

# TITUS THE FOX

## To Marrakech and Back

### LOADING INSTRUCTIONS

#### IBM PC & Compatibles

##### EQUIPMENT NEEDED

IBM PC, XT, AT, PS1, PS2 or compatible.  
Tandy 1000, 3000 family.  
IBM RAM 512 K or higher.  
Graphics Hercules, CGA, EGA or VGA.  
DOS 2.0 or higher.  
5.25 or 3.5 inch disk drive.  
AdLib card or Buzzer.

##### GETTING STARTED

###### FLOPPY DISK USERS

**Warning:** Do not remove the disk from the internal drive because the computer needs it to initialize protection.

Switch on monitor and then the computer. Insert MS-DOS (or PC-DOS) in the main disk drive (A). At the A> prompt remove the DOS disk from the drive and insert the *Titus the Fox* disk (disk 1 for 5.25 version). To launch the game type **FOX <ENTER>**.

HDOS is on the hard disk. It loads automatically. Once it's loaded, insert the *Titus the Fox* disk (disk 1 for 5.25 version) in the main disk drive (A) and type **A:<ENTER>**. The computer displays A>, type **FOX <ENTER>**.

###### HARD DISK USERS

The game has a program that lets you copy *Titus the Fox* onto your hard drive. Insert the disk (disk 1 for 5.25 version) in drive A. Type **A:<ENTER>**, then **HDFOX <ENTER>**. The install program automatically creates a subdirectory called **FOX** and copies the files into the subdirectory. You will be prompted to insert the remaining disk (5.25 version). Before launching the game, make sure you're in the **FOX** subdirectory. Type **FOX <ENTER>**.

**Warning:** Do not remove the disk from the internal drive because the computer needs it to initialize protection.

The game is designed to automatically detect your computer setup and to load the game to take the best advantage of your system. Sometimes, however, you may need to override the program's auto-detect function using parameters. A parameter is a code that represents a specific function; you type it after the program's filename to force something specific to happen. Here are the parameters you can use in *Titus the Fox*:

**V** Loads program in VGA mode.  
**E** Loads program in EGA mode.

**C** Loads program in CGA mode.  
**H** Loads program in Hercules.  
**B** Loads program with Buzzer sounds.

Let's say you have a VGA card and the program is not acknowledging it for some reason. You would type **FOX V<ENTER>** to force the program to acknowledge the VGA card.

#### Amiga

##### EQUIPMENT NEEDED

Amiga 500 Plus, 500, 1000, 2000, 2500, 3000.  
RAM 512 K or higher.

##### GETTING STARTED

If you have an Amiga 512 K with an external drive, please disconnect it before launching the game.

##### AMIGA 1000 512 K

Switch on monitor and then the computer. Insert KICKSTART (1.2 or higher) in the main drive (D0). After loading KICKSTART, the Amiga will ask you for WORKBENCH. At this point the loading sequence is the same as for other types of Amiga shown below.

**AMIGA 500 Plus, 500, 2000, 2500, 3000, 1000 (follow above steps first), TITUS UK - The Old Forge Business Centre - 7 Calderdon Road - LONDON N1D 4**

We will gladly replace them with 2 single-sided disks.

#### Atari ST

##### EQUIPMENT NEEDED

Atari 520 ST, 1040 ST, STE, Mega ST2, Mega ST4, Mega STE (with TOS in ROM).  
RAM 512 K or higher.  
3.5 inch double-sided drive.  
Colour monitor.

##### GETTING STARTED

Ensure that your computer is switched off and no cartridge is connected. Insert the *Titus the Fox* disk (disk 1 for single-sided version) in the drive and switch on the computer. The game will load automatically.

##### NOTE

This game will only work on Atari ST with a double-sided drive. If you have a single-sided drive, please send your disk back to:  
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#### Amstrad CPC 464, 664, 6128, 464+, 6128+

For technical reasons there may be differences between the CPC / CPC+ version and certain functions described in this instruction leaflet.

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## Andata e ritorno per Marrakesh

### ISTRUZIONI PER L'USO

#### PC IBM e compatibili

##### EQUIPAGGIAMENTO NECESSARIO

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Tandy 1000, 3000 family.  
IBM RAM 512 K o più potente.  
Graphics Hercules, CGA, EGA o VGA.  
DOS 2.0 o più potente.  
5.25 o 3.5 inch disk drive.  
Tastiera AdLib o Buzzer.

##### INSTALLAZIONE DEL GIOCO

###### UTILIZZATORI DI FLOPPY DISK

**Attenzione:** non rimuovere il disco dal drive interno, in quanto il computer ne ha bisogno per inizializzare la protezione.

Accendi il monitor e di seguito il computer. Inserisci MS-DOS (o PC-DOS) nel disco drive principale (A). Quando appare sullo schermo la scritta A>, rimuovi il disco DOS dal drive e inserisci il disco *Titus the Fox* (dischetto 1 per la versione 5.25). Per far iniziare il gioco, digita **FOX <ENTER>**.

###### UTILIZZATORI DI HARD DISK

Il gioco ha un tipo di programma che ti permette di copiare *Titus the Fox* sul tuo hard drive. Inserisci il dischetto (dischetto 1 per la versione 5.25) nel drive A. Digita **A:<ENTER>**, poi **HDFOX <ENTER>**. Il programma installato creerà automaticamente una subdirectory chiamata **FOX** e copierà i files nella subdirectory. Sarai pronto, a questo punto, ad inserire il dischetto rimanente (versione 5.25). Per far iniziare il gioco, digita **FOX <ENTER>**.

**Attenzione:** Non rimuovere il dischetto dal drive interno, in quanto il computer ne ha bisogno per inizializzare la protezione.

Il gioco è disegnato per intercettare automaticamente l'assetto del tuo computer e per caricare il gioco in modo da utilizzare il procedimento più consoni al tuo sistema. A volte, in ogni caso, occorrerà utilizzare i parametri per superare la fase di auto-rilevamento del programma. Un parametro è un codice che rappresenta una specifica funzione; digitalo facendo precedere il nome appropriato al file del programma per far sì che accada qualcosa di specifico. Seguono i parametri che puoi usare in *Titus the Fox*:

**V** Carica il programma nel modo VGA.  
**E** Carica il programma nel modo EGA.

**C** Carica il programma nel modo CGA.  
**H** Carica il programma Hercules.  
**B** Carica il programma con suoni Buzzer.

Assicuriamoci che abbia una tessera VGA e che il programma non lo riconosca per qualche motivo. In questo caso, devi digitare **FOX V <ENTER>** per obbligare il programma a riconoscere la tessera VGA.

#### Amiga

##### EQUIPAGGIAMENTO NECESSARIO

Amiga 500 Plus, 500, 1000, 2000, 2500, 3000.  
RAM 512K o più potente.

##### INSTALLAZIONE DEL GIOCO

Se possiedi un' Amiga 512K con un drive esterno, assicurarsi che sia disconnesso prima di iniziare il gioco.

##### AMIGA 1000 512 K

Accendi il monitor e di seguito il computer. Inserisci KICKSTART (1.2 o più potente) nel drive principale (D0). Dopo aver caricato KICKSTART, l'Amiga ti chiederà WORKBENCH. A questo punto la sequenza di caricamento è la stessa degli altri tipi di Amiga sopra citati.

#### Atari ST

##### EQUIPAGGIAMENTO NECESSARIO

Atari 520 ST, 1040 ST, STE, Mega ST2, Mega ST4, Mega STE (con TOS in ROM).  
RAM 512 K o più potente.  
3.5 inch drive double-sided.  
Monitor a colori.

##### INSTALLAZIONE DEL GIOCO

Assicurarsi che il tuo computer sia spento e che la cartuccia non sia disconnessa. Inserisci il dischetto *Titus the Fox* (dischetto 1 per la versione a singola facciata) nel drive e accendi il computer. Il gioco si caricherà automaticamente.

##### NOTA BENE

Il gioco funzionerà solo su Atari ST con un drive a doppia facciata. Se hai un drive a singola facciata, rispediti il tuo dischetto a:  
**LEADER DISTRIBUZIONE s.r.l. - Via Mazzini, 15 - 21020 CASCIAGO (VA)**  
Li sostitiremo volentieri con 2 dischetti a singola facciata.

#### Amstrad CPC 464, 664, 6128, 464+, 6128+

Non abbiamo cercato di ridurre al massimo le capacità di ogni computer. Conoscete e per ragioni tecniche, il giocatore può riscontrare alcune differenze nei contenuti delle istruzioni o delle annotazioni che si trovano sull'impallaggio.

##### GETTING STARTED

###### DISK

Switch on the monitor and then the computer. Insert disk and type **RUN "DISC" <ENTER>**.

###### CASSETTE

Switch on monitor and then the computer. Press **CTRL** and **ENTER** keys. Insert your cassette and press **PLAY**.

##### CPC / CPC+ CONTROLS

Move: Joystick & Up / Down / Right / Left arrow  
Move up and left: F7 (numeric 7 on CPC 464)  
Move up and right: F8 (numeric 8 on CPC 464)  
Take up / Place: F9 (numeric 9 on CPC 464)  
Throw an object: Fire button & Copy / Enter key  
Scroll screen right: F4 (numeric 4 on CPC 464)  
Scroll screen left: F6 (numeric 6 on CPC 464)  
Scroll screen up: F8 (numeric 8 on CPC 464)  
Scroll screen down: F2 (numeric 2 on CPC 464)  
Centre screen on character: F5 (numeric 5 on CPC 464)

##### CONTROLS

|                      | Amiga | Atari ST | PC  | CPC     |
|----------------------|-------|----------|-----|---------|
| Lose a life          | F1    | F1       | F1  | /       |
| Game Over            | F2    | F2       | F2  | Esc     |
| Status screen        | F4    | F4       | F4  | /       |
| MUSIC On/Off         | F5    | F3       | F3  | Control |
| Sound effects On/Off | F6    | /        | /   | /       |
| Sound filter On/Off  | F7    | /        | /   | /       |
| Frequency 5060 Hz    | /     | F5       | /   | /       |
| Pause                | P     | P        | P   | Space   |
| Energy bar           | /     | /        | E   | /       |
| Back to DOS          | /     | /        | Esc | /       |

Go up / Jump: Up  
Down arrow / A: Down arrow / A  
Go left: Left  
Go right: Right  
Throw an object: Fire button  
Pick up an object / Place an object: Down + Fire button  
Enter secret passages: Down arrow (after a few seconds)

Keyboard: Up arrow / Q, Down arrow / A, Left arrow / L, Right arrow / M, Space bar / Enter, Down arrow + Space, Down arrow (after a few seconds)

Depending on the situation in the game, the above instructions may have other functions.

**PC version:** You can also control the character's movements with the A, Q, L, M keys.

**Amiga & ST version:** The function key F10 divides the game speed by 2. This key is also active at certain points. To return to normal speed, press the F10 key a second time.

The keys 4 & 6 (numeric keypad) adjust the scrolling, enabling you to have a total overview of the situation.

##### STORY

Hi guys, my name is Titus. My fiancée Foxy was sent to the Sahara desert for Fox & Locks Magazine. This Republic publication had sent her on an assignment to investigate that very rare species - the desert fox. However, during a nocturnal photo session, she was suddenly attacked and kidnapped by bandits. She is now an unwilling concubine in the harem of the knights of Shah Hassan. Although this may sound dangerous and full of dungeons and daggers, I don't have a choice. I must set upon my journey and rescue my imprisoned fiancée.

##### OPERATING THE GAME

###### START & PASSWORDS

After the title screen you have two possibilities of play: Start a new game (START). This option is chosen if you are playing for the first time or if you want to start from the beginning of the game. Enter a specific code (PASSWORD). This enables you to start from the beginning of a desired level. The code for a particular level is obtained when you come across the magic lantern bonus for that level. On finding this lantern, the program gives you a code composed of numbers and letters.

In order to choose from the above, you should proceed as follows: **PC version:** place the red cursor beside the desired choice, then press the fire button. **Amiga/ST version:** enter the desired number on the keyboard.

###### LIVES

The function key F4 calls up a screen indicating the number of lives you have (see the Quick Start Card for more details). Each game is played with 3 lives. The number of lives can be increased or when you press the F4 key. This screen also indicates your extra bonuses. To return to the game, press the F4 key a second time.

###### ENERGY

A life is divided into 16 points which are represented by the energy bar. You lose two energy points each time you collide with an enemy or when you hit a trap or a stake. You can increase your energy by 1 point when you collect 1 bonus. **Operation:** the energy bar is not visible at all times. It appears when your energy level increases or decreases or when you press the F4 key.

If you find yourself in a very sticky situation, you may voluntarily lose a life by pressing the F1 key. In this instance you continue from the previous starting point (see «BONUS» section).

##### COMMANDS

*Titus the Fox* follows the joystick commands (left, right, up, down). To squat down, move the joystick downwards. You can also make him crawl by holding the joystick downwards and pushing in either direction (left or right). To jump over an obstacle, push the joystick diagonally (up/ or upright) - thus jumping in the corresponding direction. It is also possible to change direction while jumping. Both the height and length of the jump are proportional to the length of the joystick movement.

The keys 4 & 6 (numeric keypad) adjust the scrolling, enabling you to have a total overview of the situation.

##### LA STORIA

**Dischetto**  
Accendete lo schermo e poi il computer. Introdurrete il dischetto, scrivete: **RUN "DISC" <ENTER>**.

**Cassetta**  
Accendete lo schermo e poi il computer. Battete su **CTRL** e **ENTER**. Insetate la cassetta nel registratore e premete sul tasto **PLAY**.

##### CPC / CPC+ COMANDI

Movimenti: Alto / Salta: F1, Basso / sinistra / destra: F2, F4, F6, F8, F5, F3, F7, F9, F6, F7, F5, P, E, Esc.  
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To enter rooms or secret passages, place *Titus the Fox* in front of the entrance, move the joystick downwards and wait a moment. You should note that each level has many hidden rooms with extra bonuses only accessible through secret passages - and it's up to you to discover these.

##### OBJECTS

A large choice of objects (each with its own characteristics) is scattered around each level to help you overcome both barriers and your adversaries.

##### TO PICK UP AN OBJECT

Place *Titus the Fox* in front of an object without climbing on top of it. Move the joystick downwards and press the fire button. Now you can pick up the object and move around with it. Note that it is not possible to access a secret passage when holding an object.

##### PLACING OBJECTS

Certain objects can be placed on top of each other in order to help you overcome different traps. To place an object, move the joystick downwards and press the fire button. It is possible to use this object again.

##### THROWING OBJECTS

*Titus the Fox* can also throw objects to bump-off his enemies. In order to do this, place yourself in front of an enemy and press the fire button. The object is fired in the direction of its target. With few exceptions, it is difficult to retrieve objects once they have been thrown. Note that, in the interest of your health, it is sometimes dangerous to throw objects upwards.

The *Titus the Fox* also uses the «coyote approach», namely dropping objects on top of enemies. To achieve this, place yourself on an upper level with an object and release it.

##### SPECIAL OBJECTS

The ball, spring, skateboard etc. are special objects which enable you to reach points on the maps which would otherwise be inaccessible.

The anvils, save and other heavy instruments; if you drop them from a height they pass beyond certain boundaries. It's up to you to find the hidden benefits.

The bowing ball; when thrown, this object crosses the screen eliminating all enemies in its path.

##### GETTING AROUND

The 3 following forms of transport are available on various levels:

The golden scooter allows you to advance quickly to your next destination. However, last reflexes are needed if you want to avoid costly accidents.

The skateboard will turn you into a public enemy number 1. It will put your enemies off their guard and it speeds things up just at the right moment.

The magic carpet enables you to glide over enemies, buildings and all obstacles that might block your path. All you do is throw it from a height and jump on.

##### BONUS

You will find bonus points scattered around the different levels of the game and if you explore, you may find hidden rooms full of extra points. 1 bonus is worth 10 points on the energy bar. Once your energy bar is full, additional bonuses are still doctored up on a second counter. At the end of each level, you gain 1 life for every 10 extra bonuses. By pressing the F4 key, you can see the number of bonuses on the second counter. Note that, with the same level, the number of extra bonuses never decreases.

Another type of bonus exists in the form of an oil lamp (for details see «START & PASSWORDS»).

You will also find padlock bonuses on each level. These define sections within each level. Picking up a padlock is the same as completing the corresponding section. If *Titus the Fox* loses a life, the game restarts at the last padlock and not at the beginning of the level.

##### ENEMIES

*Titus the Fox* offers you more than 50 enemies. Each has its own particular characteristics and will respond accordingly as you approach. You are advised to observe