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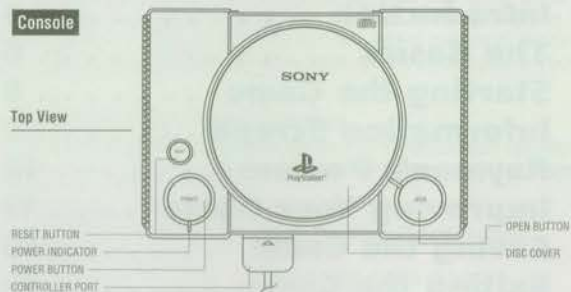
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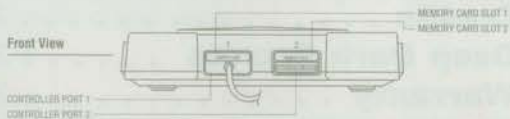
GAME CONSOLE

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 RAYMAN disc and close the CD door. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation™ game console. Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

Console



Front View

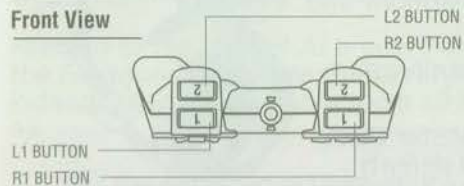


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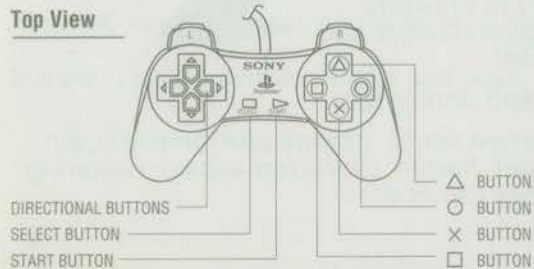
Insert your Rayman disk in your PlayStation game console. Press the "POWER" button. You can use the "Options" function to change the music and the sound effects as well as to change the functions of your PlayStation controller buttons. To play, select "START." If your PlayStation is equipped with a Memory Card, see the "Saving the Game" section in this manual for information about playing previously saved games.

Controller

Front View



Top View



Mouse





INTRODUCTION

Hi Folks!

*You want to know what's going on?
Let me tell you the story of Rayman...*

In Rayman's world, nature and people live together in peace. The Great Protoon provides and maintains the harmony and balance in the world.

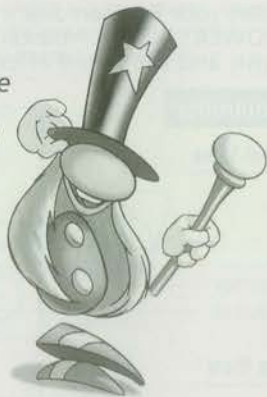
*Sorry Folks, this apparently can't last.
Do you want to play or what?*

... one fateful day, the evil Mister Dark steals the Great Protoon and defeats Betilla the Fairy as she tries to protect it! The Electoons who used to gravitate around it lose their natural stability and scatter all over the world!

Troublesome, isn't it? And untidy, too!

In the now-unbalanced world, strange phenomena begin to occur: freaks and hostile characters appear, capturing every Electoon they can find!

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INTRODUCTION

The disappearance of the Great Protoon also neutralized all of Betilla the Fairy's powers, and she needs time to regenerate her energy before she can help in any way...

They definitely need a hero to save them now, don't you think?

Rayman to the rescue! As a guardian of this world, he must free the Electoons, recapture the Great Protoon from its mysterious kidnapper and reassemble them all to restore the world's harmony.

But will the bad guys let him do it?...

After all, Rayman doesn't have arms or legs ...

But don't panic, neither do the bad guys.

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THE BASICS

Rayman has to free the imprisoned Electroons to re-establish order in his world. For each level there is a medallion with 6 empty spaces, each of which corresponds to a cage of Electroons which you have to find. Each time you free a cage of Electroons, one space on the medallion is filled. In order to enter the Candy Chateau level, you must first free all of the Electroons in the first five worlds.

At the start of the game, Rayman can carry out simple actions: walking, jumping, holding onto vines, and crawling. As you progress through the game, Rayman gets new powers: a punching fist, the ability to hang onto platforms, a grabbing fist, the ability to run, and even a special helicopter feature!

Betilla the Fairy grants him these very special powers. A brief explanation of how to use your new powers will appear on the screen each time you get one.

Once you have acquired a new power, it will be useful to you throughout the rest of the game. But, you should also backtrack to thoroughly explore the levels you have already gone



THE BASICS

through, because you probably haven't seen them all yet! Some surprises are waiting for you, things that you were unable to reach the first time you went through...

At the beginning of each game, a map of Rayman's world will be displayed. Each time you have completed a level, the next paths available to you will be highlighted on the screen. Most of the time, you will be able to choose between two directions.



The "normal" exit to any level is at the end of it. Exits are indicated by an exit sign — logical, hmm? You can also exit the first stage of a level by going back out through the entrance door; however if you do this, you will lose all of the items (Tings, special powers, etc) that you picked up in this stage.



STARTING THE GAME

Insert your Rayman disk into your PlayStation game console. Press the "POWER" button. Pressing the "START" button on your controller moves you through the pre-game screens and validates the default options. If you wish to modify the options, follow the instructions written on each screen.

If you remain on the Rayman title screen without touching the controller buttons, an automatic demo of the game will appear. You can stop it at any time and return to the title screen by pressing the "X" or the "START" button of your controller.

If you have a PlayStation Memory Card, you can choose to play a previously saved game, a new game, or use the password-system to access a specific stage. See the "Saving the Game" section of this manual for more information.

If you do not have a Memory Card, you can choose between starting a new game from the beginning, or using the password-system to access a specific stage. See the "Saving the Game" section of this manual for more information.



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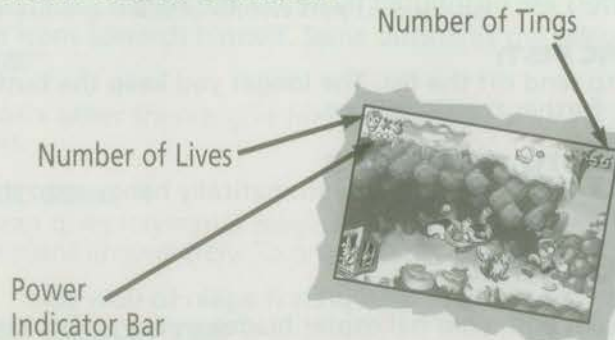


STARTING THE GAME

At the Options screen, you can change the volume and sound effects, as well as modify the functions of your PlayStation controller buttons.

On most of the selection screens, pressing the "SELECT" button allows you to return to the Rayman title screen.

INFORMATION SCREEN



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RAYMAN'S POWERS

From the start of the game, you can make Rayman crawl. Press "R" (1 or 2) to crawl to the right and "L" (1 or 2) to crawl to the left.

There are two types of powers: permanent powers (those that you keep no matter what happens in the game) and temporary powers. The permanent powers are distributed by Betilla the Fairy.

TELESCOPIC FIST:

Press "■" to send off the fist. The longer you keep the button pressed, the further the fist will go.


HANGING ONTO PLATFORMS

When Rayman jumps or falls, he automatically hangs onto the nearby platforms.

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HELICOPTER

Press "X" to jump, then press it again to slow your descent with your helicopter blades.



RAYMAN'S POWERS

RUNNING

This power-up not only allows you to move faster (obviously!), but also to build up speed to jump further. To activate it, press "●" while you're walking.

GRABBING FIST

Thanks to this power, Rayman is able to hang onto and swing on flying rings. The grabbing fist also allows him to pull the bonus icons towards himself. Same button as the telescopic fist "■".

Rayman's other friends give him the temporary powers:

MAGIC SEED


Tarayzan gives Rayman a magic seed, which grows into a plant immediately. To grow plants, press "●".

SUPER HELICOPTER

This power is yours when the Musician gives you the magic



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RAYMAN'S POWERS

retaining control of your direction. To activate it, press "X". To go higher, press "X" several times.

A HINT: *The super-helicopter power may come in handy in the Blue Mountain world, too. Those sharp spinning blades could help you do more than just fly!*

FIREFLY

Joe the Extraterrestrial gives Rayman this power to help him light up the dark regions of The Caves of Skops. The firefly follows Rayman's punching fist, so throw his fist out in front of him to light the route ahead.

FLYING BLUE ELVES

These little creatures give Rayman the ability to shrink down in size, so he can more easily pass through some of the game's narrow passages. Walk up to one to become small, and walk back up to him or to another one, to become normal-sized again.



IMPROVING YOUR GAME

We won't give away all the secrets of the game (there has to be some suspense!), but a few hints could be very useful.

POWERS

They symbolize Rayman's energy reserves. He starts off with three powers, but can win more on his journey... or lose some during his battles! When you have run out of power, you lose a life. A simple power gives you one extra energy point. A double power gives you two energy points. A "Big Power" gives you a full load of energy points.

LIVES

Look for them, they come in handy when you face the enemies that await you.

SPEED-UPS

They increase the speed of the punching fist. There are three different speeds available.

THE GOLDEN FIST

Increases the power of Rayman's blows.

PLEASE NOTE: *Your fist loses its power and its exceptional speed each time you are hit by an enemy.*

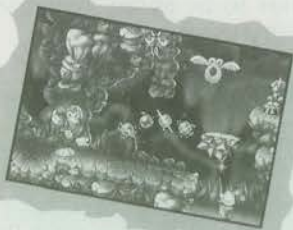




IMPROVING YOUR GAME

TINGS

If Rayman picks up one hundred of them, he gains an extra life, but they can also be used to pay the magician (who'll give you access to the bonus stages). But careful—when Rayman dies, he loses all of the Tings he collected.



CONTINUES

If you lose your last life, a Continue allows you to restart the game from the last level played with a credit of four lives. The Continue screen appears after Rayman dies for the last time. If you want to use a Continue, you must ring the alarm clock (by pressing any button on the controller) to awaken Rayman from his stupor before he staggers to the "Game Over" sign.



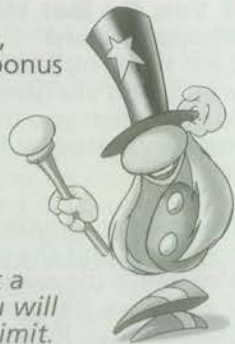
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IMPROVING YOUR GAME

THE MAGICIAN

He is hidden away in the scenery. With his help, Rayman can enter into secret worlds. In these bonus stages, your skill and rapidity will allow you to earn Tings or a bonus life. But please note that this magic stunt has to be deserved, and it will cost you 10 Tings to take advantage of it.



PLEASE NOTE:

You will gain a bonus life if you manage to get a perfect score in the bonus map. This means you will have to get all the Tings within a certain time limit. If you achieve this perfect score, the bonus map will then be available at no charge, but there will be no more bonus lives.

THE PHOTOGRAPHER

He is there to immortalize your feats! When you lose a life, you start again in the last place where he took a picture of you.

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SAVING THE GAME

If You Do Not Have A PlayStation Memory Card

Each time you finish a stage and go to the map of Rayman's world, you are given a password. The password is communicated to you when you move Rayman to one of the Save spots on the map (indicated by the Magician's top hat) and press the "X" button.

This password-system saves the number of lives, the number of continues and the permanent powers you have obtained, and also keeps the stages which you already have access to available. If you have freed all six Electoon cages, it will be saved as a completed stage. If you have not found all six cages, the stage will be saved, but when you re-enter the saved game you will have to go back and re-find all of the cages in that stage again.

When you start up Rayman, enter the name of the saved-game password when you are prompted for it. If you don't have any saved games yet or if you don't want to play a saved game, simply choose "START" from the Enter Password/Start Screen.



SAVING THE GAME

If You Have A PlayStation Memory Card

Each time you finish a stage, you can save your game when you are on the map of the world. Simply move Rayman to one of the Save spots (indicated by the Magician's top hat) and press the "X" button.

You will be asked to confirm that you want to replace the previously saved version of the game with your current version. If you confirm, your game is saved on the Memory Card. If you do not confirm, you are given the password corresponding to your location in the game, and your previously saved game stays as it was. If you continue playing, you can choose later on to save on the Memory Card. Be careful, however - if you start up a game using a password, you will not be able to save that game on your Memory card.

Every time you start Rayman, you have a choice:

- You can play a game saved on your Memory Card, or start up a new game and then decide later on to save it on your Memory card. OR
- You can use the password system to get to a certain specific stage. If you choose this, enter the stage password when prompted. Remember that you cannot save a password-system game.



SAVING THE GAME

Using the "Choose a Game" Screen to Play a Previously Saved Game

You can choose from up to three previously saved games. The commands at the Save/Load screen permit you to do one of two things: ERASE or COPY a game. ERASE allows you to erase the saved game in order to restart the game from the beginning. COPY allows you to duplicate the saved version of a current game; as a result, you can continue playing the game, and if you are not pleased with your performance, you can restart the game from the point where you copied the previously saved game.

To use the COPY function:

1. Select COPY.
2. Select the game you wish to duplicate.
3. Validate your choice by pressing one of the action buttons. A golden fist appears before the game you've chosen to duplicate, and a white fist appears before the space where it will be duplicated. If you wish, you can move the white fist to choose a different save space.



SAVING THE GAME

4. Validate again, then enter a new name for the copied game.

The Save/Load screen gives you information about your previously save games, including the name under which the game was saved, the number of lives available, the number of Continues available, and what percentage of the game's challenges you have accomplished.



EXITING THE GAME

When you are on the map of Rayman's world, you can choose to exit the game by pressing the "SELECT" button. Doing so will send you back to the Options screen. You can then change the options of your current game and go back to it with the EXIT command or the "START" button.

From the Options screen you can also end the current game by pressing the "SELECT" button. Doing so will take you to the Rayman title screen. But be careful if you are using a Memory Card, the game you exit is not automatically saved if you don't specifically save it before pressing "SELECT".



WORLDS

In the different worlds of the game described here, you might meet the “bosses” more than once! And always be on the lookout for the Antitoons, Mister Dark’s foot soldiers. They’re small, but they’re dangerous!

THE DREAM FOREST

Rayman has to proceed through the jungle without ever falling into the swamp waters. He will come across hunters and explorers. This is where he meets Tarayzan, his first friend. Help Tarayzan get dressed and see what happens! The big boss is Mosquito, a persistent giant mosquito.

BAND LAND

In a scene filled with clouds and slippery sheet music bars, Rayman must advance among music instruments (drums, maracas, cymbals...) and avoid wrong notes.

Once he escapes from the trumpets, he will find himself face to face with the deafening Mister Sax.



WORLDS

BLUE MOUNTAINS

Rayman has to move forward, avoiding rock avalanches and stone creatures. In these mountains, Rayman meets the Musician and helps him recover his lost guitar. The big boss to defeat is Mister Stone, a creature made of rock.



PICTURE CITY

This is the world of images, as well as the world of mirages. Once he walks across the stage of a small theater, Rayman comes across beings straight from a pirate movie or a science fiction film. In particular, he'll meet Space Mama, a tough cookie with a deadly rolling pin.

THE CAVES OF SKOPS

This is a troubling underground world. Enter it through Joe the Extraterrestrial's cheerful snack shop. First, Rayman has to plug in his friend Joe's shop sign while avoiding the spiders. Then he must work his way around the stalactites in the cave to find the lair of Skops the Scorpion.



WORLDS

CANDY CHATEAU

Welcome to the world of desserts where Mister Dark is hidden, guarded by clowns performing amazing stunts. But be careful, Mister Dark is diabolical!

Now that you know what to expect, plug in your controller and get ready to play.

Good luck!



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THE GREAT ESCAPE



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