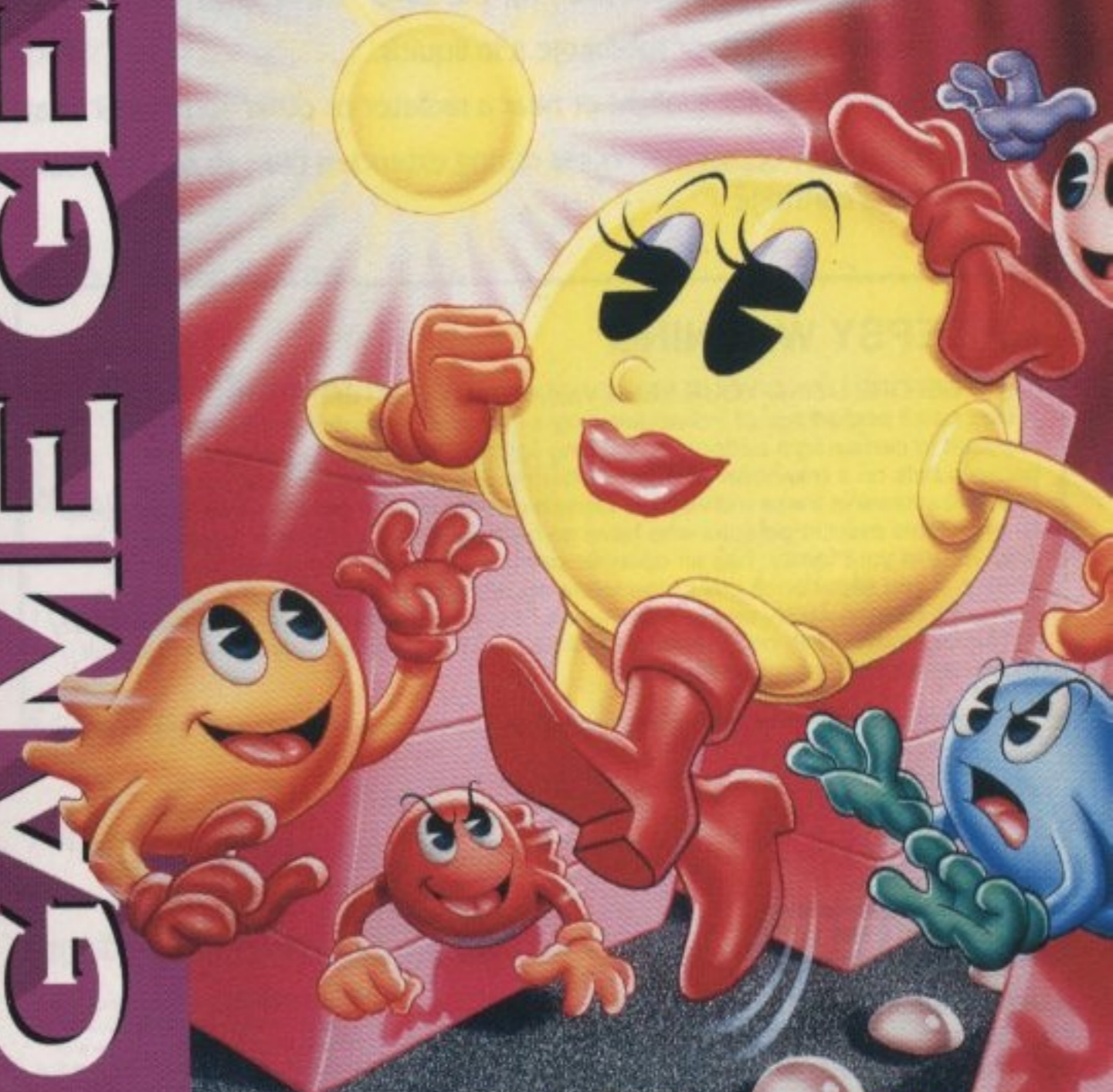


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- This Cartridge is intended exclusively for the Sega™ Game Gear™ System.
- Do not bend it, crush it, or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other sources of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional recess during extended play, to rest yourself and the Sega cartridge.

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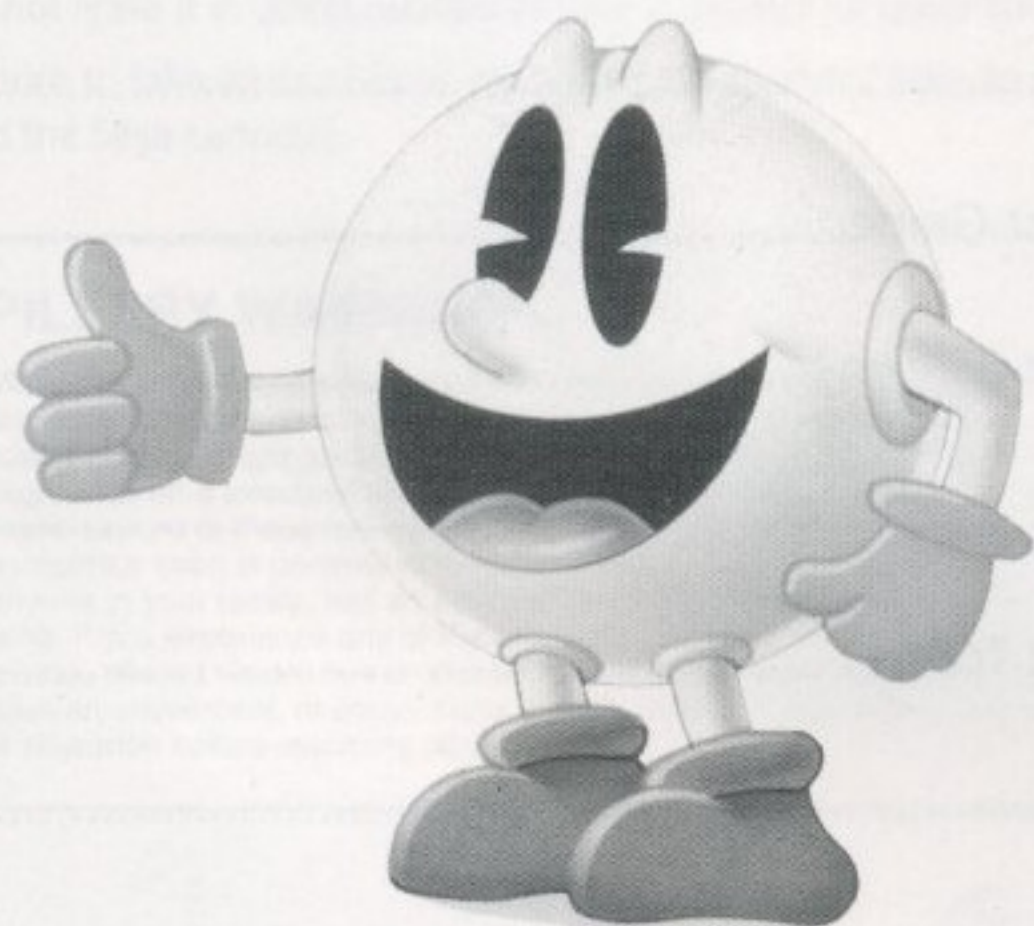
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• • • GHOSTIES . . . YUM, YUM! • • •

Who's the best ghost gobbler? Ms. Pac-Man or Pac-Man? This is your chance to prove your point. Race around the four mazes scarfing pellets in pursuit of the perfect score. For the ultimate challenge go head-to-head with a friend in non holds barred chow-down challenge.



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• • • • GETTING STARTED • • • •

1. Insert the Ms. Pac-Man game cartridge into your Sega Game Gear System.
2. Turn on your Game Gear. In a few moments, the Ms. Pac-Man Title screen will appear.

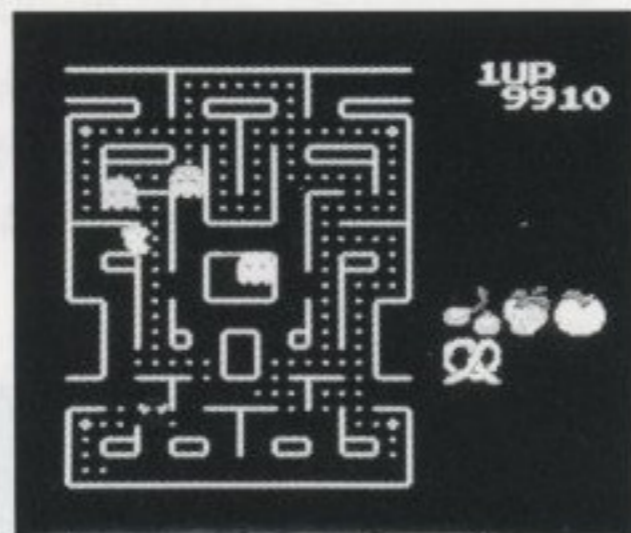
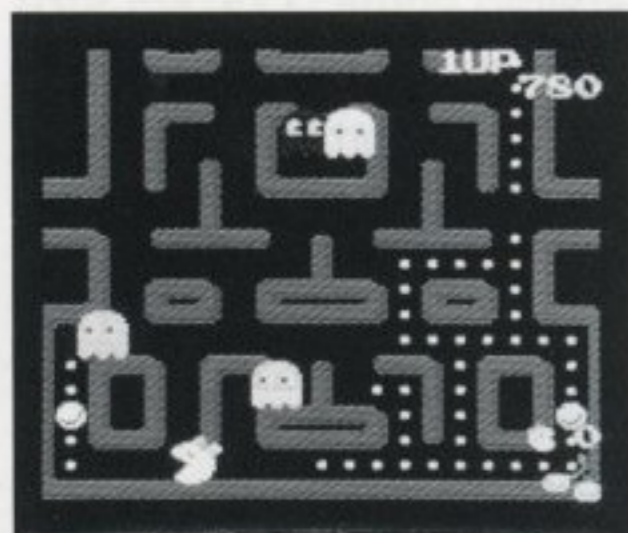



3. Press the Start button to begin the one player game. (For two players read the Starting a Two-Player Game section.)



• • • • • SCREEN SIZE • • • • •

You can choose from two different maze views! Read on to learn how!



- The default screen size for Ms. Pac-Man is the zoom view so you don't have to do anything if you wish to play with the zoom maze.
- From the Title screen press the Control Pad up/down to highlight 1 Player.
- Press the Control Pad left/right to select the half screen symbol. 
- Press the Start button to begin your game.



• • • • • DIFFICULTY • • • • •

If you're up for a challenge keep on reading! Ms. Pac-Man plays just like the arcade original, but if you think you're really good, try the hard mode. Here's how.

- From the Menu screen press the Control Pad to highlight Arcade/Hard.
- Press the Control Pad to the right to highlight Hard.
- Begin the game for either One or Two players.



• • • • • **CONTROL** • • • • •

Read this section to learn all the moves!

Start button - Press to pause during game play.

Control Pad - Press to move Ms. Pac-Man through the maze.

1 button - No function

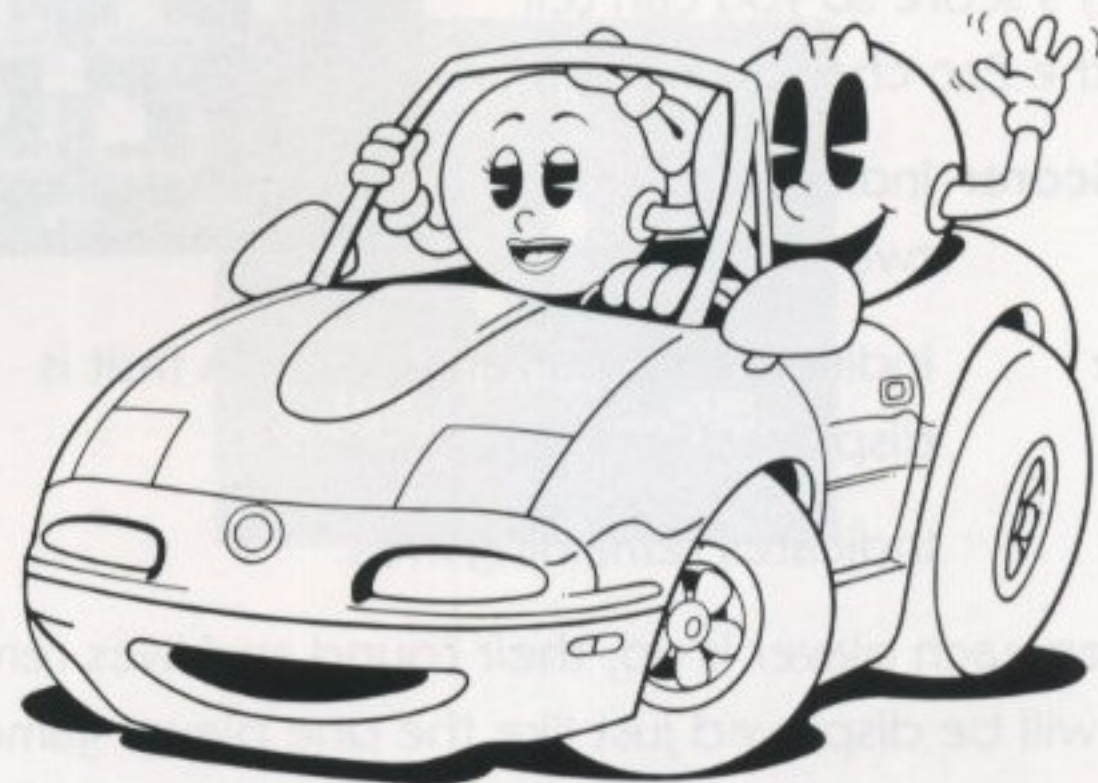
2 button - No function



• • • • • **TWO-PLAYER GAME** • • • • •

Ms. Pac-Man has a 2 player feature just like the arcade original. Players take turns competing for the highest score in non-stop Ms. Pac-Man ghost chomping action! Player one is Ms. Pac-Man and player two is Pac-Man. Find out who is the ghost chomping czar!

1. From the Title screen press down on the control pad to highlight 2 Players.
2. Press the Start button to begin the two player game.



• • • • THE GAME SCREEN • • • •

One Player Games

All the important information is on the right side of the screen.

1up: Indicates your current score.

Maze: Indicates the current maze. A fruit is displayed for each maze.

Lives: Indicates remaining lives.

Two Player Games

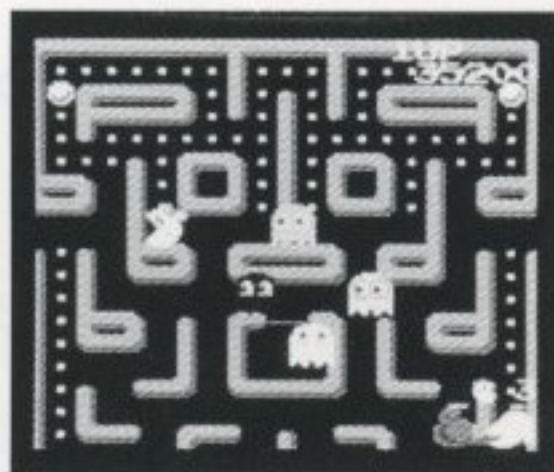
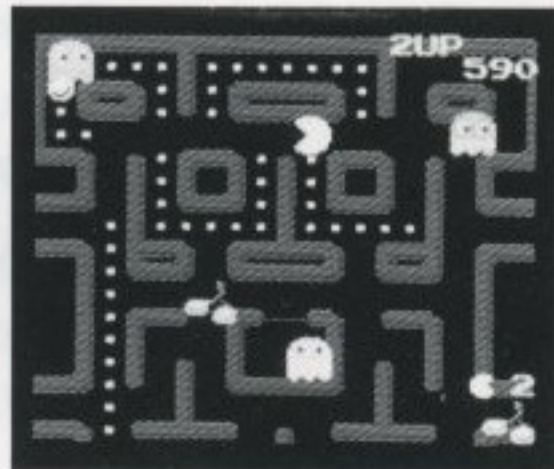
Keep an eye peeled on your buddy's score so you can tell who the Pac-champion really is.

2up Score: Indicates player two's current score.

Maze: Indicates the current maze. A fruit is displayed for each maze.

Lives: Indicates remaining lives.

- When each player is up, their round and lives remaining will be displayed just like the one player game.
- Player two will play Pac-Man!



• • • • RULES • • • •

Short and simple

- Your goal is to clear each maze by eating all the pellets.
- You start a game with 3 Ms. Pac-Man lives.
- When a ghost catches Ms. Pac-Man, she loses a life.
- If Ms. Pac-Man loses all her lives the game is over.



• • • • **TRICKS AND TREATS** • • • •

Use the tricks and treats to your best advantage to fool the ghosts and grab high scores!

Power Pellets: Eat a Power Pellet and you'll have the power to gobble ghosts! You can only eat ghosts when they change shape and turn to a darker shade. The power pellets only take effect for a limited time so you'll have to eat and run. Ghosts start flashing before they turn back, so watch out!

Fruit Treats: Fruits appear twice in each maze. Scarf them down for big bonus points. The more mazes you complete, the more the fruit is worth.

Warp Tunnels: Go through these tunnels and you'll shoot out on the other side of the maze. Use them to zip around and lose a ghost that's hot on your tail.

• • • • • **SCORING** • • • • •

The more you eat, the more you score! If only life was that simple!

Pellets: 10 points

Power Pellets: 50 points

Ghosts: Munch ghosts for big points. The more you eat the more they're worth!

First ghost 200 points

Second ghost 400 points

Third ghost 800 points

Fourth ghost 1,600 points

Fruit: More mazes, more points!

Maze 1, Cherry 100 points

Maze 2, Strawberry 300 points

Maze 3, Orange 500 points

Extra Life: You gain an extra Ms. Pac-Man at 10,000 points. Keep eating and you'll get more!

HINTS

- You move faster through paths that you've already cleared of pellets.
- The more mazes you clear the faster the game becomes. Your Power Pellet will wear off sooner as well.
- Trick the ghost by leading them away from section you want to clear. Then dash back and chow down the dots.
- Watch out for sneaky ghost tricks!
- Ghosts always move down when they leave their lair. So stay on top of things.



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