOYPAD, MEMORY CARD, DUAL SHOCK PAD

An army of tiny soldiers is invading, and there's only one plastic toughnut who can save the day – Sarge!

Army Men 3D's a strategic army shoot em up with a difference. All the soldiers are made in Taiwan. Yup, they're those little green plastic soldiers you had when you were a kid. All the classic poses are there: the guy with the grenade, the crawling sniper and the tough guy firing his M16 from the hip.

You play Sarge, a one-man blitzkrieg who can turn his hand to lobbing grenades, strafing people with automatics and even driving tanks and armoured cars. What's weird here is, even although the soldiers are plastic, this is a pretty 'serious' shooter. Get hit a couple of times and you die. You've got to think strategy, think stealth.



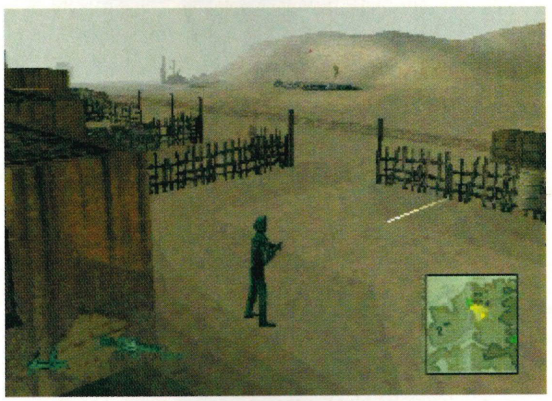
● Two-player deathmatch is awesome!

Sarge can even get busy taking out the baddies with a sniper sight. What's cool here is how you can turn this awesome plastic arsenal on your friend in a split-screen two-player deathmatch mode.

Getting to watch plastic men melting in the deadly napalm streaks from your flamethrower is way cool. And the tanks are awesomely destructive. You can even give orders to your men, so that they'll follow you, hold a position, or charge forward guns blazing.

That's what makes the two-player superb, too. You control a team of five people, who you can position as you please. Then you give 'em orders and take control of one guy at a time as you duke it out with your mate using the peachiest guns out of the one-player. You'll get to use tanks, and armoured cars as you defend forts and valleys against each other. Not many deathmatch levels, though. Shame.

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▲ Sarge goes it alone. On later missions, your homies come along

ARMY MEN AIR

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The plastic soldiers are back in town. But this time they're attacking from the air

Army Men Air Attack's a bog standard helicopter shoot 'em up starring those little green toy soldiers that kids play with. You play the Captain, a chopper commander who's out in the field, trying to rescue POWs, kill Tan soldiers and prevent them melting down your Green comrades and turning them into Tans by adding brown crayon to the gloopy mix.

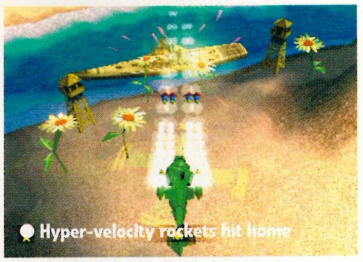
If you've ever played any helicopter shoot 'em up, you'll have a pretty good idea what this is like. You hover about twenty feet above the ground, angling the nose of your chopper so you can strafe ground troops, tanks and enemy bases. And that's about it, really.

You tool up with weapons ranging from machine guns to giant heatseeking rockets, and you'll take on ground emplacements firing surface to air missiles, flak cannons and laser-guided rockets. And you'll have to complete mission objectives like ferrying troops to battlefield objectives, inbetween slaughtering massive hordes of ground troops.

There's even a two-player split-screen mode where you take on the Tan army together, and a Capture the Flag mode where you battle it out with your mate deathmatch style. The problem is, it's just not that much fun, whether in one-player or two-player.

The controls are a bit dodgy, the enemies are well basic and it doesn't look that great. Even in two-player this feels really basic and old school. And in one-player, it's way, way too hard. If you want air combat action, stick to the white-knuckle dogfight thrills of Ace Combat 3. This isn't worth your cash.

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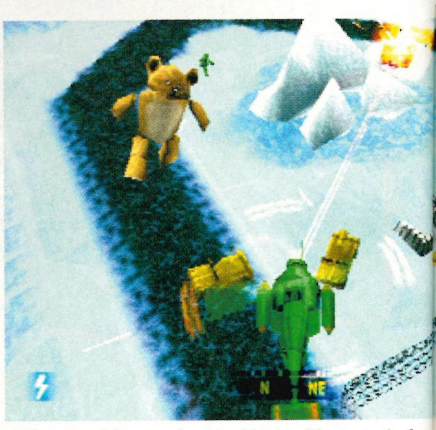
● Hyper-velocity rockets hit home



▲ Visually, Air Attack is pretty lame



▲ Fly down the river killing Tans



▲ You can pick up and carry objects with your winch

RAILROAD TYCOON 2

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A game where you build up a railroad company by managing tracks, stations, and engines? Show us to the sleeping car

Frankly you'd be a genius if you could make a game simulating the trials and tribulations of building up a railroad empire interesting. Clever the designers of this game may be, but trains ain't where it's at and the truth is, this choo-choo is poo-poo.

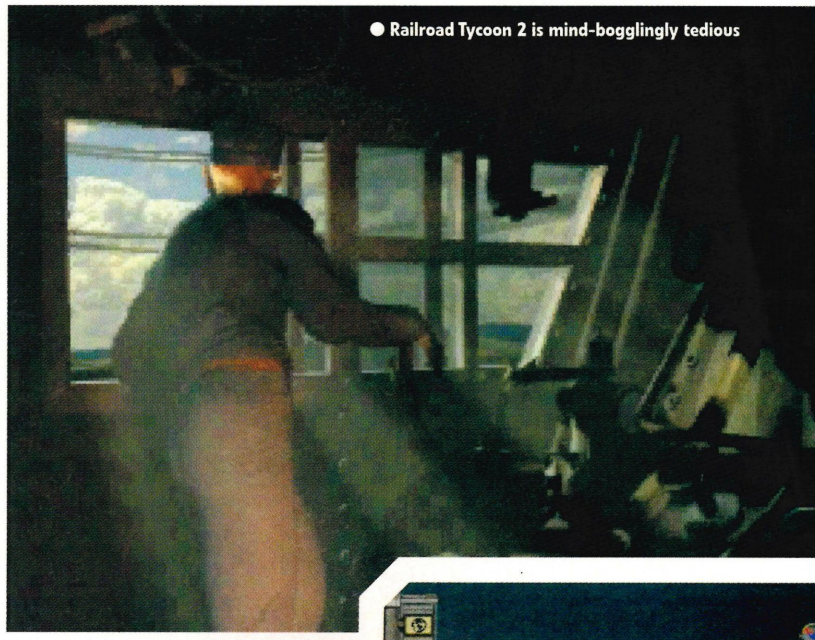
You can play either in campaign mode where you get to run a company over the course of several decades, or you can choose a shorter scenario. You start with a wedge of cash and a brief to construct a locomotive empire. Lay down your tracks, build stations at either end, and then buy the trains to run on them. You'll have to face a host of challenges from the terrain to competition from other companies.

But the biggest challenge here lies in staying awake.

Unlike many other sim games, RT2 just doesn't have that hook that makes you want to keep on going. There's precious little humour, poor graphics, and an appallingly dull subject. You'd have to be damn committed to the cause of rolling stock development to come to terms with the mind numbing array of figures, statistics, and details in here. Unless you *like* being bored brainless, avoid this.

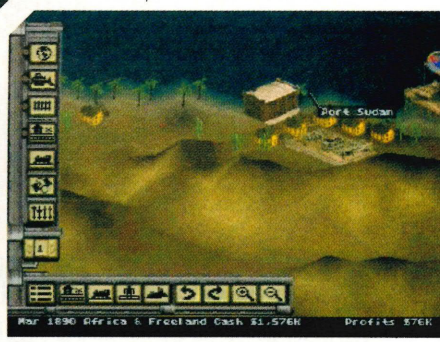
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● Railroad Tycoon 2 is mind-bogglingly tedious



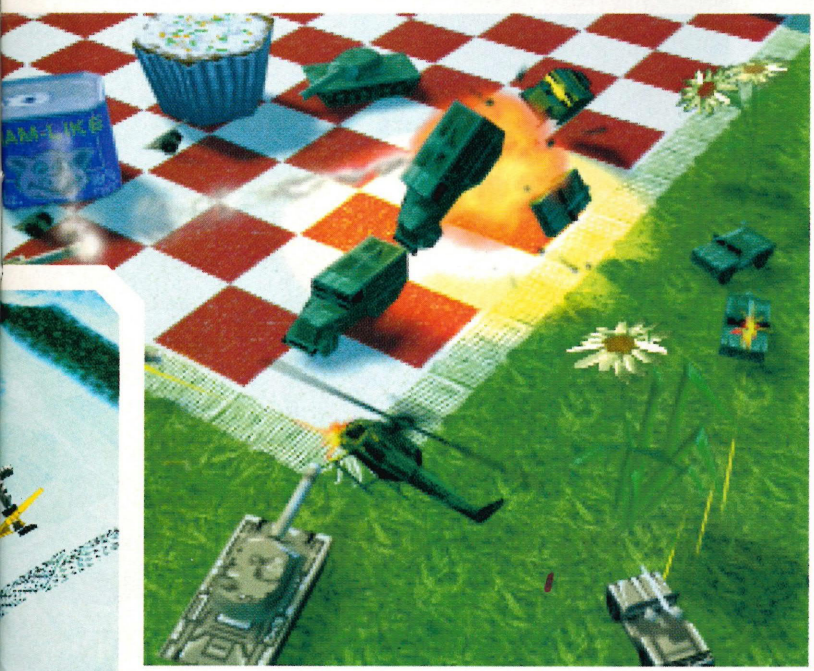


▲ A screen full of numbers. There are many of these in Railroad Tycoon 2



▲ Railroad Tycoon 2 is more boring than The Landscape Channel

ATTACK



▲ Army Men Air Attack's a cute idea for a game, but the gameplay's so stale you'll dislocate your jaw yawning



BUFFY FOR LARA!

HUNDREDS OF YOU VOTE FOR THE IN-NO-WAY-BUSTY BUFFY TO PLAY LARA IN NEXT YEAR'S MOVIE

What are you lot on? You diss homegrown talent, Australians and anyone who isn't the beautiful Sarah-Michelle Gellar to play Lara Croft in next year's movie.

But hold on – is it possible that most of you went for her because she's more than simply one horny babe?

We ask, cos the 22-year-old Noo Yawker boasts a brown belt in Tae Kwon Do, and practises kickboxing, gymnastics and figure-skating. She's also into scuba diving, rollerblading, water skiing, plus a bit of cliff diving (leaping off a precipice onto the man responsible for Millenium Prayer). But you knew this, didn't ya?

Kinda makes her perfect for the role. When we told her people at Warner Brothers that PlayStation Plus readers wanted her to play Lara they said: 'She'll be delighted and flattered to hear that. She's pretty busy right now but she'll get the message.'

And so will Columbia who we'll be letting know what you think.

Oh, and before you ask, no, there's no nude pictures of her.



BEEFY BUFFY FACT 1

When Sarah was four, she appeared as a witness in a court case brought by McDonalds against Burger King. She had acted in a Burger King ad which said the Big Mac was a lightweight. McDonalds sued.

FIT BUFFY FACT 2

She's just got back from spending the Millenium celebrations scuba diving up and down Australia's Gold Coast. Hope she didn't meet her bronzed, big-haired Aussie Lara-wannabe rivals.

PUPPY BUFFY FACT 3

She's reported as copping off with Hollywood luvvies too sun-drenched for their own safety. But in truth, she lives with a hairy-arsed bloke called Thor who shits all over the floor. He's a Maltese terrier.

WACKY BUFFY FACT 4

She has the Chinese symbol for integrity tattooed in the small of her back (not the back of her smalls) and once had a belly button ring. It has since been removed by Steve O's teeth. He says. In your dreams pal.

● Kelly Brook came ninth for one reason. Sorry, make that two reasons.

● This Ann Summers babe actually called us 'cos she wanted to play Lara.

● Unknown Adrianne Batberger did well. Shows you don't have to be big!



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WHY ISS KICKS MORE THAN JUST FOOTBALLS

When your number nine chests down a cross on the edge of the area before planting a dipping half volley into the top corner you'll do two things. First, you'll strut like a peacock while giving it large to your hapless mate who's just gone three nil down. And second, you'll pinch yourself because you never thought a footy game could play so much like it looks on Sky Sports. In fact, this is the closest most of us will get to the rush of running out at Wembley as a professional footballer

A DREAM MOVER

The range of animation is class. There are at least six ways of controlling the ball alone. And when the action starts flowing like New Year bubbly, you'd swear you were watching Pele's Brazil on top form

YOU WON'T NEED SKY

Why does ISS look like real footy? Because the way strikers try to head the ball down to beat the 'keeper or the way their body shape can affect shot power. This kind of true to life detail is in a class of its own

IT'S NO MUG'S GAME

You have to play proper footy to win, not just dribble round 10 men and tap it in. The key is in using your team tactics and unlocking the opposition defence with brains, not just route-one brawn

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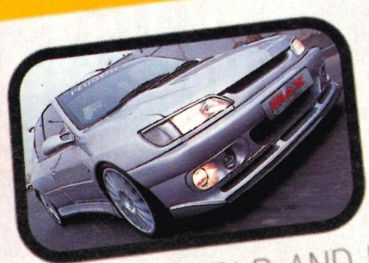
The things that made ISS Pro 98 great have been honed to make Evolution even better. The killer through ball needs even more skill to get right, dribbling is a fine art and options are a lot more plentiful

YOU'RE IN CONTROL

The range of moves open to you is top notch. Play a through ball with △, hold L1 for a one-two, use □ for a chipped return. You can even get your 'keeper rushing off his line and out of the box by holding △

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- ☐ c) FRANCE

WHAT'S MAN UTD'S STADIUM CALLED?

- ☐ a) OLD TRAFFORD
- ☐ b) COLD BAT CURD
- ☐ c) BALD TWAT CORD

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- ☐ a) WALT DISNEY
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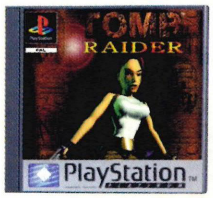
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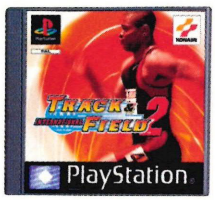
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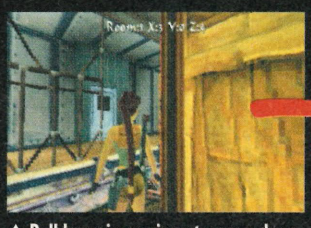
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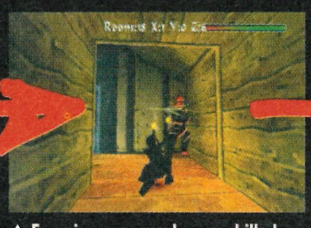
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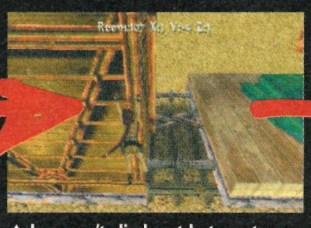
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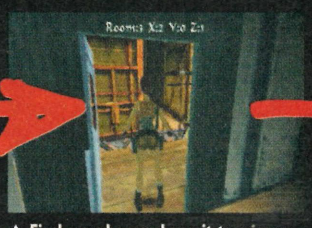
▲ Pull lever in carriage to open door



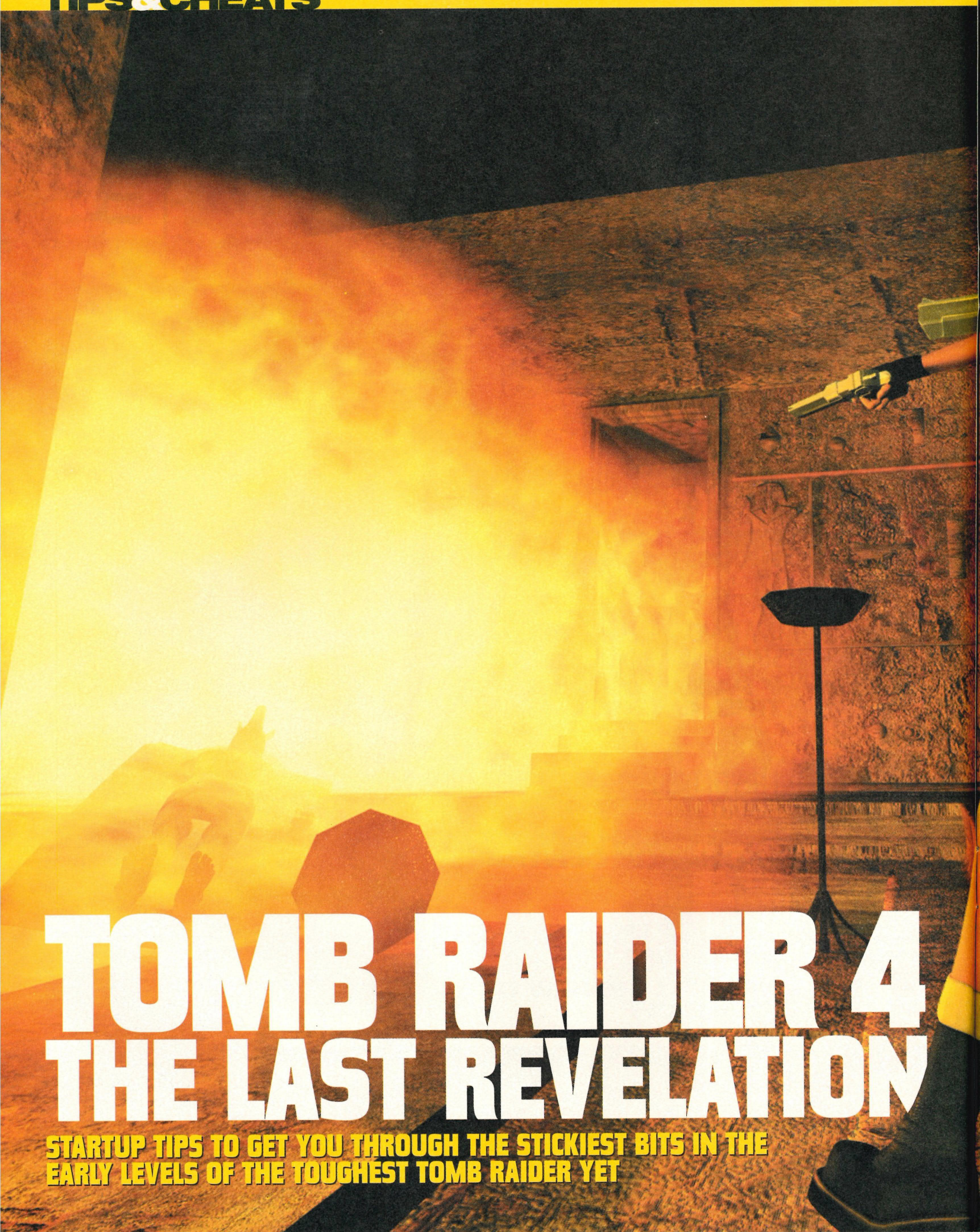
▲ Enemies appear who are skilled



▲ Lara can't climb out but can turn



▲ Find crowbar and use it to escape



TOMB RAIDER 4 THE LAST REVELATION

STARTUP TIPS TO GET YOU THROUGH THE STICKIEST BITS IN THE EARLY LEVELS OF THE TOUGHEST TOMB RAIDER YET

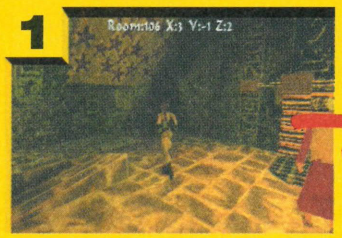


Tomb of Seth

Lara gets her hands on some guns and meets a strange man in red robes who acts as a guide. But there's traps ahead, so keep 'em peeled

Eye of Horus

GRAB BOTH EYEPIECES TO MAKE THE EYE OF HORUS



▲ For the first eyepiece, push top left switch in the puzzle room - this will cover the spiked floor in the next room with sand. Walk over to grab it



▲ Second eyepiece is in a booby-trapped room. Stand behind the guide and let him push a switch on the floor. Pick up the eyepiece, combine it with the first one

Timeless Sands

LET YOUR GUIDE SHOW YOU THE SAFE PATH



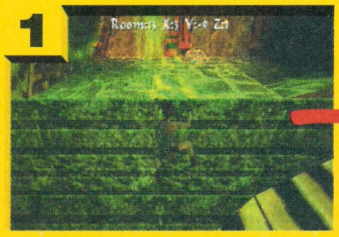
▲ Lara has to pull the rope to let the guide into the room underneath her. He will then light up the oil and reveal a safe passage for Lara



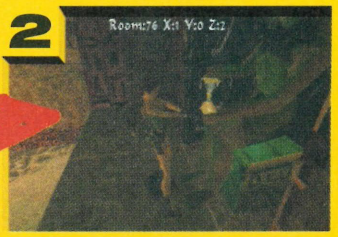
▲ Only lit platforms are safe to stand on. You'll have to carefully jump onto each one and finally a gate will open and reveal the Timeless Sands Hourglass

Sphinx Hall

INVESTIGATE THE SPHINX AND CONTROL THE SANDS



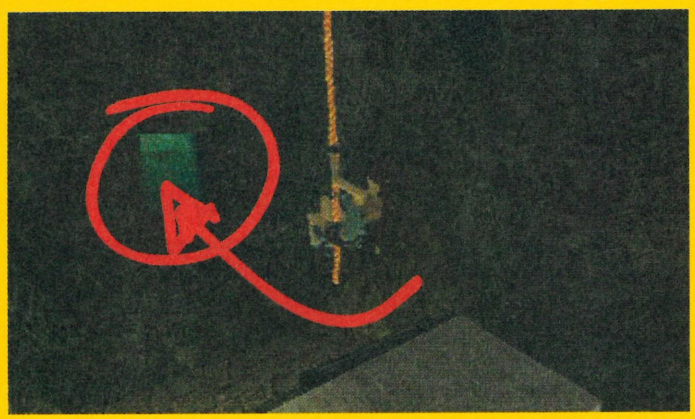
▲ Go to the furthest left corner of giant sphinx statue and use a flare to reveal a ladder. Climb up and push the lever. Now go back to where the guide left Lara



▲ Head through to the next room. Use the Timeless Sands Hourglass - the room fills with sand and the sphinx hall is now empty, revealing the exit

Uzis

HOW TO FIND LARA'S TRADEMARK WEAPONS



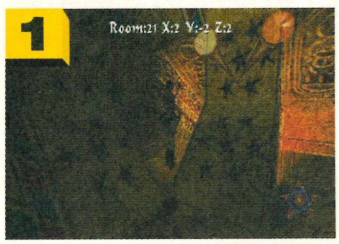
▲ Use the rope to reach the entrance, then turn right. Watch out for the boulder, climb and perform a series of jumps and then go down slopes. Lara is rewarded with Uzis

Burial Chambers

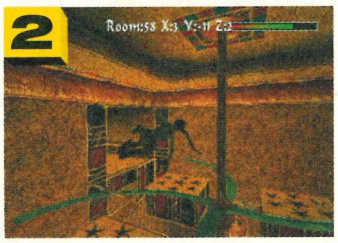
Explore a massive, trap-infested tomb and face huge numbers of undead enemies that can't be killed with normal weapons

Amulet of Horus

YOU NEED SPOT-ON JUMPING SKILLS TO GET THE AMULET



▲ Push the lever left of the entrance. Hurry through the opening, down the slope, pick up Hand of Orion and immediately jump diagonally left to avoid spikes



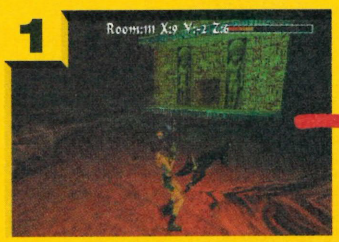
▲ Use Orion's hand and the rest is easier than it looks – as long as you're fast. Jump forward, left, forward and left again in quick succession



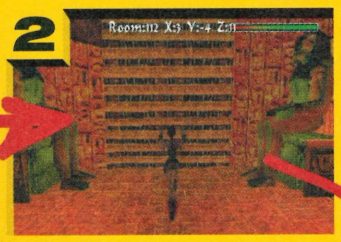
● After Lara picks up the amulet, push the big stone statue in the next room onto the tile with a red circle. One of the coffins will reveal an exit

Golden Temple puzzle

HOW TO GET THE GOLDEN SERPENT AND THE SCARAB



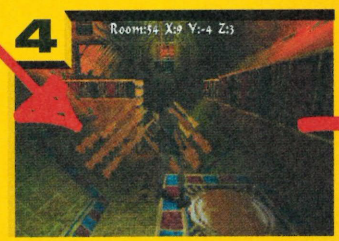
▲ Lara needs to find Golden Serpent and Scarab Talisman and use them in the golden temple in the caves



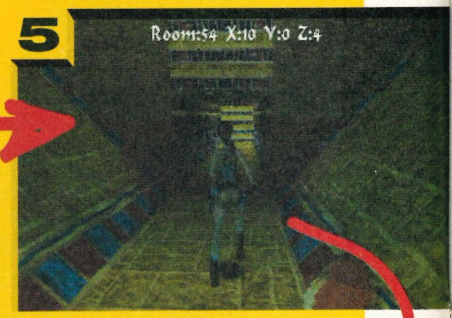
▲ The Golden Serpent is hidden in a small room above this shrine. Just climb up to grab it



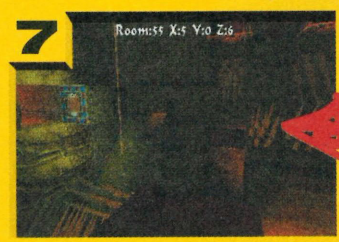
▲ When you get the artefact, a gate will open allowing Lara to get away from the mummies which appear. In the next room, spikes start to rumble down at you from the roof, so dash (Forward + R1) forward and left to exit



▲ Getting the second artefact is slightly more complicated. Across the bridge is a large rotating hall containing loads of spikes. First, jump across to the middle of the room and climb up. Push the lever on the roof



▲ The gate at the entrance to the hall opens. Go through and push the lever. The hall will rotate 180°. To exit, back-flip onto the platform above the slope



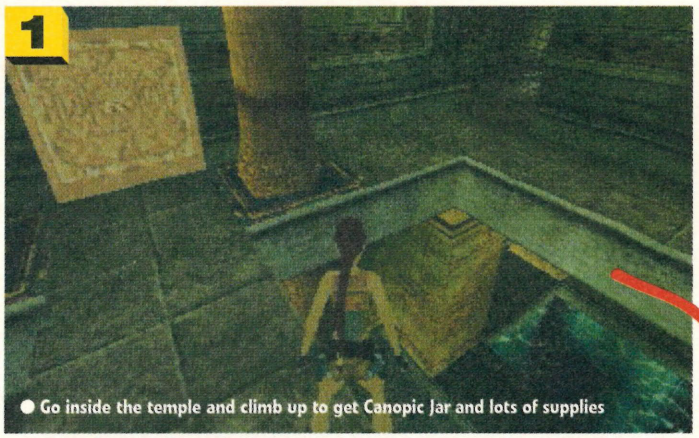
▲ Lara needs to rotate the room before trying to swing on the rope. Go to the platform opposite, climb up and then immediately crawl under the spikes. Jump into the small opening below to rotate the room. Now swing on the rope and pick up the Scarab. Shoot some dogs and get back to the golden temple.



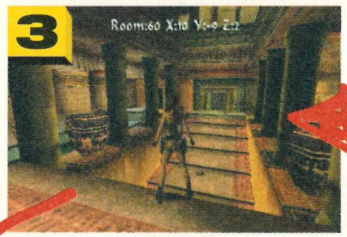
▲ Reach down through the opening in the floor and grab the Hand of Sirius. As soon as you've got it, get out quickly. Avoid the skeleton

Temple of Karnak

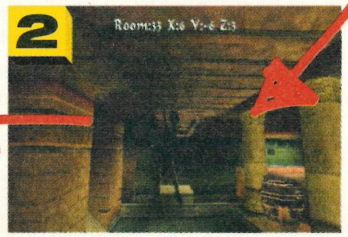
SOLVE THE JAR PUZZLE AND STOCK UP ON SUPPLIES



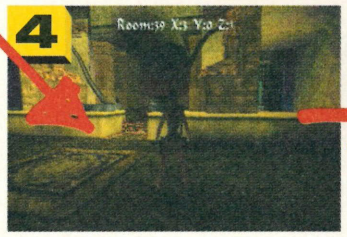
● Go inside the temple and climb up to get Canopic Jar and lots of supplies



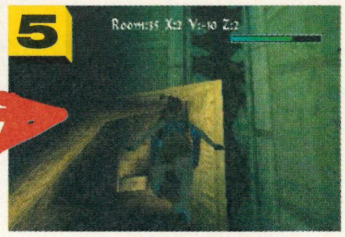
▲ A door opens at the opposite end revealing another switch. Push it and the vase in the middle will disappear revealing an entrance to another room below



▲ Go out through the opening and enter the second temple. Above the left pool use the monkey swing to get across. Push the switch on the other side



▲ Go behind the statue on the left and use the Canopic Jar to open the exit in the first temple



▲ Before you exit, dive in the pool. Swim through the tunnel and open the door to a room full of ammo and medipacks

Sacred Lake

The Sacred Lake's crawling with vicious, deadly bits of wildlife. Keep your Uzis handy if you don't want to end up inside a crocodile

The Sacred Lake

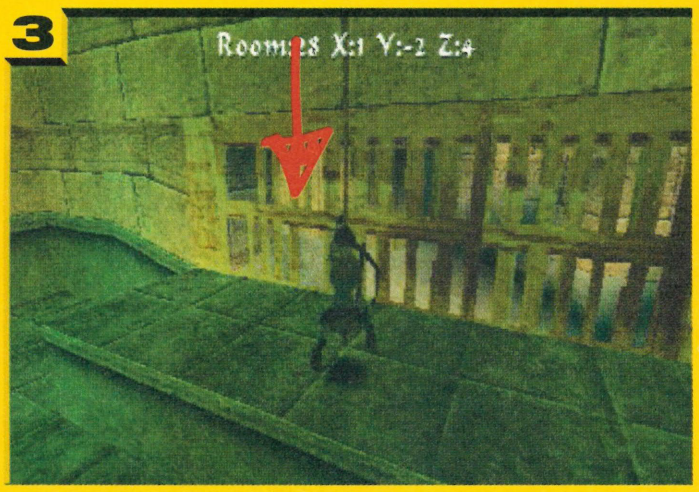
BRUSH UP YOUR SWIMMING SKILLS TO SOLVE THE PUZZLE OF THE SACRED LAKE



▲ When you enter, shoot some crocodiles and then jump into the water. Swim to the other side of the lake



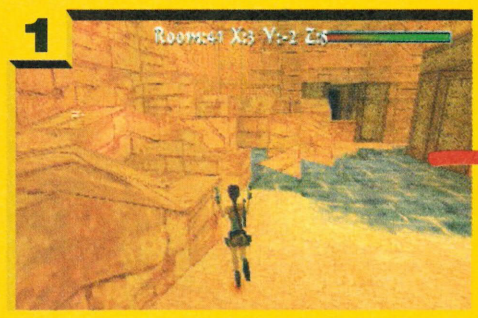
▲ Once Lara stops sliding, climb the high pole and then carefully back-flip onto a small platform with a pole on it



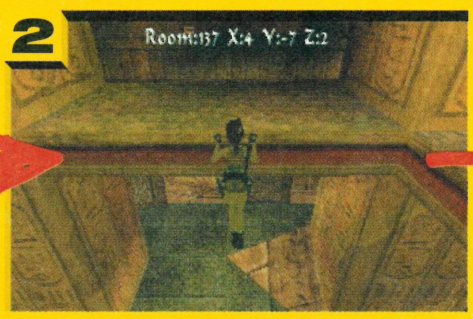
▲ Crawl through the little opening above you and pull the rope. This opens the tower gate in the lake. Now turn to page 48 for more Sacred Lake tips

The Great Apostle Hall

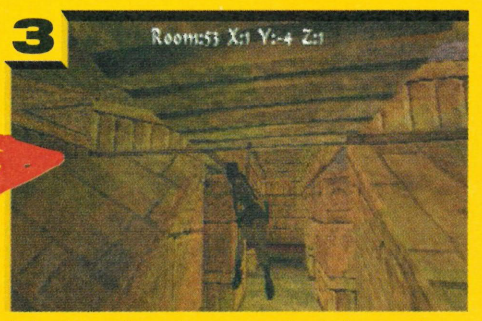
GRAB AMMO AND HEALTH ON YOUR FIRST VISIT TO THE APOSTLE HALL



▲ Stock up on items and take a breather before the next storm. You will come back to this level later



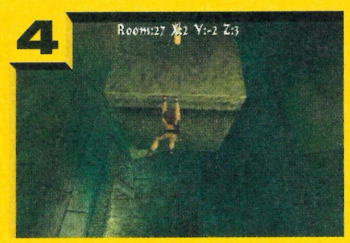
▲ Jump and climb up onto the platforms above. Grab the flares, ammo and medipacks



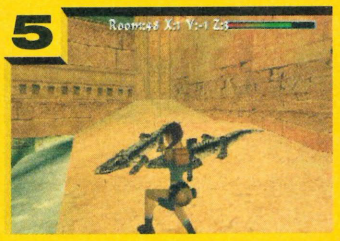
▲ Use the monkey swing to get to the platforms on the other side. Grab all the goodies

Sacred Lake Part 2

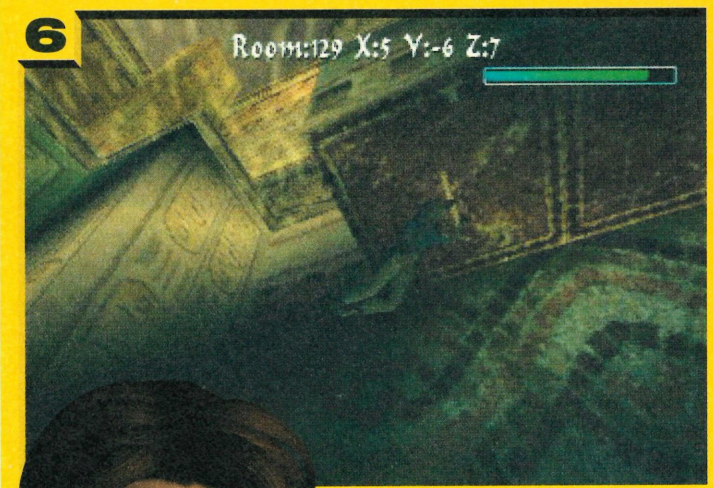
DIVE INTO THE SACRED LAKE AND SOLVE THE MIRROR PUZZLE BEFORE GOING BACK TO GRAB THE SUN TALISMAN



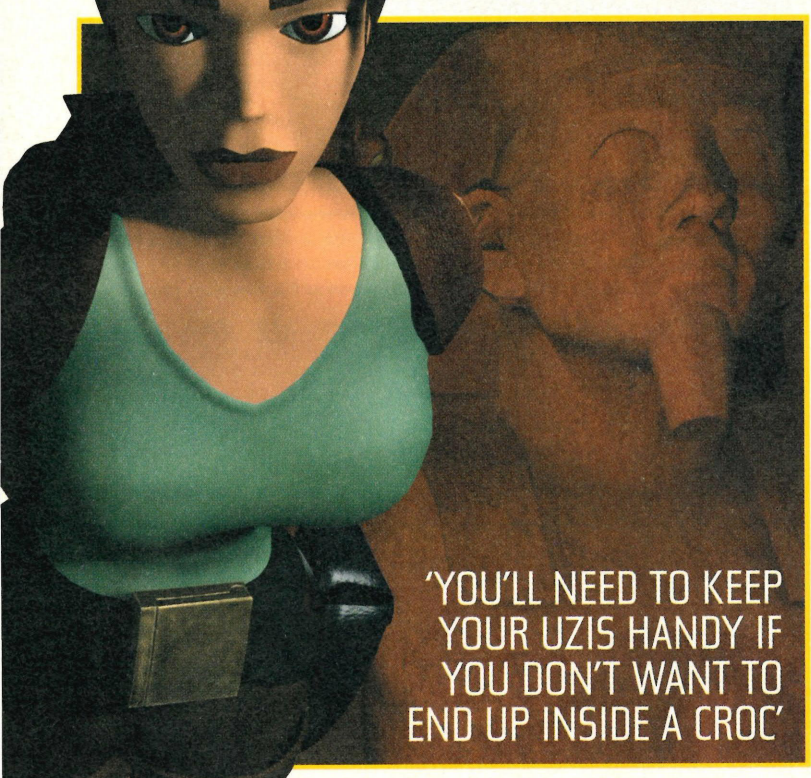
▲ On the way back, lower Lara onto the slope. Now dive in, and swim through the tunnel to the first area you were in



▲ Two crocodiles will be after Lara when she swims back out. Quickly get out of the water and shoot them dead



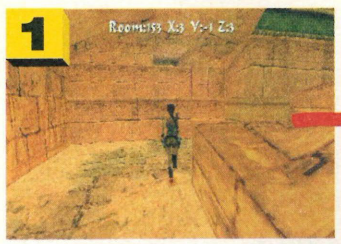
▲ Dive through the trap door, swim through to a mirrored room. Look in the mirror and you'll see a secret opening. Pull the switch. Go back to the previous level to pick up the Sun Talisman



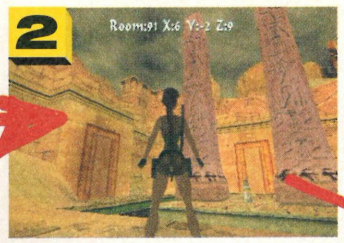
'YOU'LL NEED TO KEEP YOUR UZIS HANDY IF YOU DON'T WANT TO END UP INSIDE A CROC'

Sun Talisman

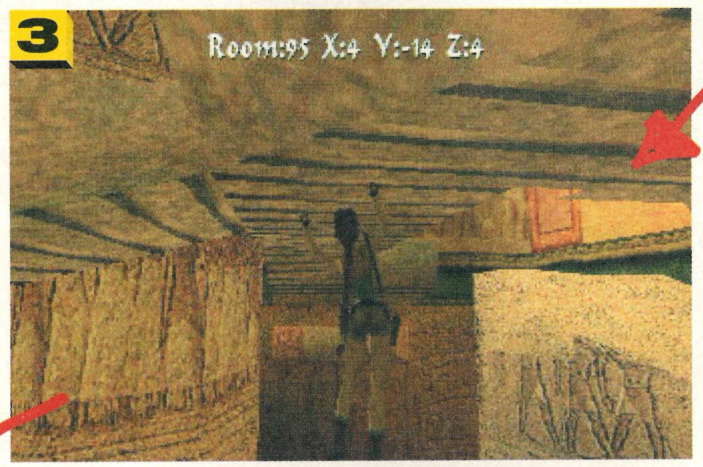
USE THE TALISMAN TO OPEN UP THE OBELISKS



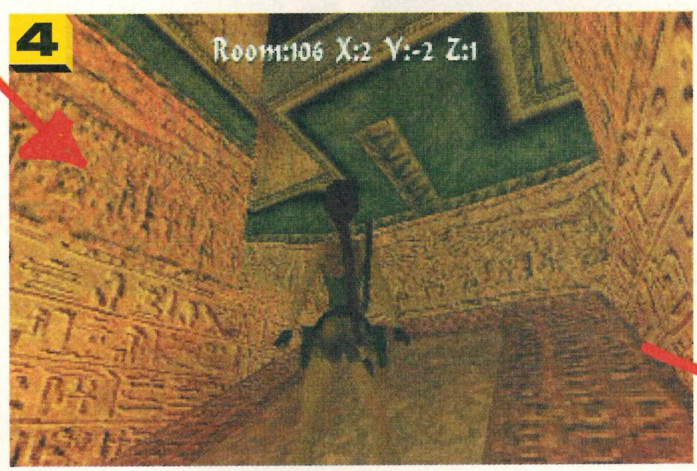
▲ Go back to the shore and crawl trough the opening in the cliffs



▲ In the clearing with the three obelisks, use the Sun Talisman on the small obelisk

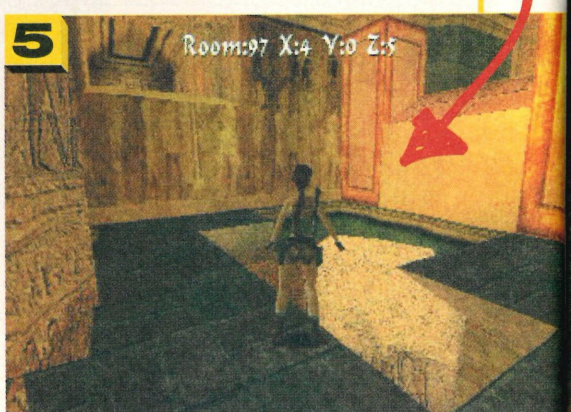


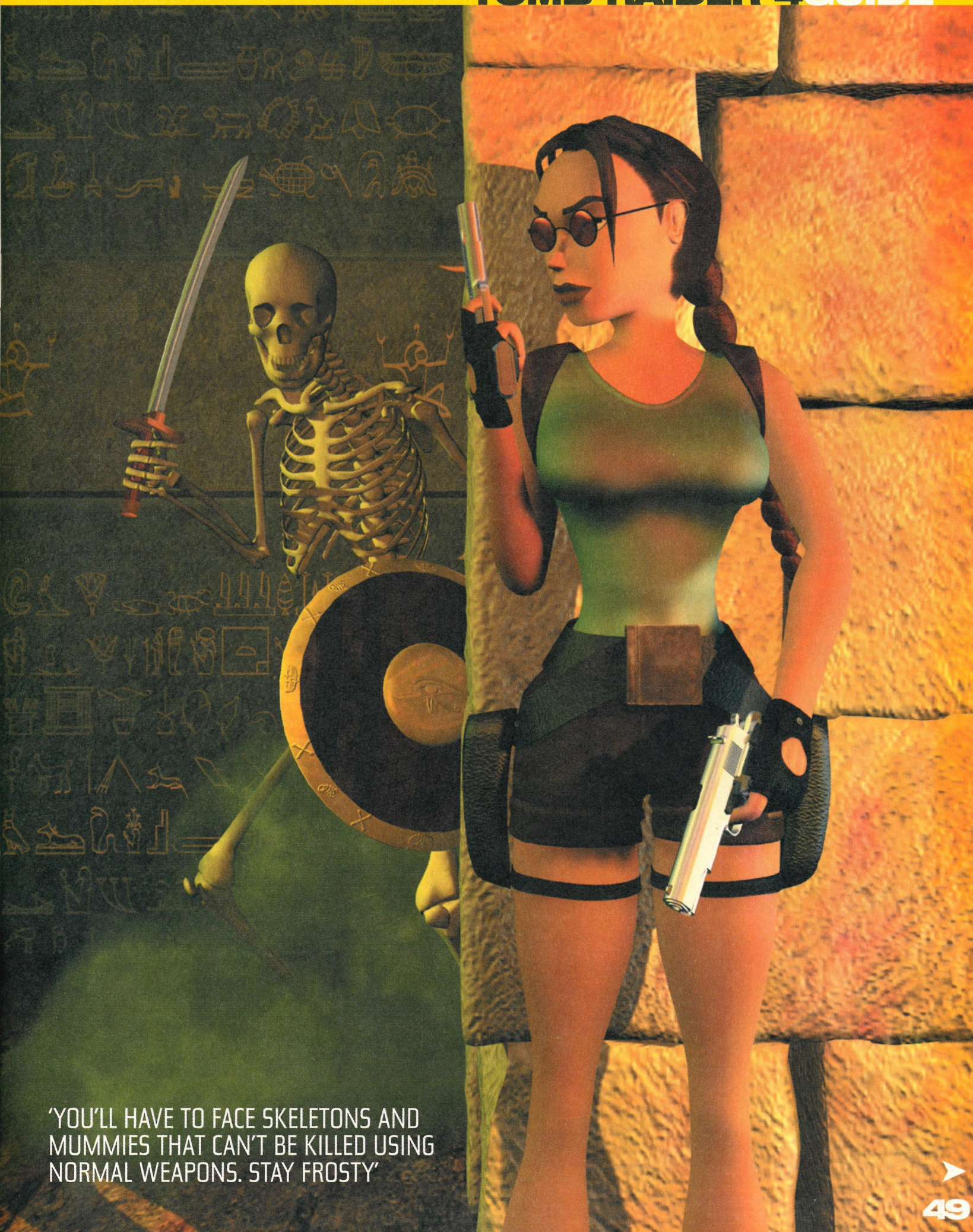
▲ Go through the middle door and climb up to reach the monkey bars. Climb across, drop down and grab the ledge. Crawl through



▲ The ledge you're interested in is the furthest away from you. Crawl in, go to the end of the room and backflip onto a slope. Immediately press forward jump to reach the platform above

● Do a running jump and grab onto the ledge in front. Drop down and follow the path to the left. Jump and grab onto a sloped ledge on the other side, climb up

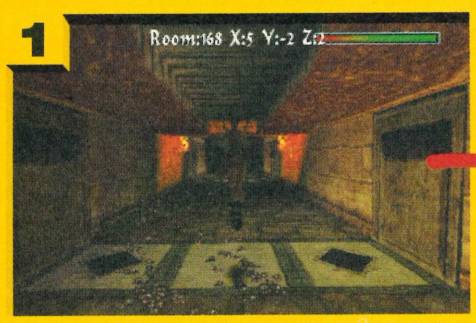




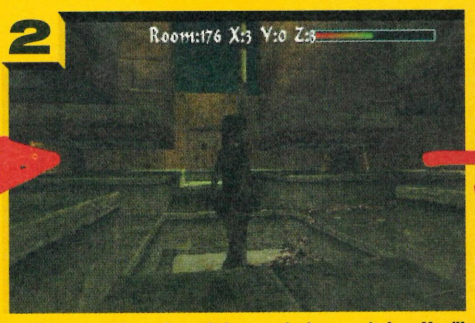
'YOU'LL HAVE TO FACE SKELETONS AND MUMMIES THAT CAN'T BE KILLED USING NORMAL WEAPONS. STAY FROSTY'

Tomb of Semerkhet

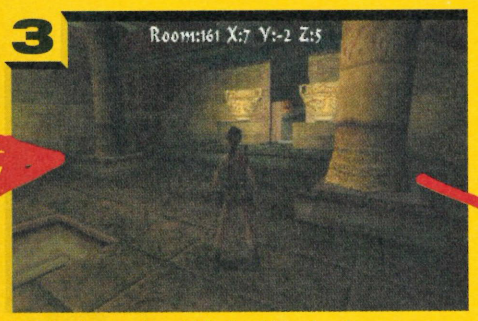
AVOID THE POISONOUS SPIDERS AND FIND THE WAY THROUGH TO SEHET'S DEADLY BOARD GAME



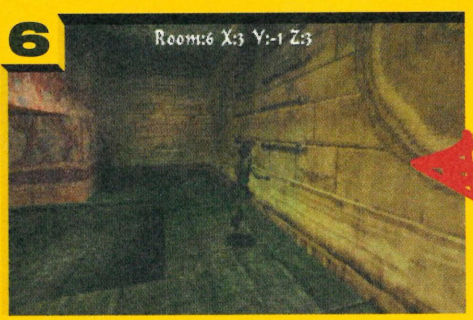
▲ As soon as Lara stops sliding down, jump and grab the monkey bars to avoid the swarm of spiders



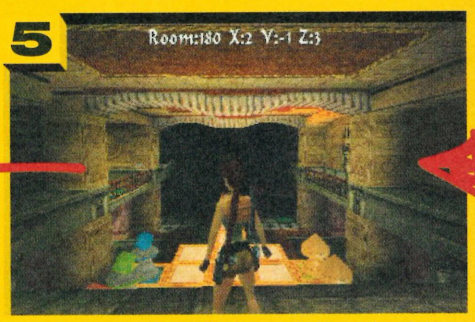
▲ Slide down the pole and then push three switches. You'll have to be quick to avoid being devoured by the spiders



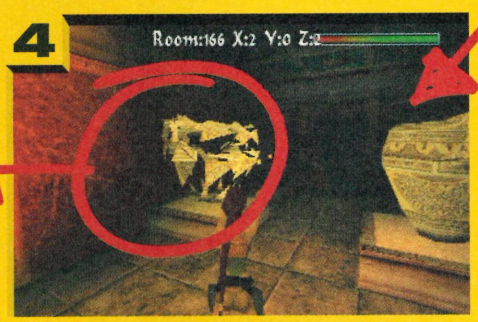
▲ Go back up to the middle level. The door is now open. Once inside, push the first red door on the left



▲ Follow the corridors until you reach an opening above. Climb the ladder and go straight up through the gap



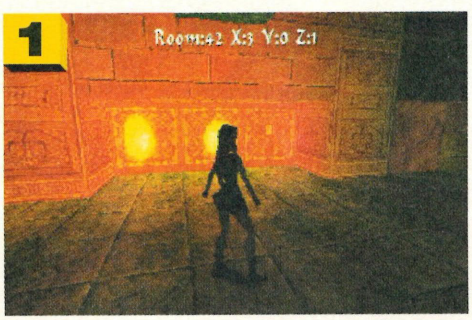
▲ Climb down, and you'll land on a platform above a long hall. There's a giant board game laid out down there



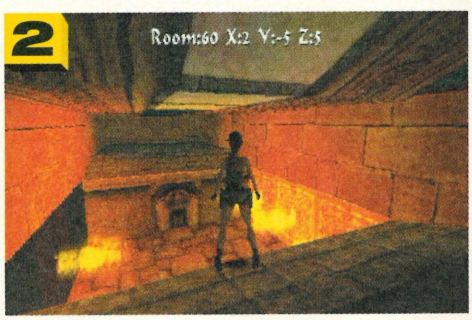
▲ Shoot the vases in the next room to get extra supplies. There's ammo, flares and medipacks

Flame Switches

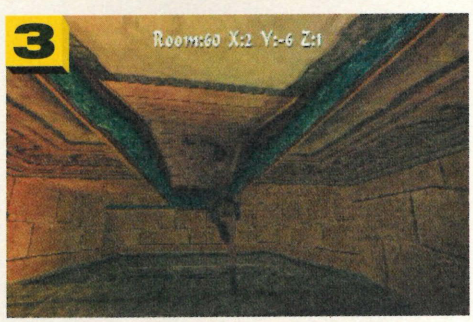
TIMING'S CRUCIAL HERE: MISJUDGE WHEN YOU PULL THE SWITCH AND YOU'LL END UP FLAME-GRILLED



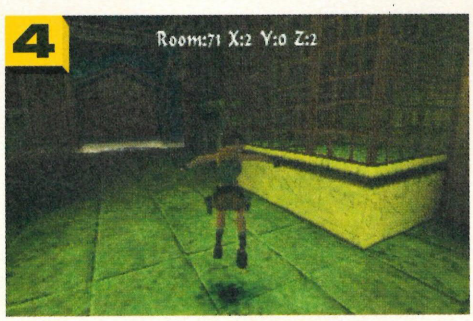
▲ First pull right switch and jump back. The middle flame goes out. Pull the switch to reveal a passage to the right



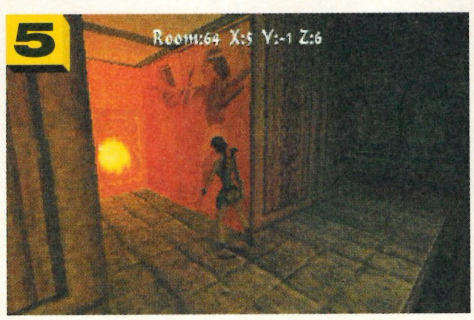
▲ Bottom left flame goes out. Pull the switch. Pull middle right switch, then the bottom right to raise a grate outside



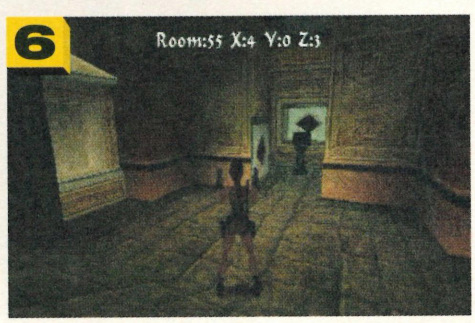
▲ Before Lara monkey-swings out of the room, she needs to pull middle left switch to lift the exit block



▲ As Lara exits, the grate is on the right. Climb the block next to it, climb up and jump onto the platform opposite



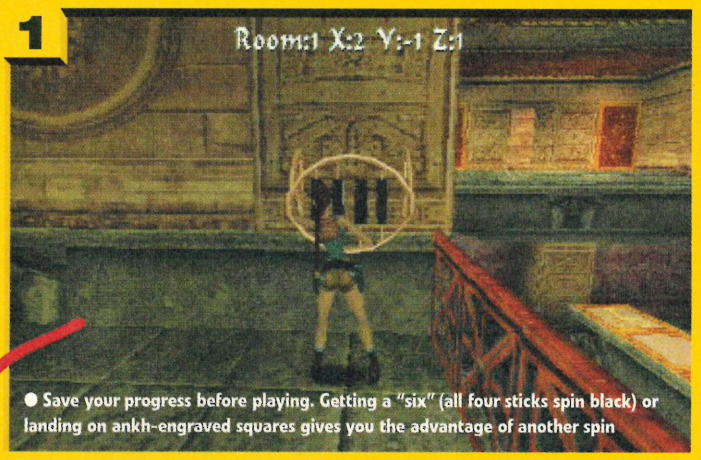
▲ The last flame switch is timed. Pull it and get back down to the centre of the room



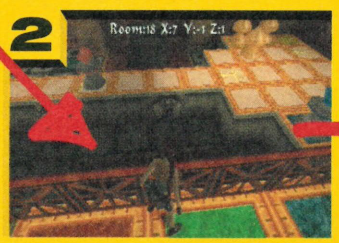
▲ The flames are finally out. Pick up the rules for The Game of Sehet. Head back into the main hall

Game of Sehet

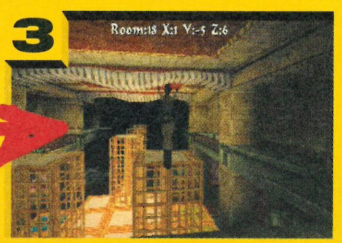
HOW TO WIN THE GAME ON YOUR FIRST GO



● Save your progress before playing. Getting a "six" (all four sticks spin black) or landing on ankh-engraved squares gives you the advantage of another spin



▲ Keep your game pieces away from the opponent – play only red, then green and blue



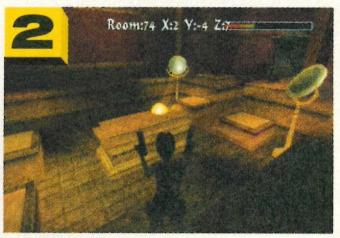
▲ When Lara wins, ankh-engraved pieces rise, allowing you to jump across to the end of the hall

Semerkhet's Chamber

HOW TO SOLVE THE PUZZLE OF SEMERKHET'S TOMB



▲ Another hall full of spiders and no monkey bars this time. Lara has to jump across the stone blocks instead



▲ Lara ends up in a room with Semerkhet's tomb and twp lenses pointing towards it. Switch the right-hand lens on, then climb up



▲ Above the tomb room is a room containing more playing pieces. You need to push them right across the room to open up the tomb below



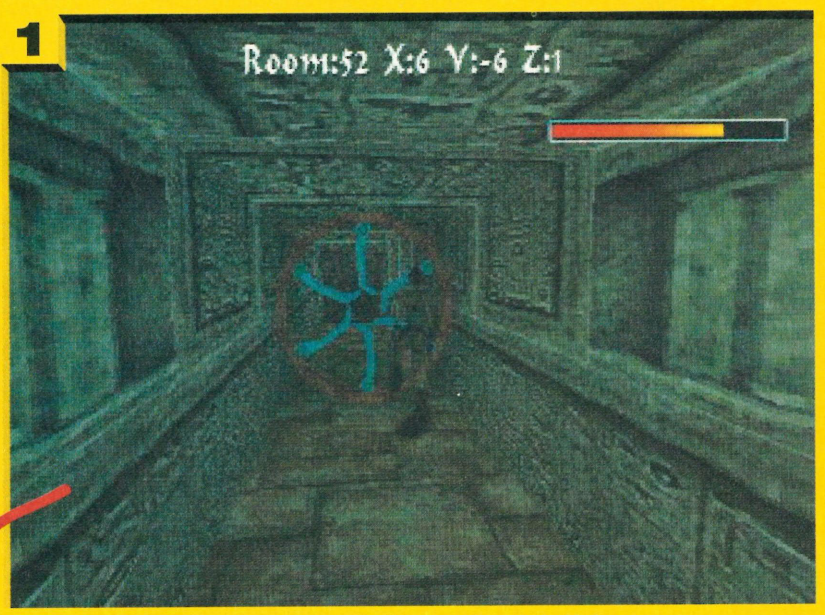
'THE JEEP CHASE IS A WELCOME RELIEF FROM THE BRAIN-BUSTING PUZZLES IN THE TOMB'

Guardian of Semerkhet

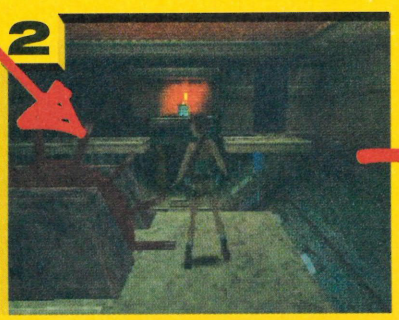
This level contains some of the hardest puzzles yet, and you'll have to do most of them at high speed, so save frequently and get ready to run at a moment's notice.

Map Room

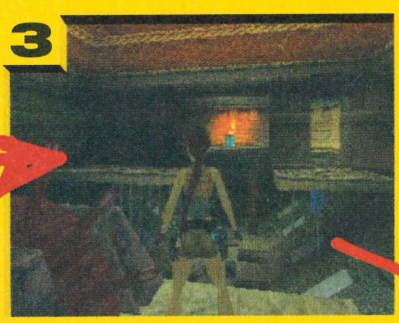
THIS FIRST ROOM OF THIS LEVEL IS A TRAP SO GET READY TO JUMP AS SOON AS YOU START UP. THEN BE READY FOR SOME HARDCORE RUNNING AND LEAPING ACTION



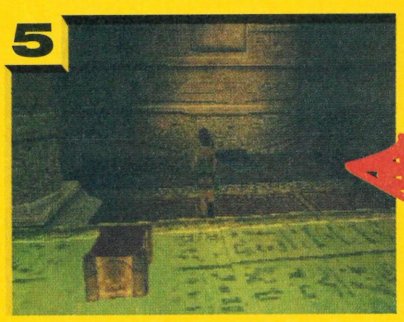
▲ Sprint and then press jump to do a forward roll and get through the blades



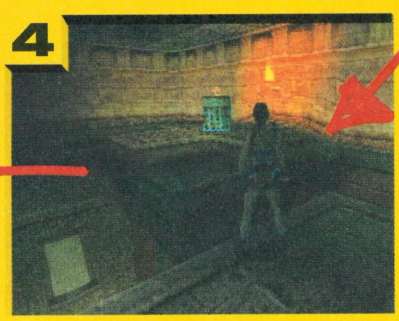
▲ Climb up and crawl through the little opening in the map room, then turn the wheel in the next room. A door opens



▲ The door is timed so run and jump across to it as fast as you can. Watch out for the spikes that appear on the floor below



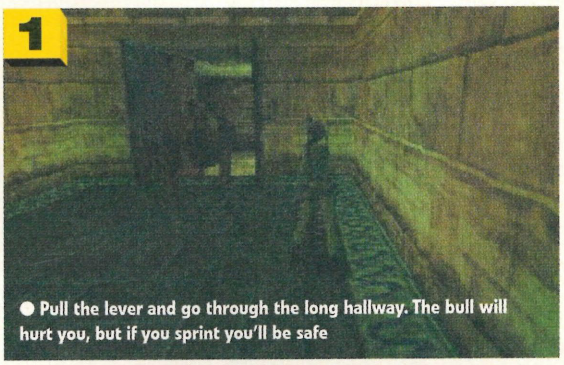
▲ You're on Indiana Jones territory as you watch a laser beam open up a pyramid and expose Guardian Key. Use it on the wall to open a hatch



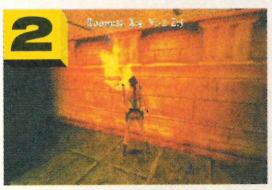
▲ Pick up the Golden Vraeus very carefully – the column is booby-trapped. Touch it, and you're dead. Go back to the map room and use the idol

Bull Chase

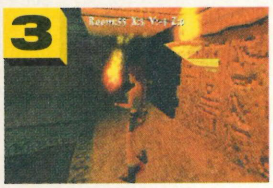
MOVE FAST OR YOU'LL GET CRUSHED



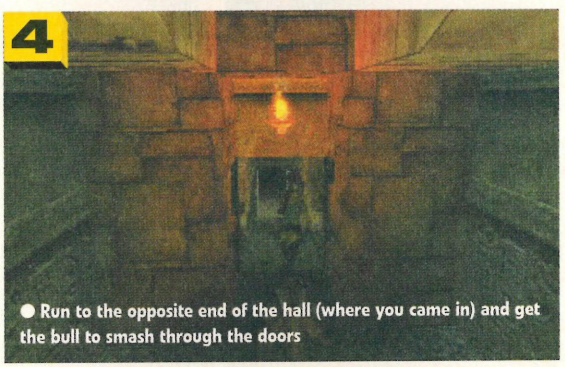
● Pull the lever and go through the long hallway. The bull will hurt you, but if you sprint you'll be safe



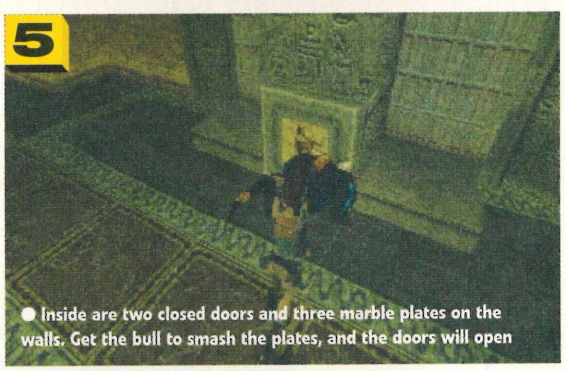
▲ Pull a switch in the furthest part of the hallway to get a torch. Go back and light it on the raised platform



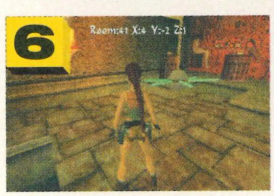
▲ Go back to the room where you found the torch and light two candles to open a door. Go through to get the supplies



● Run to the opposite end of the hall (where you came in) and get the bull to smash through the doors



● Inside are two closed doors and three marble plates on the walls. Get the bull to smash the plates, and the doors will open

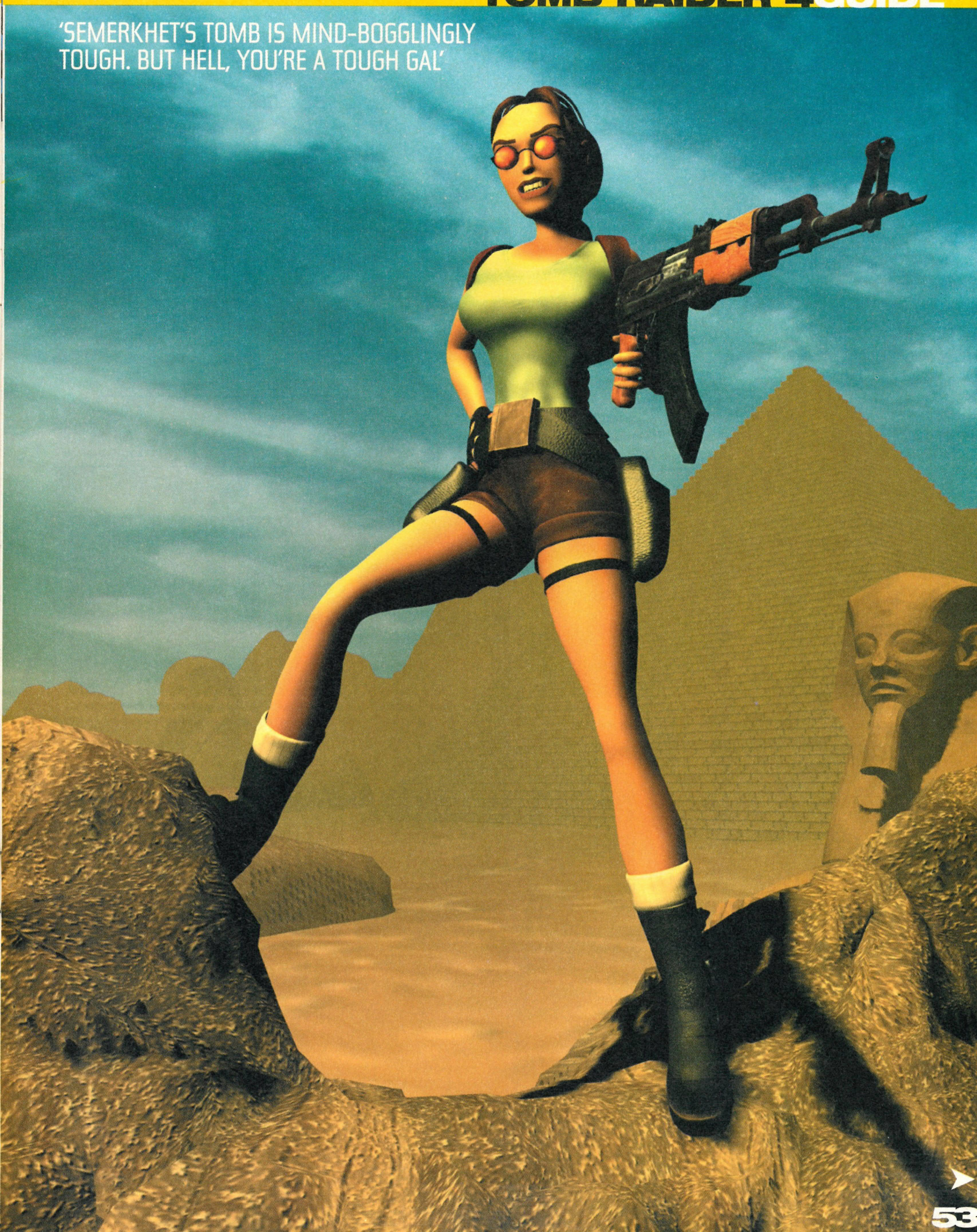


▲ Go through the right door to find secret rooms with ammo. The room is trapped: stay away from the centre



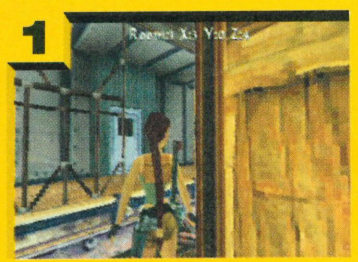
▲ When the bull has smashed all three marble plates, the door on the left will open and Lara can exit the level

'SEMERKHET'S TOMB IS MIND-BOGGLINGLY TOUGH. BUT HELL, YOU'RE A TOUGH GAL'

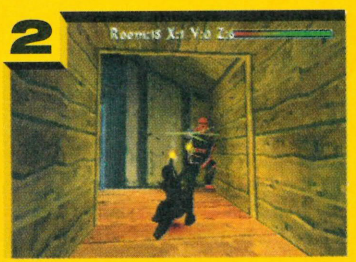


Desert Railroad

HOW TO KILL YOUR FELLOW PASSENGERS WITHOUT FALLING OFF THE TRAIN



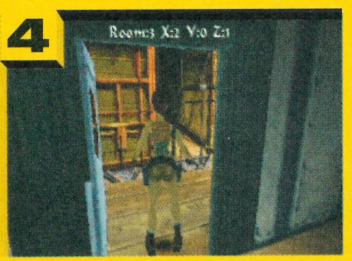
▲ Pull the lever in the first carriage to open the back door. Jump onto the next carriage. The train is moving so the jumps have to be very precise



▲ In the second carriage you'll be attacked by masked enemies. They can deflect bullets with their swords, so use the shotgun to kill them



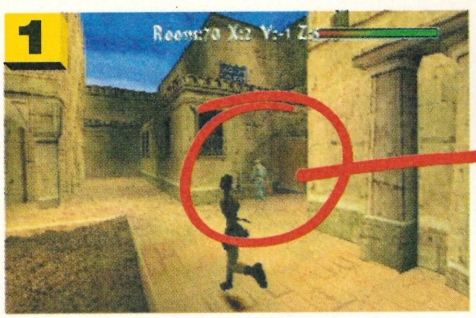
▲ Grab onto the ledge on the open carriage, then jump and grab the left ladder of the next carriage. You can't climb up where you land, so shimmy round



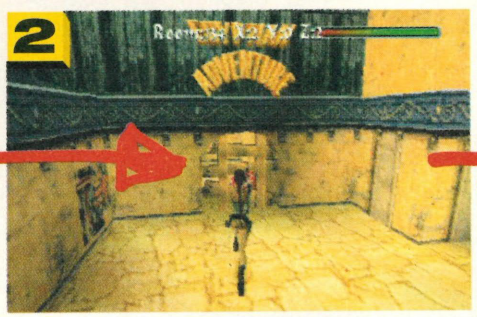
▲ Crawl through the small opening into the carriage and pick up the crowbar. Head back to the front of the train. Use the crowbar on the gearbox to exit

Alexandria

EXPLORE THE 'EGYPTIAN ADVENTURE' RIDE AND GRAB THE LASER SIGHT AND CROSSBOW



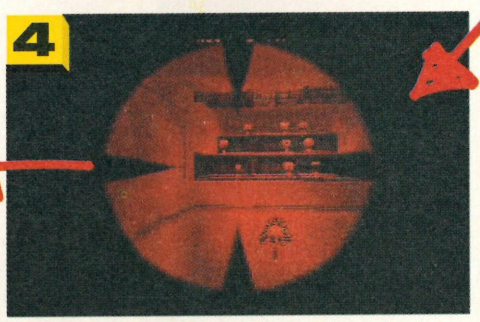
▲ Head towards the square from the train station. Shoot the two guards and turn right



▲ Shoot the boarded up door to the Egyptian adventure ride and head on in



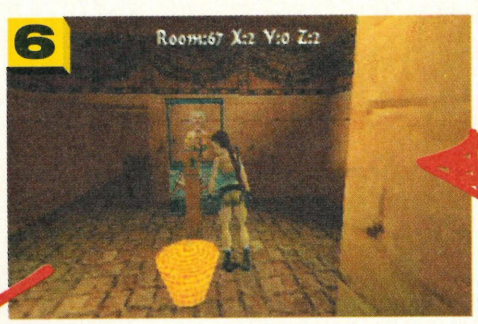
▲ Find the room with a pyramid and slide down the slope. A platform will rise up, allowing you to stand on it



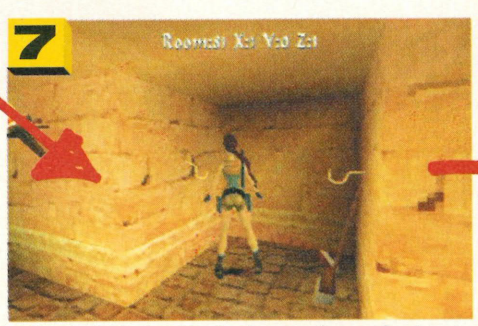
▲ Take the laser sight and practise your sharp-shooting skills by hitting targets. You can use any weapon



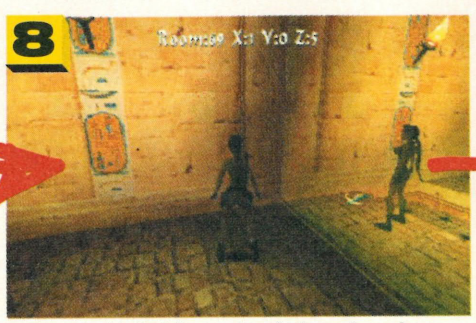
▲ When you've shot all the targets, the spikes will disappear from the floor and you're rewarded with a token



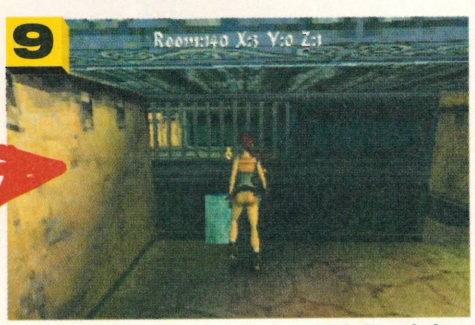
▲ Use the token in the room with a mechanical puppet. A rope will rise out of the basket. Climb it



▲ Pick up the broken handle, then use the crowbar to get the hook. Combine the handle and the hook



▲ Shoot the blocked door and you're in a mirrored room. Watch the reflection for booby-traps. Get the crossbow

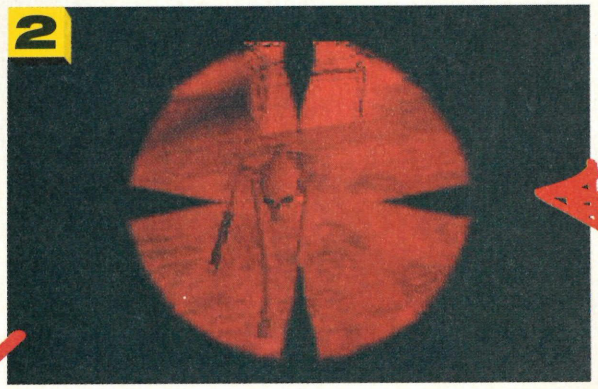


▲ Use the combined hook and pole to reach through the bars and grab the key

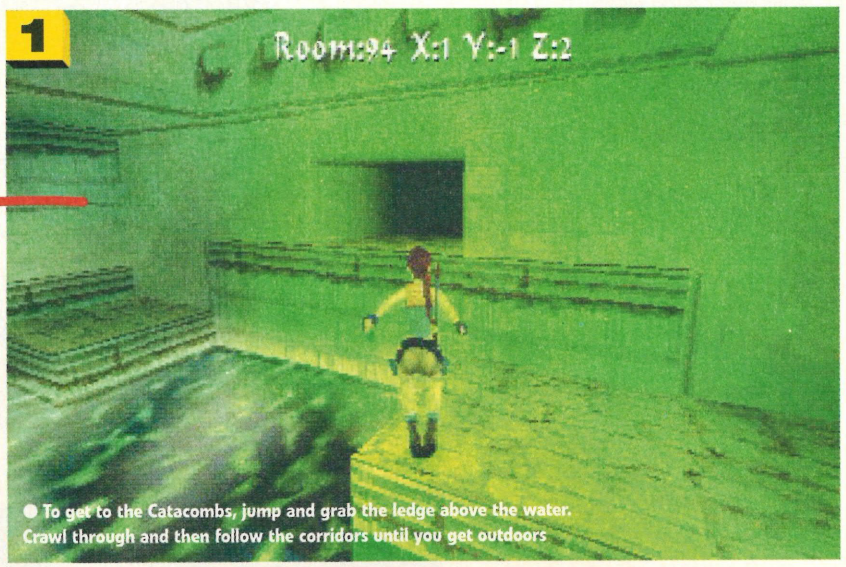

'ONCE YOU'VE GOT THE LASER SIGHT, NO ENEMY IS SAFE FROM YOUR FIREPOWER'

Catacombs

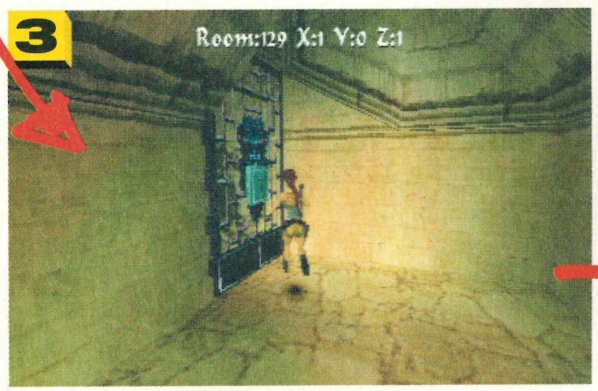
DEAL WITH BRAIN-FRYING PUZZLES AND EXTERMINATE HORDES OF SKELETONS WITH THE LASER SIGHT



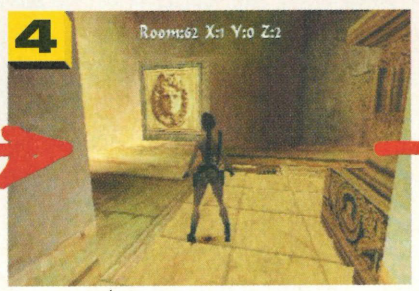
▲ Follow a grassy path to a fort on the right. Two skeletons will come after you. Kill them by blowing their heads off using the laser sight



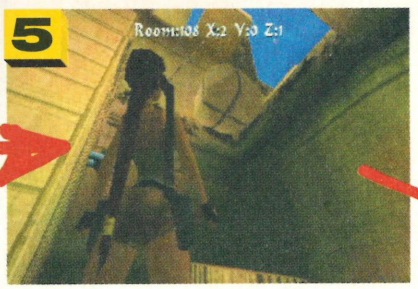
● To get to the Catacombs, jump and grab the ledge above the water. Crawl through and then follow the corridors until you get outdoors



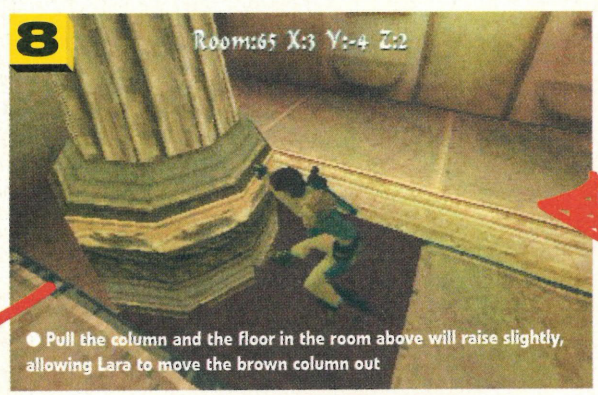
▲ Jump across to where the skeletons came from. Use the key in the gate



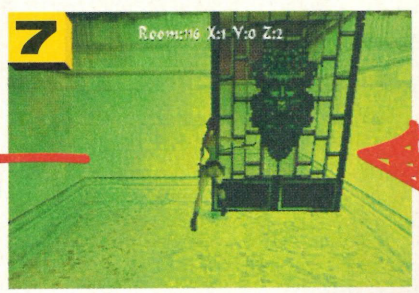
▲ Push the switch to release a block in the room below. Go back through the gate



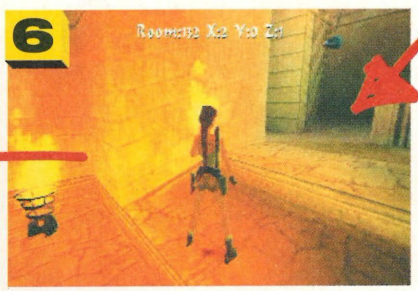
▲ Climb down. You need to crawl through the opening blocked by a boulder



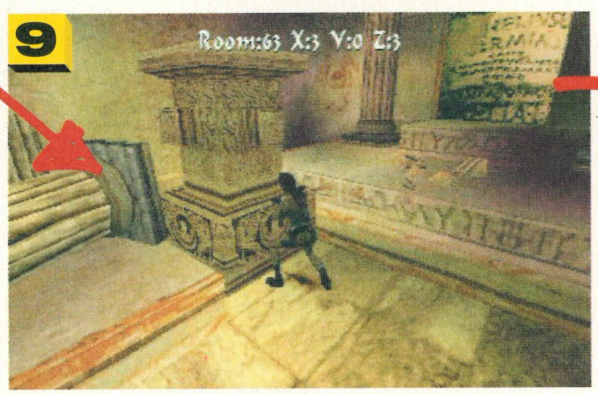
● Pull the column and the floor in the room above will raise slightly, allowing Lara to move the brown column out



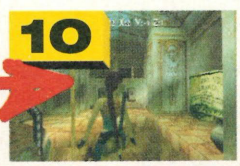
▲ Use the crowbar on the gate and go through to the room where you raised a block earlier



▲ Pick up a torch and light it. Jump and light up the rope the boulder's tied to



▲ Go back through the first gate and push the brown column as far as it will go into the hallway. A door opens



▲ Jump and grab the pole and climb down



▲ Pull the lever to make the walls rise around you

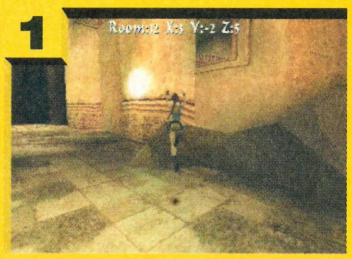


▲ Jump and grab the rope in front, then jump and grab the second rope and swing onto the platform. Take the ladder down

Tridents

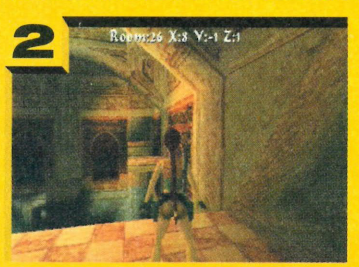
HOW TO GRAB THE TWO TRIDENTS WITHOUT FALLING TO YOUR DEATH

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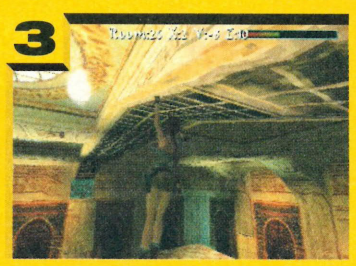
▲ Ignore the stairs up and grab the ledge beneath the small opening instead. Climb up and head through to the big pool

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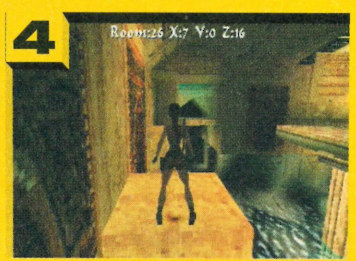
▲ Climb the stairs and jump onto the platforms in the middle. Jump to the small platform, then pull the lever

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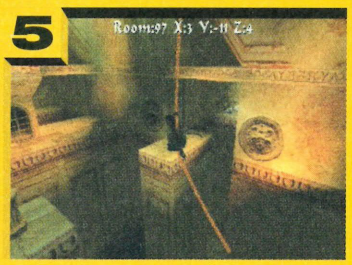
▲ The lever raises a couple of blocks that enable Lara to reach the monkey swing and pull the second lever high above

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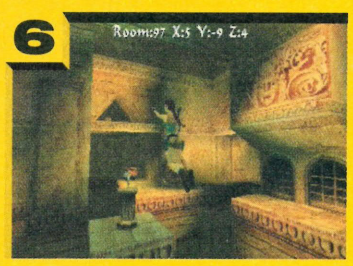
▲ More blocks are raised, this time they take Lara to a narrow ledge. Shimmy around the corner and climb up

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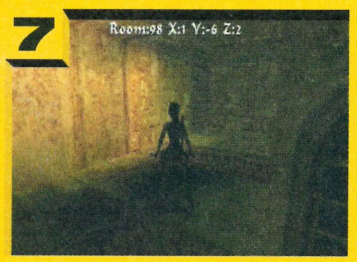
▲ Shoot some skeletons using the laser sight and then swing on the rope to the nearest platform on the right

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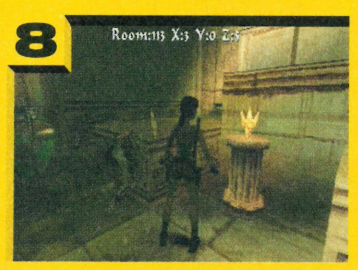
▲ Do a running jump across the gap to the central platform and grab the Trident that's sitting there

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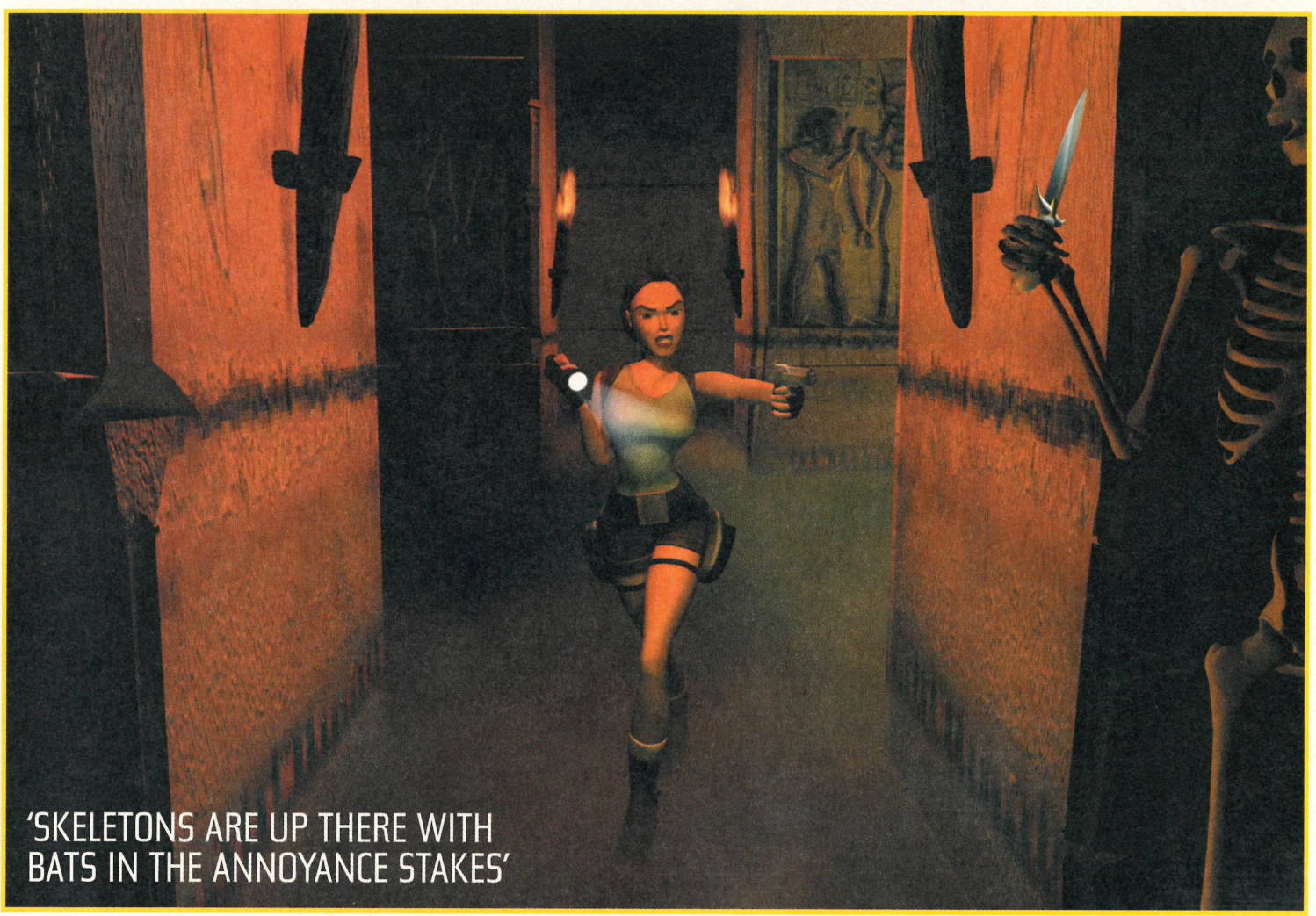


▲ Jump across and then jump to the furthest platform to find a ladder in the corner. This is your way out

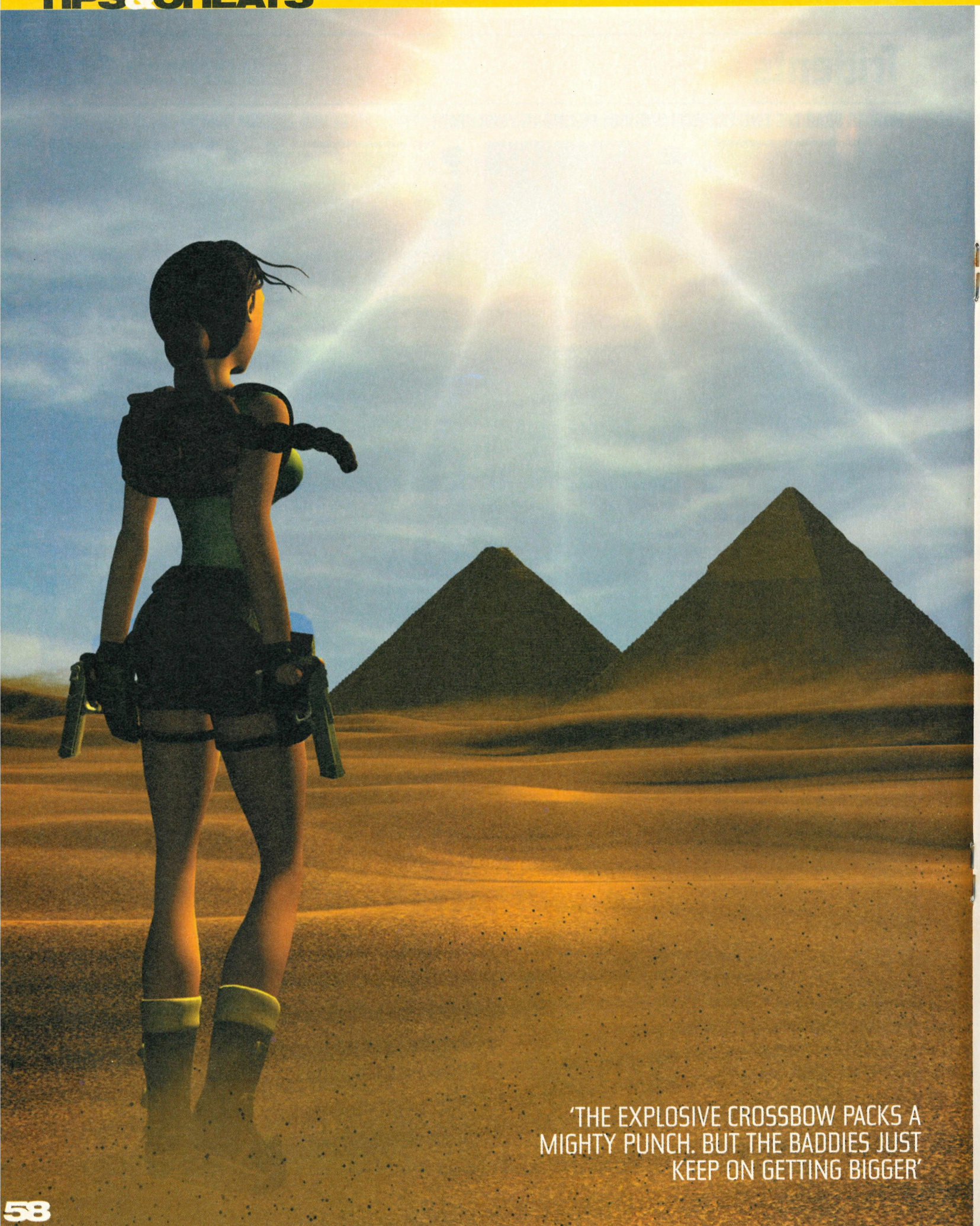
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▲ Shoot a skeleton and pick up the second Trident. Climb the pole to get back to the main room. This time, take the stairs out



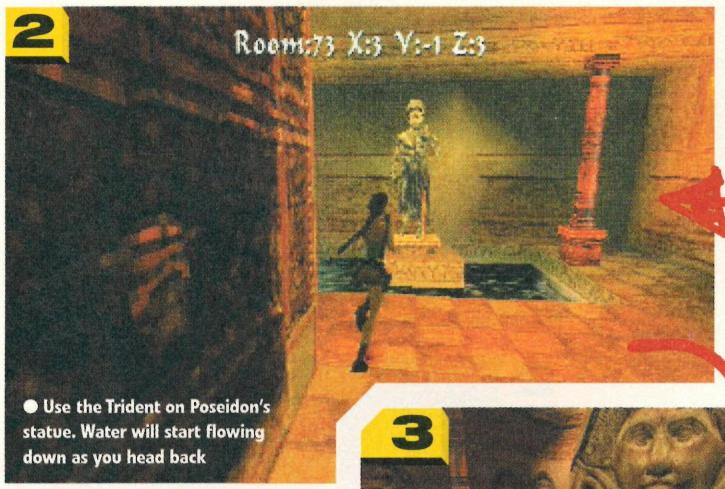
'SKELETONS ARE UP THERE WITH BATS IN THE ANNOYANCE STAKES'



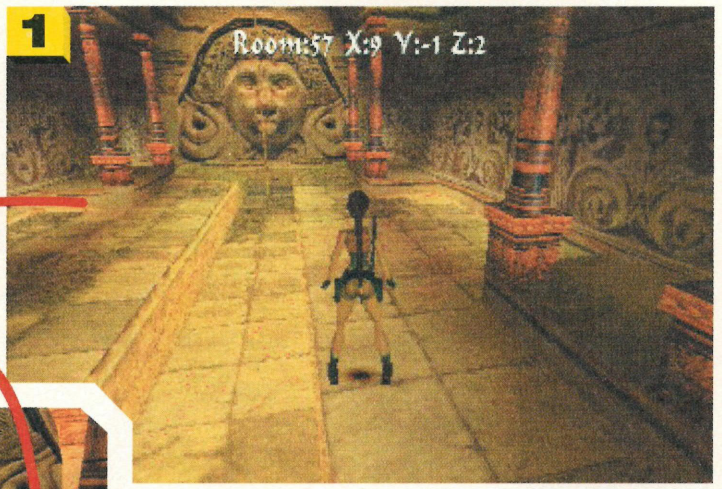
'THE EXPLOSIVE CROSSBOW PACKS A MIGHTY PUNCH. BUT THE BADDIES JUST KEEP ON GETTING BIGGER'

Temple of Poseidon

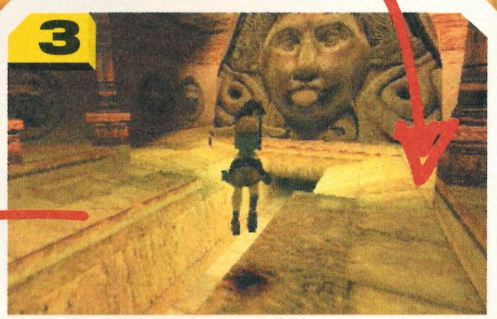
USE THE TRIDENTS TO UNRAVEL THE MYSTERIES OF THE SEA-GOD'S TEMPLE



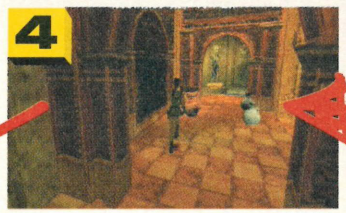
● Use the Trident on Poseidon's statue. Water will start flowing down as you head back



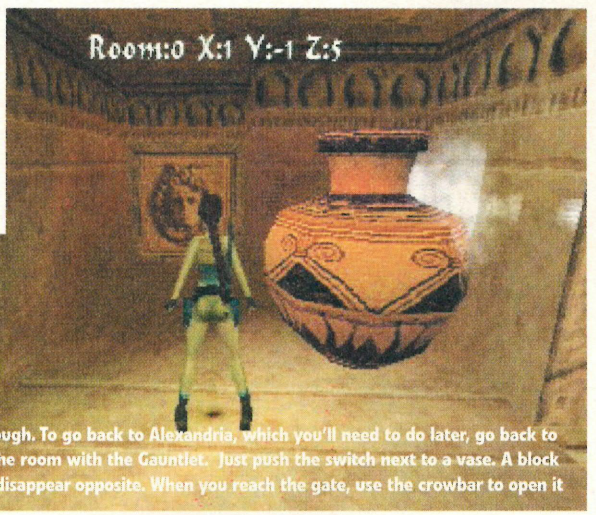
▲ A lot of the rooms here look pretty similar, so stay alert. First go to the one opposite the entrance and climb the pole



▲ Once back in the main room, take the opposite path again and crawl underneath the tongue of the statue



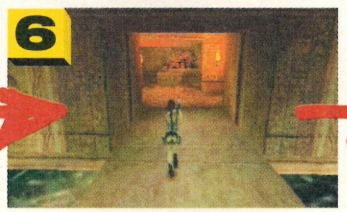
▲ Another Poseidon statue, so use the second Trident and swim back out



● Take note, though. To go back to Alexandria, which you'll need to do later, go back to the hall before the room with the Gauntlet. Just push the switch next to a vase. A block in the floor will disappear opposite. When you reach the gate, use the crowbar to open it



▲ The main room now has two waterfalls so dive into the newly created pool and swim through the opening

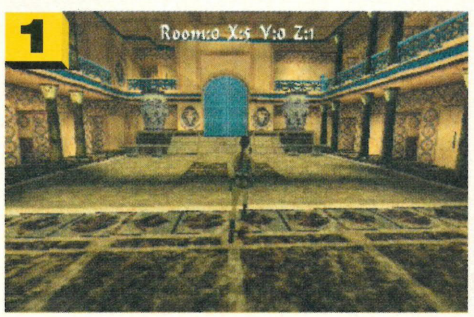


▲ Pick up Left Gauntlet from the tomb in front. You can exit to the next level, using the doors which have opened behind you

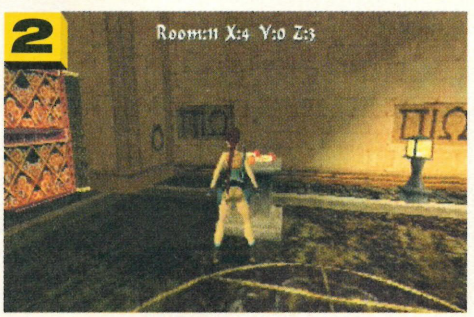


The Lost Library

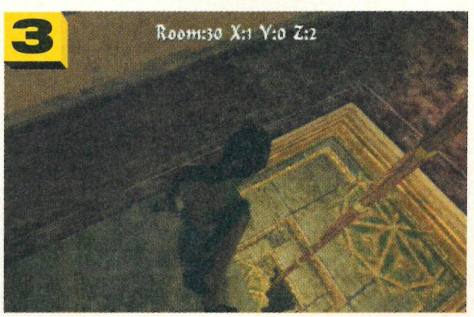
GET THE SCROLLS AND OPEN A FEW IMPORTANT DOORS



▲ Go into the central room and open every door you can, even though you won't need to use all the rooms on the ground level yet



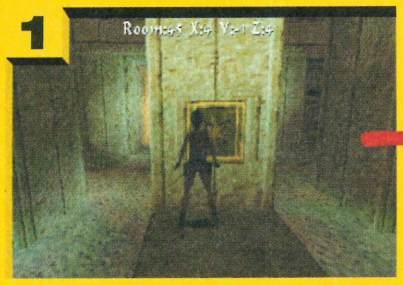
▲ Pick up the Scrolls in the bottom left room – you'll need them later. Exit back into the hall and go through the middle left door



▲ This part is *very* tricky so make sure you save the game. You need to grab the pole and then drop down as quick as you can. Keep letting go of the pole and grabbing it again

Stars

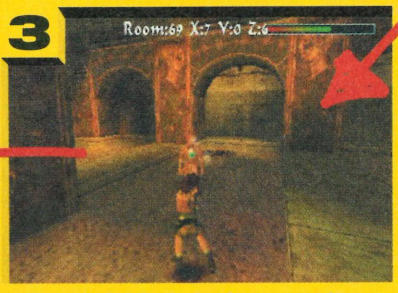
MORE HIDDEN BITS OF THE LOST LIBRARY: HOW TO GET THE STARS



▲ This isn't just a picture on the wall. Use the crowbar to lever it off, and you get the Star



▲ Climb the ladder on top of the block on the left as you enter. Now follow the path



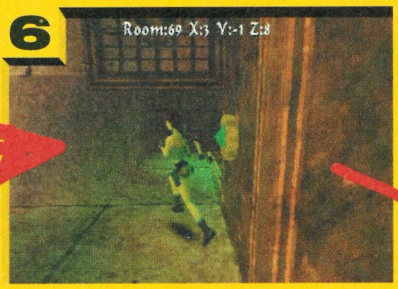
▲ Shoot the knights in the chest – targeting them is easier without the laser sight



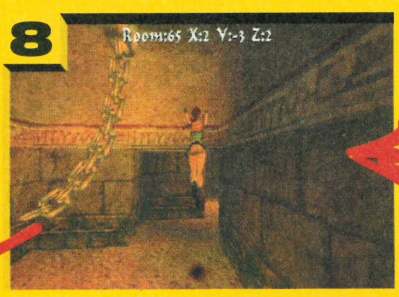
▲ Go to where the second knight came from and then lower Lara into the opening in the ground



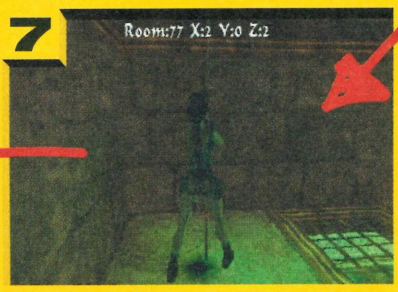
▲ You have to kill a horseman knight and take his heart Gem back into the previous room



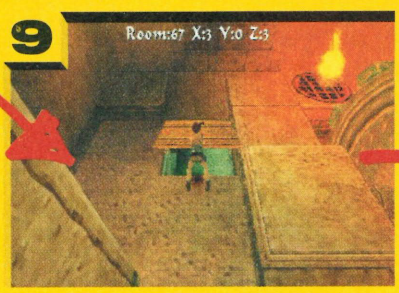
▲ Use the Horseman Gem to lift the grate and open up the passage



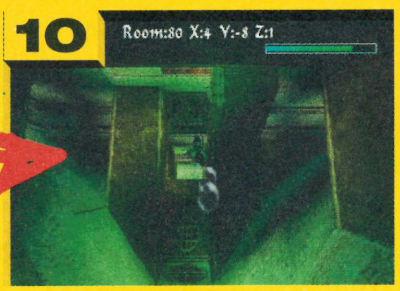
▲ Choose the right-hand passage. It's a little easier. Do a series of jumps to avoid the chains



▲ Pull the rope. It opens a grate in pool nearby. Go back to the room where you got the Star



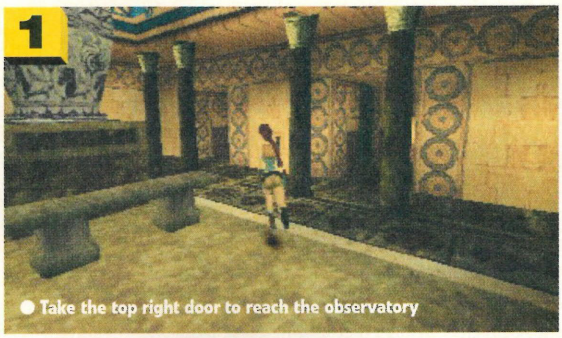
▲ When you've passed the chains, pull the hatch and dive into the water



▲ Swim through the opened grate and pick up two Stars. Go back to the Library

Planets

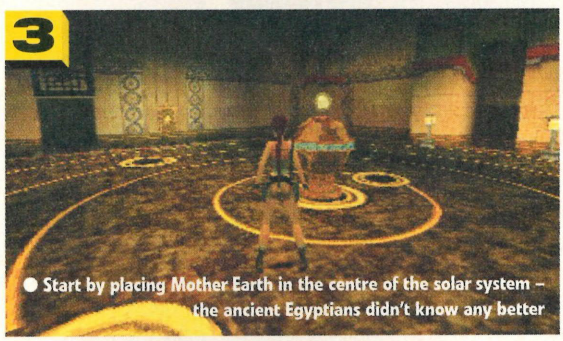
WHERE TO FIND THE PLANETS



● Take the top right door to reach the observatory



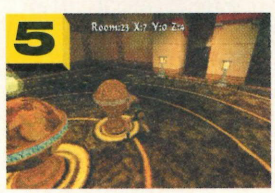
● Use the three Stars to open grates hiding four planets of the solar system. Drag the planets onto the black circles



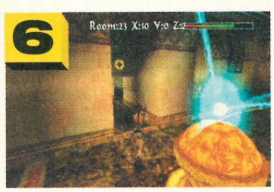
● Start by placing Mother Earth in the centre of the solar system – the ancient Egyptians didn't know any better



▲ The Sun (with yellow strip) goes into the fifth circle and Mercury (green strip) into the third. Light appears when you've got it right



▲ Mars (red strip) goes fourth and the little Venus (grey strip) slides in right after Earth



▲ Watch the short lightshow, then head straight for the newly-opened exit



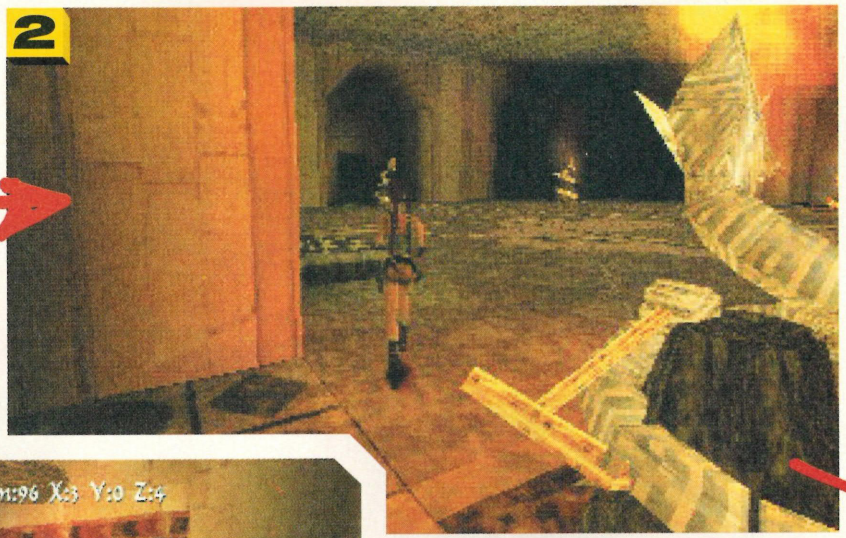
'THE LOST LIBRARY IS A BITCH OF A LEVEL: YOU'LL NEED ALL YOUR SKILLS TO DEFEAT THE KNIGHTS'

Pharos Pillar

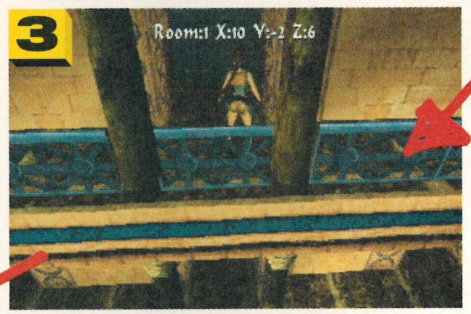
FINALLY, YOU'RE NEARING THE END OF THE LOST LIBRARY. JUST A COUPLE MORE PUZZLES TO SOLVE. HERE'S HOW



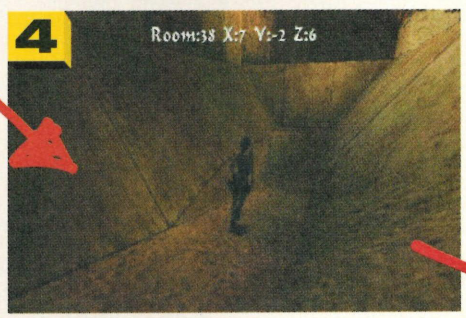
▲ Get the Scroll out and examine it – Lara has to light all seven flames and blocks will fall into the middle of the room. Climb up



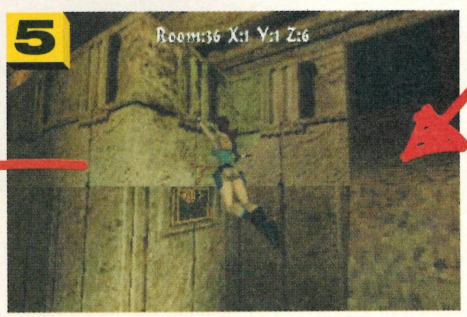
▲ If you mess up, step on the marble platform. All the flames will go out so you can have another go



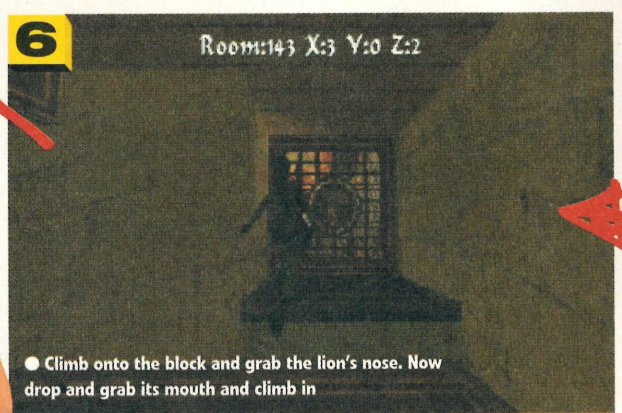
▲ Exit up into the gallery. Open all the doors before you take the right of the three doors opposite the entrance



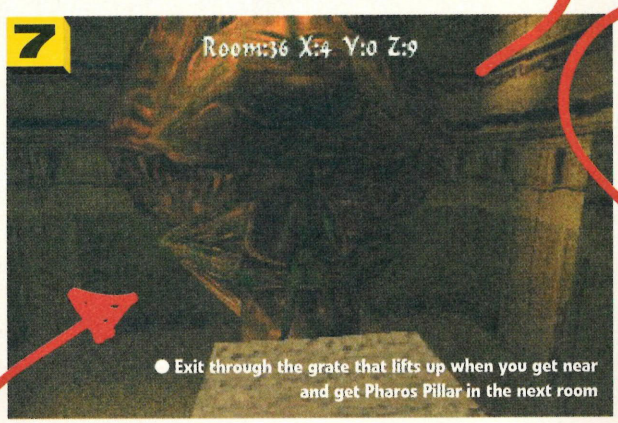
▲ When Lara stops sliding down, run to the left and climb up to avoid a boulder. Shoot the knight



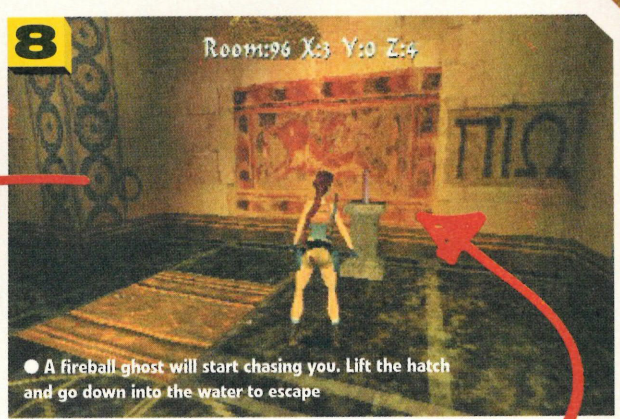
▲ Climb up to where the boulder came from and jump and grab the switch. This raises a block by the lion head



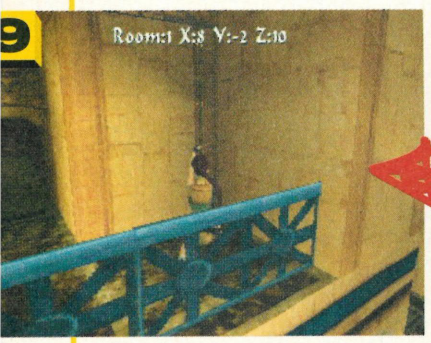
● Climb onto the block and grab the lion's nose. Now drop and grab its mouth and climb in



● Exit through the grate that lifts up when you get near and get Pharos Pillar in the next room



● A fireball ghost will start chasing you. Lift the hatch and go down into the water to escape



▲ Pull the rope to open the exit




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THIS MONTH'S MOST WANTED

THE FIVE GAMES YOU ASK FOR MOST. AND SOME OF THE GAMES OFFERED IN RETURN



1. SYPHON FILTER

Plenty of stealth and even more action takes the Syphon to Number One this month.

WANT TO TRADE IT FOR ONE OF THESE?

Track and Field, F1 97, Nightmare Creatures, Dead or Alive, Gran Turismo, Heart of Darkness, Civilisation 2, Micro Machines V3, Omega Boost, Final Fantasy 7, Tomb Raider 3, Cool Boarders 2

'I PLAYED TENCHU TIL I GOT BORED. BUT I CALLED YOU LOT AND SWOPPED IT FOR MEDIEVIL. THE BOX IS A BIT SCRATCHED BUT THAT'S IT' LUCY GILL, ROCHDALE



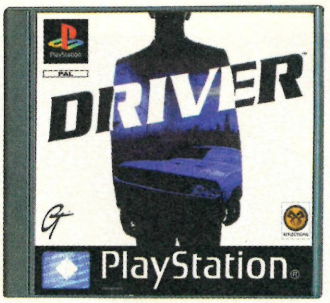
2. TEKKEN 3

Last month's number one slips kicking and screaming to number two. Still a fave, though.

TRADE BLOWS WITH ANY OF THESE?

Abe's Exoddus, Brian Lara Cricket, Die Hard Trilogy, Driver, Duke Nukem TTK, Return Fire, Silent Hill, Tomb Raider 2, Gex 3D, Nuclear Strike, Final Fantasy 7, Syphon Filter

'I REALISED I HAD GAMES LYING AROUND THAT I NEVER PLAYED. AFTER A CALL AND ONE WEEK LATER YOU GOT ME TWO NEWBIES' AARON PETERS, STOURBRIDGE



3. DRIVER

Get chased by cops to a funk soundtrack in one of the best games of last year

DRIVEN IT TO DEATH? WANT THESE?

Destruction Derby, Sled Storm, Rage Racer, Resident Evil, Metal Gear Solid, Resident Evil 2, Twisted Metal, Silent Hill, Soulblade, Micro Machines V3, Return Fire, Time Crisis

'WELL, I NEVER THOUGHT ANYBODY WOULD WANT WARHAMMER BUT SOMEBODY DID AND GAVE ME ALIEN TRILOGY FOR IT' NEIL TRACY, PORTSMOUTH



4. SOUL REAVER

Down the list this month is this 'Station' equivalent of Spawn-meets-From Dusk Till Dawn.

HERE'S WHAT YOU CAN SWOP IT FOR

Doom, Fifa 99, Jonah Lomu Rugby, Die Hard Trilogy, Madden 99, Final Fantasy 7, Gran Turismo, Tenchu, Time Crisis, Spyro, Syndicate Wars, Tomb Raider 3, G-Police

'I WAS WORRIED YOU MIGHT'VE BEEN LIKE OTHER MAGS WHO CHARGE YOU LOADS FOR CALLING BUT ALL IT'S COST ME IS A STAMP' LIAM MCDONNAGH, CO.CORK



5. METAL GEAR SOLID

The ever popular granddaddy of the stealth-em-up just won't sneak out of the top five

GOT IT? DONE IT? LIKE ONE OF THESE?

Abe's Exoddus, Alien Trilogy, Colin McRae Rally, Diablo, Final Fantasy 7, Mortal Kombat 3, Resident Evil, Tenchu, Tomb Raider 3, Worms, G-Police, Syndicate Wars, Broken Sword 2, Spyro 2

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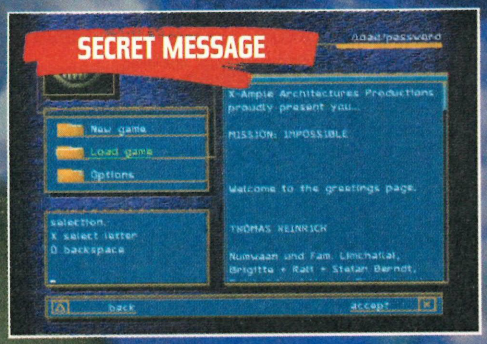
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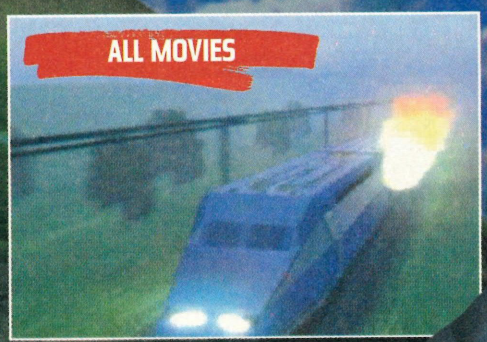
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▲ Watching these is more fun than the game

Mission Impossible

TURBO MODE AND SUPER JUMPS

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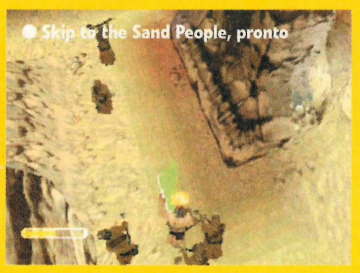
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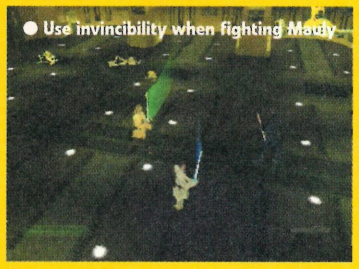
Star Wars: The Phantom Menace

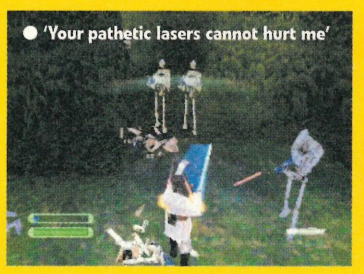
LEVEL SELECT AND JEDI INVINCIBILITY

CHEAT MODE

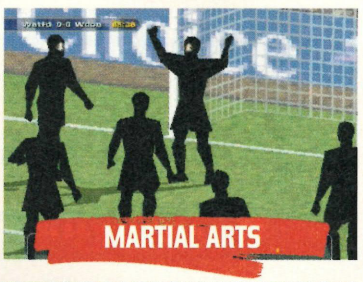
Having problems with your Jedi mind powers? Well forget the Force, just use these tricks. To activate the cheat mode, highlight options at the main menu, but don't select it. Now press △ ○ ◁ L1 R2 □ ○ ◁. A tone confirms correct entry. Hold L1 + SEL + △ to reveal cheats.


● Skip to the Sand People, pronto


● Use invincibility when fighting Maul


● 'Your pathetic lasers cannot hurt me'






● Increase the power of your weapons using the Gold cheats

LMA Manager

LOADSA MONEY

Type these passwords in the Player Name screen:

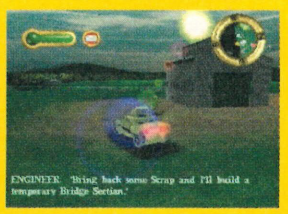
CHEAT	CODE
SUPER TEAM	THE BEST
RAINING FOR EVERY GAME	WET WET WET
REPLACES BALL WITH PLAYER DURING THE HIGHLIGHTS	GOOD KICKIN
PLAYERS DRESSED AS NINJAS DURING THE HIGHLIGHTS	MARTIAL ARTS
£500,000,000	KING MIDAS
ANY PLAYER'LL JOIN YOUR TEAM	NORTH AND SOUTH
STADIUMS BUILT IN A DAY	QUICK DRY CEMENT
ALL TACTICS DONE AUTOMATICALLY	BACKSEAT MANAGER

War of the Worlds

LEVEL CODES

Forget playing through the game, just skip to the level you want in seconds.

CHEAT	CODE
Level 2	✕ ✕ ✕ ○ △ ✕ ○ □
Level 3	□ ✕ ✕ △ ○ ○ ○ △
Level 4	○ ○ □ △ ✕ △ ○
Level 5	△ △ △ □ ○ △ ✕ ✕
Level 6	□ ○ △ △ ○ □ ✕ □
Level 7	○ △ ○ □ □ □ △ △
Level 8	○ ✕ ○ ✕ □ △ ✕ △
Level 9	□ ✕ ○ ○ ○ △ ✕ ○
Level 10	△ ✕ ✕ ○ ○ △ ○ ✕
Level 11	✕ △ ○ ○ □ □ ✕ □
Level 12	○ ○ □ △ △ ✕ ○ △
Level 13	○ △ △ ○ ✕ ✕ □ □
Level 14	○ ○ △ ✕ □ □ ✕ ○
No Damage	△ □ ✕ ○ △ △ ✕ ○



▲ Level 6: a cool level


▲ Level 14: well difficult

Quake 2

MULTIPLAYER CHEATS

GOLD CHEATS

To lay your mitts on the gold cheats, simply beat the game on the hardest difficulty. Gold cheats do various things, including one-hit kills, infinite ammo, unlock all weapons, increase or decrease the power of the weapons, slow down or speed up the game, and activate weapon stay which means the guns don't disappear when you pick them up. These codes only work in multiplayer but they're worth checking out.

Tony Hawk's Pro Skater

SPECIAL MOVES

PLAY AS OFFICER DICK

Using just one skater, collect all 30 tapes in Career Mode.

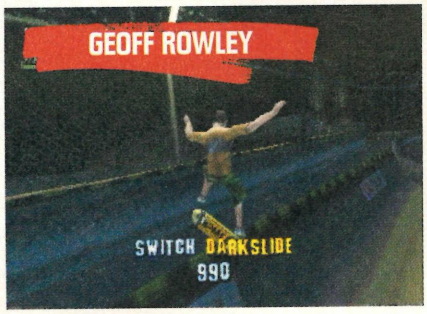
SIGNATURE MOVES

Each of the skaters has a selection of signature moves which you can pull off when the special bar, which appears on the top left of the screen, flashes yellow.

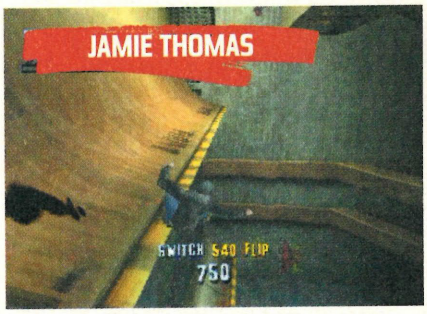




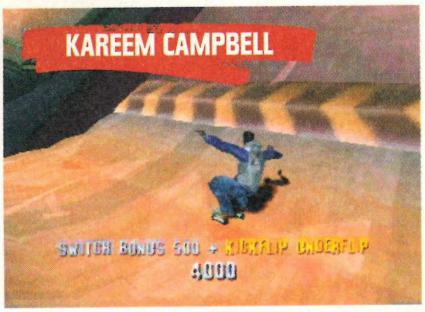
▲ Pull off the Primo Grind for big points



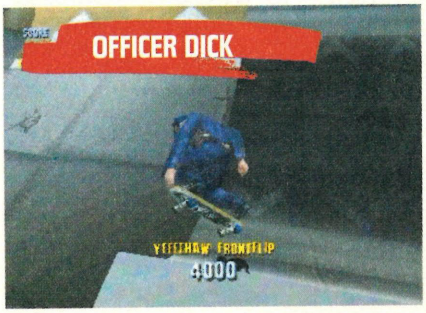
▲ Rowley Darkslide grind is pretty easy to do



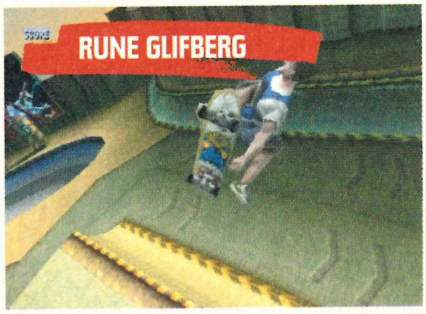
▲ Build up your special energy, then do the trick



▲ 4000 points. Not bad for one combo, huh?



▲ This copper's Frontflip is a cinch to pull off



▲ Kickflip McTwist: weird name, cool stunt

ELISSA STREAMER

BACKFLIP	↑ ↓ + ●
JUDO MADONNA	← → + ●
PRIMO GRIND	← ← + ▲

GEOFF ROWLEY

BACKFLIP	↑ ↓ + ●
DARKSIDE GRIND	← → + ▲
DOUBLE HARDFLIP	→ ↓ + ■

JAMIE THOMAS

540 FLIP	← ↓ + ■
FRONTFLIP	↓ ↑ + ●
ONE-FOOTED NOSE GRIND	↑ ↑ + ▲

KAREEM CAMPBELL

CASPER SLIDE	↑ ↓ + ▲
FRONT FLIP	↓ ↑ + ●
KICKFLIP UNDERFLIP	← → + ■

OFFICER DICK

ASSUME THE POSITION	← ← + ●
NECKBREAK GRIND	← → + ▲
YEEEEHAW FRONT FLIP	↓ ↑ + ●

RUNE GLIFBERG

CHRIST AIR	← → + ●
FRONT BACK KICKFLIP	↑ ↓ + ■
KICKFLIP MCTWIST	→ → + ●

Oddworld: Abe's Exoddus

LEVEL SELECT

LEVEL SKIP

While playing hold R1 then press
● ● ✕ ✕ ■ ■

LEVEL SELECT

Dead useful, this one. At the main menu, hold R1 and press ↓ ↑ ← → ▲ ■ ●
▲ ■ ● ↓ ↑ ← →

MOVIE SELECT

At the main menu, hold R1 and press
↑ ↓ ← → ■ ● ▲ ● ■ ● ↑ ↓ ← →

INVULNERABILITY

When you fed up being killed by Sligs, try this. When playing hold R1 and press
● ▲ ■ ✕ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↑ ● ▲ ■ ✕



▲ Stuck halfway through a level? No worries, just skip to the next

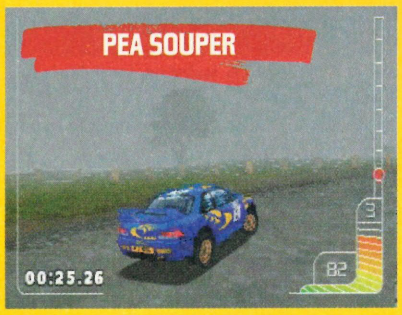
Colin McRae Rally

FOGGY TRACKS AND JELLY CARS!

PASSWORD CHEATS

Enter any of the following passwords for cool results.

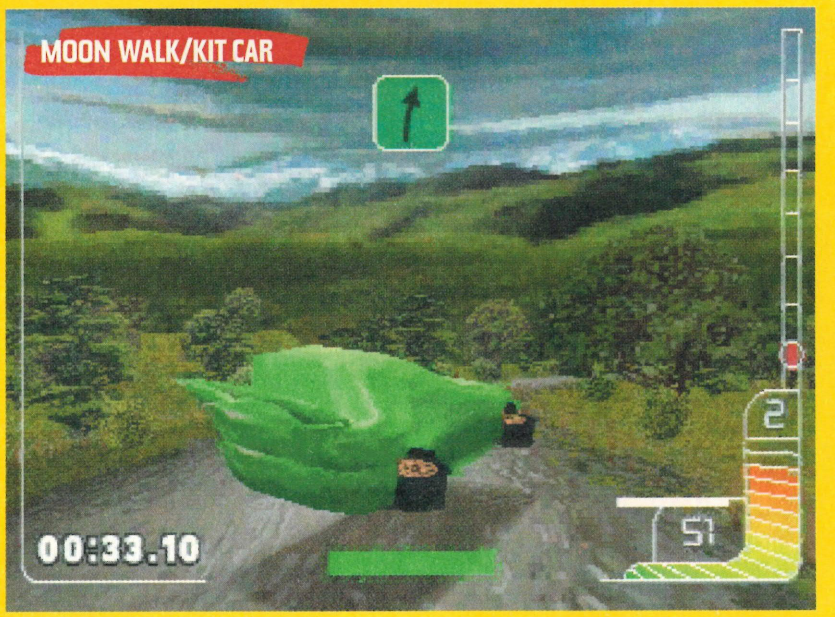
CHEAT	CODE
ALL TRACKS HAVE FOG	PEA SOUPER
PRESS ⊗ AND ◉ ALTERNATELY TO ACCELERATE	BUTTONBASH
EDIT THE REPLAY OF YOUR RACE	DIRECTORCUT
GREEN JELLY CAR	KIT CAR
REAR-WHEEL STEERING	FORKLIFT
CO-DRIVER ON HELIUM	HELIUMNICK
TURBO MODE	MOREOOMPH
LOW GRAVITY	MOON WALK
CHROME CAR	TINFOILED



▲ 'I can't see a bloody thing!' You'll have to be a better driver than Colin to win in this fog



▲ McRae's Subaru Impreza in cool chrome. Looks nice, doesn't go any faster though



▲ You can even combine cheats. Here you've got a car made from green jelly, hovering over the track because gravity is low. Just don't ask what the programmers were on when they inlcuded this

UEFA Champions League

HIDDEN ENGLAND TEAMS

This easy-to-play footy game has got a nifty secret if you're a big fan of the Three Lions. Just win a custom tournament with 64 teams in it, without losing a single match or conceding a goal, to gain the ability to play as every England world cup team since 1966. It's not easy to do though.

Action Man

LEVEL SELECT

ALL OPTIONS

To activate all options, levels and power points go to the apartment power point menu and press L1 L1 L1 R1 L1 L1 L1 R1 R1 L1 L1 L1 L1 R1 L1 L1 L1 L1 L1 L1 L1 L1 R1 L1 R1 ◉

ACCESS GAME CREDITS

Go to the apartment video player, then hold L1 R2 ⇩ and simply select the clip you want to see with the ⊗ button.

ACCESS SILLY SECRET COSTUMES

Go to the Apartment Weapons Menu then hold Down L1 and R1. Next tap ⇦ or ⇨ when the weapon is in position, but do it before the text



▲ Like to cheat? You're sorted then, with this level skip

Crash Team Racing

TURBO START

EXTRA TURBO BOOST

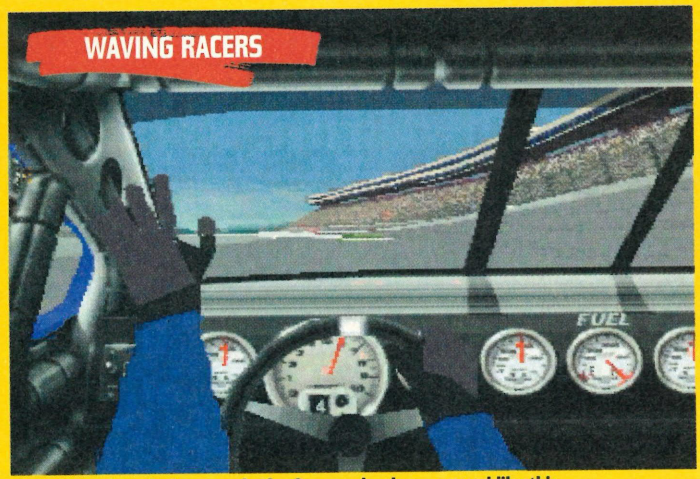
At the beginning of a race, hit the gas button just before the green light flashes to start off with a turbo boost.



▲ Just before the green light comes on, press accelerate for a turbo start

Nascar 2000

DRIVER SELECT



▲ And you thought it was only the Queen who drove around like this

ALAN KULWICKI

To race as Alan Kulwiki, win the championship in Short Track mode.

BENNY PARSONS

To race as Benny Parsons, win the championship in Road Courses mode.

CALE YARBOROUGH

To race as Cale Yarborough, win the championship in Full Season mode.

DAVEY ALLISON

To race as Davey Allison, win the championship in Super Speedway mode.

UNLOCK KALISPELL RACEWAY

To unlock Montana's Kalispell Raceway Park, finish first in Race the King mode.

WAVING RACERS

In one-player mode, when in the steering wheel view press and hold SEL.



▲ Drive hard to get Kalispell Raceway



▲ Benny Parsons: joke name or what?

CALL US DIRECT

STUCK ON A GAME? THEN GIVE US A CALL AND WE'LL TRY OUR BEST TO HELP YOU OUT

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Tomb Raider 4

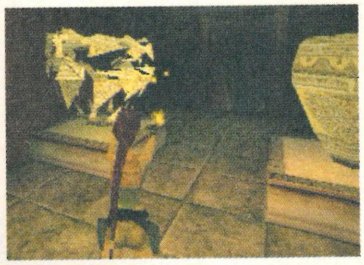
ALL GUNS, LOADS OF ENERGY

ALL ITEMS, GUNS AND UNLIMITED AMMO

In the game, face EXACTLY north, so use the compass in your inventory to get it right (it'll go slightly transparent if you're spot on). Highlight the small medipack, then hold R1 R2 L1 L2 and line up with the letter N on the compass. When you're lined up perfectly, push and hold ↑ on the direction pad. You've now got the lot, and if you check your flares and medipacks it should say 'Unlimited'.



▲ When the compass pointer goes transparent, enter the cheat



▲ When you're tooled up, Lara's life is so much easier

ALL ITEMS FOR CURRENT LEVEL

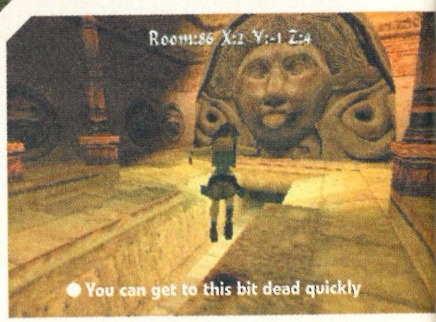
Again, you need to be facing directly north. Go into the inventory and highlight the large medikit. Hold down R1 R2 L1 L2, and once again line up the N on the compass, before pressing ↓ on the Dpad. Get it right and you've got every item.



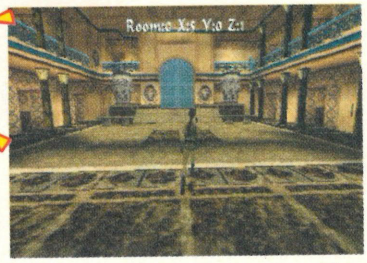
▲ Can't find the skull? Use this and it's yours

SKIP LEVEL

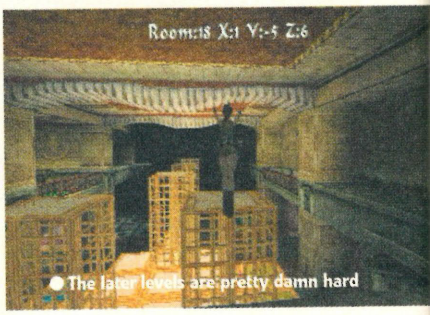
Guess what? Yup, face exactly north then, in the inventory screen, highlight the load game option. OK, next hold R1 R2 L1 L2. When it's lined up with the compass letter N, press △ to skip the level.



● You can get to this bit dead quickly



▲ Even though you can skip the levels, it's still really easy to kick the bucket

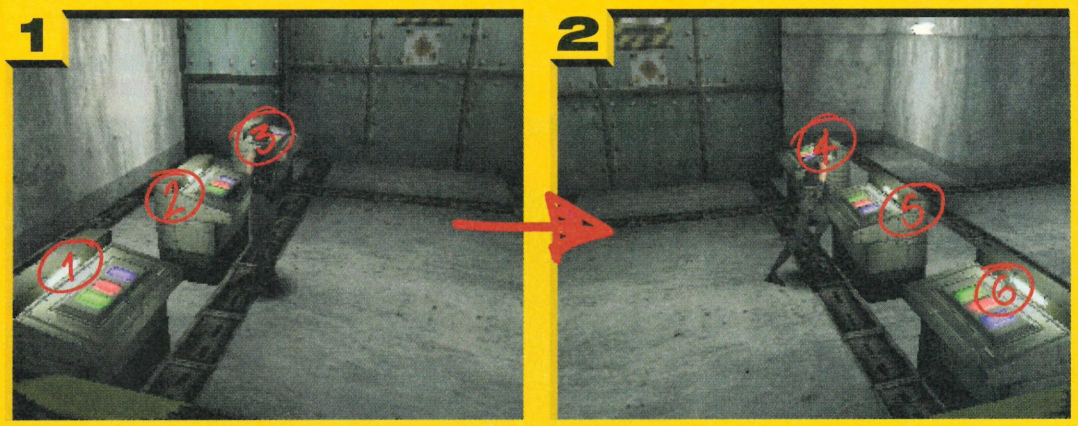


● The later levels are pretty damn hard

Dino Crisis

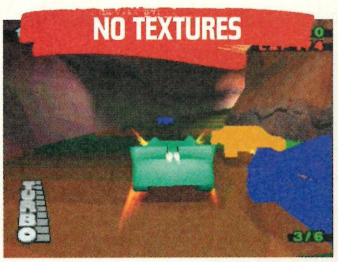
THE PIPE PUZZLE

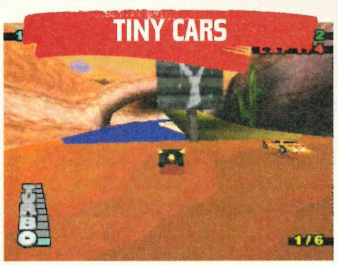
It's easy to solve this brain teaser when you know how. Read on and you're sorted.



PIPE PUZZLE KEY	
3	Blue
2	Green
1	Red

PIPE PUZZLE KEY	
4	Red
5	Green
6	Blue





Hot Wheels

TURBO MODE

CHEAT CODES

These codes should be entered at the main menu. If you've put them in correctly you'll hear an engine revving. You can only enter one at a time.

CHEAT	CODE
ALWAYS HAVE TURBO	R2 L1 ● ▲ R1 L2 L1 R2
NO TEXTURES ON CARS	L1 R1 L2 R2 L1 R1 L2 R2
TINY CARS	■ R2 L2 ▲ ▲ L2 R2 ■
BIG TYRES	■ ▲ ● ▲ R1 R1 L2 L2

Tomorrow Never Dies

ALL WEAPONS

Pause the game, then press SEL SEL ● ● L1 L1 R1 R1. Get it right and the mission will resume, although it only lasts for one level.

FULL HEALTH

With the game paused, press SEL SEL ● ● ⇧ ⇧ ⇩. Again, get it right and you're automatically dumped back in the action.

INVINCIBILITY

Pause the game. Now press SEL SEL ● ● L1 L1 △ △ △ △. The bad guys can't touch you, plus you can walk through walls.



▲ This sucker can't touch you when you're invincible

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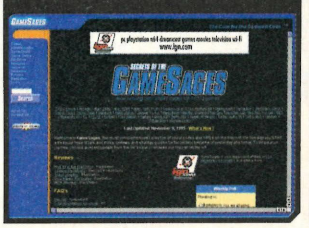
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Q+A



Got a PlayStation problem? We'll sort it!

In WWF Attitude, when I'm fighting the crowd cheer for my opponent. How do I get them to back me? It's bugging me, I demand respect!
Nick Parker

plus As far as we know you can't. They only go wild for the computer wrestler. Sorry about that but you'll just have to get your sister to cheer you on.

I've heard a rumour that you can get Shane McMahon in WWF Attitude. Is it just a hoax? I know I can rely on you guys, so please sort this out once and for all.
Sujeel Hussain

plus We've heard the same rumour Sujeel. And after hunting high and low for the man, there was still no sign. Someone's obviously being telling fibs.

DEEP COVER GECKO

Oh wise ones, can you give me the level select cheat for Gex: Deep Cover Gecko? I'd love you for ever if you can!
Marie Henderson

plus No worries. Pause game, then hold L2 and press ↑●→↑←→↓. Unpause and press SEL to access the Debug menu for Level Select, plus a load of other useful cheats.

RESIDENT EVIL

I'm playing Resident Evil (I know I'm a few years late). I've got the 3 amulets, and I don't have a clue what to do next. Save a man from the mental home and please, help me and tell me what to do next.
Raul Betricca

plus Head towards the grey door on the first floor of the eastern wing. Enter the opposite door. You should be in a gallery with paintings on the wall and crows up above.

The solution to this puzzle lies in the switches hidden behind the paintings. Flick them in the right order and you'll be given another amulet. Anyway, here's the order in which you should throw the switches in: 2, 4, 5, 3, 1, 6 and finally the furthest picture.

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TARZAN

My little brother's driving me totally barmy asking for cheats for Tarzan. I hate the game myself. Get the little twat off my back will you.
Manny Ferguson

plus We'll do anything to get the little git out of your hair, so check out these cheats and pass 'em on to your bro. While playing enter these codes:

UNLIMITED LIVES	L1 R1 L2 R2 L1 R1 L2 R2
LEVEL SKIP	R1 R2 L1 L2 R2 L1 L2 L2



▲ **Brothers can be more annoying than Tarzan here, so cheat to ease the frustration**

SLED STORM

plus Loads of you have asked how to do stunts in this snow racer...

RECLINER	L2 + ↓
NO HANDER	L2 + ↓
NOSE DIVE SUICIDE	R2 + ↓→
ONE FOOTED CAN CAN	R2 + ↓←
NO FOOTER	R2 + ↑
HEEL CLICKER	R2 + ←↑
BACKFLIP	R2 + L2 ↓↑←
NAC NAC	R2 + →↓
PARALLEL CAN CAN	L2 + ←→
CAN CAN	L2 + ↑→
ONE FOOTED CAN CAN ONE HANDER	R2 + ↑
INDIAN AIRWALK	L2 + ↓↖
SARAN WRAP	L2 + ↑↓
DECADE	L2 + ↑↓↑
LOOK BACK	L2 + ↑
NOTHING	R2 + ↓→
ONE HANDED SUPERMAN	R2 + ↓→

NOTE: DON'T GET CONFUSED BY THE DIAGONALS, JUST PUSH THE DPAD IN THAT DIRECTION AND YOU SHOULD PULL THE TRICK OFF FAIRLY EASILY.

GOT ANY QUESTIONS?

If you're stuck, or you just want tips, cheats or release dates, write your question on this form, cut it out and post it to us at:
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YEH, I'LL REVIEW IT!

EVER THOUGHT 'I COULD WRITE A FUNNIER REVIEW' OR 'I KNOW BETTER TIPS'? IT'S TIME TO SHOW OFF WITH YOUR VIEWS OF GRAN TURISMO 2



Gran Turismo 2 goes will be one of the biggest-selling games ever. So everyone's will have a view about it.

In our April issue, we'll publish as many of your opinions and tips as we can. If you write the sharpest, funniest comments or come up with the neatest tips, then three of you will win a copy of a hot PlayStation game from our Essential 101.

There's a form below to fill in. Post it to us as soon as you can.

And if you can send a picture of yourself to be part of the feature, that'll be a bonus. Get to it!

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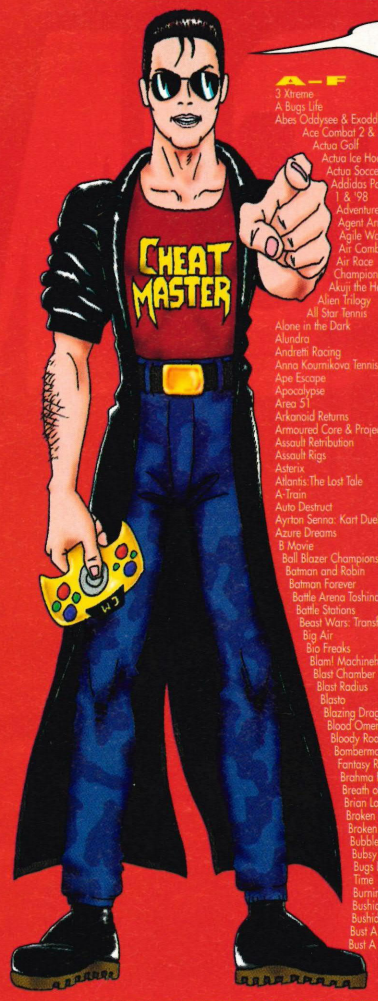
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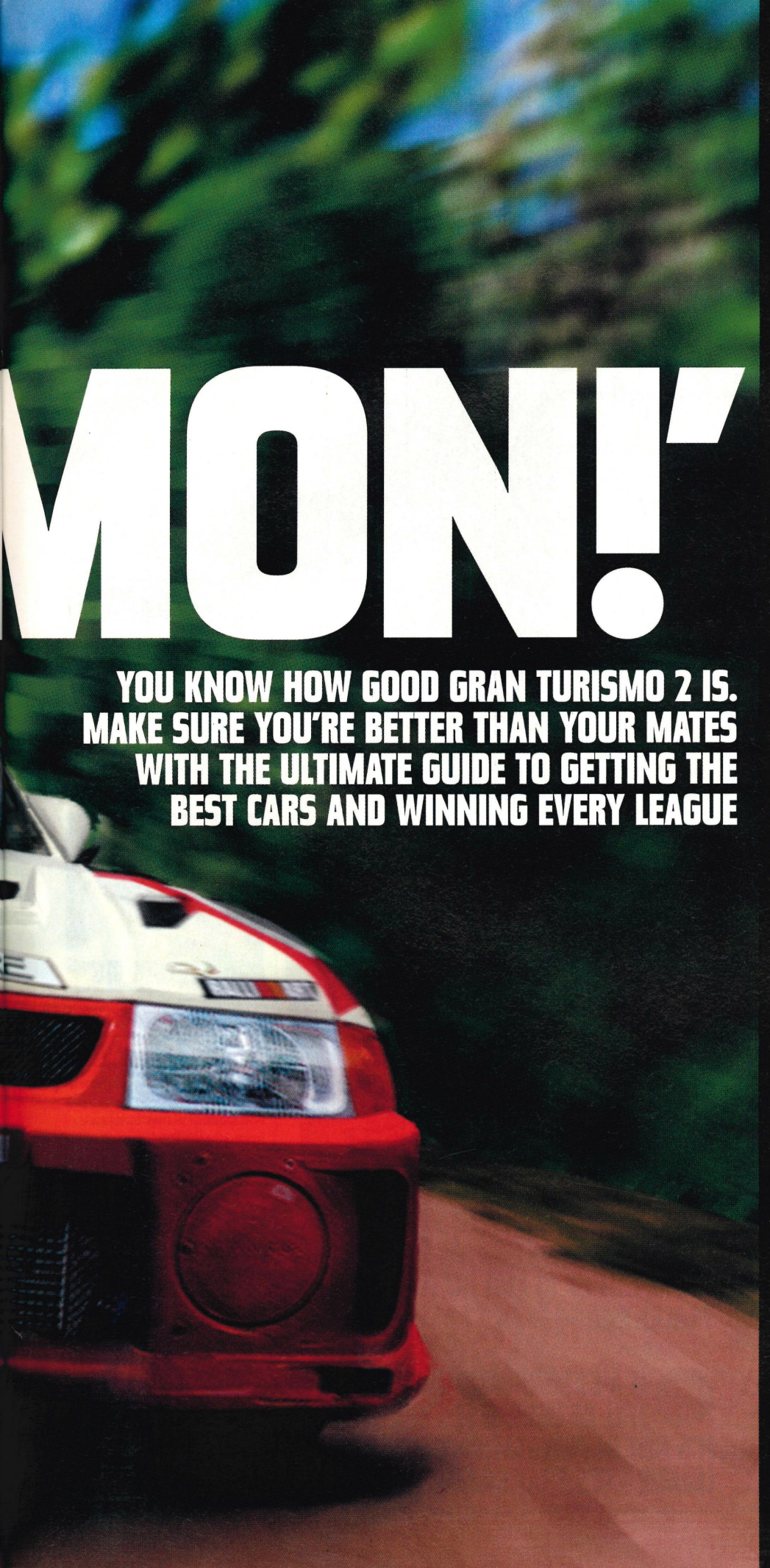
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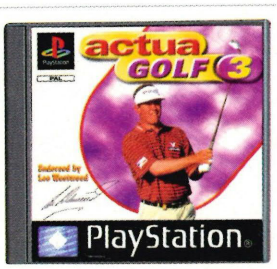
Better puzzles than Oddysee and hours of laughs, especially when you get the poor old slaves to start slapping each other. Excellent stuff.



ACE COMBAT 2

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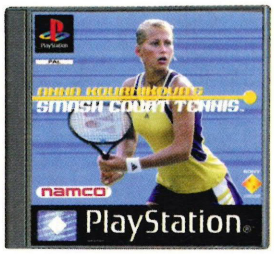
At last, a great-looking flight sim with a wide choice of missions and loads of planes to choose from. Use the Dual Shock pad for the best experience.



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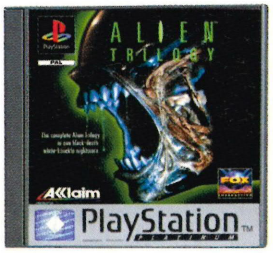
The best golf game and easily the most innovative when used with the Dual Shock pad. A class multiplayer game too.



ANNA KOURNIKOVA'S SMASH COURT TENNIS

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The greatest tennis game to hit your PlayStation. Supremely playable in one-player, but it's best with a multitap and three other mates.



ALIEN TRILOGY

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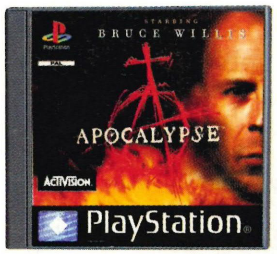
Doom-style first-person blast 'em up. Boasts big-ass weapons to collect and tons of acid-spitting aliens to blow to shreds. Graphics look a bit blocky.



APE ESCAPE

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Only compatible with the Dual Shock pad, but if you've got one and you're into cutesy platform games, this has got fun and challenge by the bucketload.



APOCALYPSE

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Amazingly, Bruce Willis saves the world again in this wise-cracking, great-playing blaster. A bit on the samey side but loads more fun with the Dual Shock.



BLOODY ROAR 2

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Tekken 3 with teeth. Transform yourself into a slavering beast and smash mates to a bloody pulp. Rammed with great graphics and cool combos.



BRIAN LARA CRICKET

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Get the hang of its tricky control system and you'll be playing the best cricket game on your PlayStation. It's great in two-player, too.



BROKEN SWORD

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

A point-and-click adventure with rock-solid puzzles and neat graphics. Superb fun, but it can be frustrating as hell unless you're dead patient.



BROKEN SWORD 2

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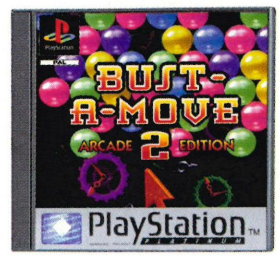
Compared to the original, this has touched-up graphics, a new plot and new environments. But it's still got the toughest puzzles in any 'Station point-and-click adventure.



BUST-A-GROOVE

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Weird and quirky dancing game where you get to choose your dancer, hit the floor and pull off some slick moves in the ultimate boogie battle.



BUST-A-MOVE 2

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The concept's simple: aim your bubble gun to burst the coloured bubbles at the top of the screen. This is a gripping game and it's addictive as hell.



CIVILISATION 2

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An awesome God game similar to Sim City. You start the game in the Stone Age and progress through the years by building up your civilisation.

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COLIN MCRAE RALLY

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An amazing rally game that's still the best. Good controls spell pedal-to-the-metal action, with awesome powerslides.



COOL BOARDERS 2

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Ignore the ropey graphics, this snowboard classic boasts an easy-to-use trick system and neat two-player mode.



CRASH BANDICOOT 2

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

A damn good platformer that looks very cool. Boasts loads of variety and addictive platform action. And it's only £20.



CRASH BANDICOOT 3

PRICE £34.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

Better graphics and greater variation than Crash 2, this looks nice and is great fun to play. Shame it's so short – you'll finish it in a few hours.



CRASH TEAM RACING

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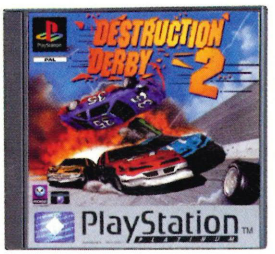
Classic kart action from Crash and the gang. Blast your mates off the tracks as up to four players skid, jump and powerslide round the courses.



DEAD OR ALIVE

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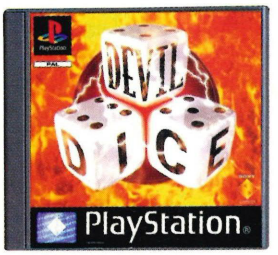
A very fast beat 'em up with sharp graphics, gut-punching action and sweet combos. Better still, all the girls have enormous hooters. This game's seductive.



DESTRUCTION DERBY 2

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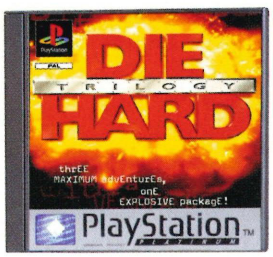
The crash 'n' dash driving game gets a graphics refit. It's a great laugh mashing your motor in one-player, and the two-player's fun as well.



DEVIL DICE

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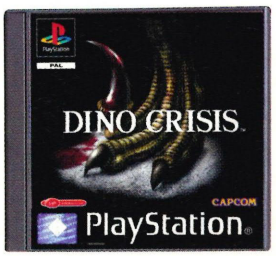
A clever and addictive puzzler where you, as a demon, have to turn dice to get them to match. The four-player option is a blinder, too.



DIE HARD TRILOGY

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

Bruce Willis is back for action in this great 'three games for the price of one' deal. The second bit is best played with a lightgun, but not the G-Con45.



DINO CRISIS

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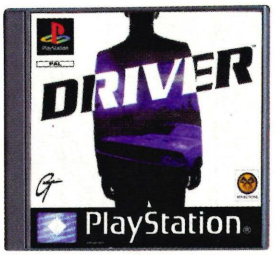
Resident Evil meets Jurassic Park in this puzzle-packed adventure. Visually it rocks, but its the T-Rex battles that will really make your sphincter loosen.



DOOM

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

The game that made you love shotguns, this is the original shoot 'em up in blood-streaked corridors. This really excels with a two-player link-up.



DRIVER

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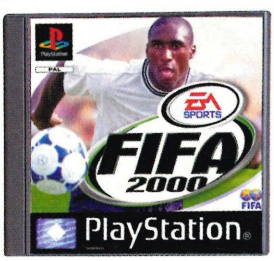
A stunning Starsky and Hutch era driving game. Imagine Grand Theft Auto crossed with Gran Turismo, with funky 70s music. Awesome.



DUKE NUKEM: TIME TO KILL

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

The original violent corridor shoot 'em up gets a Tomb Raider-style makeover. Action's fast and there are tons of bad guys to target practice on.



FIFA 2000

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-8 | 7

Latest version of the classic FIFA series with the teams, leagues and players from the current footy season. It's fast too, but it's too easy to score.



FINAL DOOM

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

Rock-hard sequel to the classic first-person blaster, with 30 new levels and it's great on link-up. This game is strictly for the hardcore though.



FINAL FANTASY 7

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

A huge game with a cool plot, great characters and battles. Put aside six months to play it. At only £20, it delivers more bang-per-buck than anything else.

'LUSH EYE-CANDY AND SIMPLE GAMEPLAY WITH A WISE-CRACKING LIZARD'



GEX 3D

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Great graphics set this apart from most other platformers. The levels are varied, but it takes time to get used to the controls and the camera isn't perfect. Simple gameplay and Carry On's wise-cracking Leslie Phillips voice make this a tasty choice.



FINAL FANTASY 8

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

Sprawling role-playing blockbuster that plods at first but give it time and you'll be hooked for months.



FORMULA 1 97

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

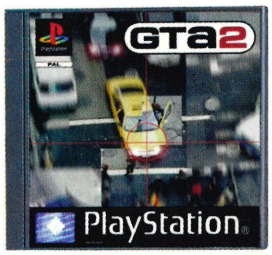
All the genuine drivers, teams and motors from the 97 season. Hot graphics and slick play are a plus. Avoid two-player mode.



G- POLICE 2

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Pilot kick-ass vehicles in this futuristic cop game. Controls are tough, but stick with it and you'll enjoy bagging crims.



GRAND THEFT AUTO 2

● PRICE £19.99 ● PLAYERS 1 **8**

Rammed with better looks, crime and immorality, GTA2 supersedes the original with a vengeance. Marred only by repetitive missions.



GRAN TURISMO

● PRICE £19.99 ● PLAYERS 1-2 **9**

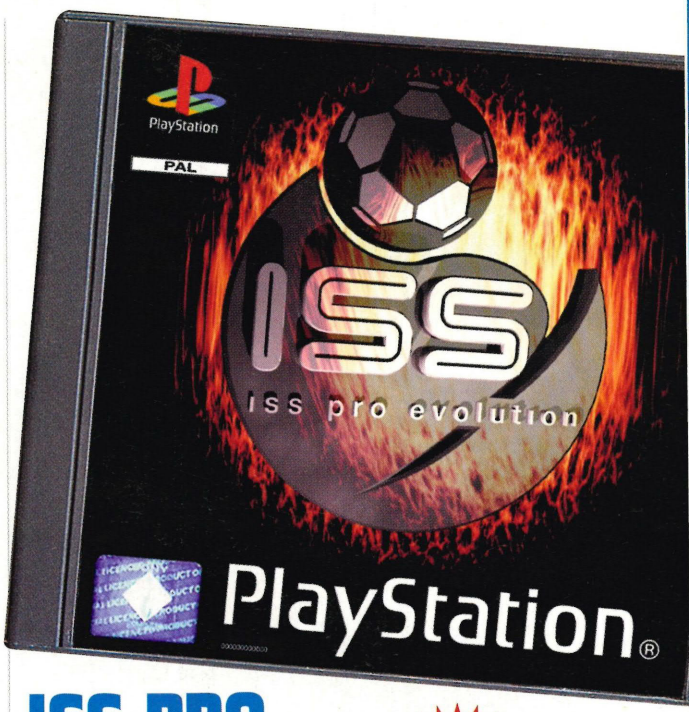
The daddy of all driving games. It's hyper-real, it's brimming with motors, has a cool rock soundtrack and is absolutely rammed with tuning options.



INTERNATIONAL TRACK AND FIELD

● PRICE £19.99 ● PLAYERS 1-4 **9**

Simple but exciting multiplayer Olympics game where the winner is the person who can hammer the buttons fastest. Great as a four-player.





KULA WORLD

● PRICE £34.99 ● PLAYERS 1-2 **8**

Bizarre puzzle game where you guide a beachball round loads of weird psychedelic levels. Find the key, then escape. Numbingly simple but addictive.



LEGACY OF KAIN: SOUL REAVER

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1 **9**

Skewer zombies and fight vampires in this Tomb Raider-style adventure that looks superb and plays brilliantly. It's an absolute monster.



LMA MANAGER

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1 **9**

The latest and best football management game on the PlayStation. Footy games are rarely this great or absorbing, this is unmissable.

ISS PRO EVOLUTION NEW

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1-4 **9**

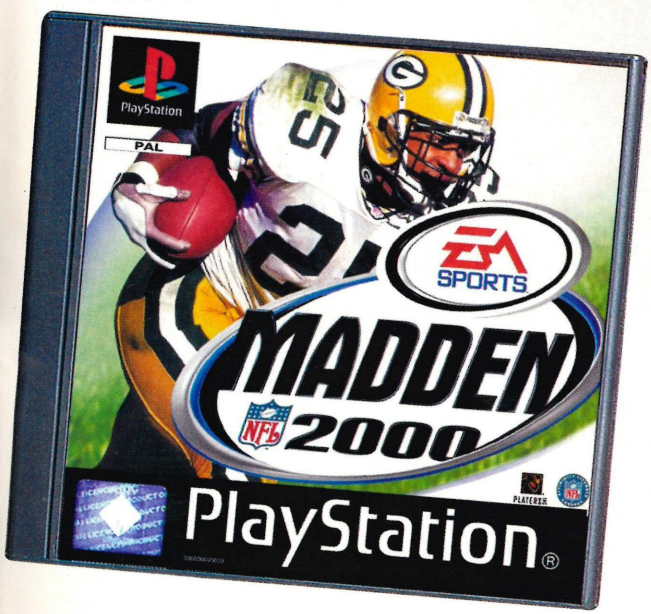
This is simply the best football game ever released. it boasts a mind-boggingly large assortment of trick moves to pull off, a pick-up-and-play control system and play that moves so smoothly you'll swear you're watching Match of the Day. It's got silly player names like Rabanilli for Ravenelli, but it plays so sweetly you won't give a toss.

MADDEN NFL 2000

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1-4 **8**

Smart American football game that's simple to pick up and play, but boasts enough moves to keep fans throwing touchdowns for weeks. Knocks the once-untouchable NFL Blitz into a carbon helmet.

'AN AMERICAN SPORT SIM THAT'S EASY TO LEARN AND A JOY TO PLAY WITHOUT YOU GOING ALL YANKEE'





MEDIEVIL

● PRICE £19.99 ● PLAYERS 1 **8**

Nightmare Before Xmas-style cartoon adventure stacked with neat puzzles, camp characters, and cranium-fizzing graphics. A surprising hit.



METAL GEAR SOLID

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1 **9**

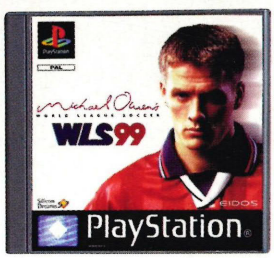
Glacially cool James Bond-style spy adventure with incredible graphics, a movie plot and spectacular action sequences. It's a shame it's over far too soon.



MUSIC 2000

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1-4 **9**

Updated version of last year's dance music game. There are 3,500 samples to mix into your own tunes, and you can even sample from CDs.



MICHAEL OWEN'S WLS 99

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1-2 **8**

Not as immediately playable as ISS Pro 98, but it works well and there are neat skills to learn. Boasts all the proper league teams and players.



MICRO MACHINES V3

● PRICE £19.99 ● PLAYERS 1-4 **9**

You, three mates and a multitap, and you're guaranteed a top night in, as you race mini motors across table tops.



MOTORHEAD

● PRICE £39.99 ● PLAYERS 1-2 **8**

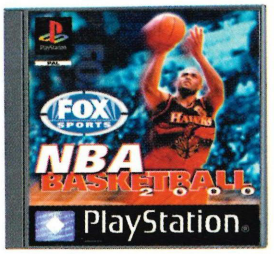
You won't notice that the graphics are basic because of the retina-wrenching speed at which this racing game shifts.



NEED FOR SPEED 3

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

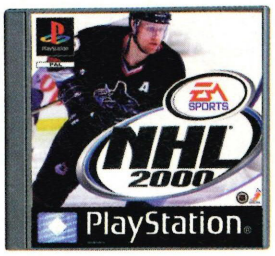
A bit of a surprise dazzler this one. All the other Need for Speed games have been pretty lame, but this one will blow you away with its mix of top motors and winding tracks. It feels faster than just about any other racer on PlayStation, and the handling's an arcade racing fan's dream. Not quite as sharp-looking as the mighty Ridge Racer 4, but it's still a blast.



NBA BASKETBALL 2000

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-4 | 7

Slick hoop action with all the new teams and players. It's crammed with TV-Style camera angles and commentary and up to eight people can join in.



NHL 2000

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

The NHL series is the original and best when it comes to ice hockey. This has all the players, superb looks, and awesomely smooth gameplay.



NIGHTMARE CREATURES

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Gothic horror adventure set in Victorian London, where demons run riot on the city streets. And guess what? All demons must die!



NUCLEAR STRIKE

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Supremely hardcore helicopter shoot 'em up. Complete objectives by eliminating the terrorist threat and saving the world from a potential nuclear meltdown.



OMEGA BOOST

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

You play a man in a robot suit who's up against an endless series of boss robots, armed with enough weaponry to vapourise entire galaxies. It's pure arcade action.



PANDEMONIUM

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 7

This ultra-bright psychedelic platformer with lush levels has loads of spells to play around with. Simple stuff, really, but entertaining nevertheless.



POINT BLANK

PRICE £34.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

You'll need a lightgun to get the most out of this cartoon-style shooting gallery game. Great as a one-player but exceptionally good with two players.



POINT BLANK 2

PRICE £34.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

Similar to the first, but with more variety so your sharp-shooting skills are pushed to the limit. Awesome two-player blast. Lightgun needed here.

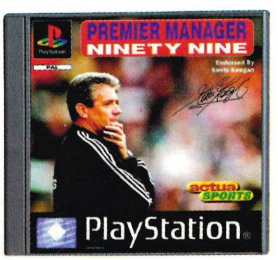
'CLASS BOXING EFFORT FEATURING TOP MOVES AND BAD HAIRDOS'



READY TO RUMBLE

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

Knockabout arcadey boxing effort which injects a much-needed bit of fun into the punch-ups. Pull off combos, blinding super-attacks and comedy moves as boxers with big Afros and Sumo stomachs beat each other senseless. It's easy to get to grips with, fast and fun to play. It's got superb training mode, too. Awesome.



PREMIER MANAGER 99

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

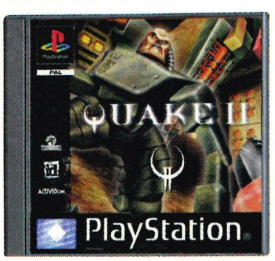
May not be as up-to-date as LMA Manager, but this is still a perfectly playable and easy to use footy management game which is hard to beat.



PRO PINBALL: TIMESHOCK

PRICE £29.99 | PLAYERS 1-4 | 8

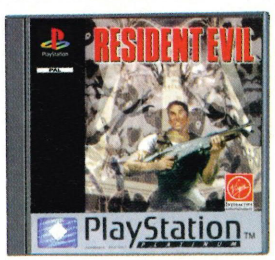
The only pinball game you should own. Realistic ball movement makes this a cracker despite its one table.



QUAKE 2

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-4 | 9

Ultra-violent first-person blaster where you take on an army of sci-fi psychos. Fun in one-player, but it really kicks ass in multiplayer



RESIDENT EVIL

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 10

Gore-soaked adventure with zombies, giant mutants and a lot of head-popping. An essential buy for any 'Station dead head.



RESIDENT EVIL 2

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 10

Although not as tough to finish as the first, Res 2 has bigger weapons, nastier baddies and four ways to complete it, plus loads of hidden extras.



RIDGE RACER 4

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 10

An absolutley stunning racer that's more fun than Gran Turismo, and the buzzy thrill and excitement of racing lasts much longer in this game.



RESIDENT EVIL 3

'I'VE KILLED YOU ONCE. NOW STAY DEAD!'

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 10

The third Res Evil's by far the scariest, thanks to this invincible eight-foot-tall zombie called the Nemesis who's breathing down your neck the whole time.

There are loads more zombies than in the first two games, too. And it's got superb replay value thanks to randomly placed items that'll keep you guessing.



RETURN FIRE

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

Fast-paced arcade army game where you control a load of different tanks and generally shoot the crap out of the enemy. The two-player is fast and fun.



ROLLCAGE

PRICE £29.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

Cane sci-fi cars with monster-truck tyres through tunnels where you can ride up the walls and race along the roof. While shooting each other. Class.



'MORE BATTERING THAN YOUR LOCAL CHIPPIE. TASTIER TOO'

SOUL BLADE

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

Use swords, knives and bloody great clubs to batter each other stupid in this fast-moving beat 'em up. Looks great, but the gameplay's way too simple. It boasts some of the weirdest characters you'll see in a beat'em up though.



R-TYPE DELTA

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 7

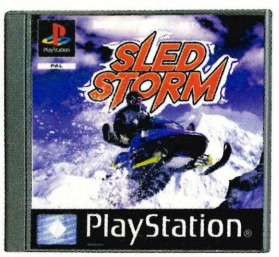
Side-on 2D shooter where one spaceship takes on endless waves of laser-pumping aliens. Tricksy arcade-style gameplay makes it one for the hardcore.



SILENT HILL

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Sinister adventure with classy horror flick atmos and loads of gore. Evil cutscenes and general creepiness are big on the menu. Combat's a bit limp, though.



SLED STORM

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-4 | 9

The best four-player racer ever. Annoy your mates by nipping in and out of hidden shortcuts as you cane 400 horsepower snow-mobiles over mountain courses.



SOVIET STRIKE

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 7

Pilot an assault chopper in a strategic struggle against commie ground and air forces in this fast-moving shooter.



SPYRO THE DRAGON

PRICE £34.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

Nauseatingly cute but this platformer plays smoothly, looks super sharp and has tons of levels.



STREET FIGHTER ALPHA 3

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

2-D versions of the Street Fighter gang slug it out in classic style. Loads of characters and loads of lightning-speed moves. Sweet.



STREET FIGHTER EX PLUS ALPHA

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

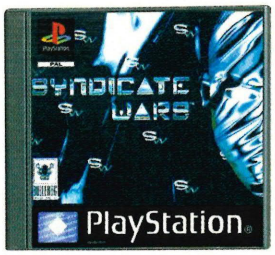
All your favourite fighters are now in 3D. It looks very cool, the animation's slick and it's fast to play. Loads of fighters and trick moves.



SUPER PUZZLE FIGHTER 2 TURBO

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 10

Cutesy versions of the Street Fighter mob fight by dropping gems at each other. Definitely the best puzzle game around. bar none.



SYNDICATE WARS

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-4 | 7

Lead four overcoat-wearing android secret agents armed with huge guns through a succession of futuristic cities wreaking havoc as you go.



SYPHON FILTER

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

This James Bond-style spy thriller isn't that amazing to look at, but it's got fine-tuned gameplay, heavy-duty weaponry and loads of tip-top firefights.



TEKKEN 2

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

Plays fast and sweet. This hasn't got the looks of Platinum new boy Tekken 3 and nor is it quite as high-octane, but it's still a rocking beat 'em up.



TEKKEN 3

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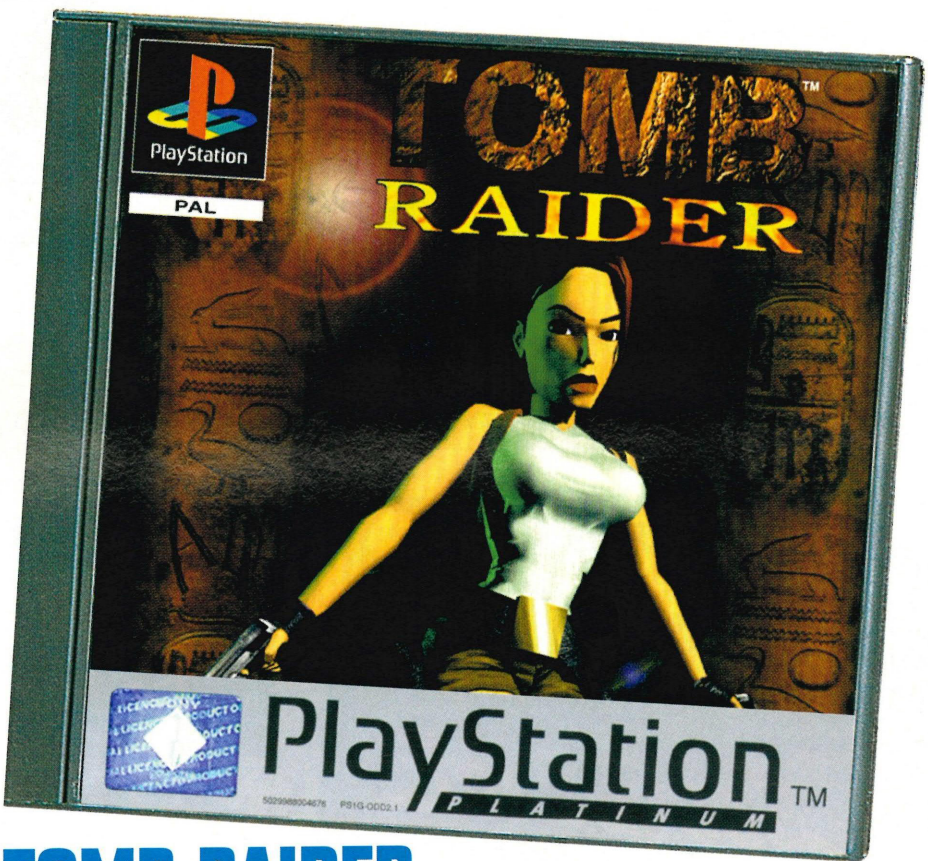
Unbeatable at its new Platinum price, this brilliant 3D beat 'em up is packed with class characters, looks amazing and boasts more than 1,500 moves.



TIME CRISIS

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

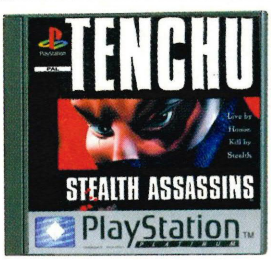
Platinum lightgun shooter where you must single-handedly wipe out a terrorist threat using just a pistol. It almost identical to the arcade original.



TOMB RAIDER

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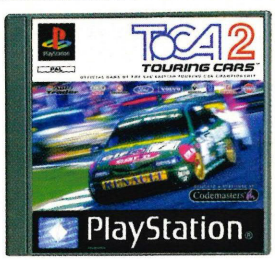
Lara's first outing is the perfect mix of action and puzzles. And the puzzles here really will tax you. Although the graphics aren't quite so sharp as Tomb's 2 and 3, the gameplay's blinding. The Egyptian atmosphere of the tombs Lara delves into is absolutely spot-on, too.



TENCHU: STEALTH ASSASSINS

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 8

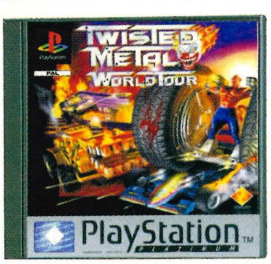
Ninja slash 'em up where you sneak into Japanese houses and slit people's throats. There's plenty of sneaking around and sword fights, too. Class.



TOCA TOURING CAR 2

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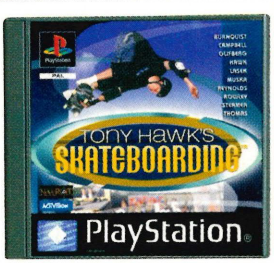
Race souped-up saloon cars around touring car tracks in the UK. TOCA 2 looks as sweet as it plays, and is a good laugh in two-player, too. Give it a go.



TWISTED METAL WORLD TOUR

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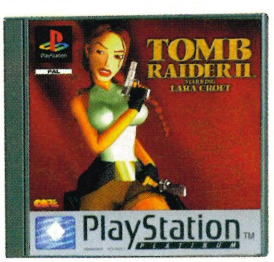
Climb into tooled motors and charge around battle arenas blasting everything that moves. The multiplayer really shines.



TONY HAWK'S SKATEBOARDING

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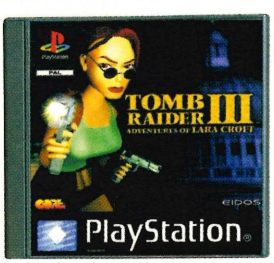
Cool skateboarding game that rocks. It not only looks cool, but it's easy to play and is loaded with stunts and tricks.



TOMB RAIDER 2

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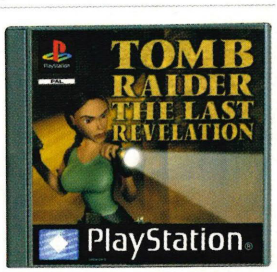
Rock-solid sequel which favours non-stop gunfights over difficult puzzles. More frustrating than 1 but takes longer to finish.



TOMB RAIDER 3

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 9

The worst Tomb Raider, but a class act still. More variety over 1 and 2 but little else. Still kicks other games into touch though.



TOMB RAIDER 4

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1 | 10

Lara's newest adventure marks a return to the brain-teasing puzzle-filled Egyptian tombs that made the original a classic.



UM JAMMER LAMMY

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

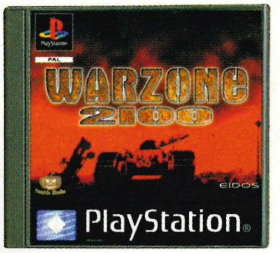
Parrapa sequel where the raps of the original are replaced by guitar licks. The tap-in-time-with-music bit stays the same, but now there's a neat two-player jam.



V-RALLY 2

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

A dirt-drenched, mud-spattered off-road racer with loads of cars, stacks of tracks and solid gameplay. A top night in with three mates and a multitap



WARZONE 2100

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

A real-time war strategy game with lots of levels and plenty of challenge. Build up your army by mining resources and developing tanks, then launch an all-out attack.

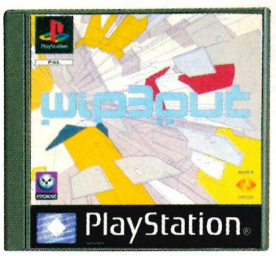
'IT'S A CLASH OF THE MAD MAX-STYLIE LARDY YANK MOTORS'

VIGILANTE 8

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

Tooled-up motors fight it out in bizarre battle arenas. Use the cool weaponry and cars to frag your mate's ass in the mega-cool two-player deathmatch.The best driving shooter around.





WIP3OUT

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

Very similar to its predecessor, although the tracks are better and it's slightly faster than before. The graphics are great, but its cool soundtrack is wicked.



WIPEOUT 2097

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

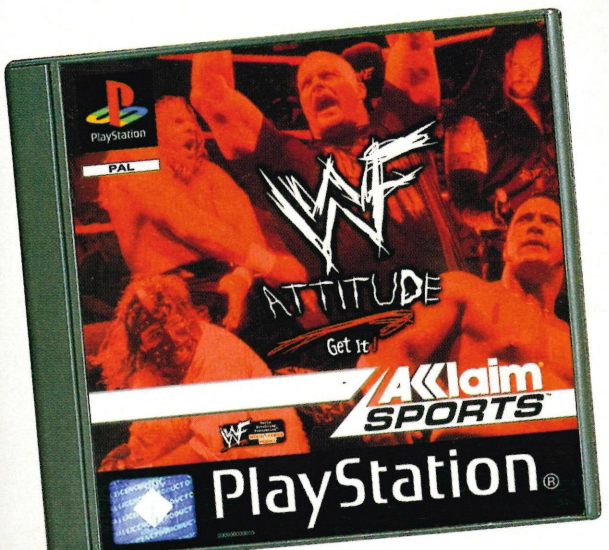
Super-fast anti-gravity racing game that streaks through sci-fi cities with a kick-ass techno soundtrack. Good link-up mode makes this a tops late-nighter.



WORMS

PRICE £19.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 8

Get four of you together and unleash some great weapons and even better laughs. Pointless in one-player mode, and looks basic.



WWF ATTITUDE

PRICE £39.99 | PLAYERS 1-2 | 9

The best wrestling game you can own. All the wrestlers and moves you need to launch the perfect grapple-fest.

'HOT AND SWEATY CANVAS LUNACY RULES!'

DROP OUTS

WHEN GAMES CAN'T KEEP UP WITH THE BEST OF 'EM, THEY'RE OUT OF OUR ESSENTIAL 101. THESE FIVE ONCE CUT IT. THEY DON'T ANYMORE

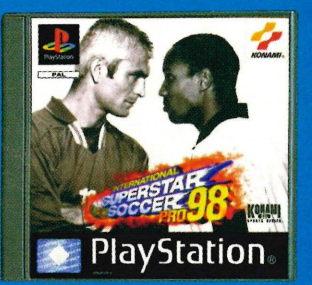
▼FADE TO BLACK

This 3D adventure's busting at the seams with atmosphere and gameplay, but the sad fact is it looks bloody awful next to the cream of today's games crops. Lizards chase you around a space station, spoiling any sci fi atmos they were supposed to create. Adios!



▼ISS PRO 98

Since ISS Evolution came in, ISS 98 has been sitting in the corner with dust and cobwebs on it. OK, it was the king of footy games in its day, but Evolution looks better, has more moves, and gives you the scope to pull off genius plays that look like the best bits of footy on the box.



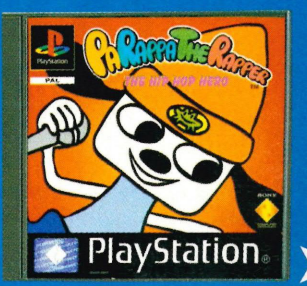
▼MOTO RACER 2

Moto Racer 2 was well ahead of the pack when it came to 'Station bike games, thanks to the ultra-smooth graphics and a fine selection of tracks. Then along came Championship Motocross, armed with handling that makes you check if you've got a kidney donor card.



▼PARAPPA THE RAPPER

Next to awesome new titles like Resident Evil 3, the dope doggie is looking tired these days. Head straight for Um Jammer Lammy, the PaRappa sequel with two-player mode. New entries each issue mean there's no room for old PaRappa. This dog has had its day.



YOUR ESSENTIAL 101 VIEWS

WE GET STACKS OF LETTERS THAT DON'T AGREE WITH THE SCORES WE GIVE GAMES. HERE'S WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT THE ESSENTIAL 101. REMEMBER, WE SCORE OUT OF TEN

whats happened to fifa 99 in your Essential 101 section? Its still a class game, its well cheap, and it doesn't have that none Robbie Williams singing crap on the soundtrack.

Roy Korvth, Aberdeen.

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Your mag used to be cool, now I'm sorry to say you've made it crap by scoring games out of ten instead of percentages. You don't seem to know what you're doing. You gave Final Fantasy VII nine out of ten, and you gave Gran Turismo nine out of ten, despite the fact you said it was 'the best racing game ever". If I was you, I'd change it back to percentages.

Paul Wilson

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I bought Sled Storm because its in your Essential 101 section, and its brilliant. The tracks are excellent, and it looks cool. Thanks very much Playstation Plus and keep up the good work!

James Lang, Brighton.

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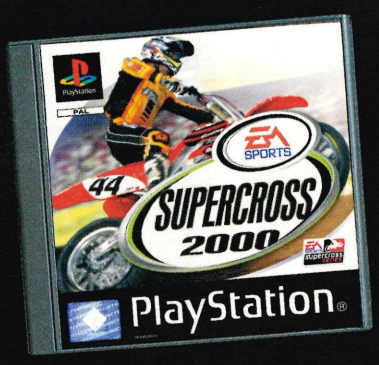
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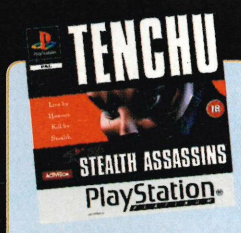
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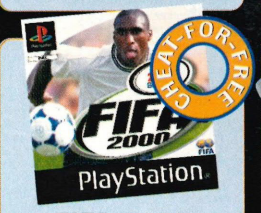
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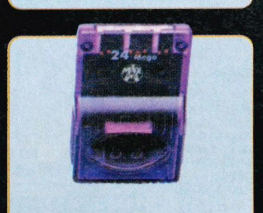
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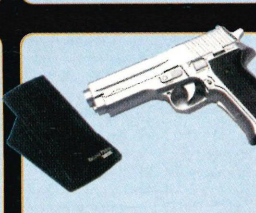
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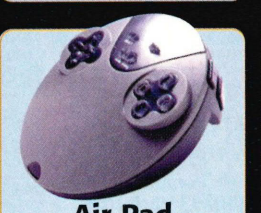
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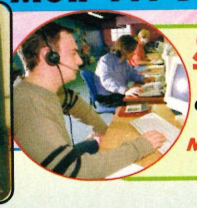
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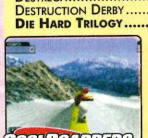


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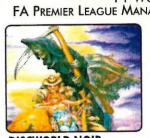
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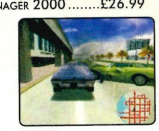
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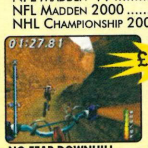


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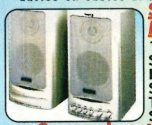
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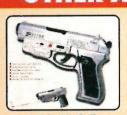
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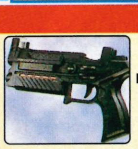
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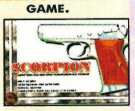
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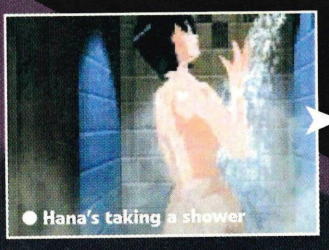
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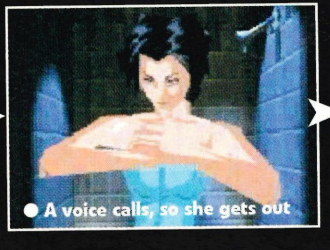
'YOU'LL NEVER HAVE PLAYED A PLAYSTATION GAME THAT FEELS SO MUCH LIKE IT'S YOU UP ON THE BIG SCREEN'



● Hana's taking a shower



● The ship's coming in to land



● A voice calls, so she gets out

YOU MUST NOT FEAR

THIS DARK, BROODING MANGA ACTIONER WILL BE THE MOST STYLISH ADVENTURE YOUR PLAYSTATION HAS EVER RUN A LASER OVER

> FEAR EFFECT

OUT MAR

A girl stands in a shower when a voice calls to her. She grabs a towel, runs out and races to the deck of a boat as it pulls up to the jetty outside Madam Shen's brothel. Everyone's tense. Suddenly, knives flash in the darkness. And then you're out of the cutscene and in control. No warning. No difference in the visuals. Just 'Bang! You're it!'

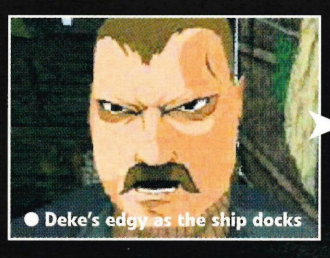
Fear Effect cuts seamlessly between dark, Manga-esque cutscenes and lush, cartoony in-game visuals where the backgrounds move like a Manga video. Smoke billows in the background, cars drive past, crowds mill around you. No PlayStation game has ever pulled this off before. You'll never have played a PlayStation game that feels so much like it's you up on the big screen.

Even the script is well tasty. The Resident Evil-style exploring and fighting action gives way to scenes where the characters talk, give you hints and slowly unravel the disturbing story of what's happened to Wee Ming, the Triad's daughter who you've been sent to rescue.

And as the visuals swirl, you'll realise there's no loading waits either. Playing as Hana, leader of your team of three shady mercenaries, you'll find a guy who's been tied down and rigged with high explosives. Rescue him before the timer hits zero, and a goon appears behind you with a double-barreled shotgun pointed at your head.

Cut to Deke, Hana's tough Australian sidekick, who's guarding the team's chopper out in the mean streets of Shan Xi City. He shoulders his pump-action and sprints off through the fog. Now you're in control of Deke, and it's up to you to rescue Hana from certain death.

As it all kicks off, it never feels like a game loading up levels. The camera whips round the characters as you play, and cuts between them with breathtaking speed, even in the most action-packed bits of the game. Start to relax, and you'll miss something. Stop moving, and you'll die.



● Deke's edgy as the ship docks



● The mercenaries split up



● You're in control now: fight!

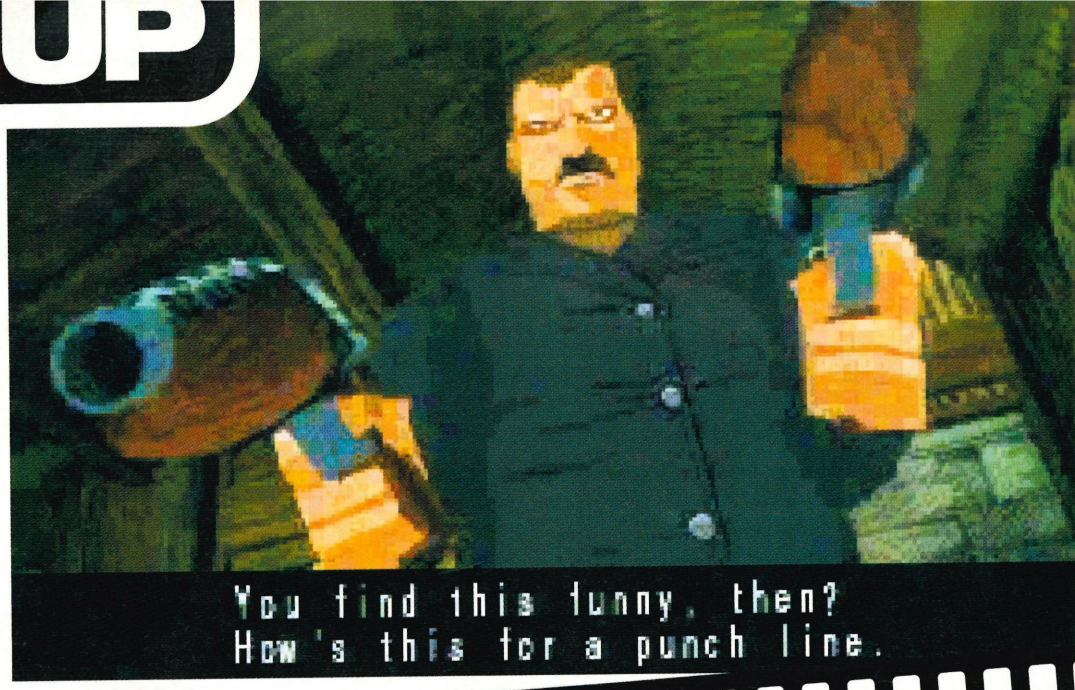
FEAR IS THE MINDKILLER

Fear Effect majors in atmosphere. From looking like Blade Runner, set in a futuristic Hong Kong filled with powerful Triads and sinister mega-corporations, it just gets darker. You'll find yourself held by gangsters in the cellars beneath a brothel. You'll meet corruption in all its forms. You'll face blank-eyed demons on the shores of Hell itself.

And fear's always a part of the action. You don't have a health bar, just a pulse rate. If you mess things up, you start to get scared. You start to lose your edge. When your pulse rate gets too high, a bullet that you'd normally be able to dodge will take you down instantly.

Seeing disturbing things will send your ticker into overdrive. And you'll see plenty. At one point, an office video screen flickers on and you have to watch a friend get tortured to death for information he doesn't even have. Result: your heart's going at it hammer and tongs.

Get shot at, and your heart-rate rockets. The only way to stay calm is to stay on top of your game. Keep solving puzzles. Keep finding new items. Keep your ammo belt full. There's no easy-fix way to stay alive. There's no first-aid kits that'll repair you instantly. There's just you, and your fear.

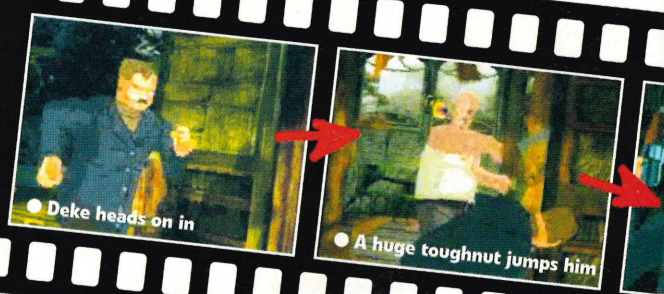


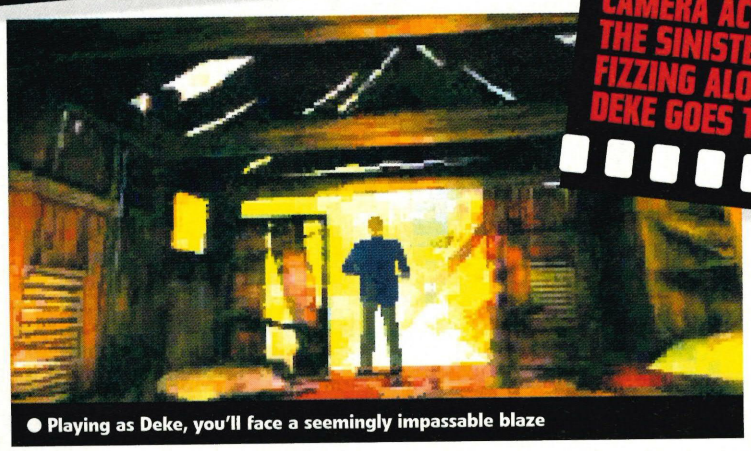
▲ Cheesy action film lines

KEEPING HANA'S PULSE RATE LOW IS THE KEY TO STAYING ALIVE, BUT WHEN YOU SEE STUFF LIKE THIS, IT ISN'T AN EASY TASK



CINEMA-STYLE CUTS AND DRAMATIC CAMERA ACTION KEEP THE SINISTER ATMOS FIZZING ALONG. HERE, DEKE GOES TO WORK





● Playing as Deke, you'll face a seemingly impassable blaze

CINEMATIC ACTION

Hana's just raced into a zombie-infested shanty town. Deke didn't like the look of things, so he stays back. You're playing as Hana, with cinema-style cuts showing you Deke loafing about and getting twitchy. As the action hots up, though, the gunfire's enough to get Deke curious. Control switches over to him. He's about to fight a guy who's got some info. But will Deke let him live long enough to spill the beans?

KILLERS, WHORES & DEMONS

In Fear Effect it isn't clean-cut good guys with halos duking it out with pantomime baddies with horns and tails. No-one's all good. Your characters are mercenaries, shady, money-grabbing types who don't trust each other, let alone anybody else. Here's a few of the scum that you'll meet on the streets of Shan Xi.

ROYCE GLAS

Royce is a tough-talking mercenary who never takes anyone at face value. He's driven by pure greed. During the game, he'll end up in trouble when he strikes out alone in search of money.



WEE MING LAM

The reason you get hired, this little minx is the daughter of a powerful Triad boss. She's mixed up in dark business in Shan Xi City. She's got one hell of a mouth on her, so keeping her out of trouble's not easy.



MADAM CHEN

Madam Chen's a shady figure who runs a brothel catering to the rich and famous. You'll have to face her to solve the mystery of Wee Ming, and it turns out that Madam Chen's brothel is more than it seems.





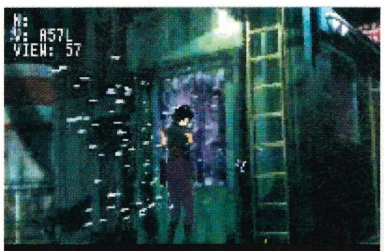
● The cutscene shows you that using your pistol might be a good idea

CUTTING THROUGH GLASS THE EASY WAY

The way the action cuts in and out of film sections without you even noticing is going to blow you away. You'll still be controlling your character in the same way, even when the camera's flipping round through more angles than a John Woo take. The cutscenes cut in so smoothly it just feels right. And they often point to clues. Here, a rapid cut-in shows you that you can smash through the glass using your trusty 9 millimetre. No sooner said than done.



● You want to reach the lever



● Quickly unload a slug into the window



● Smash! Hana now climbs through



HANA TSU-VACHEL

Hana is the main character, but you'll end up controlling Deke and Glas just as often. She's a covert operative who's a world-class marksman, but with a shady past that only comes into light later in the game.



JACOB 'DEKE' DECOURT

Deke's a rent-a-tough who's a long-time partner of Glas. Hana doesn't trust him and when things get tense, there's often fireworks. And if he's ever left to his own devices, people tend to die. A lot.



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YOU RUN LIKE LINFORD! YOU DROP LIKE FLIES!

Tiny freaks get stapled, mangled and burnt in a cartoon racer that'll make you laugh so hard you'll bust your farting strings

> MICRO MANIACS

OUT APRIL

In April, you'll be laying down a challenge to your mates on this four-player cartoon racer. And the latest go we've had shows it's an absolute blast.

On the early version, we've uncovered 30 obstacle-filled levels and 16 super-powered sprinters.

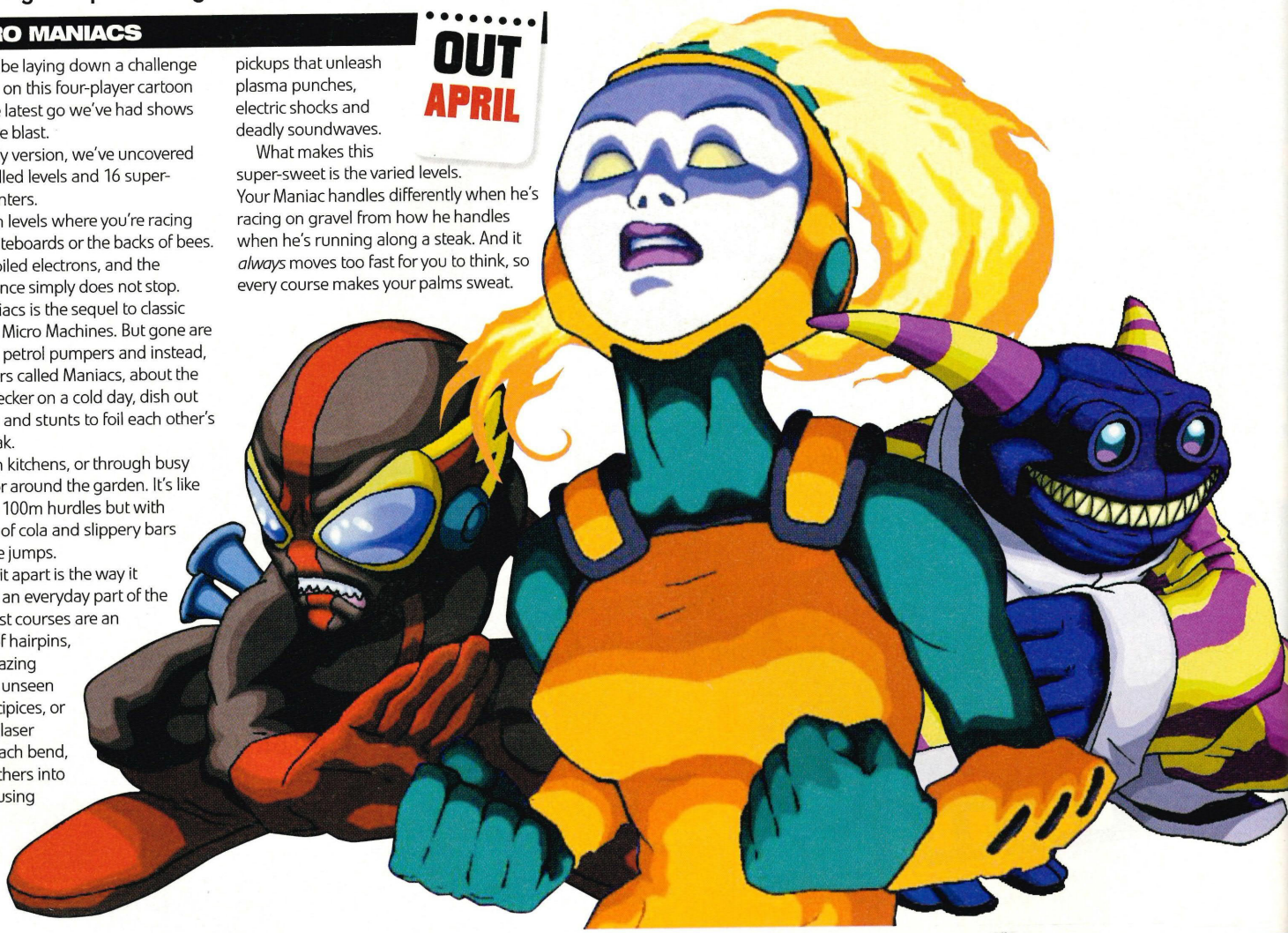
You'll reach levels where you're racing on jetskis, skateboards or the backs of bees. It moves like oiled electrons, and the slapstick violence simply does not stop.

Micro Maniacs is the sequel to classic minicar-racer Micro Machines. But gone are the pint-sized petrol pumpers and instead, new characters called Maniacs, about the size of your pecker on a cold day, dish out devilish tricks and stunts to foil each other's winning streak.

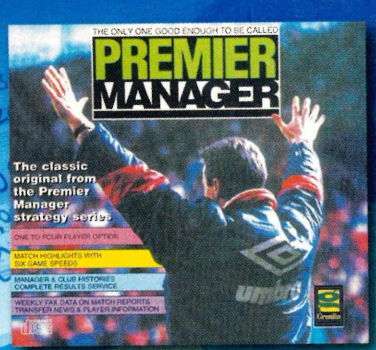
You race in kitchens, or through busy restaurants or around the garden. It's like watching the 100m hurdles but with knives, pools of cola and slippery bars of soap as the jumps.

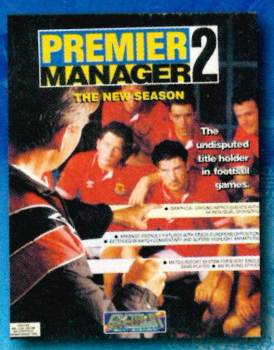
What sets it apart is the way it makes death an everyday part of the races. The best courses are an assortment of hairpins, flanked by blazing cooker hobs, unseen tabletop precipices, or high voltage laser beams. On each bend, you'll blast others into the hazards using pickups that unleash plasma punches, electric shocks and deadly soundwaves.

What makes this super-sweet is the varied levels. Your Maniac handles differently when he's racing on gravel from how he handles when he's running along a steak. And it *always* moves too fast for you to think, so every course makes your palms sweat.



ONE MANAGEMENT GAME HAS LED



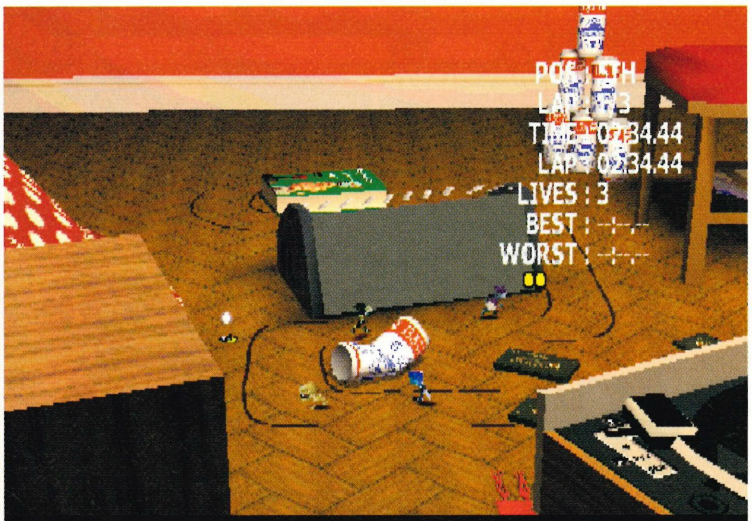




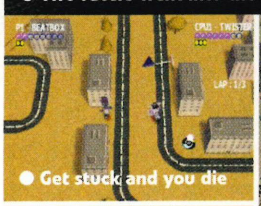
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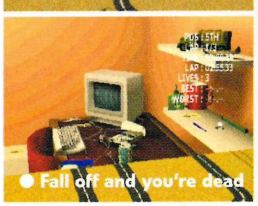
● Two racers went into the tunnel. Only one comes out. Crafty use of attacks



● Jumping over obstacles can cut corners and save you time, but it's tricky



● Get stuck and you die



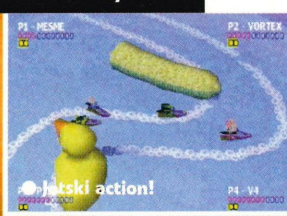
● Fall off and you're dead



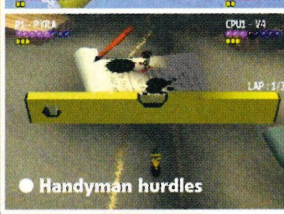
● Beatbox's Sonic Boom attack is devastating



● Stand in the pool of Burp! cola and your feet get sticky, slowing you down



● Jetski action!



● Handyman hurdles

AND THEN THERE WAS ONE

Micro Maniacs tightens the tension screws to the max. One mistake and you're gone. As each racer gets knocked out, the pressure on the survivors claws higher. All that matters is, can you grip your lead for a few more seconds, or will you spin out and lose the point?



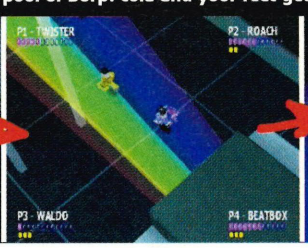
▲ The four racers are neck and neck. Each of them manages to hurdle the lethal laser beam. So far so good. Except, what's ahead?



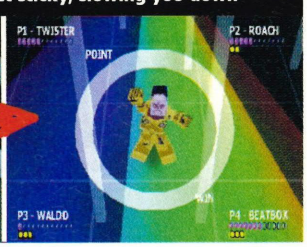
▲ A 90 degree turn. But it's slippy, and is way hard to hold on. That's Roach pinging off the edge and he loses a point



▲ Here's a rope slide to cross the gap. But Beatbox is going way too fast and spirals to an early grave on the tiles below



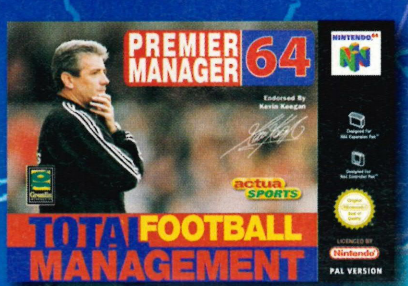
▲ Last two. One's going to get a point, the other will get nothing. They race across a beam of light, but Twister's looking shaky

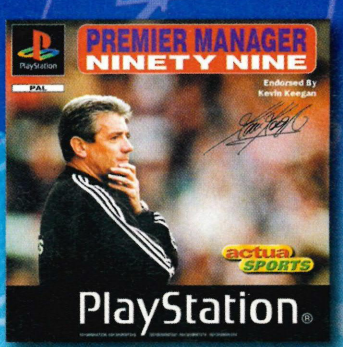


▲ Waldo makes it across and scoops the point. No time to celebrate, though. The starter's whistle's about to go again

THE WAY OVER THE LAST DECADE.





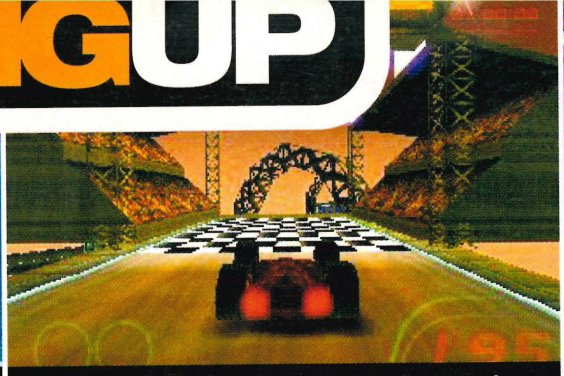


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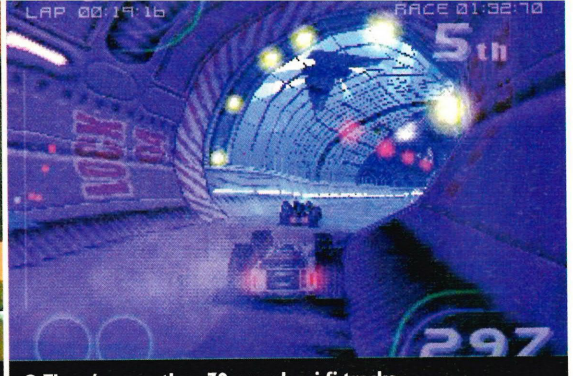
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● Drive up walls and over ceilings



● Scramble mode's a selection of tough challenge tracks



● There's more than 30 superb sci fi tracks

BIGGER, BADDER, FASTER, LOUDER!

Rollcage 2's back and it's one big, angry speed-soaked racer, like Linford Christie with a can of nitrous up his chuff

> ROLLCAGE 2

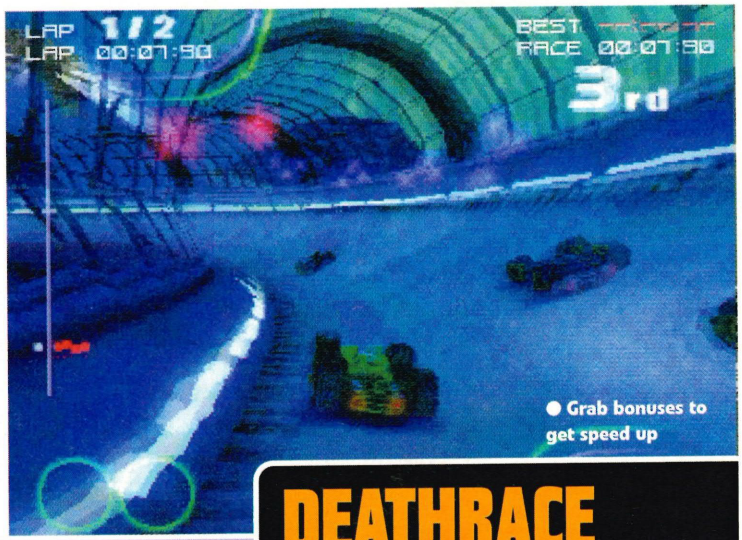
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Rollcage 2 is like a rocket-fuelled version of Robot Wars. You drive weird sci fi trucks with huge rubber wheels and even bigger guns. While you're racing you'll hit speeds of about four hundred miles an hour, and blast over ceilings, round walls and straight into fragile, destructible buildings. And for once, this plays as intensely when you're up against a mate in two-player split-screen.

It all happens at dizzying speed. The tracks are littered with more than 20 kinds of weapon, ranging from the horribly destructive Driller Rockets to time-freezing Stasis Beams. It pays off to save ammo to blast the buildings by the side of the tracks. If you collapse a skyscraper in front of someone, it'll slow 'em bigtime. If you collapse it on them, it'll cost them the race.

There's five leagues and twenty tracks to rip through here, including stunt tracks in space and magnetic superhighways weaving through sci fi cities. In some of them, there's so many collapsible buildings around the tracks it'll look like an earthquake's hit by the time you scream into the last lap.

You can play every single mode in two-player split-screen, and it moves as fast and looks as sharp as the one-player game. And whichever way you play it, it sounds great. It's got a soundtrack of weapons-grade coolness, made up of dark beats crafted by hip hop wizards off the label that DJ Shadow records for.



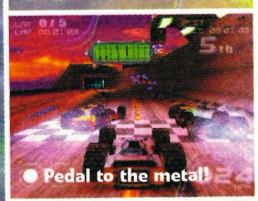
● Grab bonuses to get speed up



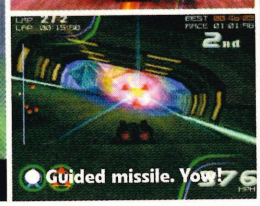
● Some of the tracks here make the ones in Wip3out look well poncey



● Rockets: mad firepower



● Pedal to the metal!



● Guided missile. Yoo!

DEATHRACE 2000MPH

There are 20 cars to win, plus enough weapons to embarrass the National Rifle Association. By combining power-ups, you can build up massive new weapon effects such as Worm Holes which warp you ahead of your opponents.

By winning races, you'll grab yourself more vehicles, new paint jobs, and new race modes, including a weirdo 'rubble soccer' game where two teams of killer cars bat a rock back and forth footy-style.

If you want to prove you're the master of monster trucks, check the Scramble mode, which is a series of 20 stupidly hard stunt tracks where you win just by finishing within the time limit.

And for the demolition men, there's even a hidden mode where you win by destroying the most trackside buildings. You know, a bit like when you took your first driving lesson.



rollcage STAGE II

Image by Bela Lund

'ACTION SO DAMN FAST YOU'LL SWEAT LIKE THE ROCK'S CREVICE'

CAN YOU SMELL WHAT THE ROCK IS COO

> WWF SMACKDOWN

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Go backstage with the Undertaker, the Rock and Stone Cold

In WWF Smackdown, released in May, you'll have to take on an entire season of the world's toughest wrestling champions.

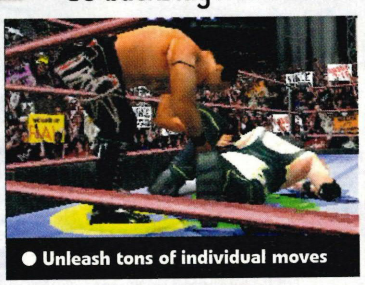
You'll deal with tag-team partnerships, rivalries between wrestlers, name-calling sessions, and backstage punch-ups. The storylines unfold over a season's worth of TV and Pay-Per-View events played out in front of hordes of baying rednecks.

All the wrestlers are in here, complete with signature moves, catchphrases, and mosh-powered theme tunes.

What'll really turn your crank is how fast the game moves. WWF Attitude was an awesome game, but the action moved at a pretty gentle pace. Here, the wrestlers are built like hippos but move like cheetahs. Do a move, and the countermove is bouncing back at you so quickly you'll be sweating like the Rock's armpit.

And every move is in there. If a wrestler has a tendency to twitch, you can bet he'll twitch in WWF Smackdown. There's never been a wrestling game which is so true to the wrestling on the telly. Fights will spill over into the ringside area and backstage into dressing rooms, boiler rooms and car parks.

You'll even witness the horrific spectacle of men in leather briefs and covered in baby oil wrestling in the toilets.



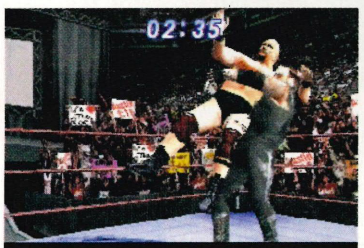
● Unleash tons of individual moves



● The fights can even spill outside



● Four player is an absolute scream as you take it in turns to cane each other



● Stone Cold takes the pain

STONE COLD STEVE AUSTIN
'AND THAT'S THE BOTTOM LINE'

Stone Cold is decked out like a horribly bloated skater. In Smackdown, you'll be able to see how the rivalry between two fighters unfolds over a few bouts: you can guarantee when Stone Cold and The Rock fight it out, there'll be fireworks.



● Don't mess with the Undertaker

THE UNDERTAKER
'REST IN PEACE!'

This effort's going to capture all the razzmatazz of the telly wrestling. Play a season as the Undertaker and the audience will boo and hiss as you and your Ministry of Darkness mates take to the stage. Do well, though, and some of them will start to cheer for you. Fickle bunch.



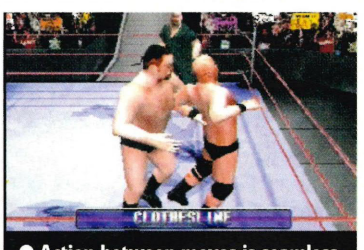
● Bad Ass packs a mean piledriver

BADD ASS BILLY GUNN
'I'LL MAKE YA FAMOUS'

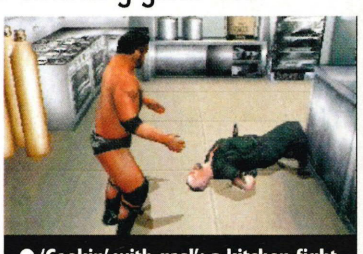
Specialist tag team wrestlers like Mr Ass here are going to be the big stars of Smackdown. Switching between opponents is easy in the smooth four-player mode, so the Tag Team bits are class to play, and the way your partnership unfolds and develops over a championship is absolutely superb.

KING?

Steve Austin in the fastest, nastiest wrestling game ever



● Action between moves is seamless



● 'Cookin' with gas!': a kitchen fight

BACK FROM THE DEAD, AGAIN!

This Sir Dan is thinner than Posh on a diet of moss and gravel. But his game is phat

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> MEDIEVIL 2



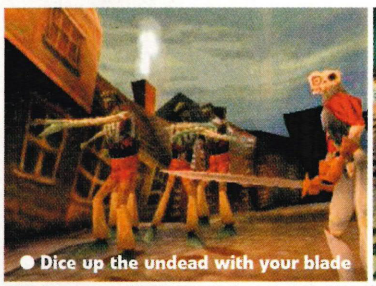
Clever platform games are about as rare as teetotal Glaswegians, so a sequel to the excellent zombie-stomping platformer MediEvil is good news.

MediEvil 2, due in April, is going to feature brain-boiling puzzles, non-stop cartoony violence, and game styles ranging from skeleton boxing matches to crossbow sniper shootouts.

Sir Dan Fortesque, a goofy skeleton in a suit of armour, leads the plot again. What you do most of the time is run around beating the living daylights out of zombies and other assorted spooks using weapons ranging from giant crossbows and Gatling guns to your own severed arm. But there's also massive puzzles to solve, people to talk to, and more laughs than They Think It's All Over.

It's all set in Victorian London with an evil wizard/pantomime villain Lord Palethorn on baddie duty. It's comedy gothic stuff in the style of an Adams Family movie. On one level, you have to collect body parts to make up a 'Dankenstein' with which you fight a prehistoric demon. In another part, you get to play as a severed skeleton hand that can scamper through tiny gaps.

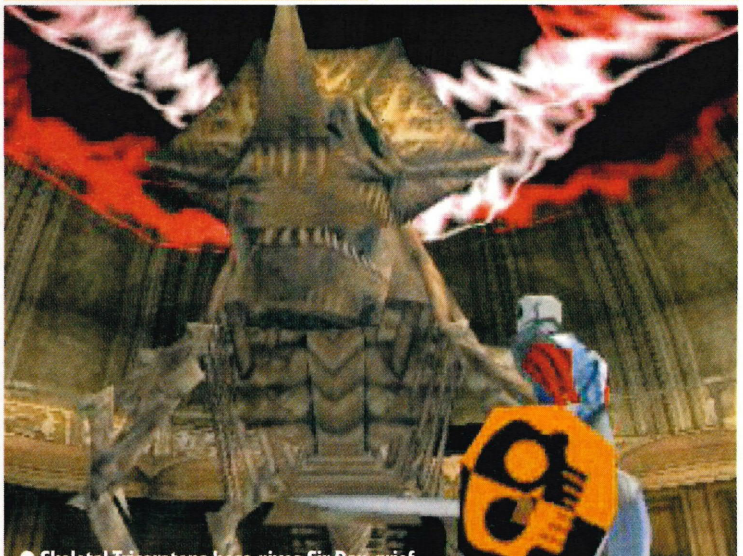
The original MediEvil was awesome because it kept you guessing about what was coming next. And here, there are even more surprises. You'll be having a one-on-one swashbuckling swordfight with a camp skeleton one moment, then fighting a posse of bearded ladies in a World War One-style machine gun shootout.. The action just doesn't stop and you'll never get bored.



● Dice up the undead with your blade



● There are acres of lush environments



● Skeletal Triceratops boss gives Sir Dan grief



● 'My head's gonna blow if I don't get my fix!'

● 'It's your fault for choosing the Jalfrezi'

● Boffins go into fits from Rion's psychic force

FIRERAISING CHILD IN DRUG BINGE HORROR!

Take drugs, burn people and use psychic powers to fry brains. This is Galerians. a Resident Evil with a side-order of nastiness

> GALERIANS

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You're teenager Rion. You wake up shackled to a table in a laboratory. You have dim memories of scientists injecting drugs into the veins in your neck.

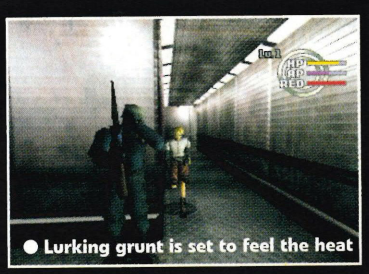
Suddenly, you're aware you've got the psychic power to break the restraints around your wrists. They snap open. You're alone in the lab. You have no memory. All you know is that someone's gotta pay for what's happened.

You'll recognise the style of Galerians, in which you're trapped in a horrific nightmare with loads of puzzles to solve and baddies to kill before you come up for air. The Res Evil crew should demand royalties.

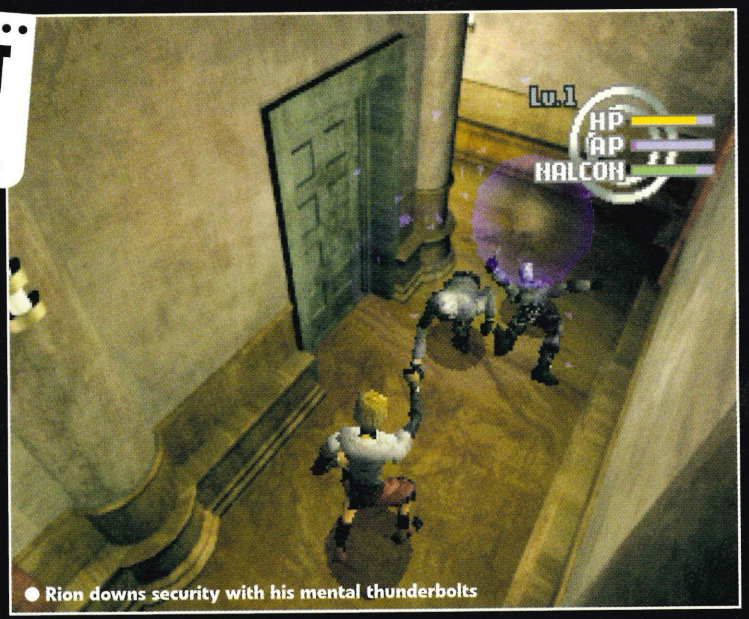
The main thing in this shocker is the drugs. Staying pickled gives you psychic powers, but it's dangerous. If your psychic meter hits maximum, you emit electrical pulses that give people close by fits, and your health starts to ebb.

To keep yourself from flipping, you must take anti-psychic drugs. Exhaust the blue pills and you're minutes away from your brain exploding. The upside is, you can ignite people just by looking at them. And there's plenty of suckers to meet, most of whom you'll flame in seconds.

Galerians looks drenched in enough fear and horror to mark it out as something special when it hits in April.

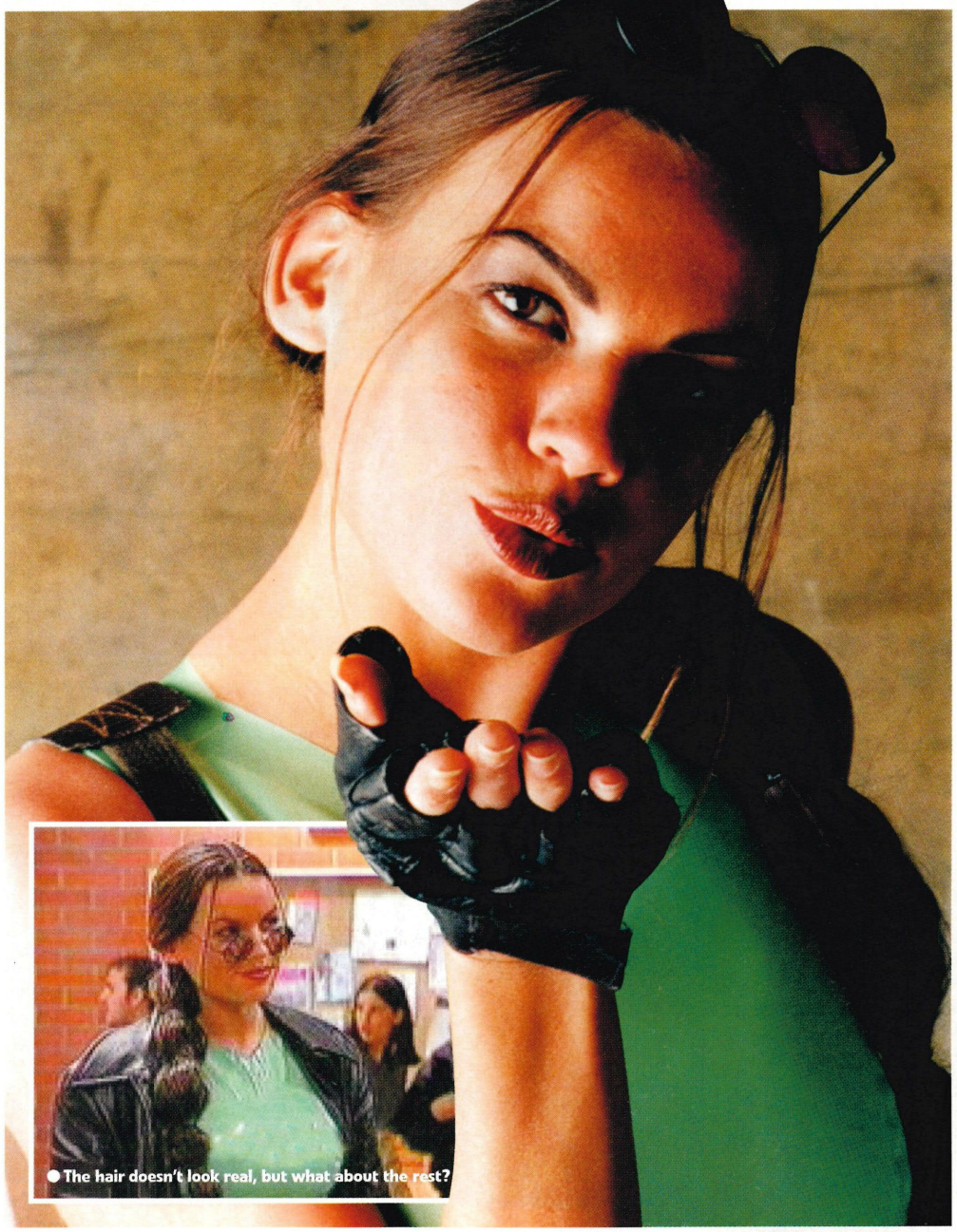


● Lurking grunt is set to feel the heat



● Rion downs security with his mental thunderbolts

BUENOS DIAS, SENORITA CROFT!?



● The hair doesn't look real, but what about the rest?

> LARA WELLER ON TV

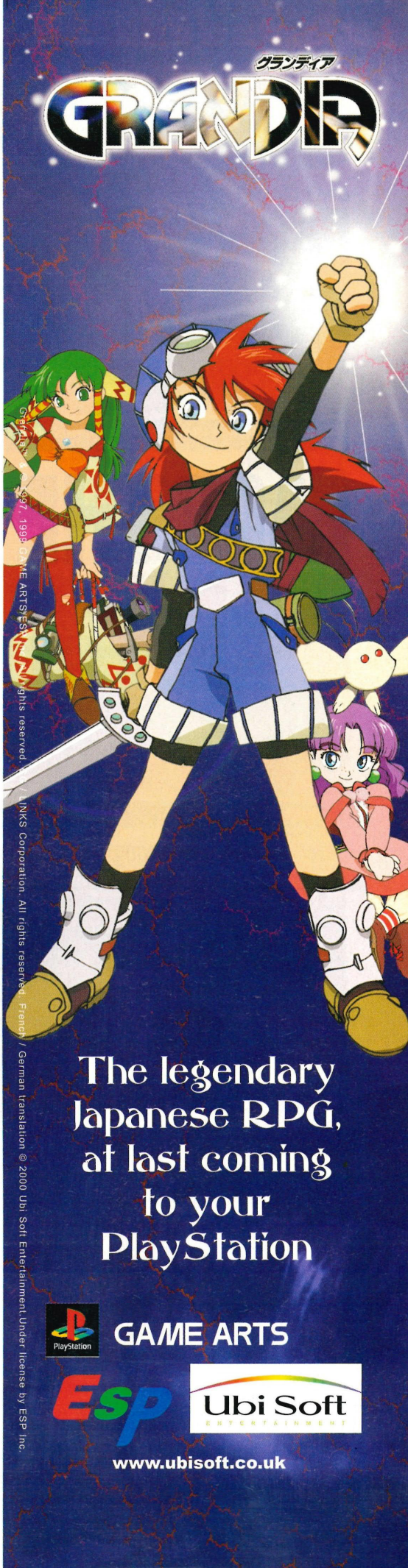
Lara Croft makes her television debut with an appearance on a Spanish soap opera

Lara Weller, busty Rent-a-Croft and all-round hot chick, has pulled on her PVC Lara top for a bit of moonlighting on Spanish telly. Lara appeared in one episode of the hit soap Los Companeros on channel Antena 3.

Young Miss Weller backflips onto the scene when a kid is being attacked by burglars. She sees off the crims with her trademark mixture of high-velocity gymnastics and ferocious gunplay, then disappears off into the night without even saying goodbye.

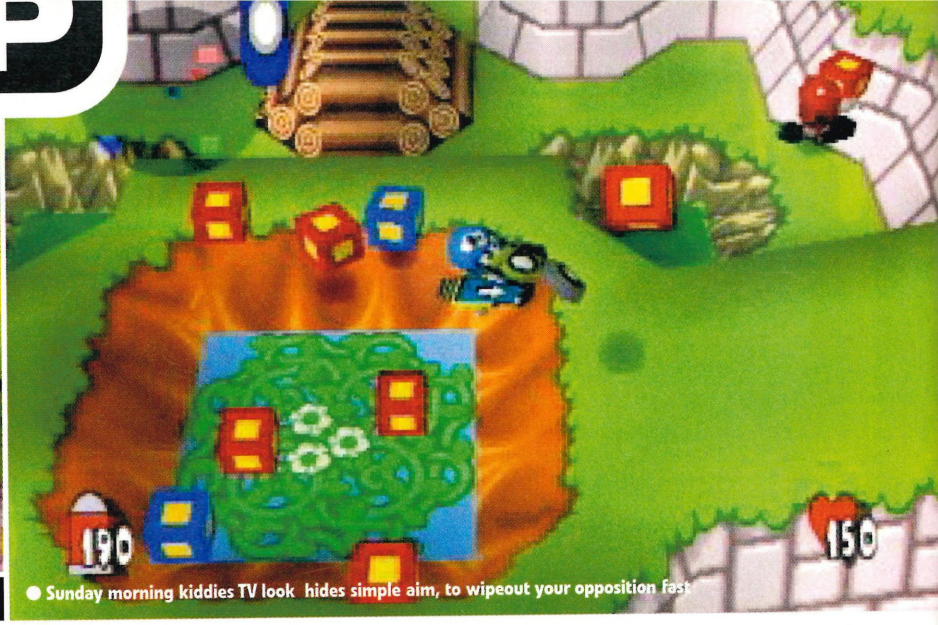
When the kid goes into school, he tells his mates how this lady in a PVC tank top jumped in through his window and saved him from a posse of armed gangsters. Of course, the cynical little tykes think he's telling porky pies. That is, until Lara Weller herself shows up in the PVC top in question, jiggling gently, and says 'The name's Croft. Lara Croft'.

All cheesy as hell, but amusing nonetheless. Rest assured that whether she's appearing on the Finnish version of It's a Knockout or advertising dog food in Guatemala, we'll bring you all the Lara news as and when it happens.





▲ Ignore the babyish look, Team Buddies boasts killing to rival an abattoir



● Sunday morning kiddies TV look hides simple aim, to wipeout your opposition fast

FACE THE ONSLAUGHT OF THE KILLER JELLY

> TEAM BUDDIES

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Q: what if you cross Saving Private Ryan with Tetris? A: you get Team Buddies, where beans means death

Team Buddies sees teams of shiny killer beans slug it out on a cartoon battlefield.

To become King of Beans you stack boxes into patterns, break into them to get fresh weaponry, and crush the opposition.

This is like Tetris crossed with a cartoon version of Saving Private Ryan.

But it has a pile of good ideas. The gameplay's lightning fast and furious. You control a team of three or more beans, switching between them with △, and giving orders with L1. The goal's to destroy the bases of rivals. And you'll need a mix of crate-building strategy and extreme aggression to come out top. You can play it in two or four-player split-screen deathmatch. Sweet.

To own an effective armoury, you order your beans to collect boxes. They'll brave Uzi fire, laser outposts and rampaging armoured vehicles.

But all the time, you must keep an eye on the patterns you use to fit different boxes together. All boxes are dropped by parachute and you pick the right ones, and fit them together correctly. Fit one in the wrong place and you'll get a puny pistol instead of a death-dealing tank.

The visuals are cutesy, but the action violent with beans frying in hails of bullets, anti-tank shells, and poison arrows.

Pure craziness. And we can't wait.



▲ A green and pleasant land that's shortly to be turned into an outdoor morgue

ALSO COMINGUP

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BRUNSWICK CIRCUIT PRO BOWLING 2

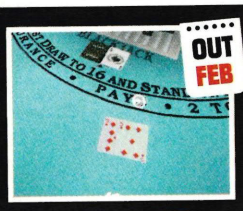
High adrenalin ten-pin bowling thrills with brightly coloured chinos in full effect. Oddly, it's quite good fun.



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CRUSADERS OF MIGHT AND MAGIC

Like Tomb Raider in tights, this is a Dungeons-and-Dragons 3D adventure with magic swords and elves galore.



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CAESARS PALACE 2000

Blackjack, baccarat and roulette and all the other glitzy Las Vegas thrills come to PlayStation. Banco! No sign of the Mafia though.



OUT MAR

EHRGEIZ

Weapons-based beat'em up starring Cloud Strife out of Final Fantasy 7 and a bunch of other weirdos. Wait for our review before you buy.

HOW TO PACK BIG HEAT

As you get more ambitious with your boxes, you can build blocks of six or more before breaking into them. This way, you can build jetpacks, hovercrafts, karate experts and so on. You must remember patterns, and choose carefully where you put the blocks. But getting the bricks in the right place isn't easy.



BEANS!



▲ Seasonal look won't stop massacres

DRIVE LIKE THE WORLD'S BEST INSTANTLY!

> RALLY MASTERS

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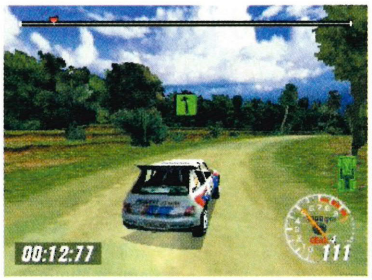
This off-roader lets you inherit the madness of McRae and Makinen in each cars' performance

Rally Masters has taken the real-world performances of 20 of the world's top rally stars in the Michelin Race of Champions and integrated them into the cars.

It means your car will handle differently depending on which driver you choose.

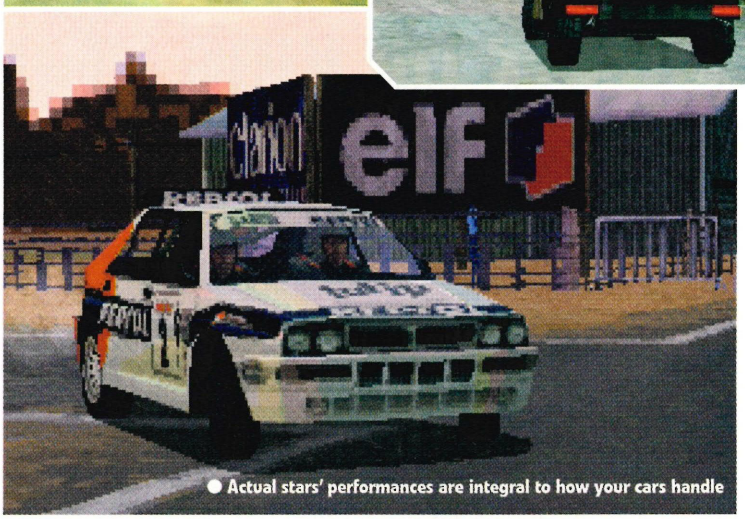
Pick Colin McRae, with his aggressive, driving, and his car will respond with more *oomph* when you steer. The bits of the courses where McRae has a blackspot on a corner will need awesome throttle-brake control.

The version we played was brilliant and with 50 courses, 28 different drivers and 17 cars to select, this could be a scorcher.





● Races take place in the Gran Canaries



● Actual stars' performances are integral to how your cars handle



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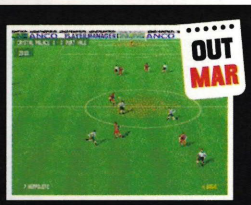
Massive, sprawling RPG with bucketloads of dialogue and a exceptionally complicated, hippyish druid magic system. It's big in Japan, of course.



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PREMIER MANAGER 2000

This isn't just another update: it's a complete overhaul of Premier Manager that's a lot more detailed and a whole lot easier to use.



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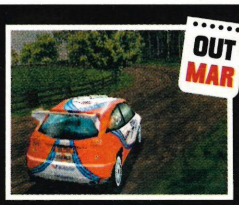
Hands-on Premiership management sim with a nice mixture of hardcore tactics and sweet-looking on-pitch action. One to watch.



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GRUDGE WARRIORS

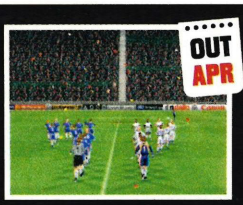
Futuristic tanks fight it out deathmatch-style in arenas that look like multistorey carparks. Cool two-player mode will have you interested.



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COLIN MCRAE RALLY 2

Awesome dirt-churning sequel boasts all the new rally cars, and an ultra-detailed car damage system. Check out our big preview next issue.



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UEFA CHAMPIONS LEAGUE 99

Sweet-looking update of the slick Champions' League game that wowed the world this year with sharp graphics and smooth plays.



BUCKLE UP KIDS, YOU'RE GONNA BLOW CHUNKS!

Use oversalted burgers, fatty milkshakes and bone-rattling rollercoasters to make kids ill in Theme Park World, the funniest God game ever made

> THEME PARK WORLD

OUT IN MARCH

Theme Park World, out in March, sees you as the daddy of the world's biggest theme park. You build rides, burn burgers and make punters puke. Which equals a God game with a lifetime pass to top laughs.

Your job is to get customers in. No-one seems to care whether the punters wander around with food poisoning, get so bored they riot or suffer fatal internal injuries on rollercoasters you've invented such as 'The Ultimate Brain Haemhorrage'.

You'll be giggling manically as you up the fat content of the burgers to instant heart attack levels, build stinking toilets right next to the candy floss stand and put a four-hundred foot vertical drop into the tiny tots' rollercoaster. If you're wacko enough, you can test all the rides yourself before you switch them on. Sweet.

You've got to earn Golden Tickets to open up new parks. The tickets come from earning fat profits, best achieved by fleecing your visitors. Cruelty usually pays off. Keep 'em feeling sick as pikes (puke-making rides and tatty food) and you're probably on a nice little earner.

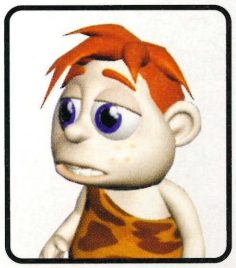
You can design every rollercoaster yourself, choose sideshows and decide how little ice goes into the soft drinks. This is *the* game for wannabe fat cats.

THE MONEYMAKERS



CRUEL GUARDS

You've got to make sure you've got the staff. You'll need guards to keep the kids in their place and mechanics to make the rides work. You'll need entertainers, burger flippers, and a whole army of scientists to develop the rides you design.



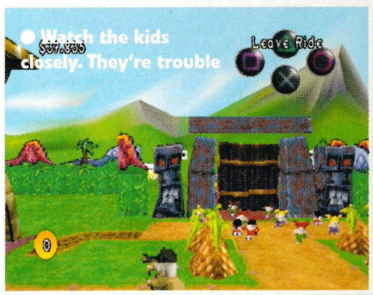
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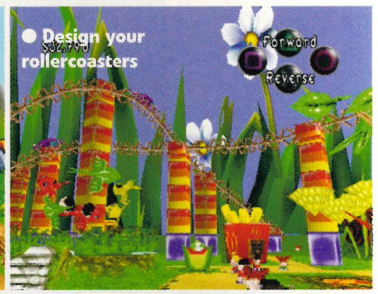
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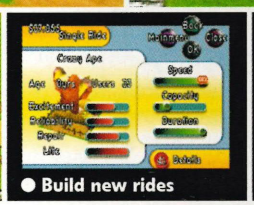
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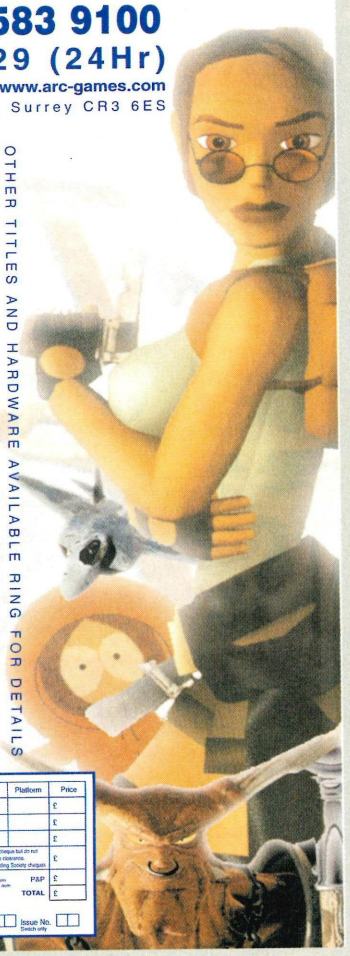
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Assuming PS 2 launches to schedule in Japan, the ten winners will be drawn at random on Friday 24th March. Good luck!

CHERRI DUNLOP, HYTHE
Game: I want them to do a Tomb Raider game on PS2 so me and my boyfriend have something to do when we get back from work.
Movie: The new Bond film will probably look brilliant on it.
CD: I can't listen to anything else but the new Travis album at the moment.

ROBIN LANGLEY, LONDON
Game: I hope they do Worms on PS2. It's the best multiplayer game you can get.
Movie: Star Trek 8. You can never have enough Star Trek
CD: My Kiss Albums. I'm a sad old rocker

AHSAN MAHMOUD, IPSWICH
Game: I saw some pictures of Tekken on PS2 and it looks like its going to blow everything else away.
Movie: The Truman Show because it makes you think about what TV does to our lives
CD: When I play games I usually listen to hard house so it will have to be Blu Peter.

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RACHEL ZAREWICZ, AUSTRALIA
Game: Any golf game. I don't know why but I love them.
Movie: It has to be ET because I want to know if watching it on DVD will mean I don't cry at the end.
CD: Anything by the Rolling Stones. They are the best band of the century.

RANDY HAYLE
Game: I want to see what they do with ISS. I love being able to do a step over followed by a nutmeg and a back heel all with my index finger while sitting on the sofa.
Movie: Free Willy. I'm not supposed to like that but I do.
CD: Anything by Beethoven is my choice.

ZETA FITZPATRICK, LOUGHBOROUGH
Game: I only like driving games. I reckon a version of Driver would be ace, don't you?
Movie: Well, I really like Johnny Depp so I'd say Edward Scissorhands.
CD: The Fun Lovin' Criminals will be first on.

ROBIN PROSSOR, PECKHAM
Game: I'd like to see a version Duke Nukem. Why? Because I get to shoot things and not go to prison.
Movie: The Matrix. The 3D effects will just be out of this world on DVD.
CD: REM's next album. I like rock as long as it's not heavy metal.

PHILIPPA BORLANT, LEICESTER
Game: I hope Crash Bandicoot makes it to the PS2. OK I know it's a bit childish but at the end of the day it's loads of fun.
Movie: I reckon DVD would make Star Wars look absolutely brilliant.
CD: Fatboy Slim. Everyone slags him off but it still sounds good.

EMILY HEATH, SPALDING
Game: I'd love to see a really good Sim City game. I love playing God and making my world a place free of football!
Movie: Fight Club would be great. Anything with a well-oiled Brad Pitt fighting basically.
CD: The 007 theme track album. I can imagine Bond coming into my room as I listen to it.

PATRICK CLARK, ROTHERHAM
Game: Duke Nukem 'cos I love shooting pigs.
Movie: Babe. When I watch it I want to shoot that pig.
CD: NWA because I love to listen to pigs being shot.

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LYNSEY THORPE, PETERBOROUGH
Game: I've heard they're putting Abe's Oddysee on it. If that's true then I definitely want to see it.
Movie: Scream. Does PS2 have surround sound?
CD: If there's one thing I'll definitely still be listening to next year it's the Moloko album.

DAN BELTON, ST ALBANS
Game: Gran Turismo. I can't wait to see what it looks like on the PS2 - it's just gonna blow you away.
Movie: The Crow. That dark atmosphere would look really, really cool on DVD.
CD: My Road Test 9 CD. It's dancy, trancy, and gets you up and going. It's like driving

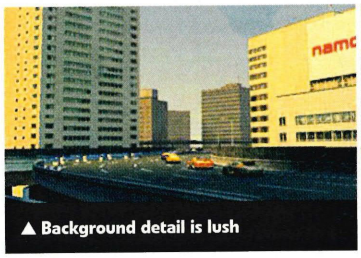
HAYDEN DAVIS, STEVENAGE
Game: Gran Turismo. On the PS2 that will just be the best racing game ever.
Movie: DVD has got sorted sound, right? Well I'd love to watch that bit out of Apocalypse Now when the helicopters attack that village.
CD: I'll play Wu-Tang. The best rap you can get.

RICH SOLLY, READING
Game: Shoot 'em up games! Will there be a Duke Nukem?
Movie: Anything with Arnie in it because that means tons of wicked effects. Unless it's Jingle All The Way.
Music: Propellerheads going on in the background. Wicked if you can play and listen at the same time on the PS2.

RIDGE RACER 5

Ridge 5's going for the same kind of arcade feel that's made the Ridge Racer series on PlayStation endlessly playable.

And if you thought it would be impossible to better Ridge 4's drop-dead visuals, think again. Check the detail on these shots, and drool. In Ridge 5 on PlayStation 2 you'll see sparks fly as cars grind against each other, exhaust fumes hang low over the race track, and unburnt petrol exploding from overheated exhausts. And check these backgrounds with their soaring skyscrapers – jaw-dropping or what?



▲ Background detail is lush



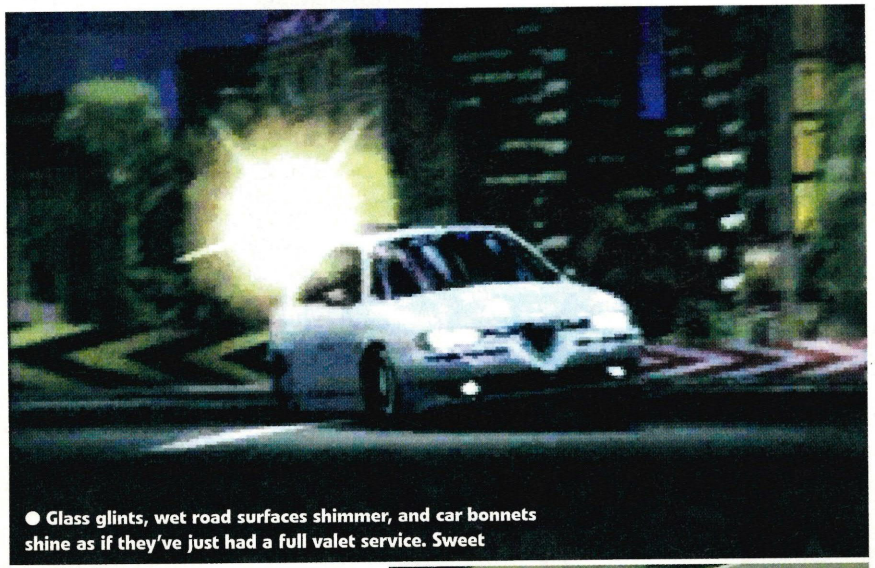
▲ Sparks fly as a rim kisses concrete



● On PlayStation 2 there's never going to be backgrounds that look like stage sets on a cheapo pantomime. Everything's massively solid and three dimensional, even from a distance. And it moves at a fair old pelt, too

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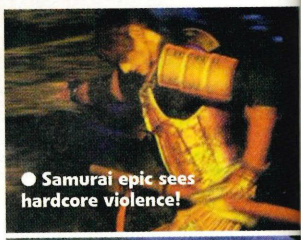
● Glass glints, wet road surfaces shimmer, and car bonnets shine as if they've just had a full valet service. Sweet

ONIMUSHA: THE DEMON WARRIOR

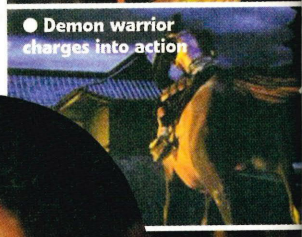
PlayStation 2 reads massive amounts of information straight from high-density DVD discs, so it can produce movie-quality visuals that cut to lush in-game action.

Onimusha: the Demon Warrior is a Samurai saga that blends an epic plot and intense cutscenes with hardcore swashbuckling Katana-wielding action.

See the faces here? They're not renders but in-game grabs. This is nothing less than a movie where you play the lead. It'll rock your skull.



● Samurai epic sees hardcore violence!



● Demon warrior charges into action



● Female lead is less Lara, more dinner lady

GRAN TURISMO 2000

Buy Gran Turismo 2 and you'll be treated to a rolling demo of GT2000 on PlayStation 2. And it's stunning. You really feel the weight of the cars as they barrel into bends.

GT2000 boast a range of cars similar to Gran Turismo 2, but it's going to look and handle *so* much sweeter. Forget criticisms you've heard that the motors look too shiny. Since when was Gran Turismo a shit game 'cos someone took a chamois leather to the cars?



▲ The intro on Gran Turismo 2 features PS 2 footage

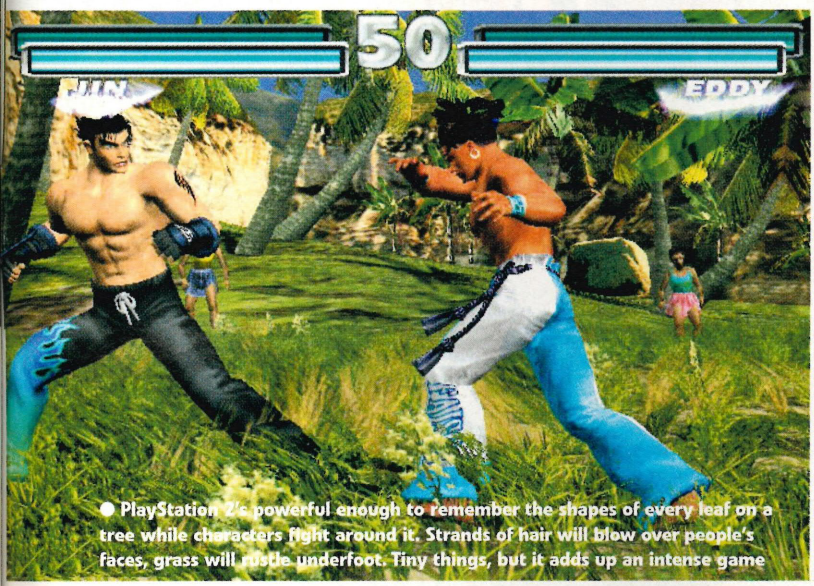
TEKKEN TAG TOURNAMENT

The makers of Tekken are famous for being perfectionists. And they ain't changing the way they work with their PS 2 stuff.

Tekken Tag stars your favourites from Tekken 2 and 3 in tag team fights.

It's very near completion, but new moves are being added all the time, and the gameplay's being polished. Expect a few ultra-weird hidden extras in there too.

You know how in Tekken 3 you sometimes see someone's fist go right through their opposition? PS 2 remembers every curve and wrinkle of each character, so when your effort hits target, you'll see and hear it loud and clear. Every punch in Tekken Tag will hurt.



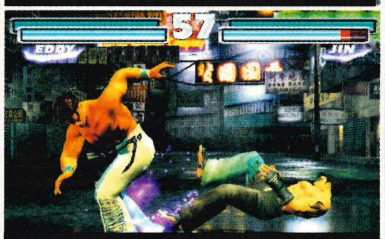
● PlayStation 2's powerful enough to remember the shapes of every leaf on a tree while characters fight around it. Strands of hair will blow over people's faces, grass will rustle underfoot. Tiny things, but it adds up an intense game



▲ 'Smell my Cheddars, ladyboy'



▲ 'Pink don't suit you sweetheart'



▲ 'Now taste my killer air biscuit!'

NDS, THE ACTION

HOTS. START DROOLING!



● PlayStation 2 can do facial expressions so real you'll feel guilty for killing people. In-game, Onimusha has facial expressions more convincing than Hollywood blockbuster. That ain't hard though

PS2 GOSSIP!

News and rumours about PlayStation 2 and the games you'll want to die for

TRACK AND FIELD 3

Track and Field 3 should shatter your newly-purchased Dual Shock 2. Full-on button-bashing action, but with amazing new visuals.

SILENT HILL 2

The sequel to the gut-wrenchingly nasty horror actioner Silent Hill's already in production. It should be up for release in winter this year.

METAL GEAR SOLID 2

The first three stages of MGS2 are up and running, but behind closed doors. We'll give you more info as we get it. Metal Gear 2 is down for release in Spring 2001.

BLOODY ROAR 3

This awesome beasty bash 'em up should be released late on this year. Expect lighting effects like nothing you've ever seen before.

COOL BOARDER

PlayStation's best snowboarding series hits PlayStation 2 around Spring of 2001.

RESIDENT EVIL 4

The Resident Evil games look awesome on PlayStation, and the Dreamcast version looks great too. So we can't wait to see Raccoon City on the PS2 early in 2001.

ROBOCOP

One of the first of many big film tie-ins with PlayStation 2. It's down for release in Spring 2001.

THE DATES YOU NEED TO KNOW

These awesome games, along with about 200 others, will be launched with PlayStation 2 on March 4, or during the following month. The UK machine, along with loads more games, will launch on September 24th. Or you could get lucky and win one of 10 PS2's in our competition on P107, and, if the launch goes to plan, be playing these awesome games in just eight weeks time!

The choice of the professionals



Revs MAGAZINE

In the most excellent February issue of Revs

Subaru Impreza v Golf Mk3 GTI v Saxo VTR v BMW M3 ● Xsara VTS v 306 GTi-6 ● turbo Nova ● Nissan GTi-R ● 205 Mi16 ● RS Turbo ● Know Lots About Oil ● some bloke skiing down the road behind a boat (?) ● it's about cars, see, not tits

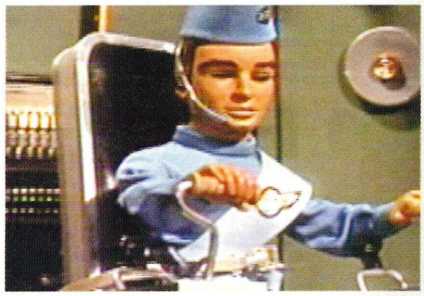
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THUNDERBIRDS ARE GO

Those loveable sci-fi puppets from Thunderbirds will fly onto your PlayStation 2 in 2001.

Thunderbirds was a hit sixties TV show in which a bunch of posh puppets saved the world with their cool space ships from the hands of Bond-style megalomaniacs with bald heads and daft goatees.

We're promised action and strategy but we hope PS 2's Emotion Engine can handle the strings.



▲ 'This peddleo's rubbish'

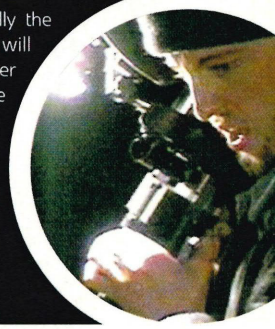
THE BLAIR WITCH GAME PROJECT



The scariest movie of last year is set to be the most terrifying game of this.

Yup, The Blair Witch Project is coming to PlayStation 2 with the aim of scaring the guts out of you. And it's gonna be so frightening you'll have to plug yourself into the National Grid to send as many shivers down your spine.

Hopefully the budget will be bigger than the film's.



CHEESY SAUCE WITH THAT?

A beat 'em up whose weapons include dolphins?

> GUILTY GEAR

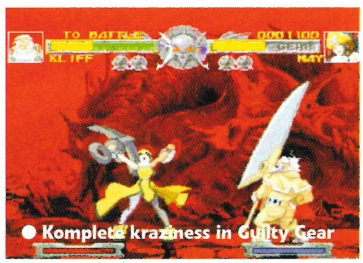
It's cheesy Manga stupidity all the way in Guilty Gear, a 2D beat 'em up that's been turning heads over in the States.

It's got perfectly loopy characters that include a mad surgeon who can whip out an operating table mid-ruck. And they all move like Vaselined pot-bellied pigs, loads faster than any 2D fighter ever released on PlayStation. Guilty Gear is going to reach these shores in February next year.

It's all dumb and cheesy as you like, with one character, a camp pirate, able to summon multicoloured dolphins of death which drag you down into the depths.

It's pure lunacy start to finish, and you'll need fingers of steel if you're going to get your joypad round the knuckle-knotting special moves. Still, though, a bit of a laugh. More on this hatstand special soon.

OUT MAR



● Komplete krazmess in Guilty Gear



● Hardcore madness lands in March

WHO WON IN THE £3000 XMAS GIVEAWAY?

In December's massive compo there were a nutty 110 winners. You ought to check this list to see if one of them was you

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▲ Consumer editor Steve O chews a petrol-soaked sock after failing to send out The Matrix DVDs on time

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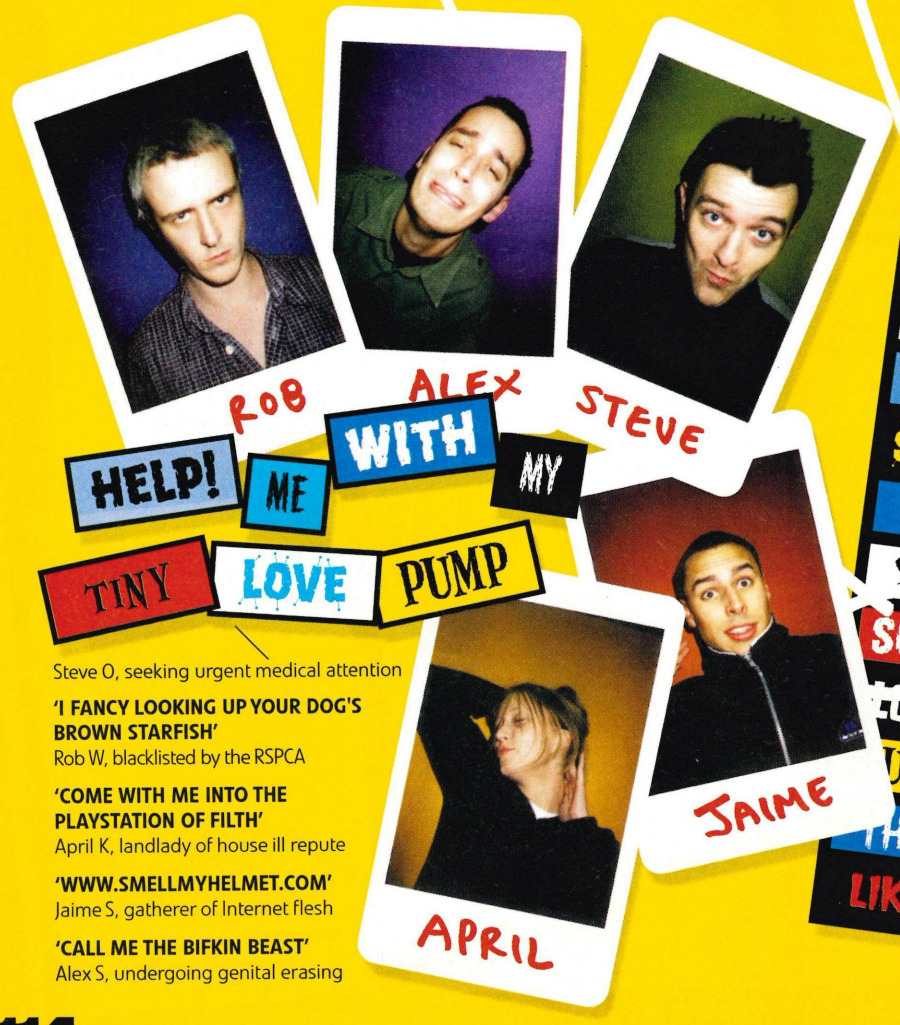
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TROUSERS	IS IN	dog	LICK
YOU	four-player	FANCY	up
SUCK	HE	floppy	ME MY
LOOK	MOOSE	starfish	BEAST
PUMP	LOVE	FROM	LARGE
THIS	PLUMS	cheese	OF ING
LIKE	HOLE	LIVES HERE	CHOCOLATE

1000 MPH

(THAT'S MOTORS PER HOUR!)

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