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Poy Poy

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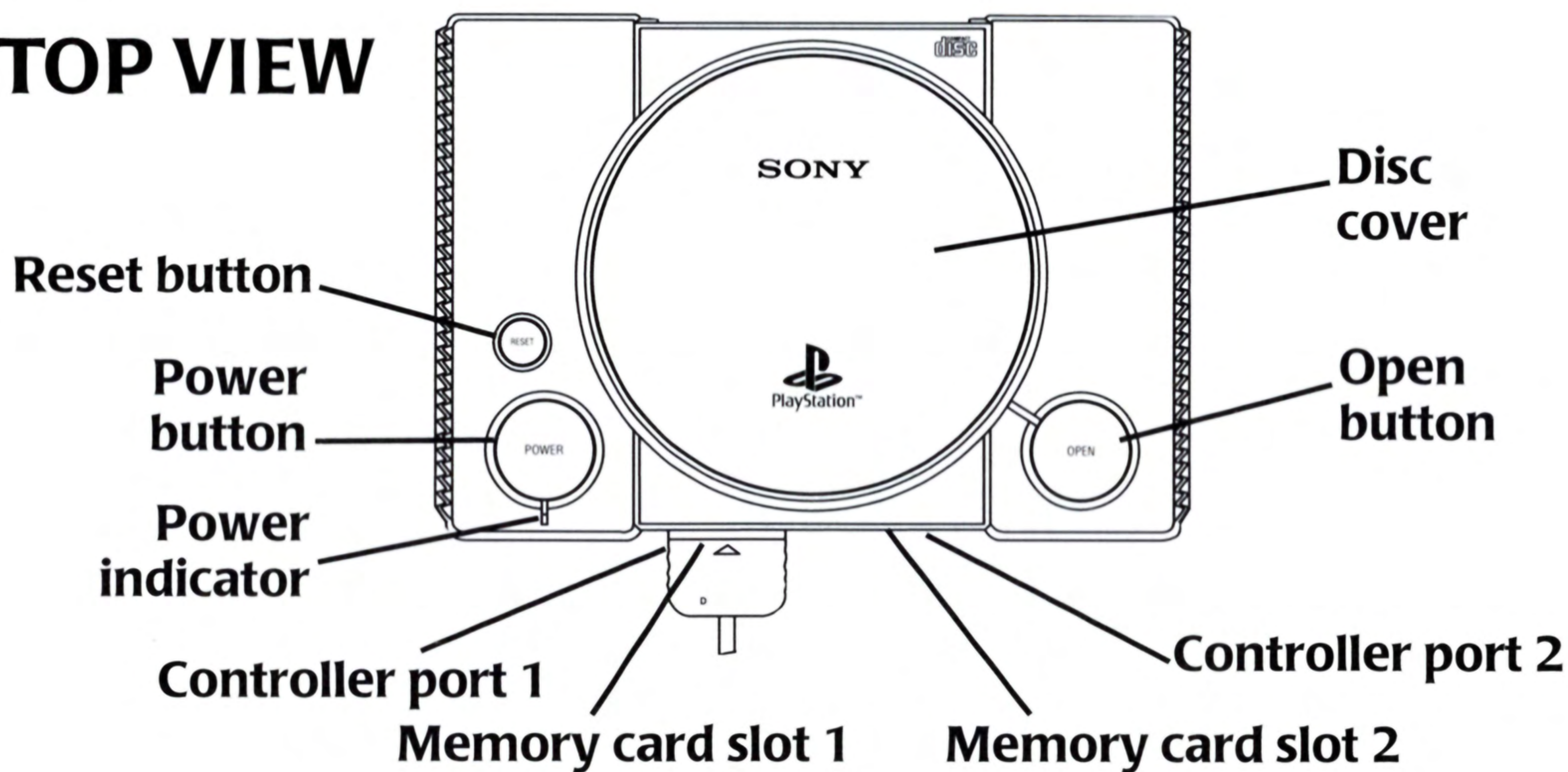
Set-Up

Set up your PlayStation™ Console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the PlayStation™ power is off before inserting or removing a CD. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation™ Console. Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

Thank you very much for purchasing Konami's Poy Poy™.

Before playing, please read this manual carefully to ensure correct use.

TOP VIEW

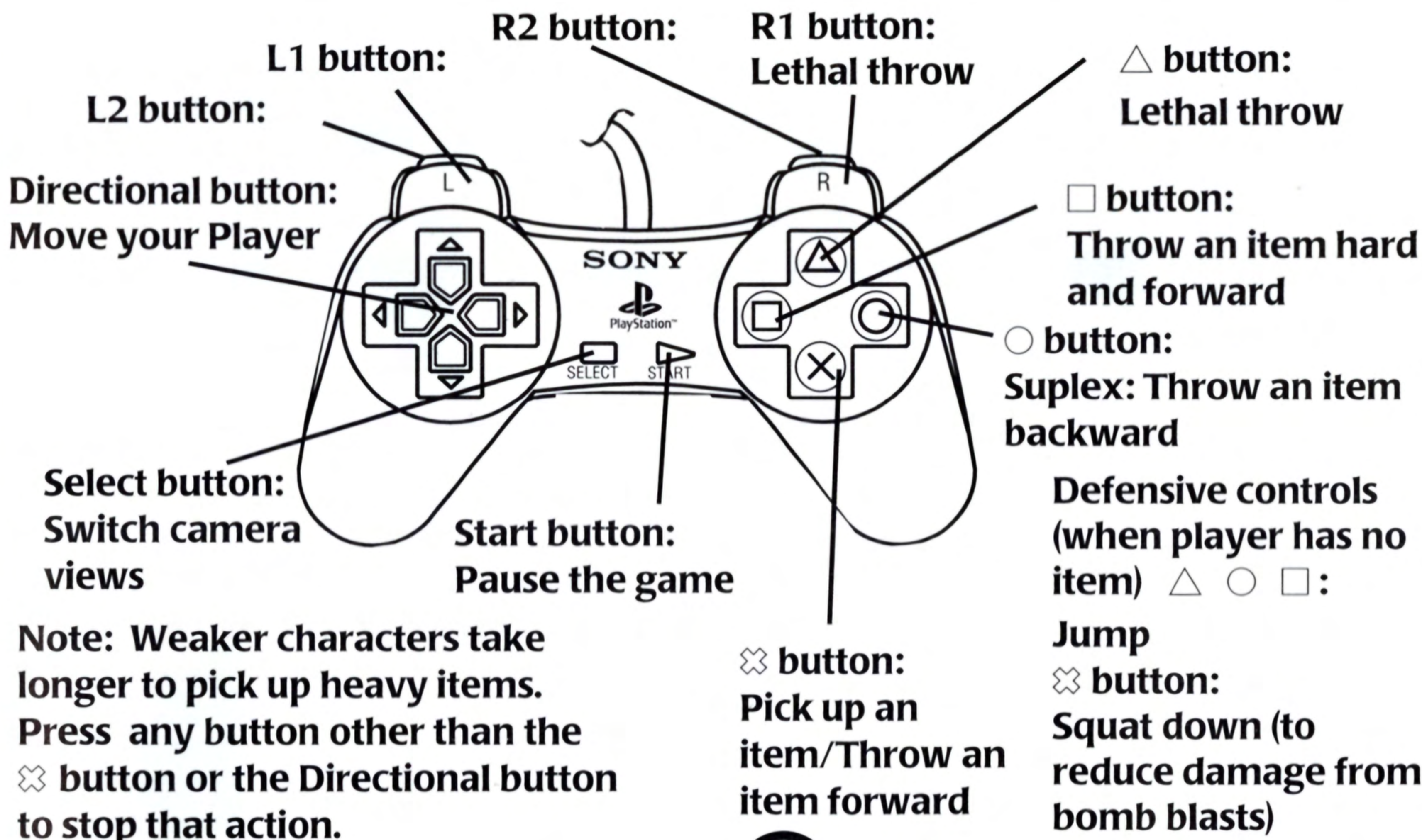


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Basic Game Controls

Become the Poy Poy™ champion!

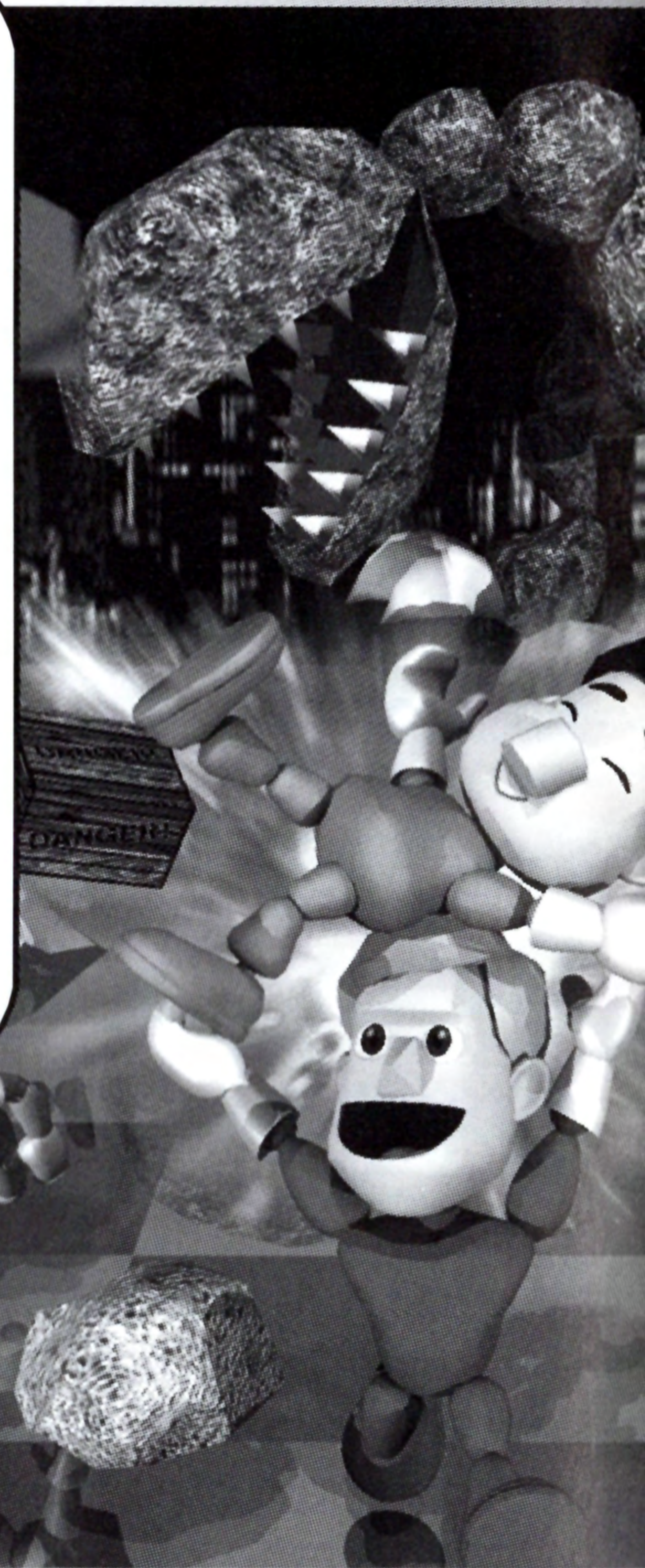
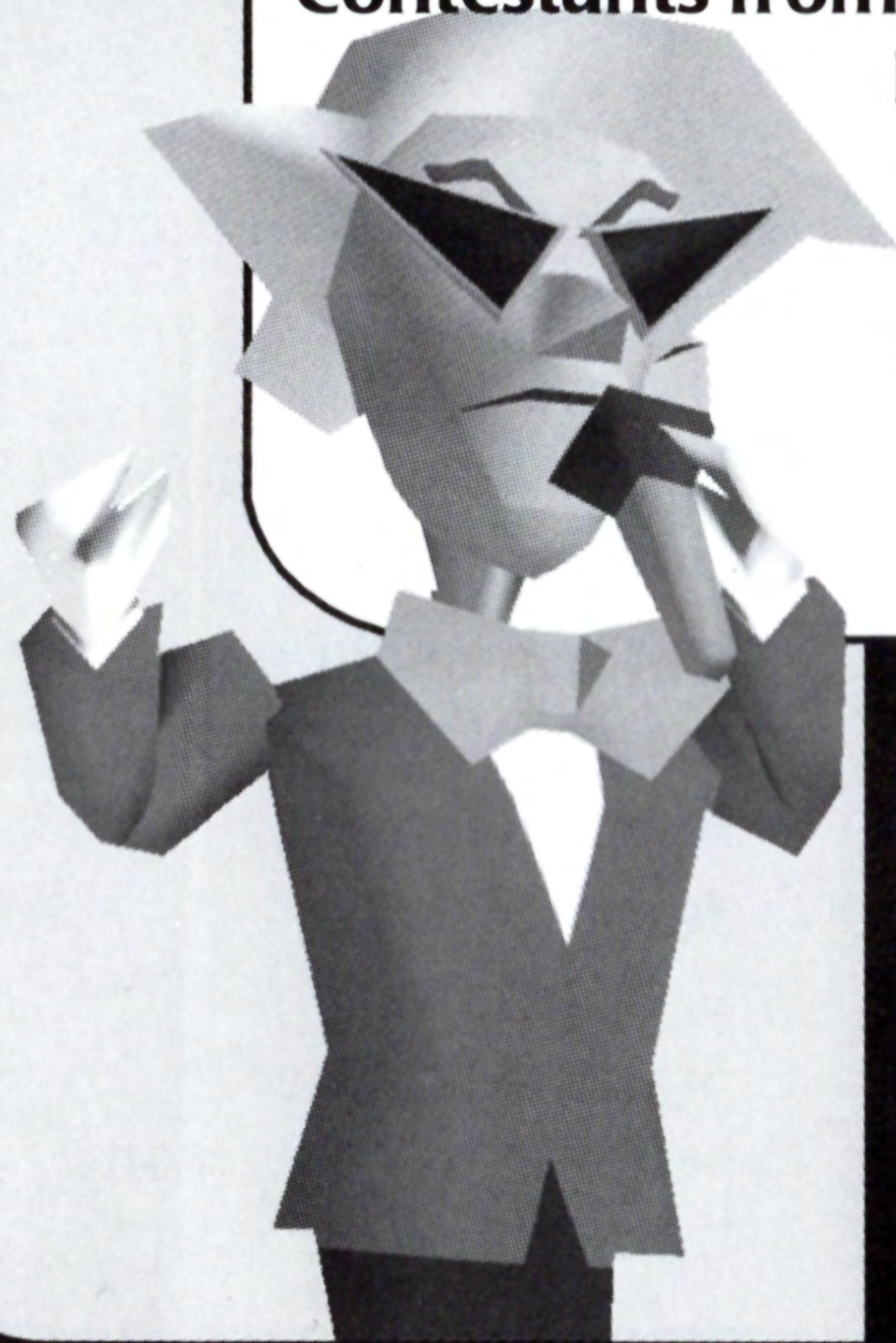
Master the controls, then head to the field of competition and put your mastery to the test! It's not easy—you'll need to practice hard to be the best—but with your moves, your skill, your finesse... and your Psyche Glove, you could become the greatest Poy Poy™ champion of all time!



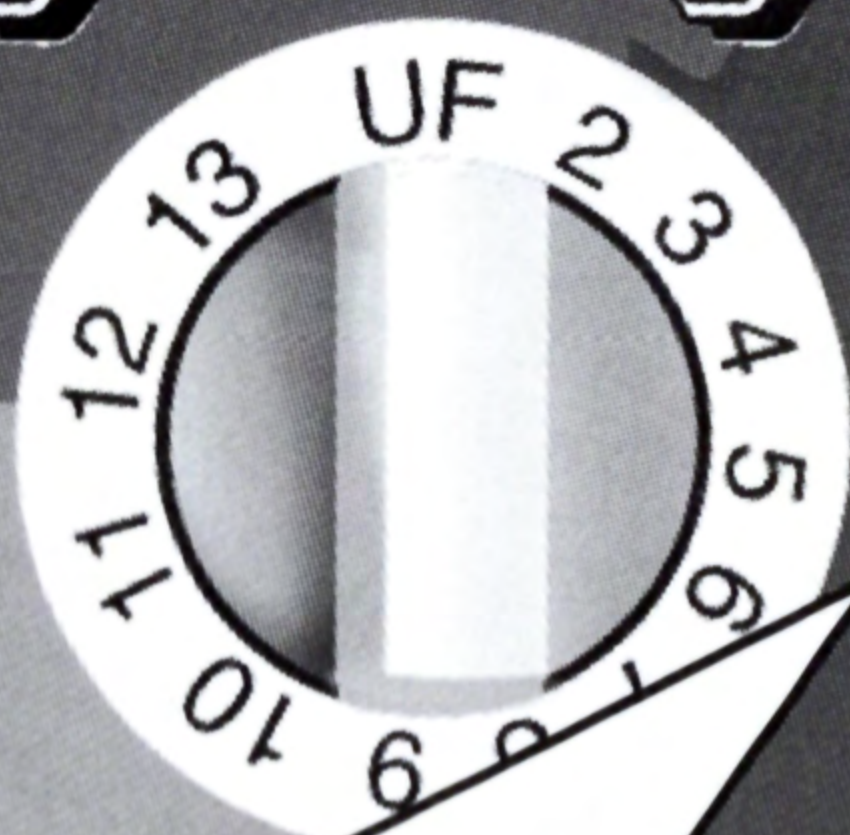
Welcome to the Poy Poy™ Cup Championships!

Come right on down and take a seat for
the greatest spectacle in the land. It's
Poy Poy™, the challenging game of
strength, cunning, speed and dexterity.

Contestants from all over the land will
be competing for big
cash prizes and the
honor of becoming the
Poy Poy™ Cup
Champion.



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Starting the Game

When the game begins, you'll see the Title screen. Press the Start button to get to the Mode Select screen. Highlight one of these options with the Directional button, then press the  button to select it.

MODE SELECT

EXHIBITION
POYPOY CUP
OPTIONS



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Multiplay

This game can be played by multiple players. With extra players, you need extra controllers and the Multi tap™ (sold separately). Four controllers can be connected with one Multi tap™.

Equipment Needed

2 players: 2 controllers

3-4 players: 1 controller for each player and 1 Multi tap

Playstation Console

Multi tap 1

Controller port 1-A
Controller port 1-B
Controller port 1-C
Controller port 1-D

Notes on using the Multi tap:

When connecting controllers to a Multi tap, always connect a controller to Controller port 1-A of the Multi tap first, followed by Controller ports 1-B, 1-C, and 1-D. It is strongly advisable to use only controllers specified for use with the Multi tap.

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Game Screens

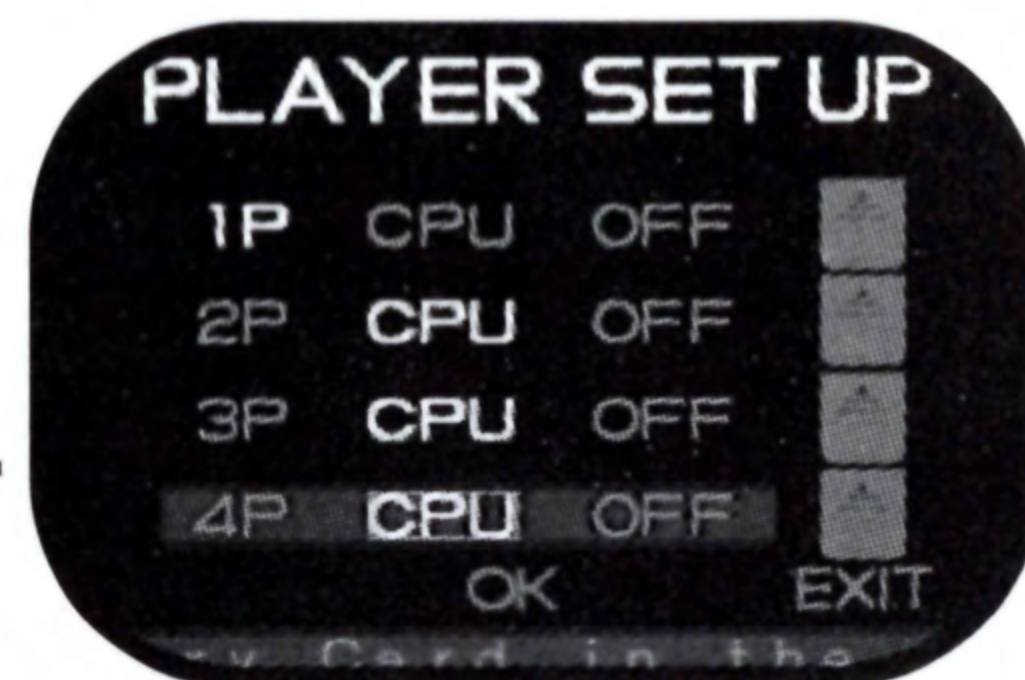
Exhibition

This is a great practice mode, good for sharpening your skills, or taking on some friends in multi-player competition.

Player Set Up Screen

Select options with the Directional button. You can play one to four players using the Multi tap (sold separately). You can also setup for two to four CPU-controlled players. Highlight your choices, then select OK to continue, or EXIT to return to the Mode

Select screen. *NOTE: When using the Multi-Tap, Player 1 should be using Controller port 1-A, Player 2 should be using Controller port 1-B, etc.*



Player Entry Screen

Press [up] or [down] to scroll through the available players. Press the L1 or the L2 button to see the player's rating in Stamina, Speed, Power and Psychic abilities.



Soft Reset: The user can reset to the Title screen during a game using the following method: Hold down the Select button and then press and hold down the Start button for two seconds.

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Glove Set Up Screen

Select the type of Psyche Glove* you wish to add to your arsenal.

*See page 9



GLOVE SET UP



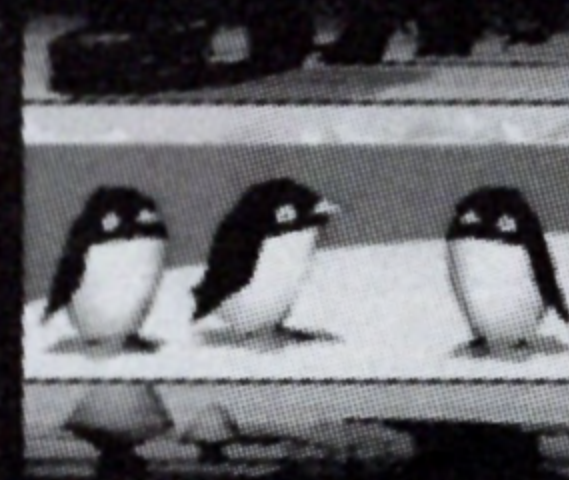
CINDY MIKE ARNOLD HARRY

Use the D-Pad.

Stage Select Screen

Choose one of seven battlefields: Practice, Flatland, Moai Land, Park, Robots, Desert, or Iceberg.

STAGE SELECT



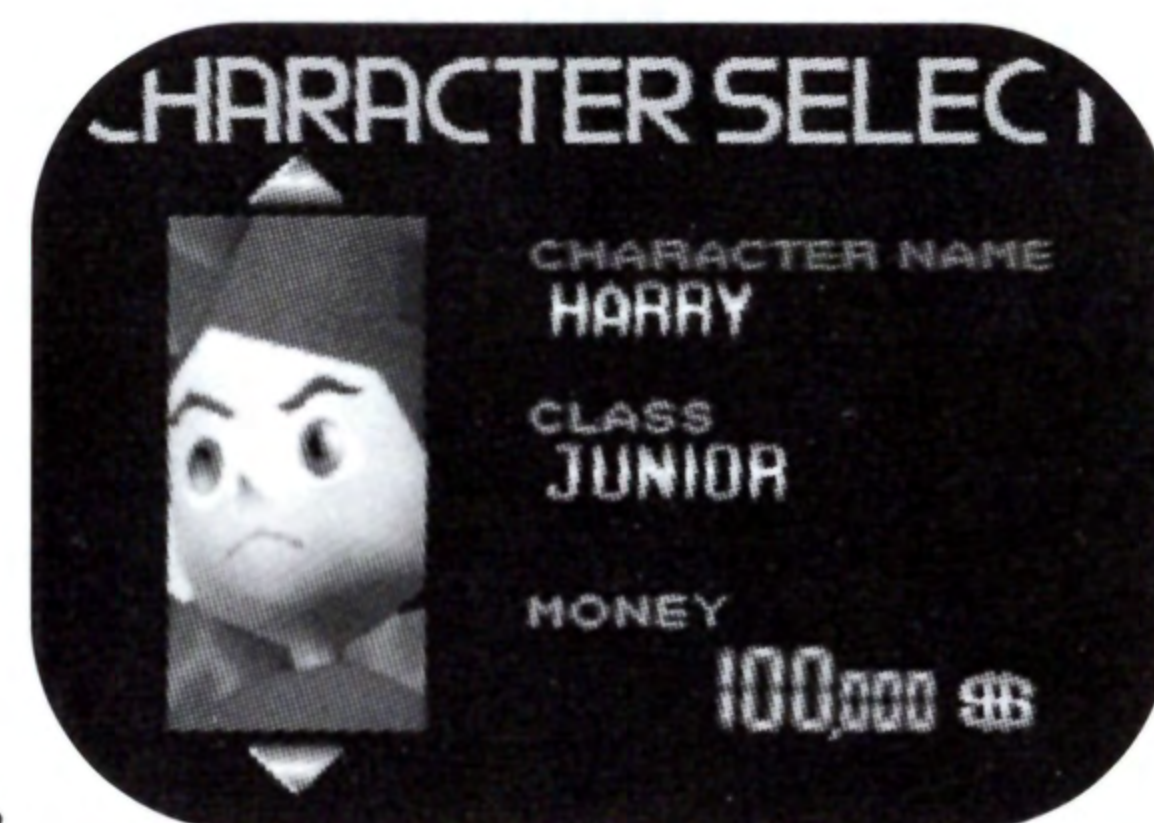
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Poy Poy™ Cup

The one player tournament. There are three major Poy Poy™ Cup events: The Junior Cup, Senior Cup and Master Cup. Each cup tournament is made up of three rounds on each of the six stages (Practice stage is not included). You must come in 1st place to continue on in the tournament. As each stage is completed, the last (fourth) place character will be eliminated, and the next competitor will be added. In the Senior and Master Cups, the third and fourth place winners will be replaced.

Character Select Screen

Press [up] or [down] to scroll through the available players. Press the ✕ button to confirm your selection after choosing any options (PLAYER, GAME MODE, etc.) Press the L1 or the L2 button to see the player's rating in Stamina, Speed, Power and Psychic abilities.



Channel Poy Poy™ Lobby Area

The Lobby of the Channel Poy Poy™ studio has a Glove Shop, a Glove Tune-Up Shop, and Memory Card Access Terminal. The door at the back leads to the Competitor's Area. There is also a door to the left of the lobby—if you send your player through the door, you will return to the Mode Select screen.



What are Psyche Gloves?

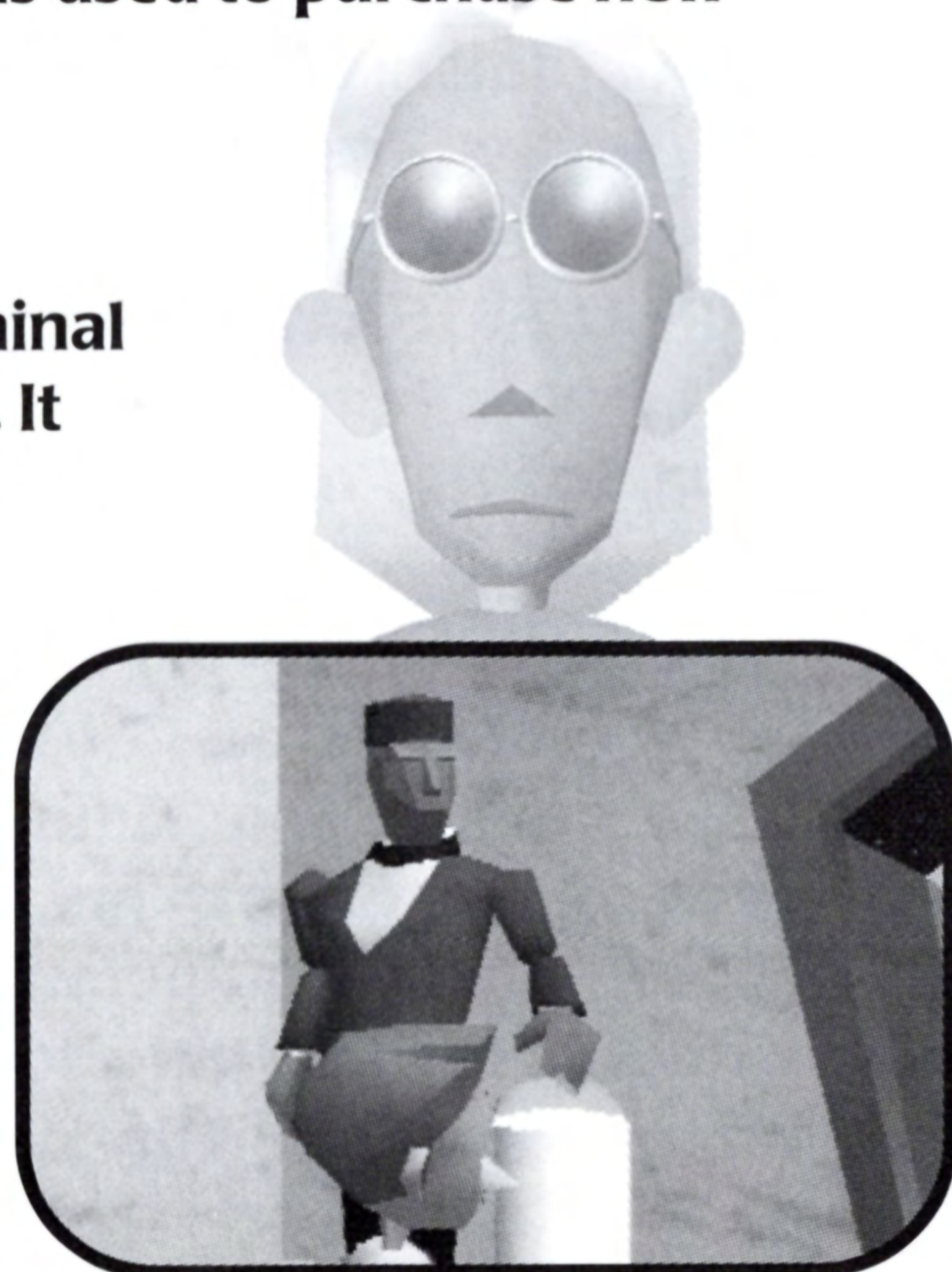
Psyche Gloves are the special weapons of Poy Poy™ competitors. They give players special “Lethal Moves”, depending on the glove. Buy a new Psyche Glove, or have your old ones “tuned up”. Try them out in the Exhibition Mode and learn their special properties. Before each new round, you’ll have the option of selecting a different glove for the new round. Pick the one that you think will work best against your upcoming opponents. In Cup competition, your prize money is used to purchase new gloves and upgrade old ones.

Loading and Saving Games

Walk to the Memory Card Access Terminal and use it to access your Memory card. It allows you to save your current game.

Competitor's Area

Walk through the back door into the Competitor's Area. Approach the usher and select which cup tournament you would like to play in. The usher will send you there.



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Options

Change some of the settings for the game.

ROUND:

Set the number of rounds in one match (in Exhibition Mode) from 1 to 5.

SOUND:

Set to STEREO or MONAURAL, depending on your system.

CAMERA:

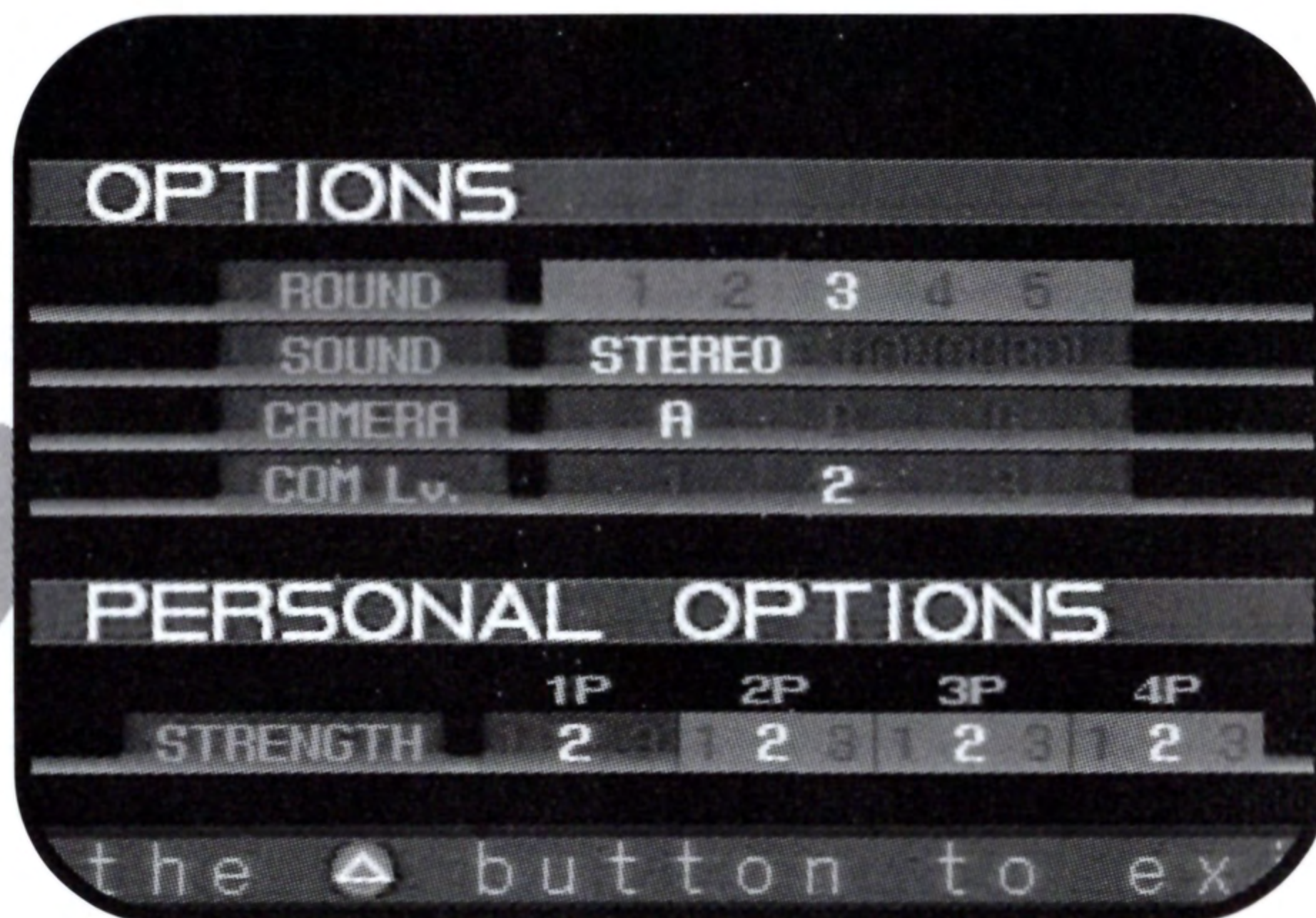
Set the camera angle to Camera A, B, or C.

COM LV:

Set the level for the CPU players to 1 (weak), 2 (normal) or 3 (strong).

STRENGTH:

Set the player-controlled character's strength to 1, 2, or 3.



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Game Play

The object of Poy Poy™ is to win each match by being the last one left standing. Players hurl rocks, logs, missiles, boxes, boulders, stone statues and even other players at each other to try to wear down their opponents. The goal is to out score your opponents and move on to the next match.

Game Screen:



SCORING:

Each round has a two-minute time limit. The round ends when time runs out, or only one player remains conscious.

At the end of each round, scores are awarded based on:

- **Direct Hits Bonus**—awarded for hitting an opponent directly with an object
- **Luck Bonus**—awarded for capturing the white bonus hearts
- **Round Bonus**—determined by how soon the player was retired from competition and the amount of health remaining at the end of the round.

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Basic Moves

Offense (when you have an object)

THE BASIC THROW:

When you are in front of an object, press the ✕ button. Your character will pick it up. Weaker characters take more time to pick up larger objects. Press and release the ✕ button again to throw the object forward. The longer you hold the ✕ button down, the farther you'll throw.



FORWARD SLAM:

A variation of the regular throw. Pick up an object and press the □ button to throw the object down with force. It doesn't go far, but it's powerful!



SUPLEX (BACK THROW):

After picking up an object, press the ○ button to toss the object over your head and behind your back. Great move if you're being followed!



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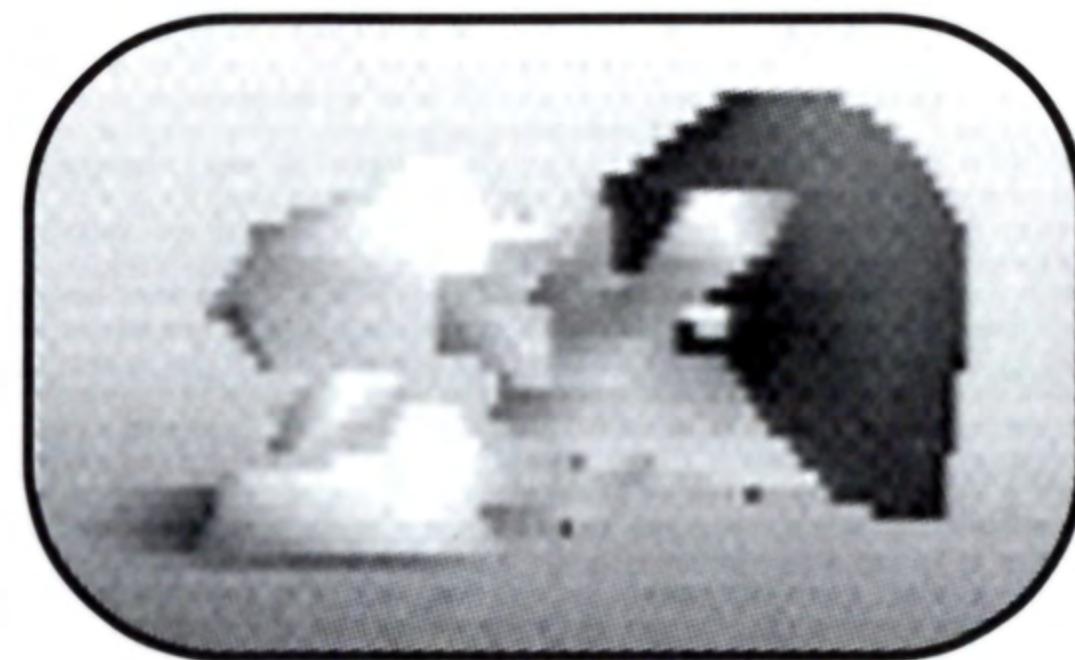
LETHAL THROW:

Again, pick up an object. Then press the $\triangle$ button or the R1 button to execute a special throw—depending on the Psyche Glove you selected on the Glove Set Up screen.



Defense (when you're empty handed)

Crouch: Press the $\times$ button to duck and cover your head—it'll protect you from bomb blasts! Press the $\circ$ button, $\square$ button or the $\triangle$ button to jump, or do a special maneuver to get out of the way.



Game Over

Loading a Saved Game from Exhibition Mode:

- Insert the Memory card into the Memory card slot.
- The player wishing to load data pushes the Select button at the Player Set Up screen to highlight Memory card on the screen. (Push the Select button again to turn highlight off.)
- Select "OK" and press the $\circ$ button or $\times$ button to begin loading.

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Loading a Saved Game from Poy Poy™ Cup Mode:

- Insert the Memory card into Memory card slot 1 (1-A on Multi tap).
- Press the Select button at the Character Select screen.

“Exhibition Mode”:

The game is over when the rounds are completed. Your final score and rank will be tallied.

“Poy Poy™ Cup Mode”:

The game is over when your character fails to finish in first place. You have the option to use up to three “Continues” if you’d like to keep trying. If you don’t continue, you will return to the Lobby where you can cash in your winnings on new gloves, or quit and try again as a different character.

Saving Your Game:

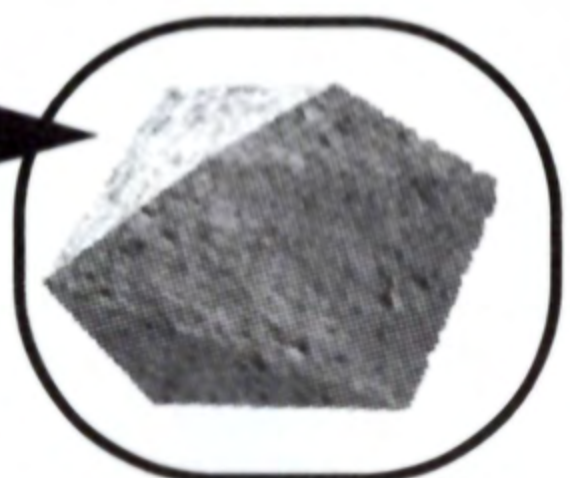
You can save the data (Psyche Gloves Owned and Prize Money Earned) from your Poy Poy™ Cup quest on a Memory card. Stand in front of the Memory Card Access Terminal (by the Glove Shop) and select “Save”.

Obstacles and Items

Red ball:
Speed burst power up.



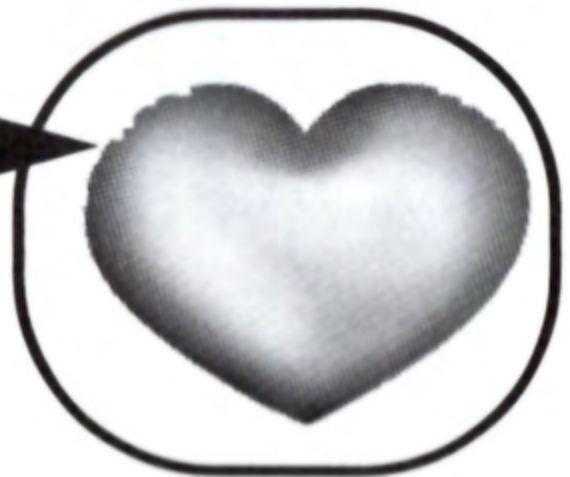
Rocks and logs:
Large and small, with corresponding damage.



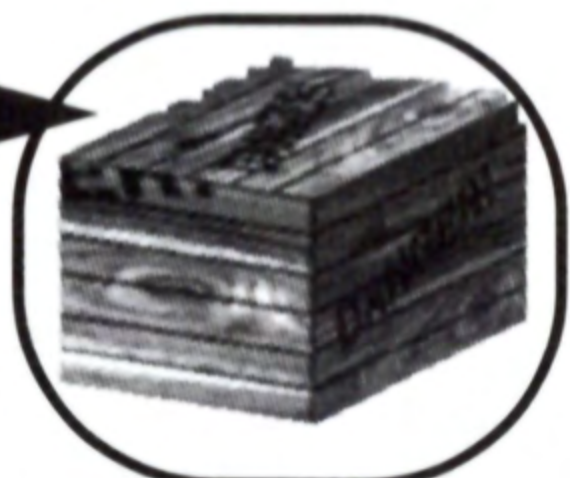
Blue ball:
Temporary unstable condition.



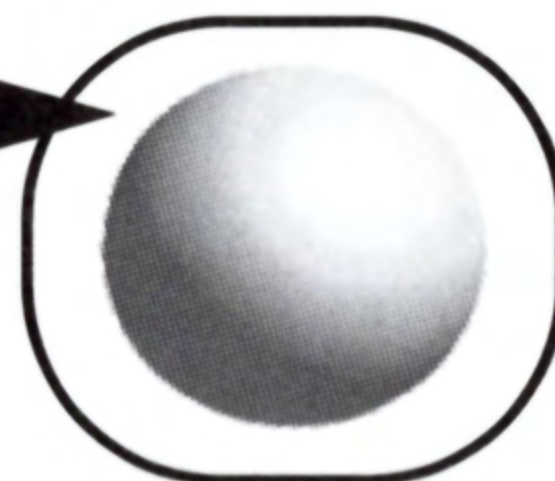
White Heart:
Earn two Luck Bonus Points



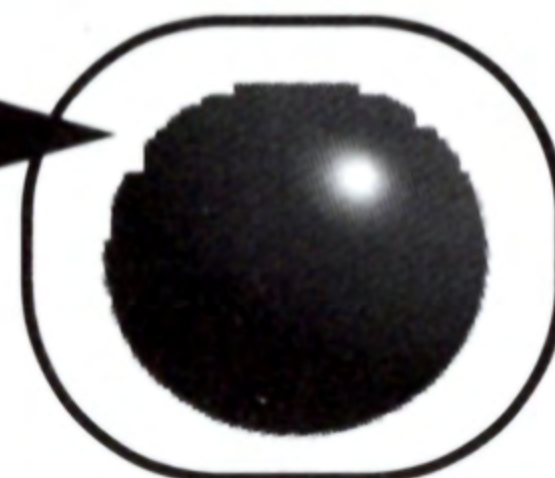
Wooden box:
If you break this by throwing it, special items like hearts, time bombs and power-ups will appear.



Flashing ball:
Restore Psyche Glove to full power.



Black Ball:
Time bomb. Stand clear, it's going to explode!



Red Heart:
Recover some health points.



Supplier Robot:
(Hokkyu) Replenishes the supply of missiles and items that are used up.



Missiles:
Larger missiles have a wider range. Exploding missiles can trigger chain reactions, causing others to explode.



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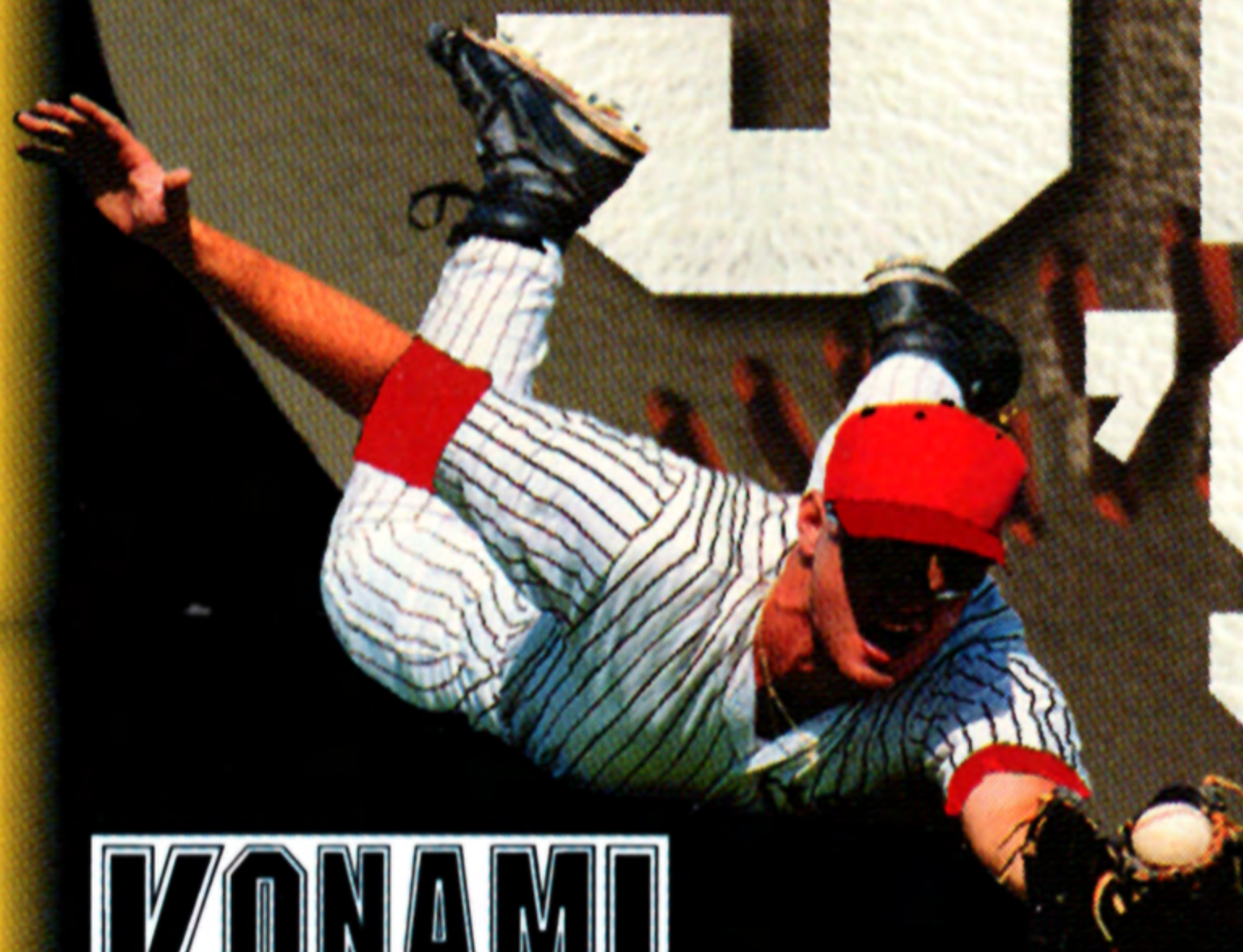
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