



BETA

**Virtual**  
*WAVE*

**INSTRUCTION BOOKLET**

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## *Story*

**THE YEAR IS 1985, YOU ARE A PROGRAMMER WORKING ON THE CUTTING EDGE OF VIRTUAL REALITY AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE. AFTER TAMPERING WITH YOUR HOMEMADE A. I. 'S MORAL CODE, IT HACKED INTO YOUR VIRTUAL REALITY WORLD AND THREATENS TO RELEASE ALL OF IT'S MINIONS INTO THE REAL WORLD.**

**YOU MUST NOW ENTER INTO THE VIRTUAL WORLD YOU CREATED TO STOP YOUR A. I. BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.**

# On Screen Info



1. NUMBER OF ENEMIES IN THE ROOM
2. HEALTH (PINK 6) (GOLD 12)
3. CURRENT WAVE (10 WAVES PER LEVEL)
4. LEVEL OF THE WEAPON BEING HELD
5. AMMO LEFT IN THE CHAMBER
6. NUMBER OF COINS CURRENTLY CARRYING
7. NUMBER OF TRAPS CURRENTLY CARRYING

\*\*\*\*\* WARNING \*\*\*\*\*

PAYING ATTENTION TO ALL OF YOUR STATS WILL BE THE DECIDING FACTOR OF LIFE AND DEATH. IF YOU NEED A MOMENT TO BREATHE YOU CAN ALWAYS PAUSE THE GAME BY PRESSING ESC OR ENTER.

# Controls



**MOVEMENT AND LOOKING ARE YOUR STANDARD COMPUTER FPS CONTROLS.**

**WASD - UP/LEFT/DOWN/RIGHT**  
**MOUSE - LOOKING**  
**SPACE - JUMP**

**SHOOTING AND RELOADING HAVE BEEN CHANGED FROM THE ALPHA VERSION FOR EASIER USE.**

**LEFT CLICK - SHOOT**  
**RIGHT CLICK - RELOAD**

**INTERACTING AND LAYING TRAPS ARE NEW FEATURES ADDED FOR NEW DIMENSIONS.**

**E - INTERACT**  
**R - DEPLOY TRAP**  
**ENTER/ESC - PAUSE**

# Weapons

## MAGNUM



FREE

CHAMBER - 6

LV 1 - SLOW BUT ACCURATE

LV 2 - FAST BUT MED. DAMAGE

LV 3 - FAST AND HIGH DAMAGE

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## SPAS-12



\$100

CHAMBER - 6

LV 1 - POWERFUL WITH RECOIL

LV 2 - POWERFUL NO RECOIL

LV 3 - DOUBLE PELLETS

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## AK-47



\$200

CHAMBER - 32

LV 1 - FULL AUTO BUT INACCURATE

LV 2 - FASTER AND ACCURATE

LV 3 - FASTEST FULL AUTO

\*\*\*\*\* WARNING \*\*\*\*\*

ALL WEAPONS REQUIRE YOU TO RELOAD EVERY BULLET AFTER FIRING. THE AK-47 CAN BE RELOADED BY HOLDING THE RIGHT MOUSE BUTTON WHILE THE SPAS-12 AND MAGNUM MUST BE PRESSED INDIVIDUALLY.

# Items & Powerups

## ITEMS



**POTION - \$25**  
RESTORES 6 POINTS  
OF HEALTH.



**GOLD HEART - \$50**  
EXTRA 6 POINTS OF  
HEALTH BUFFER.



**NUKE**  
KILLS ALL ENEMIES  
IN THE ROOM.



**COIN**  
MAIN CURRENCY FOR  
SHOPPING, \$1.



**DIAMOND**  
RARE AND DROPPED  
BY SLIMES, \$25.

**ITEMS CAN BE DROPPED  
BY ENEMIES OR BOUGHT  
AT THE SHOPS. EACH  
ENEMY CAN BE HOLDING  
ONE SPECIFIC ITEM.**

## POWERUPS



**INSTA-KILL**  
ONE BULLET EQUALS  
ONE KILL.



**BOTTOMLESS CLIP**  
SHOOT AN ENDLESS  
STREAM OF BULLETS.



**INVINCIBILITY**  
KILL ENEMIES BY  
TOUCHING THEM.



**VAMPIRE**  
RESTORES HEALTH  
BY SHOOTING.

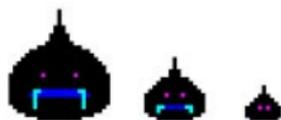


**AGILITY**  
DOUBLES SPEED  
AND FRICTION.



**POWERUPS CAN BE FOUND  
IN CHESTS OR DROPPED  
BY BOSSES.**

# Enemies



## SLIME

EASILY DEFEATED THEY  
BREAK OFF INTO 2 SMALLER  
GENERATIONS. JUMPING IS  
THERE ONLY ATTACK.



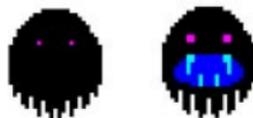
## SKELETON

THEY CRUMBLE EASILY BUT  
CAN REASSEMBLE. BE SURE  
TO SHOOT THEIR CRUMBLES  
AND AVOID THEIR BONE  
CLUB ATTACK.



## WIZARD

ONCE SPOTTED THEY WILL  
TELEPORT TO ALWAYS HAVE  
A DIRECT LINE OF SIGHT.  
KILL THEM QUICKLY AND  
AVOID THEIR MAGIC BLAST.



## GHOST

THEY WILL PHASE THROUGH  
WALLS AND BULLETS TO GET  
CLOSE ENOUGH TO CHARGE  
AT YOU. KILL THEM WHILE  
THEY ARE CHARGING YOU.



## MIMIC

APPEARS AS A NORMAL  
CHEST BUT ONCE WITHIN  
PROXIMITY LUNGE TOWARDS  
YOU. SOMETIMES THEY DROP  
POWERUPS ONCE KILLED.

# Strategy

## --- SECRET SWITCHES ---



THESE SECRET BUTTONS CAN BE HARD TO FIND, LOOK FOR SLIGHTLY DARKER SHADED BOXES ON THE WALLS OF EACH LEVEL. ONCE LOCATED PRESS E WHILE NEAR IT TO ACTIVATE THEM, A SECRET JINGLE WILL PLAY AND THE TOWERS WITH THE CHESTS WILL LOWER TO THE FLOOR.

## AN APPLE A DAY...



AT THE START OF EVERY LEVEL YOUR FIRST TASK SHOULD BE TO BUY A GOLD HEART FROM THE SHOP. AFTER THAT CONTINUE TO UPGRADE AND BUY NEW WEAPONS WHILE MAINTAINING THE GOLD HEART BUFFER.

## SMART INVESTMENTS



IF YOUR HEALTH IS LOWER THAN 2 HEARTS YOU SHOULD BE DEPOSITING MAJORITY OF YOUR EARNINGS INTO THE ATM. THIS WILL SAVE COINS FOR YOUR NEXT ATTEMPT EVEN IF YOU RESTART YOUR COMPUTER.