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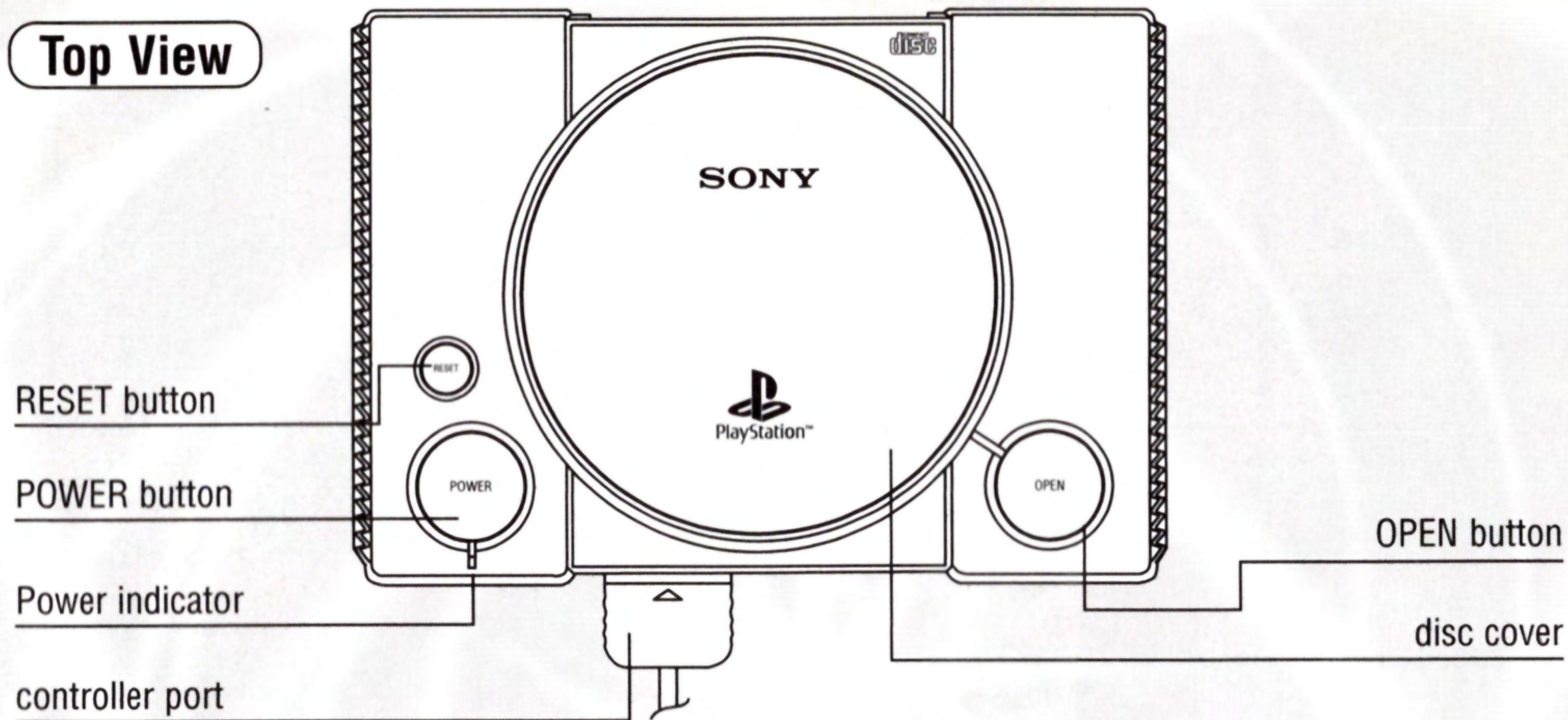
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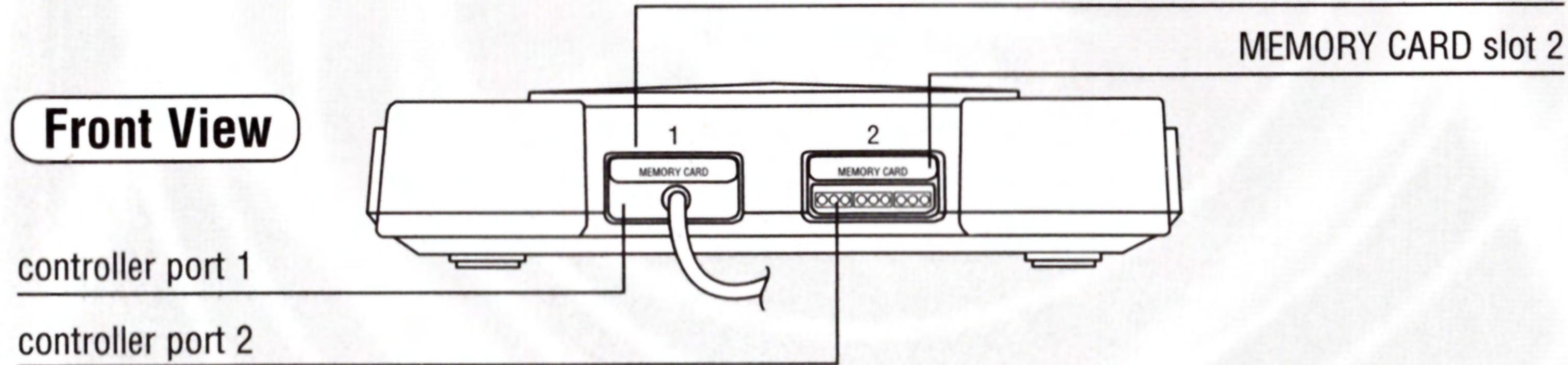
Thank you for purchasing PHIX The Adventure™, software designed for use with the PlayStation® game console. Please read this manual carefully before playing the game, especially those sections that cover operating instructions and safety considerations. Keep this manual in safe place for your reference.

# CONSOLE INSTRUCTIONS

## Top View



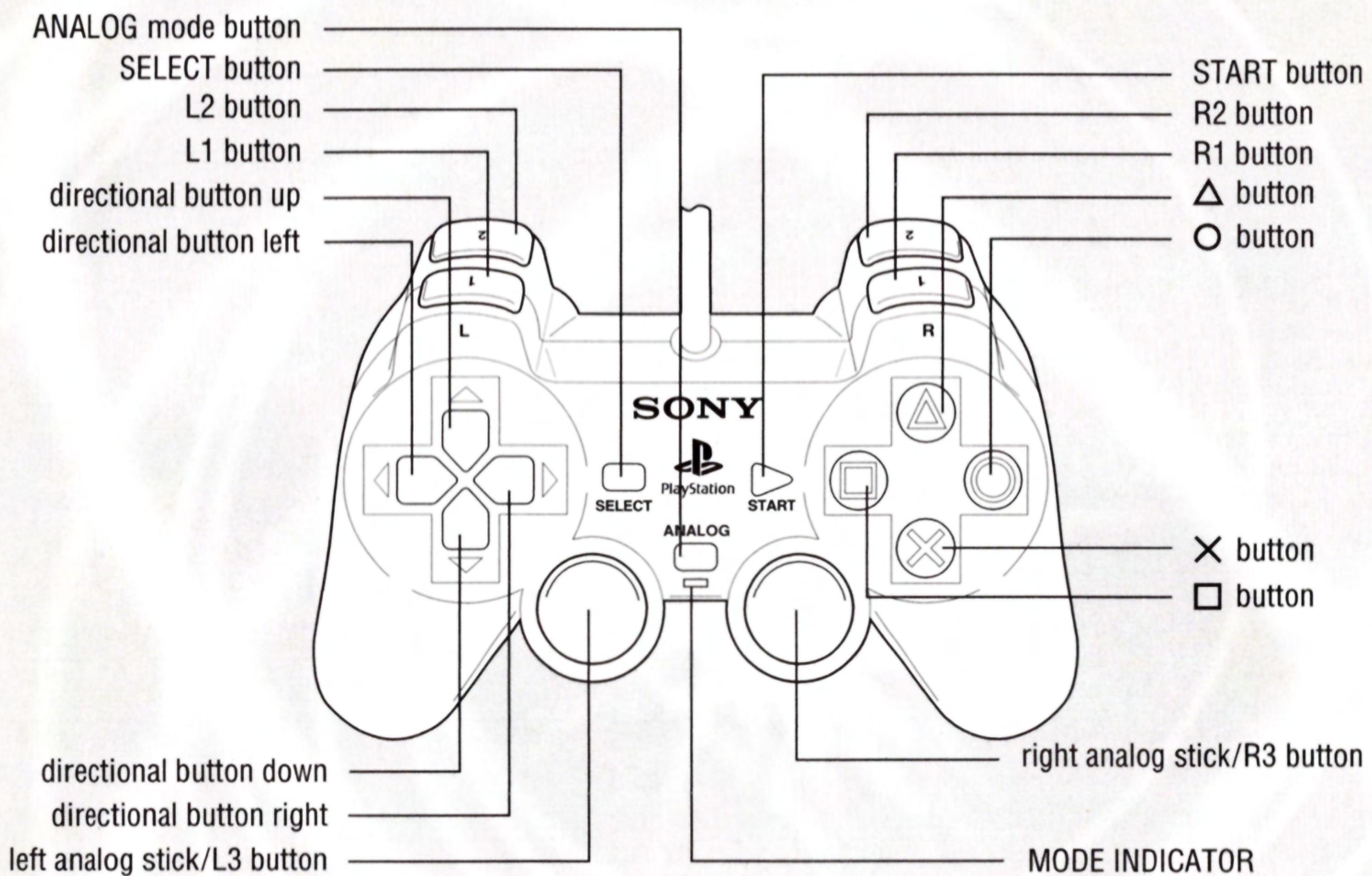
## Front View



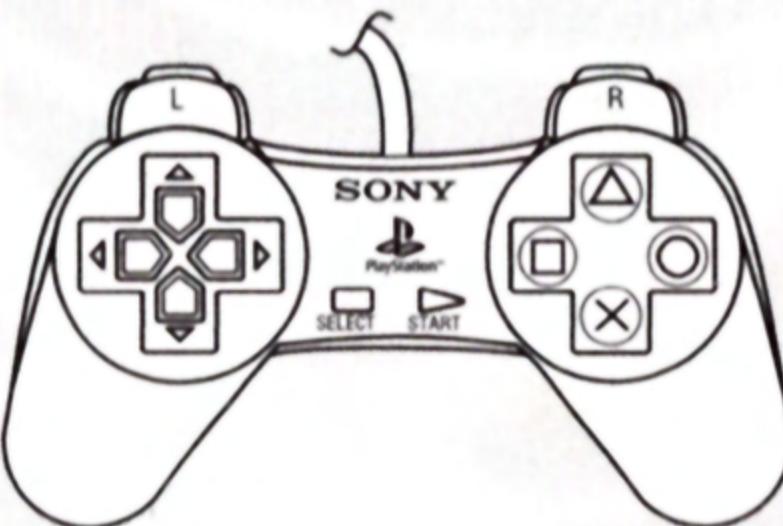
Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the power is off before inserting or removing a compact disc. Insert the PHIX The Adventure™ disc and close the disc cover. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation® game console. Follow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

# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

## DUALSHOCK® analog controller



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



# STORY

For as long as its inhabitants can remember, the world of Magnettica has been protected by the power of the Magnia Stone.

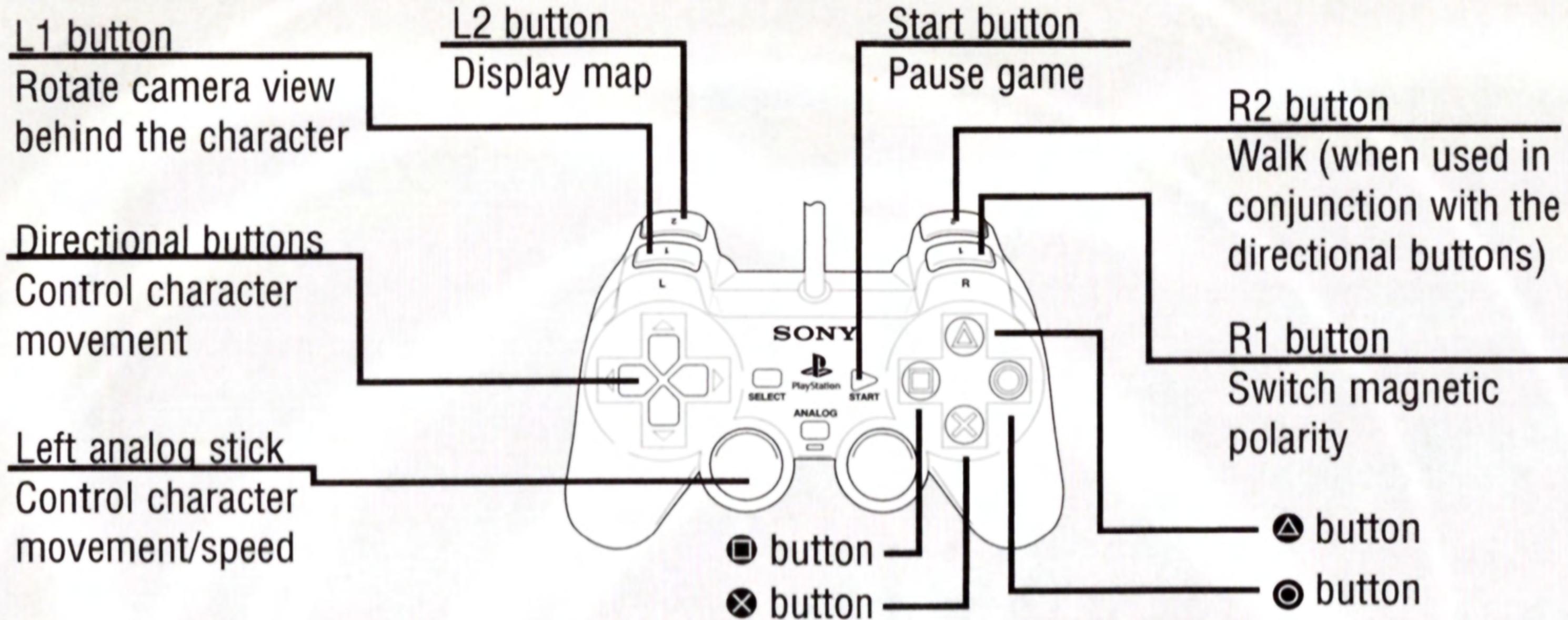
One day though, the stone was knocked from its resting place in the temple and plummeted towards Magnettica...

The stone's fall through the sky ended when a friendly monster, known as Phix, accidentally swallowed it. With the Magnia Stone lodged in his belly, Phix has been transformed into a powerful natural magnet that attracts any and all nearby metal. In order to set things straight, Phix must journey to the temple and seek the help of the Magnia Stone's guardian.

However, Phix's journey will be complicated by the fact that Magnettica's normally peaceful inhabitants have all turned against him since the stone was dislodged from its perch.

Will Phix be able to reach the temple and rid himself of the Magnia Stone?

# CONTROLLER OPERATION



**L1 button:** There are instances when you cannot rotate the camera view because of the player's position and/or the stage.

## △ BUTTON



Switching Magnetic Poles  
Use to switch the N and S Magnetic Polarity.



## ○ BUTTON



Select Item / Fire  
Cancel your selection at the Main Menu and fire magnetic balls at your enemies during the game.

## × BUTTON



JUMP  
Confirm your selection at the Main Menu and adjust during the game.

## □ BUTTON



NEUTRAL CHARGE  
Press and hold to maintain a neutral charge.

# GAME SCREEN

**6. Item**

Select an item to make it easier for you to get through the game. (see page 12).

**2. Enemy Character**

Enemies have S or N symbols on their heads. If you touch them, you get damaged.

**9. Timer**

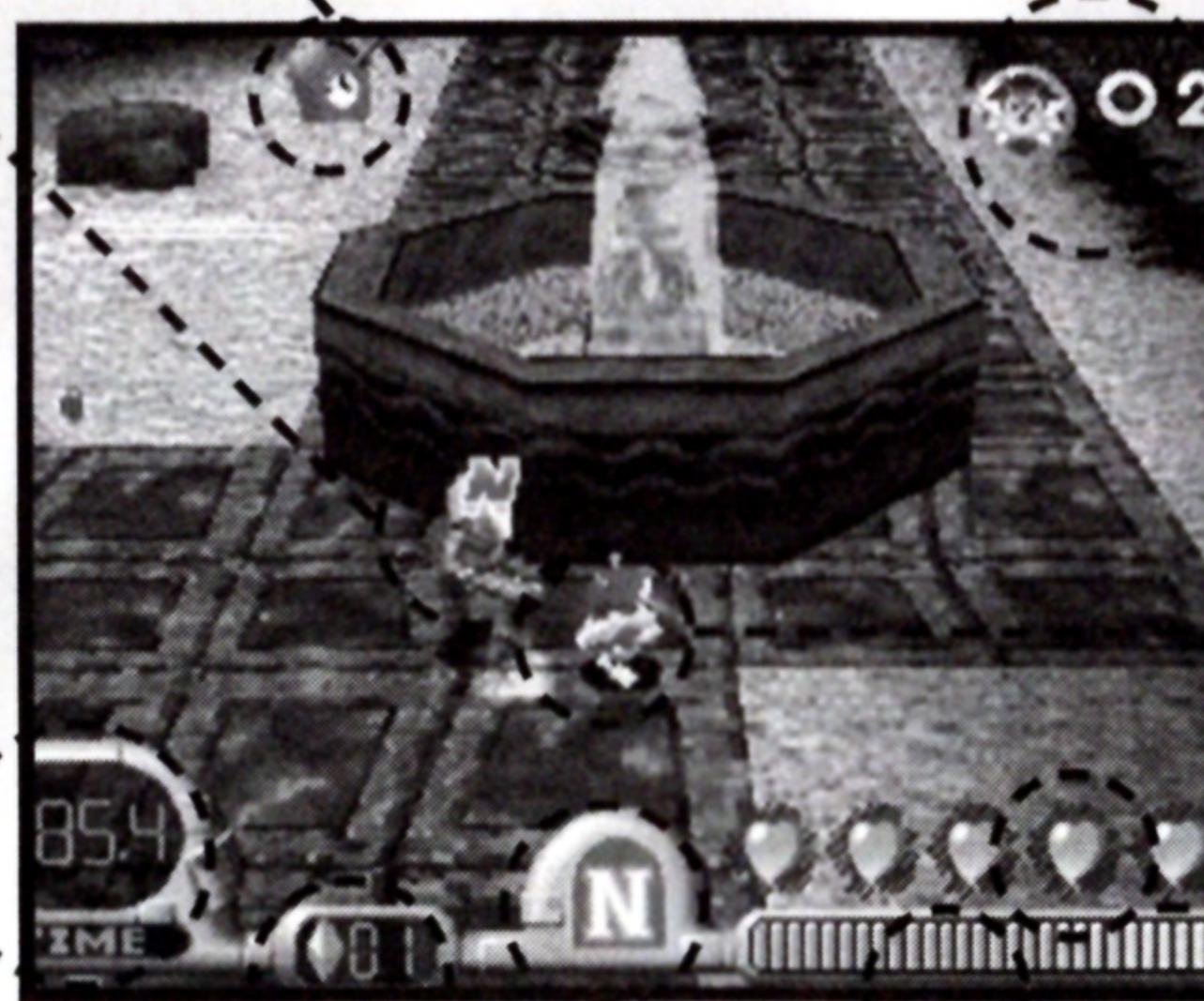
Level timer. If a level is not completed before the timer reaches zero, one life is lost.

**8. Crystal**

Number of red, blue and green crystals collected. Collect 100 crystals to earn an extra life.

**3. Remaining Number**

Character lives remaining

**1. Player****7. Life Heart**

Character's life gauge. The character can have a maximum of five Life Hearts.

**4. Pole**

Indicates Phix's current magnetic polarity.

**5. Magnetic Charge Meter**

Decreases as long as Phix maintains a neutral charge. A neutral charge cannot be maintained when the meter is empty.

# MAIN MENU

## Main Menu Screen

This game consists of 5 Modes.



### STORY MODE

This is the main game mode. Each of the game's five worlds consists of three normal stages and one boss stage. The game is over when you defeat the final boss.

### FREE MODE

Free stage select. Clear stages in the Story Mode to make them available here.

### TRAINING MODE

Practice basic game controls and techniques. Practice in here before beginning your journey.

Special Hint: If you clear one condition during the game, it will...

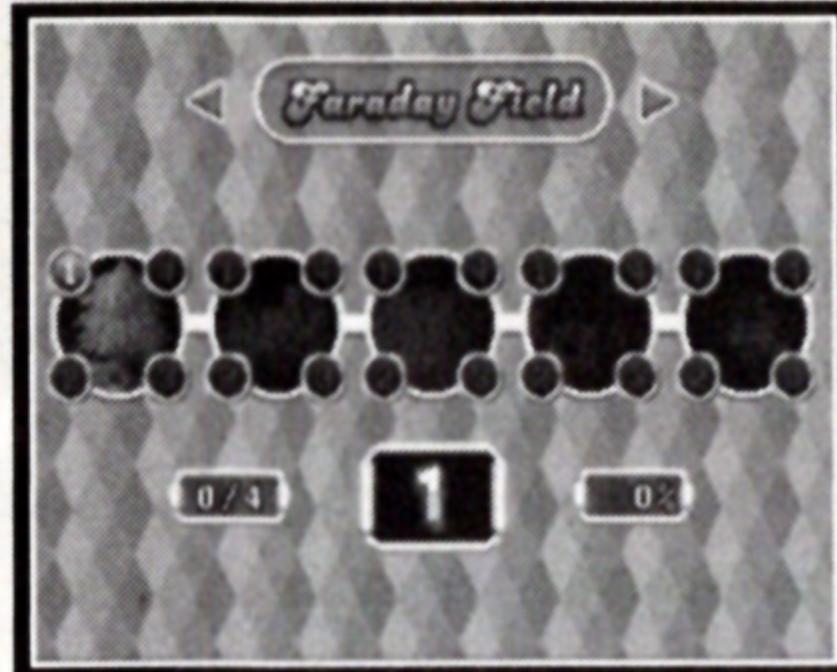
### OPTIONS

Adjust game option settings.

### DATA LOAD

Load saved game data, such as game progress in the Story Mode and option setting.

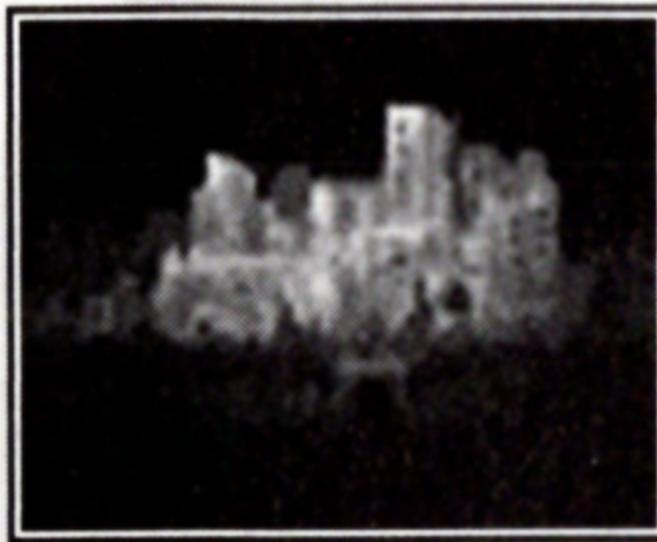
# STAGES



Stage Select Screen

Stage 1

[Faraday Field] – Stage of grassland and forest.



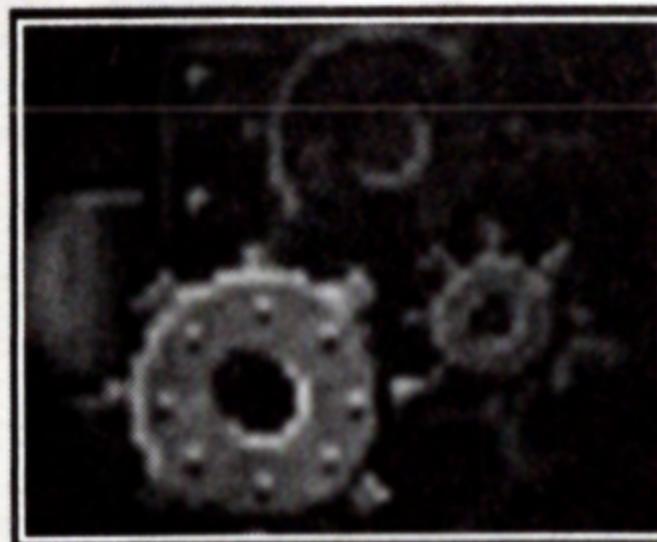
Stage 2

[Ferri Ruins] – Stage of sand and ruins.



Stage 3

[Neel Volcano] – Volcano Stage.



Stage 4

[Techno City: Lauterbur] – Machine Stage.



Stage 5

[Saurat Castle] – Castle Stage.

# HOW TO PLAY



Players must switch between the different magnetic polarities in order to overcome obstacles presented in each stage and reach the goal before time runs out. The magnetic charge meter is depleted while a neutral charge is maintained. The meter slowly returns to full when this option is not in use.

One life heart is lost each time the character comes into contact with an opponent. Losing all life hearts results in the loss of one life. The game ends when all lives have been lost.

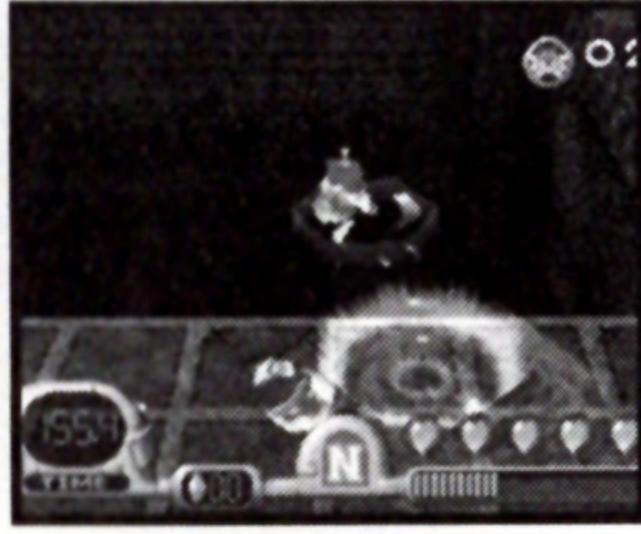
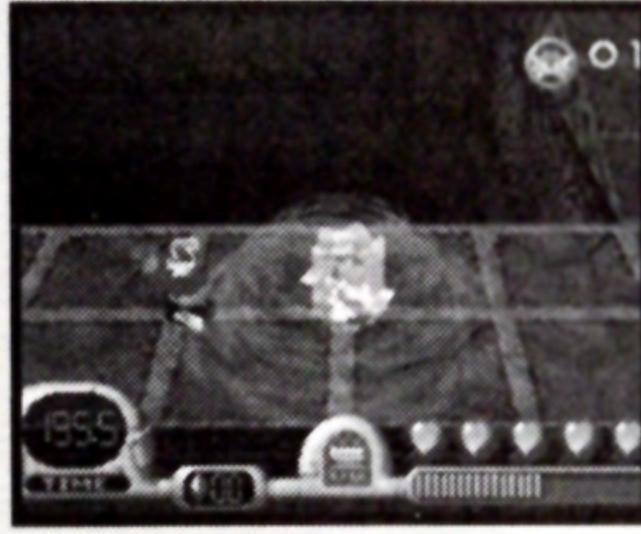
Opponents are defeated by hitting them with a magnetically charged particle that is opposite of their polarity. Firing a magnetically charged particle that is the same as an opponent's polarity increases the strength of the opponent.

## Boost Jump



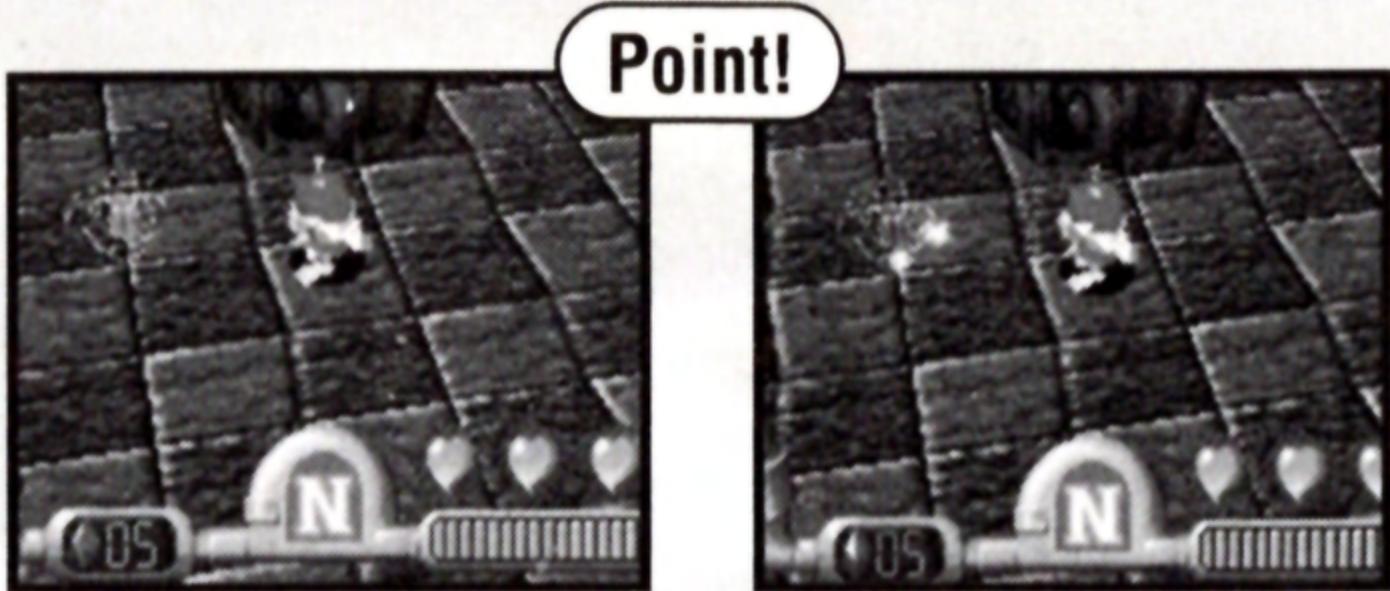
Careful manipulation of the character's polarity when in close proximity to a hub enables them to perform a boost jump. Set the character's polarity so it is opposite that of the desired hub. Then, the character is pulled to the center of the hub. Change the character's polarity while centered on a hub to gain an extra boost and perform bigger jumps!

## Super Boost Jumps



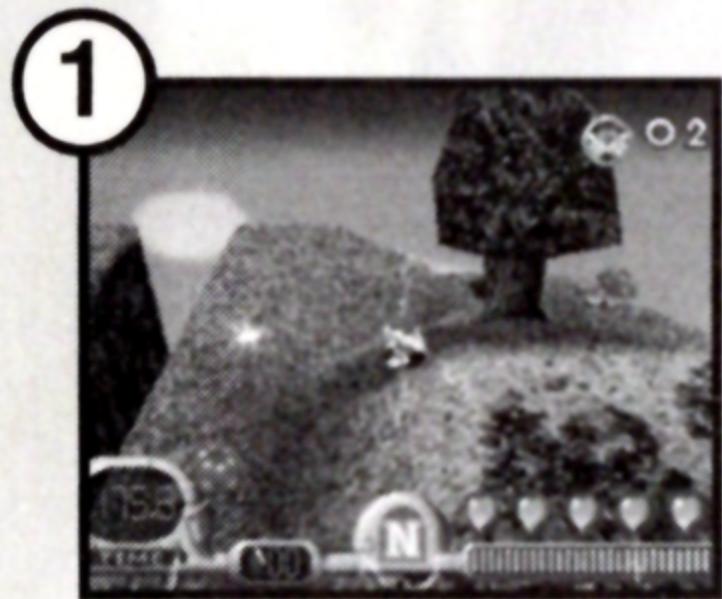
Here is extreme high jumping technique. You can use this technique to reach items that are set in places that are not normally accessible by Phix.

# HOW TO PLAY (cont.)



You can earn Magnet Points by firing the Magnetic balls to the Crystals with Star Symbol on top. If you hit a Green Crystal, the Crystal changes to the same pole of the Magnetic ball you fired.

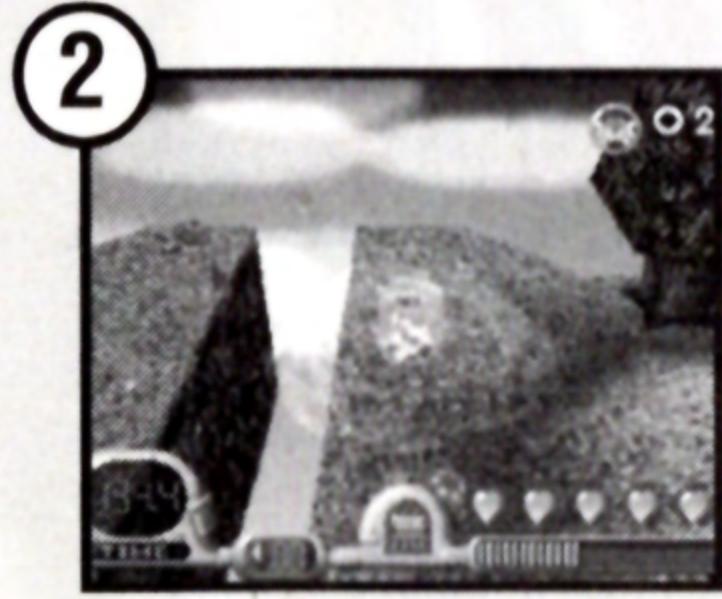
## SUPER BOOST JUMP



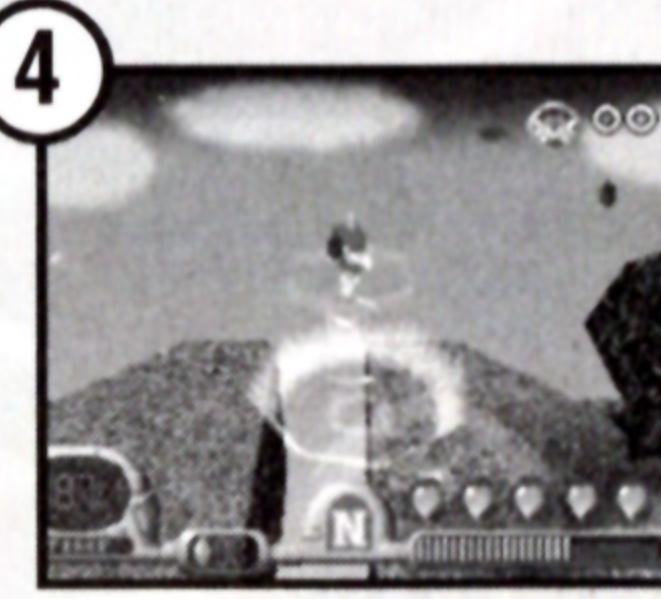
Set the character's polarity so it is the same as that of the desired hub.



Jump at the center of the hub while still maintaining the neutral charge.



Maintain a neutral charge to reach the center of the hub.



When Phix reaches the highest point in the jump, quickly release the neutral charge to get a super boost.

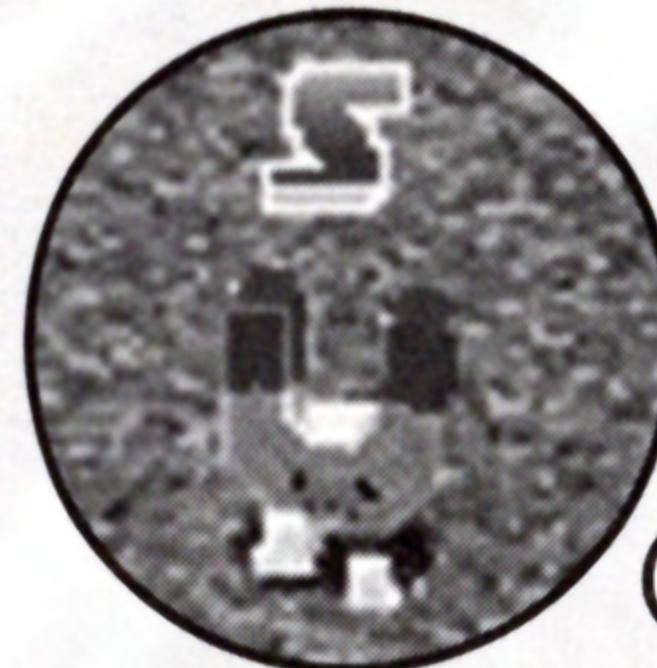
**Special Note:** Use this method to discover rare, hard-to-find items!

# CHARACTERS

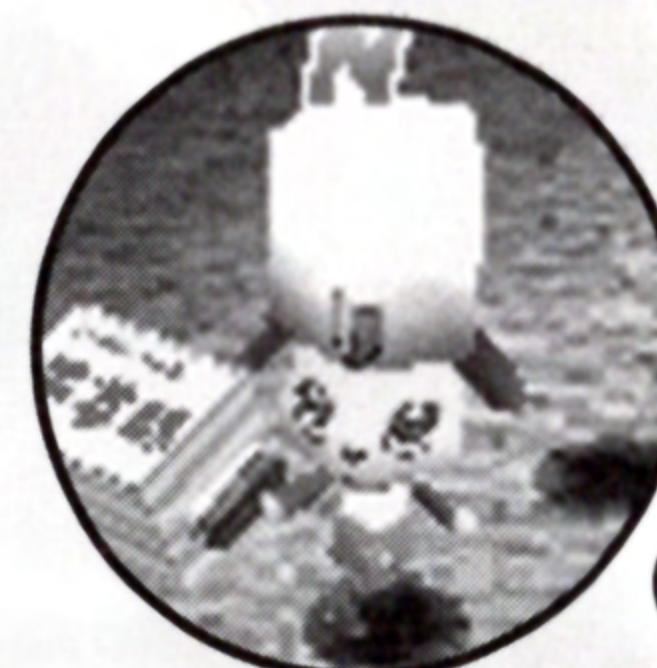
Here are the characters that appear in the game.  
Some look a bit funny but they're strong!



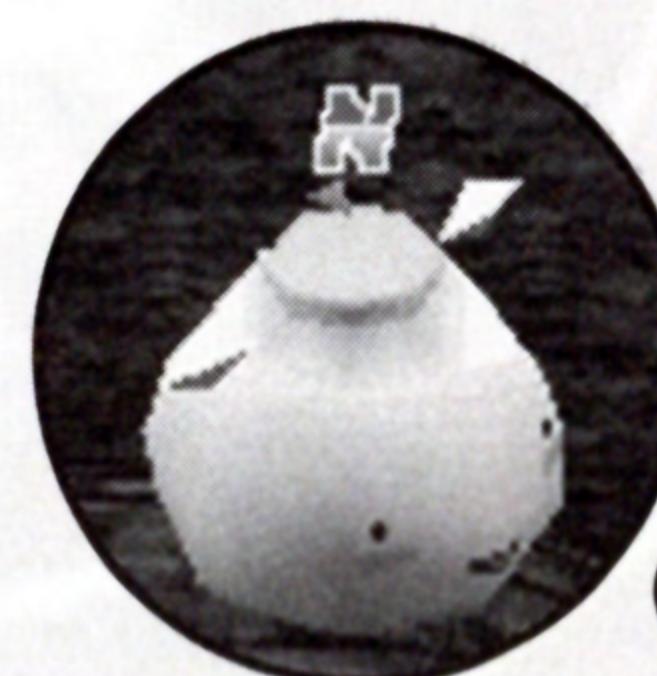
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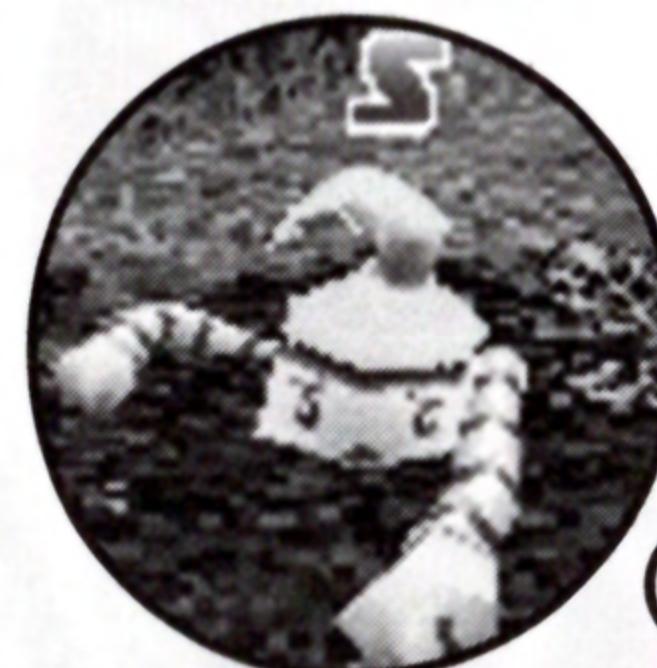
Rooky



Mykmore



Zeta-Jon



Dakko



Flackhart



Ninji-Tsu

# ITEMS

## Crystal (Big / Small)



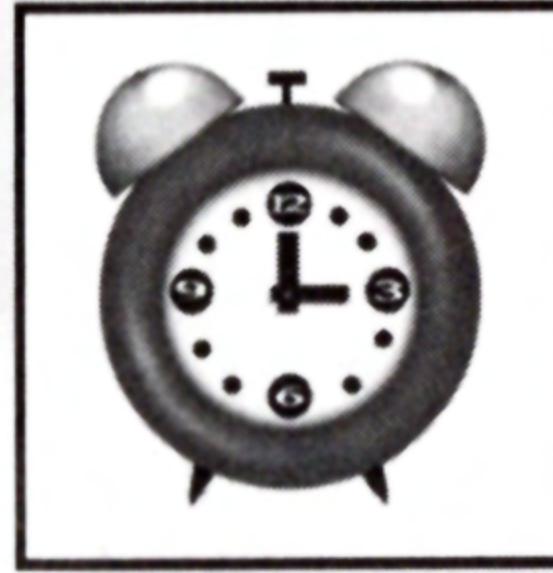
There are three types; S, N, Neutral. A small crystal is 1 point. A big crystal is worth 10 points. You can add 1 player by earning 100 points.

## 1 UP



Add 1 player.

## Time



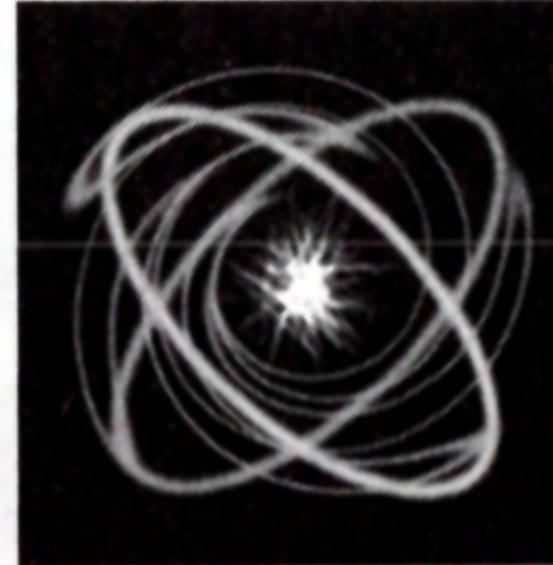
Add 30 seconds to your time.

## M Power



Magnetic Gauge won't decrease for 30 second.

## Shield



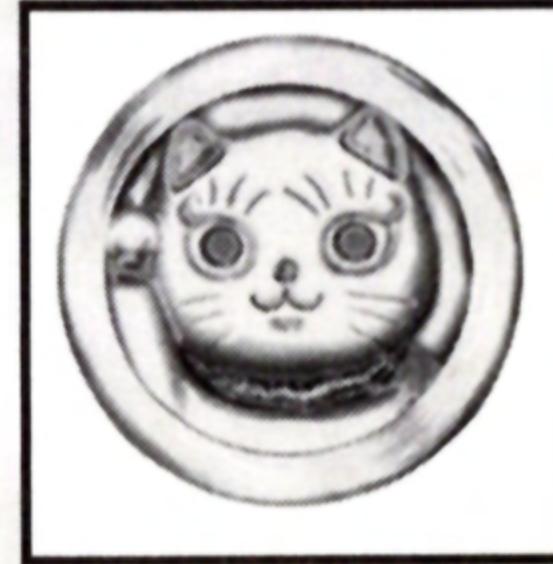
You can defeat an enemy by hitting/throwing your character's body weight for 30 second.

## Life Heart



Regain 1 life heart.  
(You can have up to 5 life hearts.).

## Gold Coin



You can re-start from the place where you picked up the Gold Coin.

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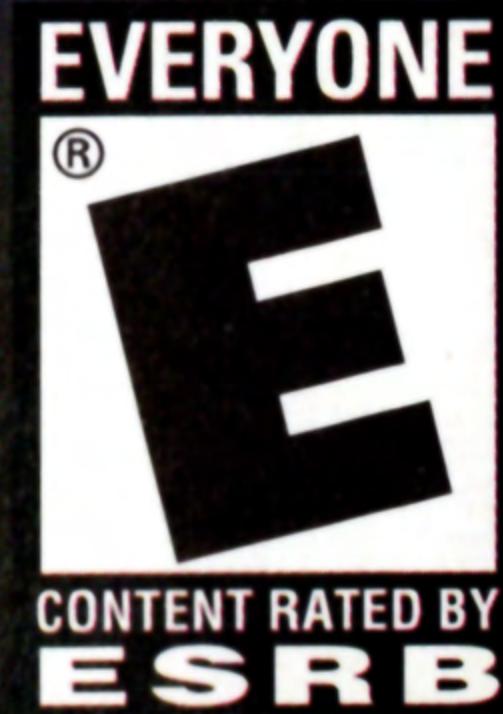
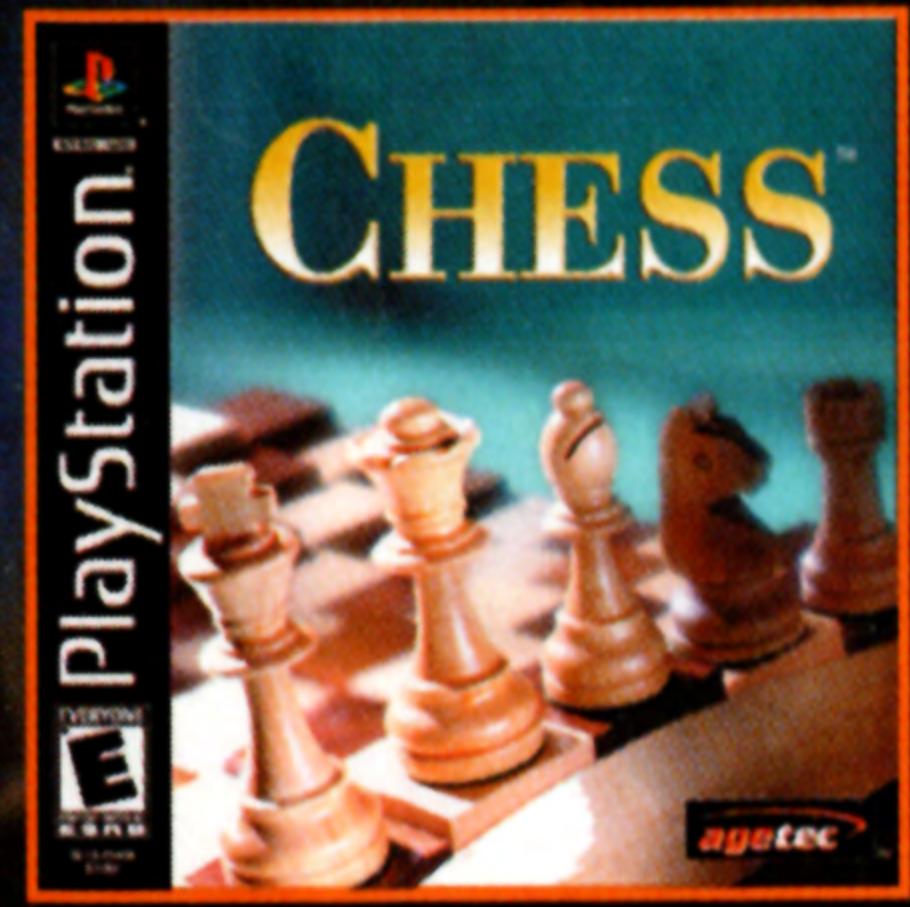
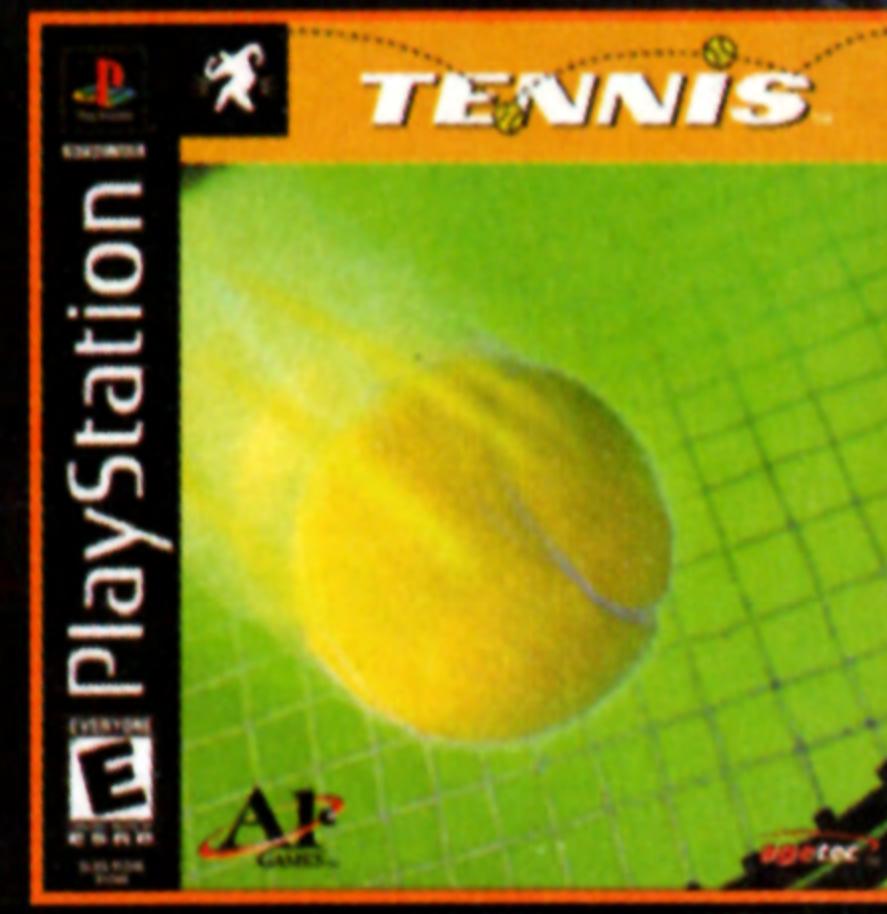
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