

## THE SPECTRUM GAMES DATABASE

### ASTRO BLASTER

#### PUBLISHER

Quick Silva

#### AUTHOR

John Edwards

#### YEAR

1983

#### DESCRIPTION

Classic Space invaders.

#### CONTROLS:

The keys are:

6- Left

7- Right

0- Fire

S- Start

K- Keyboard

#### INSTRUCTIONS

Kill all the invaders. You have no protection to hide, so be careful, and avoid the meteors.

#### CHEATS

Press 'T' twice while in record.

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#### SEQUELS/PREQUELS

All the space invaders are sequels or prequels of this one.

As this game is from 1983 (may be before) and 16 Kb, I suppose this is one of the first of its class.

#### INLAY CARD TEXT

Astro Blaster is a test to your reflex and ability. Situated in a mysterious zone of space you have to maneuver your ship to avoid the attacking hordes. In your voyage you will find crazy birds that will try to destroy you, meteor storms,...

#### SCORES RECEIVED

There was no magazines in those times.

#### URL

<ftp.nvg.unit.no:/pub/sinclair/snaps/games/????/astrblas.zip>

#### GENERAL FACTS

One of the first coin-up conversions, I remember having seen it

in 1982. Since I bought my Spectrum in 1982, this is one of the first games I saw. The game was translated into Spanish by Indescomp. Charlie Granados (the author of Fred and Sir Fred) worked in Indescomp those days, so maybe it was he who did the translation.

#### NOTES

Still a classic, I enjoy playing it. What else can you ask for a 16 Kb game? What else can you ask for a 8 Kb game?