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KASPAROV



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A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or while playing video games, including games played on the PlayStation game console, may induce an epileptic seizure in these individuals. Certain conditions may induce previously undetected epileptic symptoms even in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition, consult your physician prior to playing. If you experience any of the following symptoms while playing a video game – dizziness, altered vision, eye or muscle twitches, loss of awareness, disorientation, any involuntary movement, or convulsions – IMMEDIATELY discontinue use and consult your physician before resuming play.

WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:

Do not connect your PlayStation game console to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

USE OF UNOFFICIAL PRODUCT:

The use of unofficial products and peripherals may damage your PlayStation game console and invalidate your console warranty.

HANDLING YOUR PLAYSTATION DISC:

- This compact disc is intended 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.

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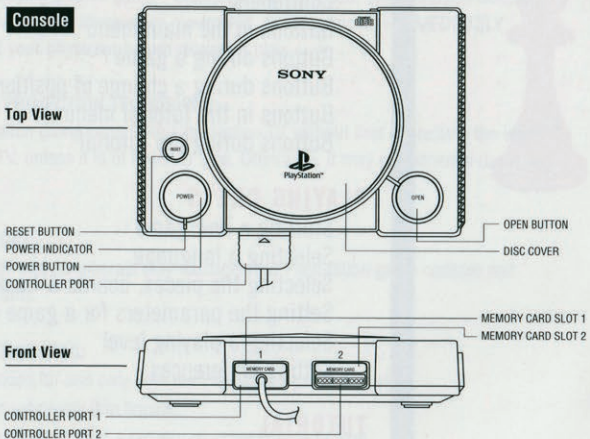


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GETTING STARTED

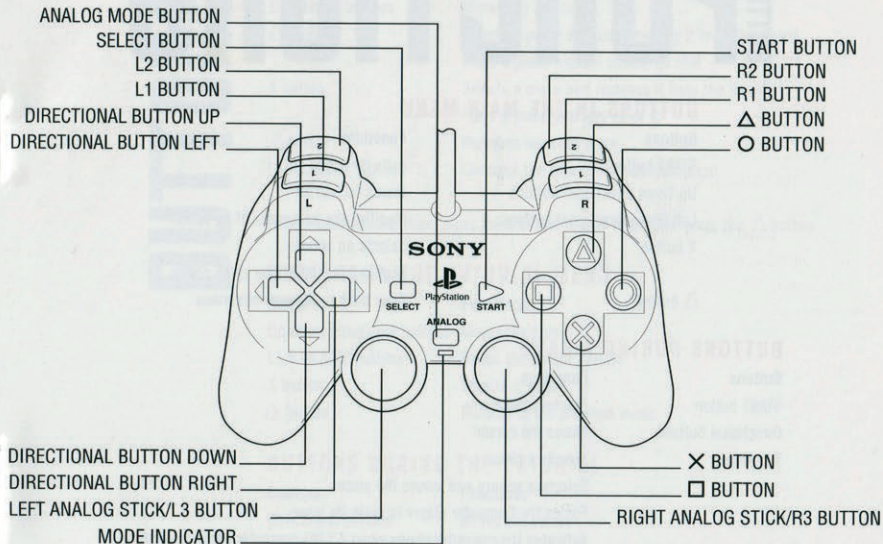
Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the power is off before inserting or removing a compact disc. Insert the Virtual Kasparov disc and close the Disc Cover. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation® game console. Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

Console



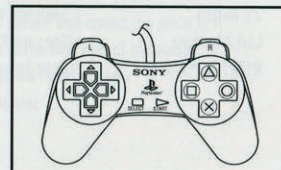
CONTROLLERS

DUALSHOCK™ analog controller



NOTE: Compatible only in Digital mode

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



BUTTONS & FUNCTIONS

BUTTONS IN THE MAIN MENU

Buttons

START button

Up/Down directional buttons

Left/Right directional buttons

X button

△ button

Functions

Exits the menu

Moves the cursor

Modifies the parameter of an option

Selects an option

Modifies the parameter of an option

Goes back to the previous menu

BUTTONS DURING A GAME

Buttons

START button

Directional buttons

X button

Functions

Displays the menu

Moves the cursor

Selects a piece

Selects a square and moves the piece

Forces the Computer player to make its move.

Activates the computer player when it's the computer's turn to move

Switches sides when the game is between the computer and a human player

Goes back by one move

Goes forward by one move

△ button

L1/L2 buttons

R1/R2 buttons

MORE BUTTONS

BUTTONS DURING A CHANGE OF POSITION

Buttons

START button

Directional buttons

○ button

X button

△ button

L1/R1/L2/R2 buttons

Functions

Display the Change Position menu

Moves the cursor

Selects a piece without removing it from the board

Plays a piece without letting go of it

Selects a piece and removes it from the board

Plays a piece and lets go of it

Removes selected piece

Changes the type of the selected piece

Note: To eliminate a piece, press the X button to pick it up, then press the △ button.

BUTTONS IN THE TUTORIAL MENU

Buttons

Up/Down directional buttons

L1/R1/L2/R2 buttons

X button

△ button

Functions

Moves the cursor

Moves the cursor quickly

Selects a lesson

Returns to the previous menu

BUTTONS DURING THE TUTORIAL

Buttons

Directional buttons

X button

△ button

L1/R1/L2/R2 buttons

Functions

Moves the cursor

Selects a piece

Selects a square and moves the piece to it

Moves on to the next part of the lesson

Returns to the Tutorial menu

Scrolls the text



PLAYING CHESS



STARTING A NEW GAME

To start a game of chess, select **"New Game"** from the main menu.

SELECTING A LANGUAGE

Select **"Languages"** from the main menu. You have a choice of English, French and Spanish.

It is advised that you do not insert or remove peripherals or MEMORY CARDS once the power is on. Make sure there are enough free blocks on your MEMORY CARD before commencing play. This game requires 3 blocks per save game. Only MEMORY CARD slot 1 is used to load and save game data.

2D

SELECTING THE PIECES, BOARDS AND BACKGROUNDS

You have a choice of 8 types of 2D chess pieces, and 8 styles of 2D board; you can also change the type of screen background used for your chess game.

"SELECT button + L2 button": To change the background

"SELECT button + R1 button": To change the 2D pieces

"SELECT button + R2 button": To change the 2D chessboard

If you prefer, you can also play in 3D. Select the **"Board"** option from the main menu to make your choice.

3D/2D View: Switches from 3D to 2D

You have a choice of 6 types of 3D chessboard.

"SELECT button + L1 button": To change the 3D chessboard

You can modify some 3D parameters:

"SELECT button + Up directionnal button"
or "SELECT button + Down directionnal button"
or "SELECT button + Left directionnal button"
or "SELECT button + Right directionnal button"

to modify the orientation of the board
"SELECT button + Δ button" or "SELECT button + X button"
to modify the size of the board

3D





VIRTUAL KASPAROV

A WHOLE LOTTA RUSSIAN BRAIN POWER



SETTING THE PARAMETERS FOR A GAME OF CHESS

This chess simulation lets you edit a game according to your own parameters. From the main menu select the "Game" option to access the parameter settings menu.

The edit parameters available are listed below:

- **Human/Computer White:**
Determines who plays White

- **Human/Computer Black:**
Determines who plays Black

- **Openings library:**
Garry Kasparov's openings are among the best and most imaginative in the world. From the library choose the types of opening you want, taken directly from Kasparov's repertory.

There are two different classifications: category and date.

Category:

Normal mode:

The Normal mode provides access to a more varied type of openings than the tournament mode.

Tournament mode:

In this mode, the best possible move is played, i.e. the move Kasparov would have played.

Blitz mode:

This mode offers a wide variety of styles as well as special traits, specific to Garry Kasparov.

Date:

Before 1985

Between 1985-1990

After 1990

- **Beginner mode:**

If, as a beginner, you select this mode, the computer will indicate on the board all the different moves that are possible for each individual piece.

- **Indicator:**

If you are playing with one of the 2D boards, this option lets you display the last move made on the board.

- **Clocks:**

Activates or deactivates the chess clocks during the game.

- **Set up position:**

Allows you to arrange pieces on the board in whatever configuration you want, to remove pieces (see buttons and Functions/buttons during a change of position), and to activate the following menu: (see next page)



Change Position:
Returns to the "Edit Position" menu

White/Black To Play:
Determines who starts the game
During a game, determines whose
turn to play

White Castles Queen's Side:
Determines whether White
is allowed to castle on the
Queen's Side



White Castles King's Side:
Determines whether White is allowed
to castle on the King's side.

Black Castles Queen's Side:
Determines whether Black is allowed
to castle on the Queen's Side

Black Castles King's Side:
Determines whether Black is allowed
to castle on the King's side

OK:
Confirms your choice and starts the game

Cancel:
Returns to the game by cancelling the choice
of parameters

During the Load/Save Game menus, you can use the following buttons:

- Δ button to cancel an action
- X button to validate an action, or select a game
- Up or Down directional buttons to select "Yes" or "No", or move the cursor up or down

SELECTING A PLAYING LEVEL

You have a choice of 23 playing levels.

SETTING PREFERENCES

Select "Preferences" from the main menu to set the general parameters for chess simulation.

- Sound volume: Sets the volume level for the sound effects
- Music volume: Sets the volume level for the background music
- Music: Selects from the choice of music available
- Subtitles: Adds subtitles to the video sections.

CHESS TUTORIAL

Select "**Tutorial**" from the main menu to access the virtual way of learning chess with Garry Kasparov.

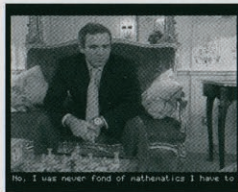
This chess simulation features a Tutorial with some fifty lessons on the basic aspects of chess: the chessboard; the pieces; the rules of the game; starting a game; tactics and strategies; main checkmating positions; and the end game.

Practice under the watchful eye of Garry Kasparov, who will certainly intervene and comment your ability to solve the chess exercises included in the Tutorial.

The Tutorial also contains analyses of chess games to illustrate the theory with real-life examples. You have a choice of nine commented games, three games by Grand Masters such as Lasker, Botvinnik and Spassky, as well as three Queen sacrifices.



GARRY KASPAROV



We also offer an exclusive "interview" with the world's chess champion.

The Kasparov chess simulation features a whole section dedicated to the history of chess and its great champions. Select "**Kasparov**" from the main menu to access the various topics.

Choose "**Biography**" to access a detailed illustrated biography of Garry Kasparov.

X button: To select a page in the summary, or go to a commented game when possible

△ button: Go back to the previous menu

Left or Right directional button: To change current page
L1 button, R1 button, L2 button, R2 button or Up/Down directional buttons to scroll text



GAMES

Select "Games" to obtain more than fifty chess games by Garry Kasparov, complete with commentary and explanations.

CHESS CHAMPIONS

Under "Chess Champions" you will find comprehensive information on twelve champions who have marked the history of chess. Find out everything you need to know about Karpov, Lasker, Fischer, Petrosian, Steinitz, Capablanca and many other chess celebrities. For each player you will find an illustrated biography and an analysis of one of their best games.

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