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SEGA DREAMCAST™



CONTROL PORTS

Use these ports to connect the Sega Dreamcast™ controller or other peripheral equipment. From left to right are Control Port A, Control Port B. Control Port C, and Control Port D. Use each port to connect

controllers for players I to 4 respectively. Note: Purchase additional controllers (sold separately) to play with two or more people.

Tech Romancer is a 1-to-2 player game. Before turning the Sega Dreamcast power ON, connect the Sega Dreamcast controller(s) or other peripheral equipment into the control ports of the Sega Dreamcast.



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CONTROLS (default) SEGA DREAMCAST CONTROLLER

L Trigger - Change items [R]+[G] (Dodoing Attack) X Button - Guard (G) Y Button - Altack A - R Button - Cancel selections / Attack B A Button - Confirm selections /

START Button

Start game /

toin in Player 2

Pause / Resume

Analog Thumb Pad Directional Button (D-Button) Highlight selections on menu screens / Move your character any direction 360°:

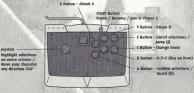
7 Up right diagonal

M Down right diagonal

Down left diagonal

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ARCADE STICK



JUMP PACK

Tech Romancer supports the Jump Pack vibration peripheral. When inserted into the Expansion Socket of a Sera Dreamcast controller or other compatible peripheral equipment, the jump Pack provides a vibration effect that can considerably enhance the same play experience.

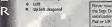
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. For all controllers, to return to the title screen at any point during game play simultaneously press and hold the A. B. X. Y and START Buttons This will cause the Sega Dreamost to soft-reset the software and display the title screen

. For both the controller and Arcade Stick, you can change the default button assignments using the Button Config option. See page 10.





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Robot Name

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Shows remaining round time. Timer Shows the time or number of shots remaining for an item Item Gauge or weapon you're using.

Armor Gauge

Shows the item available to use Itam Nama Damage Gauge Shows how much damage the robot has taken. When it is full, the robot is defeated (see page 14).

Armor Gauge

Special Gauge

Final Attack Mark

Stock Items Win Mark

the robot's armor is broken (see page 11). the robot can use a Special Move. You can pump up the gauge to Level 3 (see page 11). Final Attack is available when this mark appears.

Shows the items you currently have. You can stock up to 5 items (see page 12) Displays when one opponent defeats the other.

Color bar increases as the robot attacks When it is full.

Color bar decreases as the robot gets attacked. When it disappears

COMBAT RULES

and Versus Mode. (See pages 8-9 for other game modes.)

HOW TO WIN The first player to fill the opponent's Damage Gauge twice (default) wins the

match. (You can change the Damage Gauge number in Option Mode; see page 10.)

JUDGMENT

If time runs out and neither robot has been defeated twice (default), the match is judged on remaining vitality. If the time limit is turned OFF (in Option Mode), the match lasts until one robot wins by defeating the other.

DRAW GAME

both fighters are defeated twice (default) at the same time or when both fighters have the same amount of vitality left when time is up. If a draw game occurs, both players' games are over.



ARCADE

I OR 2 PLAYER(S)

I OR 2 PLAYER

Choose STORY MODE and play through each robot's unique story.

Choose HERO CHALLENGE MODE and defeat 12 computer-controlled opponents to win Your performance is rated at the end of your game.



VERSUS

2 PLAYER COMPETITION

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Challenge a friend head-to-head. To play, insert two controllers into your Sega Dreamcast before starting. After each match, you can continue play with the same robot or choose a new fighter.



DR. TATSUMI'S

TECHNO-DOME

Unlock and collect secret hidden features. Some features can be unlocked by working out in the Development Room. Others are unlocked as you





DEVELOPMENT ROOM Develop various hidden features by spending money

you earned in Hero Challenge Mode and VMU Minigames. You can withdraw money from your VMU (Visual Memory Unit).



Download mini-games to play for money prizes

Money

Sound

and high scores. Doing this requires a VMU (Visual Memory Unit) with 128 free blocks. The Mini-Game Menu has these options:

Mini-Game Play mini-games.
High Score Check out the best score

Review your net worth.
Toggle mini-game sound ON/OFF.

LOVE & PUNCH



by satisfying certain secret requirements. Find out what they are



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OPTION MODE

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Choose an item with the D-Buttons ♠/♥, and adjust the setting with ←/→

Difficulty Set the difficulty level for I Player games Damage Level Adjust the damage level of attacks.

Turn the time limit ON/OFF Timer Timer Speed Adjust the Timer countdown speed.

> CPLI - Set the number of Damage Gauges for I Player games.

VS - Set the number of Damage Gauges for 2 Player games.

Sound Choose STEREO or MONAURAL Vibration Toggle ON/OFF when using the optional lump Pack

(not available when using the Arcade Stick).

Special Moves When ON, use Special Moves with no limit

Default Restore the default Option settings.

SAVEHOAD

Load

Save your play data to an optional Visual Memory Unit (VMU), This game uses 3 free blocks to save play data

Load previously saved play data from a VMLE

Note: While saving a game file, never turn OFF the Sepa Dreamcast power, remove the VMU or disconnect the controller

BUTTON CONFIG

Change the controller button assignments



GALIGE SYSTEM



DAMAGE GALIGE

As your robot gets attacked, the color bar builds up. When the gauge is full. your robot is defeated

Recoverable Damage

The yellow bar represents damage that can be recovered over time The red bar represents damage that cannot be recovered.

Absolute Damage SPECIAL GAUGE

The color bar builds up as you attack. When the gauge is full, you can input a Special Move command to perform a Special Move. The gauge can be stored up to Level 3.A Special Move consumes Level 1 gauge. (For players' individual Special Moves, see pages 14-23.)

As your robot gets attacked, the color bar decreases. At 0%, your robot's armor will be broken. When your robot's armor is off, your robot suffers more damage when atracked and takes some damage even when blocking.



SPECIAL ATTACKS

In the moves below the D-Button presses/joystick moves refer to fighters facing right. Reverse the left/right presses or actions for fighters facing left.



Steel Dash

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Holding G, →→ Your robot charges the opponent, repelling attacks. If you hit the apparent with this move, the opponent's block will be off for a short time.

You have three items in the beginning of a match. You can pick up additional items that may appear when you break objects on stage You can use items you have at any time during a match. You may

G + A or B Dodging Attack (simultaneously) Perform this move the moment

your opponent attacks you. You can counterattack as you dodge.

Power Breaker G+A+B (near opponent)

Item

also get an item when you defeat your opponent. There are three item types: Healing Items

Break the opponent's guard.

A + B + I (simultaneously)

Ability Items

Weapon Items

Restore Damage or Armor Gauge Increase your robot's attack, defense speed

and so on Hero Challenge Mode items enable your robot to use unique abilities for a short time. Each robot can use three unique types

of powerful weapons.

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Grapple Attack Direction controls + Attack buttons (rapidly) When both robots attack at the same time, the Grapple Attack

begins. When this screen shows up, press the Direction controls and Attack rapidly. The last button pressed decides who wins. The rules are:

· A beats B. . B beats G or I.

G or I beats A.

Hint: The more you press the buttons, the more damage you do if you win, or the less damage you take if you lose.

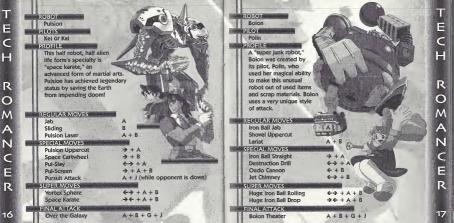
A + B + G + J (simultaneously)

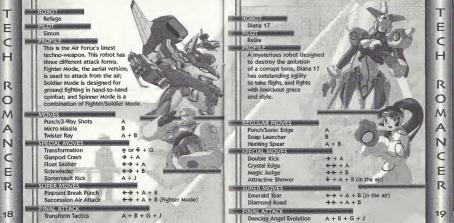
Final Attack

Once your opponent takes a certain amount of damage, the Final Attack Mark will appear. While the mark is on, press the buttons above simultaneously to perform the Final Attack. If the Final Attack hits the opponent, you win!

















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