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- This compact disc is for use only with the PlayStation® game console.
- Do not bend it, crush it, or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

Thank you for purchasing R-TYPE , software designed for use with the PlayStation® game console. Please read this manual carefully before you play the game, especially those sections that cover operating instructions and safety considerations.

STORY

1. REST

It is the year 2163. The trans-dimensional fighter R9-Arrowhead has returned from its mission to destroy the evil at the center of the Bydo Empire. Badly damaged, it has been rescued by the battle cruiser Croque-Monsieur, and brought back to Earth's orbital space fortress, Aegis.



2. OBSERVATION

Astronomers in Central Asia watched as strange objects began to fall from the sky. As the objects approached closer to the Earth, they shrank in size and disappeared from sensors. The astronomers, assuming the objects to be meteorites, paid them no further attention.



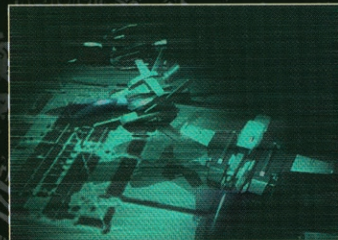
3. CRISIS

Before long, the electronically controlled weapons systems in a number of cities went haywire and several abnormal heat signatures were detected by astronomers. Bydo influence caused control of the orbiting annihilation platform, Moritz-G, to be lost and it was subsequently unleashed upon the Earth.



4. SORTIE

The Moritz-G descended on a city in Asia. Its planet destroying capability has not yet activated, but its self-defense system has thwarted all attempts to approach it. An emergency military operation has been put into effect, and the test fighter R9 Delta has been assigned to the attack force.



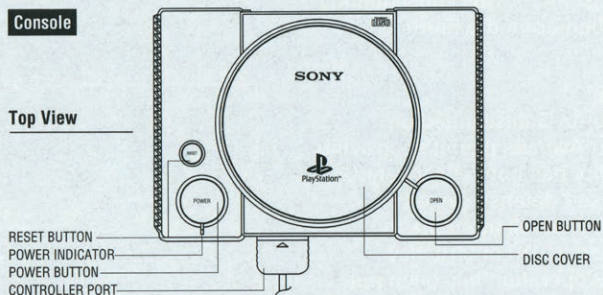
GETTING STARTED

Set up your PlayStation game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the power is OFF before inserting or removing a compact disc. Insert the R-TYPE Δ disc and close the Disc Cover. Insert a controller and turn the PlayStation game console ON. Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

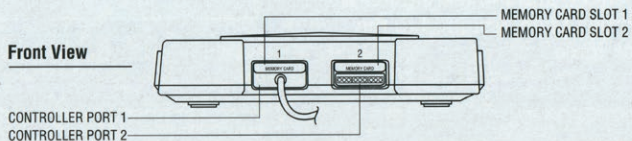
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Console

Top View



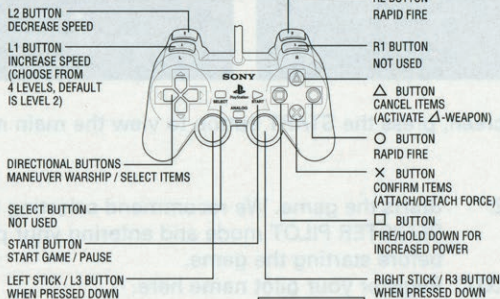
Front View



OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

When using the Dual Shock™ Analog Controller, it will vibrate during the game where appropriate. This function can be turned ON/OFF from the main OPTION menu or the OPTION menu available when the game is paused. Please refer to User Settings on Page 10.

Dual Shock Analog Controller



NOTE:
You may have a controller that looks like this.
If so please follow the digital instructions outlined above.

- These are the initial settings. You can change the settings by accessing the OPTION menu.
- This game's vibration feature works whether or not the LED on your Dual Shock™ Analog Controller is ON/OFF.
- To reset to the title screen, press the L1, L2, R1, R2, START, and SELECT Buttons simultaneously.

MODES



At the Title Screen, press the START button to view the main menu selections.

- START GAME:** Starts the game. We recommend selecting the REGISTER PILOT mode and entering your pilot data before starting the game.
- REGISTER PILOT:** Register your pilot name here.
- MEMORY CARD:** Access Memory Card menu options.
- OPTION:** Adjust various user/game settings.
- WAR RECORD:** View various game records.

For more details regarding the sections above please refer to the following pages.

REGISTERING & CHANGING PILOT

NEW GAME

REGISTER PILOT

When playing for the first time, select REGISTER PILOT, and enter your pilot name. Up to three pilots can be registered. View your pilot data from the WAR RECORD menu. In order to save REGISTER PILOT data, a Memory Card with at least one available block is required.



CHANGING PILOT

To change the registered pilot data you want to use, select CHANGE PILOT from the MEMORY CARD menu. Highlight the desired data using the ↑↓ Directional buttons, and confirm your selection by pressing the ⊗ button.



CONTINUING

When the CONTINUE screen appears, press the ⊗ button to continue. Pressing the △ button will countdown the continue timer, when it reaches zero the game is over. If the Credit count is zero, you cannot continue the game.



MEMORY CARD MENU

ACCESSING MEMORY CARD & MEMORY CARD OPTIONS

- REGISTER PILOT:** Register a new pilot. Select from file numbers 1-3.
- CHANGE PILOT:** Choose registered pilot data that will be used. Select from file numbers 1-3.
- DELETE PILOT:** Delete registered pilot data. Select from file numbers 1-3.
- DATA LOAD:** Load data from a Memory Card.
- DATA SAVE:** Save current settings to a Memory Card.
- AUTO SAVE:** When turned ON, current settings are automatically saved at the end of a game. When turned OFF, data can only be saved using the DATA SAVE option above.
- EXIT:** Return to the main menu screen.



* Insert Memory Card into Memory Card slot 1 only.

USER SETTINGS

OPTION

The OPTION menu allows you to adjust various game settings.

DIFFICULTY: Choose from 3 settings.

- EASY
- NORMAL
- HARD

VIBRATION: For use with the Dual Shock™

Analog Controller only.

- ON-Turn vibration feature on
- OFF-Turn vibration feature off

KEY CONFIGURATION: Change default button settings

- NORMAL FIRE: Standard firing method, hold for increased firepower.
- RAPID FIRE: Press and hold for rapid fire.
- FORCE: Attach/Detach Force
- △-WEAPON: Fire △-Weapon
- SPEED UP: Increase Warship's speed
- SPEED DOWN: Decrease Warship's speed
- DEFAULT: Reset all buttons to their default settings.

SOUND: Listen to in-game sounds/music. Adjust SE & BGM balance. Select between Stereo and Monaural sound settings.

EXIT: Return to the main menu screen.



PAUSE MENU

Press the START button during gameplay to pause the game. Doing so also makes the following options available.

RETURN: Exit PAUSE screen and return to game.

OPTION:

PREVIOUS MENU: Go back to the original PAUSE menu.

ADJUSTMENT: Adjust screen position

VIBRATION: For use with the Dual Shock™ Analog Controller only.

ON: Turn vibration feature on

OFF: Turn vibration feature off

COCKPIT: Select between three different cockpit configurations.

OFF: No cockpit display

TYPE 1: Graphically displays Δ -weapon energy on the bottom left hand side of the screen.

TYPE 2: Displays Δ -weapon energy as a percentage on the bottom left hand side of the screen.

KEY CONFIG: Change default button settings. See pg. 9 for details.

QUIT GAME: Quit current game and return to title screen. A confirmation message will be displayed.



GAME SCREEN



Δ - Weapon
Energy Gauge

Warships
Remaining

Beam
Gauge

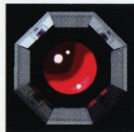
Score

ITEMS

POW ARMOR: Destroy these robots to release the items below, which you can then collect.



LASER CRYSTALS: Upgrade your FORCE and fire a variety of lasers.



BITS: A maximum of two BITS can be collected. The first will attach to the top of your Warship, the second will attach to the bottom.



MISSILES: Enables you to fire missiles.



WARSHIP FUNCTIONS

CHANGING SPEED

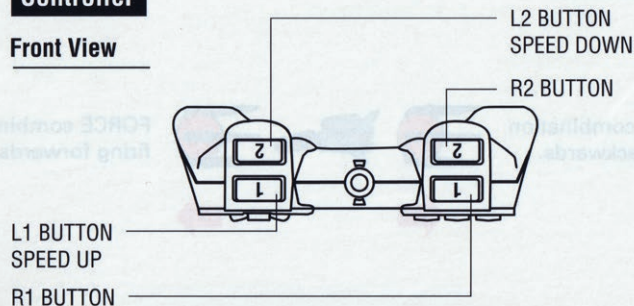
Your Warship has four levels of speed, the default when you begin is level two.

While playing, pressing certain buttons will allow you to alter your Warship's speed.


* These button functions can be changed using KEY CONFIG in the OPTIONS menu

Controller

Front View

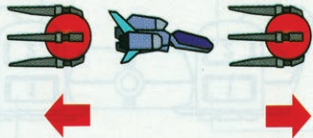


FORCE

When you pick up LASER CRYSTALS, the FORCE module will appear on-screen. This module can cause damage to enemies, and absorb enemy attacks - the FORCE module, unlike your craft, is indestructible. Use the  button to attach/detach the FORCE module to/from your Warship. The module can be attached to either the front or back of your Warship enabling different modes of fire.




Each Warship can collect three different types of FORCE modules. These are differentiated by the Blue, Red, and Yellow LASER CRYSTALS. Choosing a FORCE module best suited to a particular situation is one of the most effective tactics for defeating the enemy. The FORCE module can also be upgraded, in three stages, by collecting more LASER CRYSTALS of the same color.

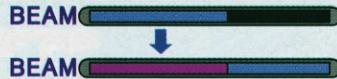
FORCE combination firing backwards.





FORCE combination firing forwards.



WAVE CANNON


Press and hold the  button to charge the Wave Cannon's energy. The Wave Cannon's energy level is indicated by the beam gauge at the bottom of the screen. The longer the  button is held down, the more powerful the energy release will be. For an enhanced energy release press and hold the  button until the beam gauge flashes red, then let go of the button.



-WEAPON




The -Weapon's energy level rises with the amount of enemies you defeat and the amount of enemy fire absorbed by your FORCE module. The -Weapon's energy gauge is displayed at the bottom left hand side of the screen.

Charging the energy level to its maximum will automatically upgrade the FORCE module and allow the -Weapon to be activated. Press the  button to release the stored energy, causing serious damage to all on-screen enemies.

* The -Weapon cannot begin charging until you have acquired a FORCE module.



SELECTING A WARSHIP

Three different types of R-Type Warships are available when you begin a game. Press the   Directional buttons to cycle through the available craft at the launch hangar, and use the  button to confirm your selection.



The R9a Delta comes equipped with a diffusion wave cannon, which concentrates and then disperses its energy using a special catalyzer. It is also equipped with the same wave cannon found on the R9 mass-production models.

WAVE CANNON

Releases charged energy at enemies directly in front of the Warship with devastating force.



NUCLEAR CATASTROPHE (-Weapon)

Creates nuclear fusion using the molecules surrounding the ship, causing extreme damage to the enemy.



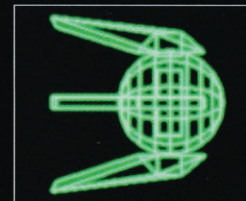
HOMING MISSILES

Two simultaneously launched missiles that home in on the enemy.



STANDARD FORCE

Highly reliable module, due to the extensive combat data gathered from its use in previous missions. When detached from the Warship it can fire lasers in as many as four directions.



AIR-TO-AIR LASER (Red)

Powerful laser fired in the direction that the FORCE module is attached.



REFLECTIVE LASER (Blue)

Fires in three directions simultaneously. Reflects off of geographical formations.



AIR-TO-GROUND LASER (Yellow)

Fires both above and below the Warship, and travels along the edges of geographical formations.



TYPE 2: Rx

The Rx model is a unique prototype developed by the Air Force in collaboration with the aircraft manufacturer, McGwire Co. Ltd. It's surface is finished with a mirror coating which acts as a countermeasure against optical weapons.



WAVE CANNON

Generates energy within the enemy causing fatal damage.



NEGATIVE CORRIDOR (△-Weapon)

Generates a distortion in time and space causing serious damage to many enemies.



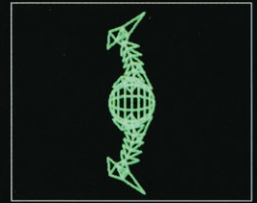
CHAIN REACTION MISSILE

Capsulated missile, that detonates upon contact with the enemy.



TENTACLE FORCE

This module's laser control accuracy has been enhanced with bio-neural circuitry. When it is detached from the Warship, it automatically searches for targets, firing only when you do.



STING RAY (Red)

Can be concentrated or dispersed.



HOUND RAY (Blue)

Locks onto powerful enemies.



SNAIL RAY (Yellow)

Bends like a tentacle.



TYPE 3: R13

Built by the military manufacturer Warelic Co., Ltd. and different in structure from the conventional R-series models. Equipped with a lightning wave cannon, which adds a homing feature to the conventional wave cannon. The lightning wave cannon senses the target and fires on it accurately.



LIGHTNING WAVE CANNON

Seeks out the enemy and destroys it.



HYSTERIC DAWN (△-Weapon)

Tears open a dimensional rift, which blows the enemy out of space and time.



PHOTON MISSILE

An accelerating missile, fired horizontally.



ANCHOR FORCE

The claw-shaped rods bite into objects they come in contact with as a means of destroying that object. It is linked to the Warship by a flexible beam of energy which is useful in damaging enemies and absorbing their fire.



SHADE α (Red)

A powerful laser that changes its power and attack area depending on the Warship's movements.



SEARCH β (Blue)

Able to bend by 45° in order to target an enemy.



TERMINATE γ (Yellow)

Accurately fires on all enemies around the FORCE module.



STAGES

STAGE 1: LETHAL WEAPON

The annihilation platform, Moritz-G, is out of control and about to destroy all the cities on Earth. In urban areas, the Warships struggle desperately with Mecha-Bydo intruders. Defend the Earth at all costs!



STAGE 2: DEFORMATION

The reactor that once generated vast amounts of energy for various scientific and military facilities was submerged during a Bydo attack. Deformed aquatic creatures now inhabit this dark world.



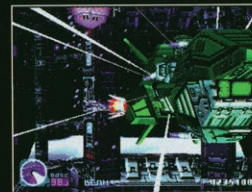
STAGE 3: GIGANTIC ATTACK

The super-carriers developed by scientists, and intended for use in the transportation of space shuttles, have been taken over by the Bydo and now threaten human existence. Unfortunately their makers designed them so well that they are nearly indestructible.



STAGE 4: INVASION

A space fortress, altered by the Bydo, into a labyrinth of evil. Can you save the fortress, thereby protecting the Earth's last line of defense?



STAGE 5: EVIL

After their successful combat at the space fortress, your fellow pilots drifted off course on their return journey home. They were caught in a strange dimensional rift and their spirits were altered by the Bydo. They've returned and have you in their sights!



STAGE 6: AWAKENING

The R-series fighter-development project has lost all communications with the outside. The pilots are fighting to expel the parasitic Bydo, and are beginning to get the upper hand. The pride of the R-series fighter pilots is about to awaken.

STAGE 7: LIFE

Space and time are distorted as the entrance to a different dimension suddenly appears in the Earth's orbit. Escaping the evil energy forms, the pilots and their Warships set their targets on the last enemy...Bydo Core. Let the final dance begin!

ENEMY CHARACTER INTRODUCTION



EVE

A new creature created by the Bydo using the cells of living organisms from Earth. They are believed to have the ability to reproduce.



MORITZ-G

An extremely powerful weapons platform with vast destruction capability. Due to its terrifying potential it has been kept concealed by the humans. Unfortunately it was infected by the Bydo and is now running rampant.



GOUGHER

A dimension travelling organic weapon, evolved from a living Bydo cell. Its internal organs and bone structure protrude through its skin and it will attack any moving object.



U-LAUNCH MISSILE POD

An interceptor robot which if attacked will automatically retaliate. Its attack consists of missile launchers located on both shoulders which fire two homing missiles each.



CONTRITE

A gigantic asphalt crusher, originally used by humans for city renovations. Since being infected by the Bydo it has become a large-scale slaughtering machine.



CYST

A huge living organism. It's cave dwelling was destroyed, forcing it to wander through different dimensions.



GAINES

A defensive robot unit equipped with a large, powerful cannon.

WAR RECORD

YOUR RECORD

View overall game progress.

- TIMES PLAYED
- HOURS PLAYED
- DESTRUCTION RATE
- WAVE CANNON ENERGY USED
- TIMES DELTA WEAPON USED
- AVG SCORE PER SHIP
- HIGH SCORE
- SCORE* STAGES 1-7

*This screen displays the high scores for each of the seven stages, type of Warship used, and difficulty setting.

Select a stage from the BEST SCORE menu and press the ⊗ button, a password will be displayed. Send your password via email to the email address listed below. The best R-Type Δ scores will be displayed on Agetec's homepage at the following address (<http://www.agetec.com>).

Email address: gamemaster@agetec.com

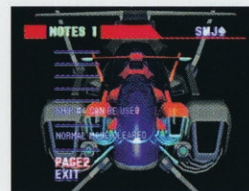


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GALLERY

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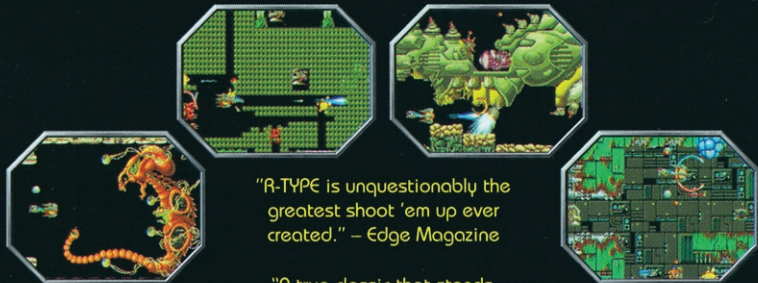
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