

TRACER SANCTION

Activision, Inc.

Humorous high resolution science fiction game

Description

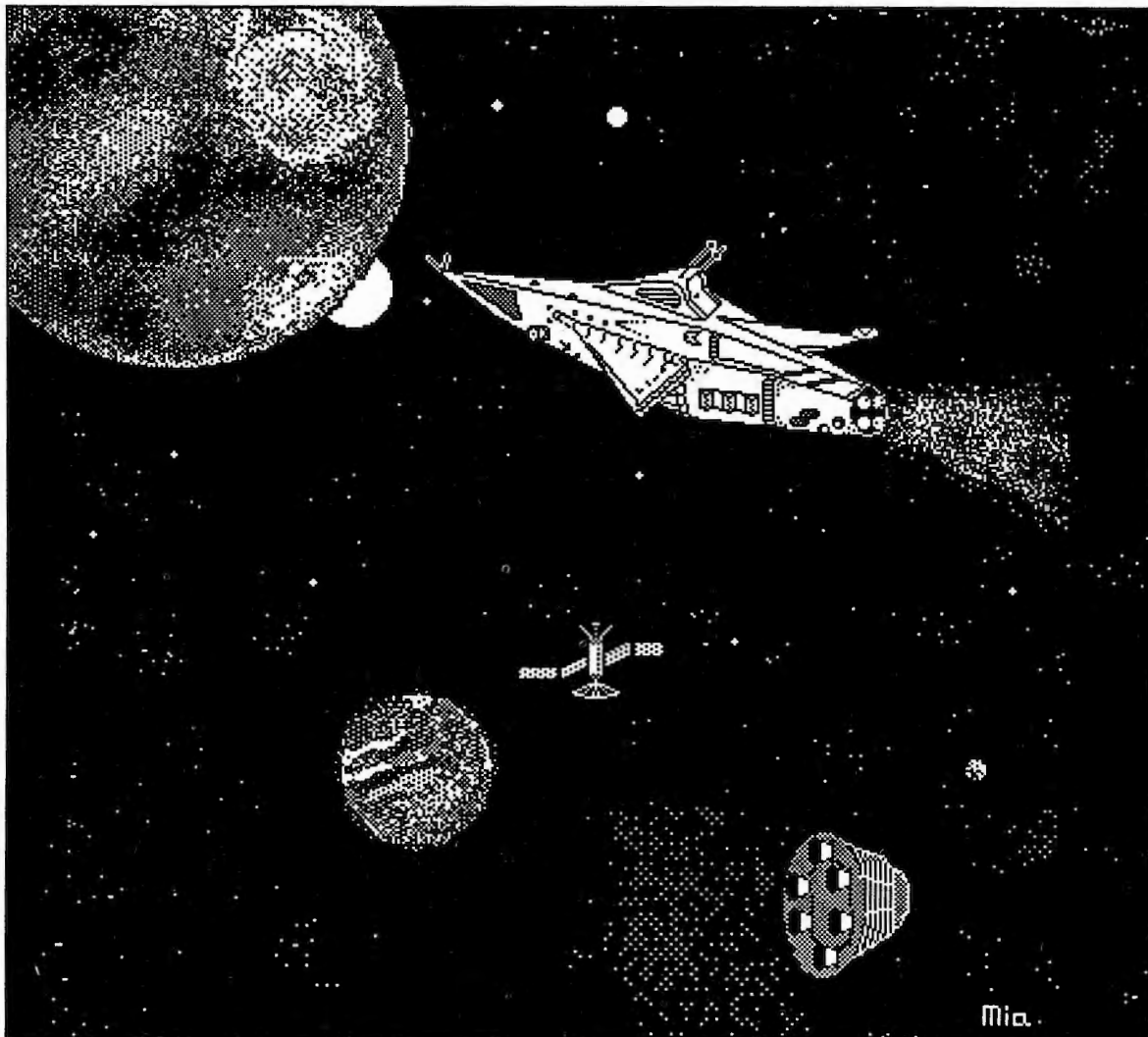
You are piloting a spaceship among eight planets, trying to return a fellow named Wing to his home. His home is a mysterious planet bearing a question mark on your chart. Of course part of the game is learning its name. You'll find the darndest things in the darndest places as you hop around the galaxy, but your real goal is to find money and fuel for your ship.

Playability

The puzzles are relatively straightforward, but a few are on the tricky side. Help is always available. The colorful graphics are excellent, and the ten-game save/restore function is among the best I've seen. Not a serious challenge for experienced players, but a good beginner's game. An on-disk tutorial about playing adventure games rounds out this package nicely.

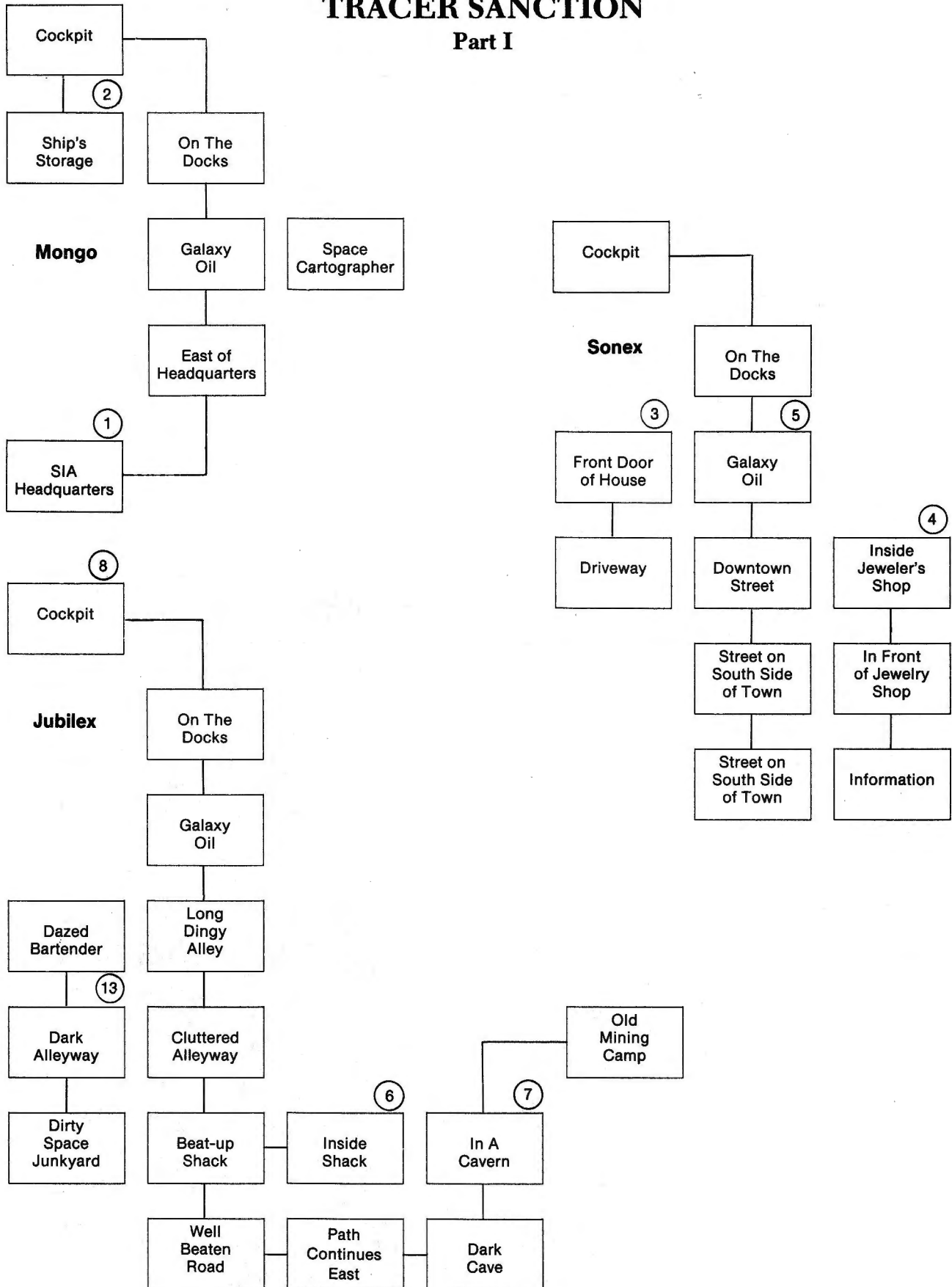
Compatibility and Prices

\$34.95 Commodore 64; \$39.95 Apple II series, IBM PC, PCjr, Tandy 1000



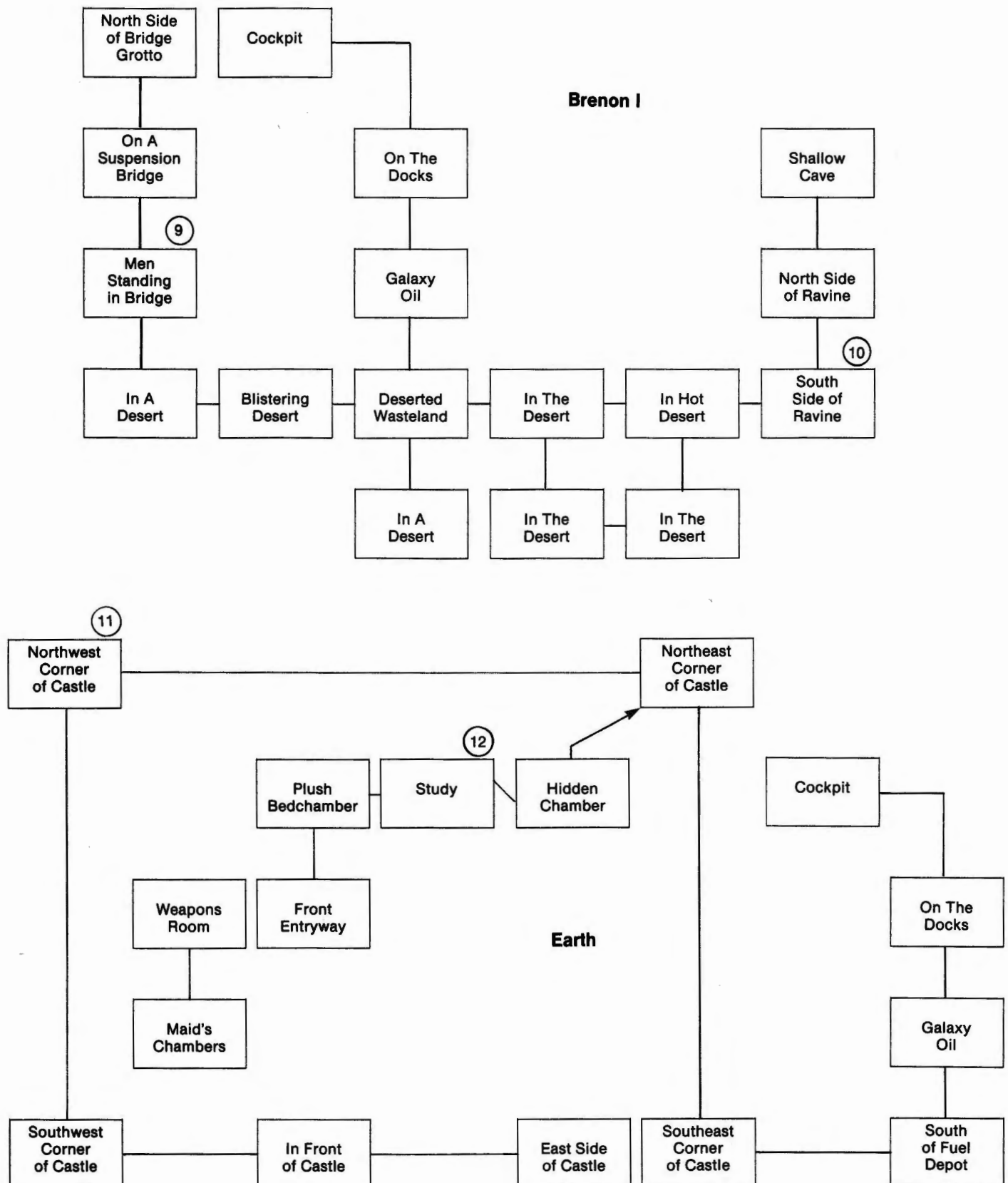
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Part I



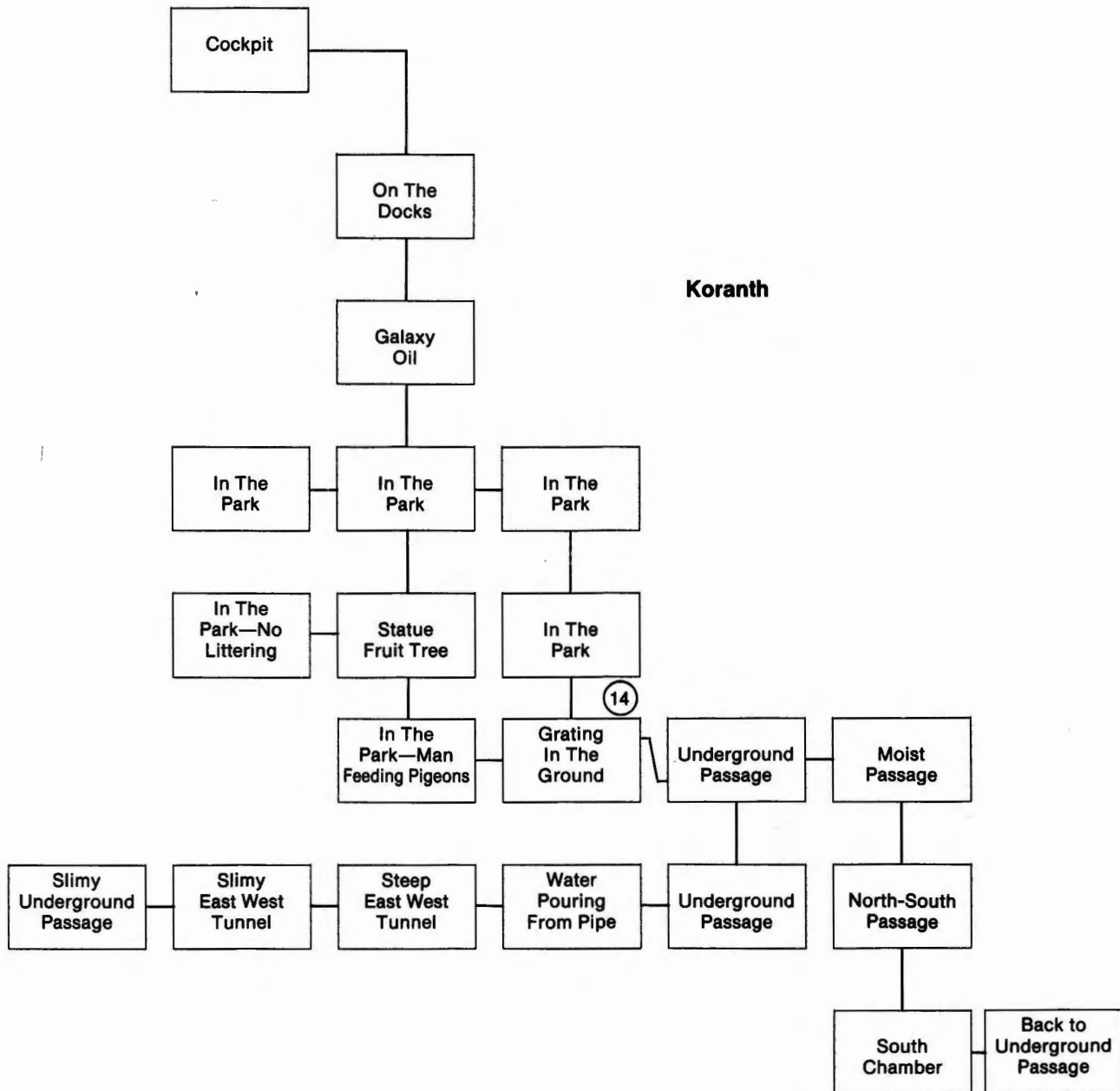
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Part II



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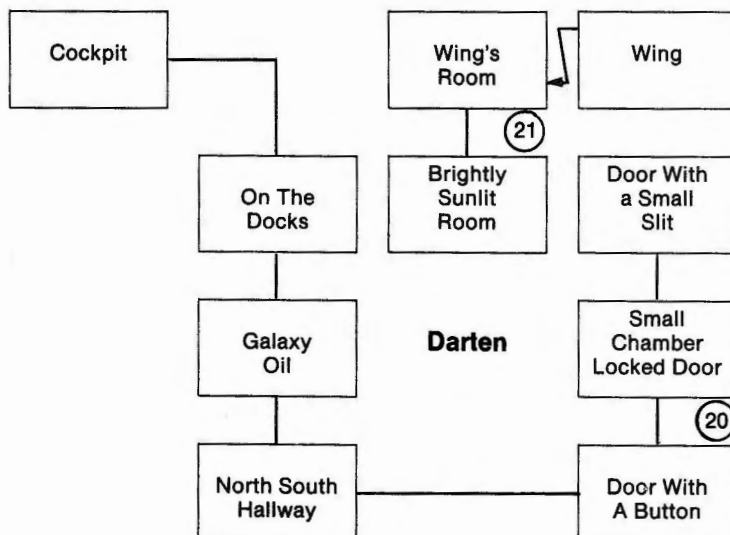
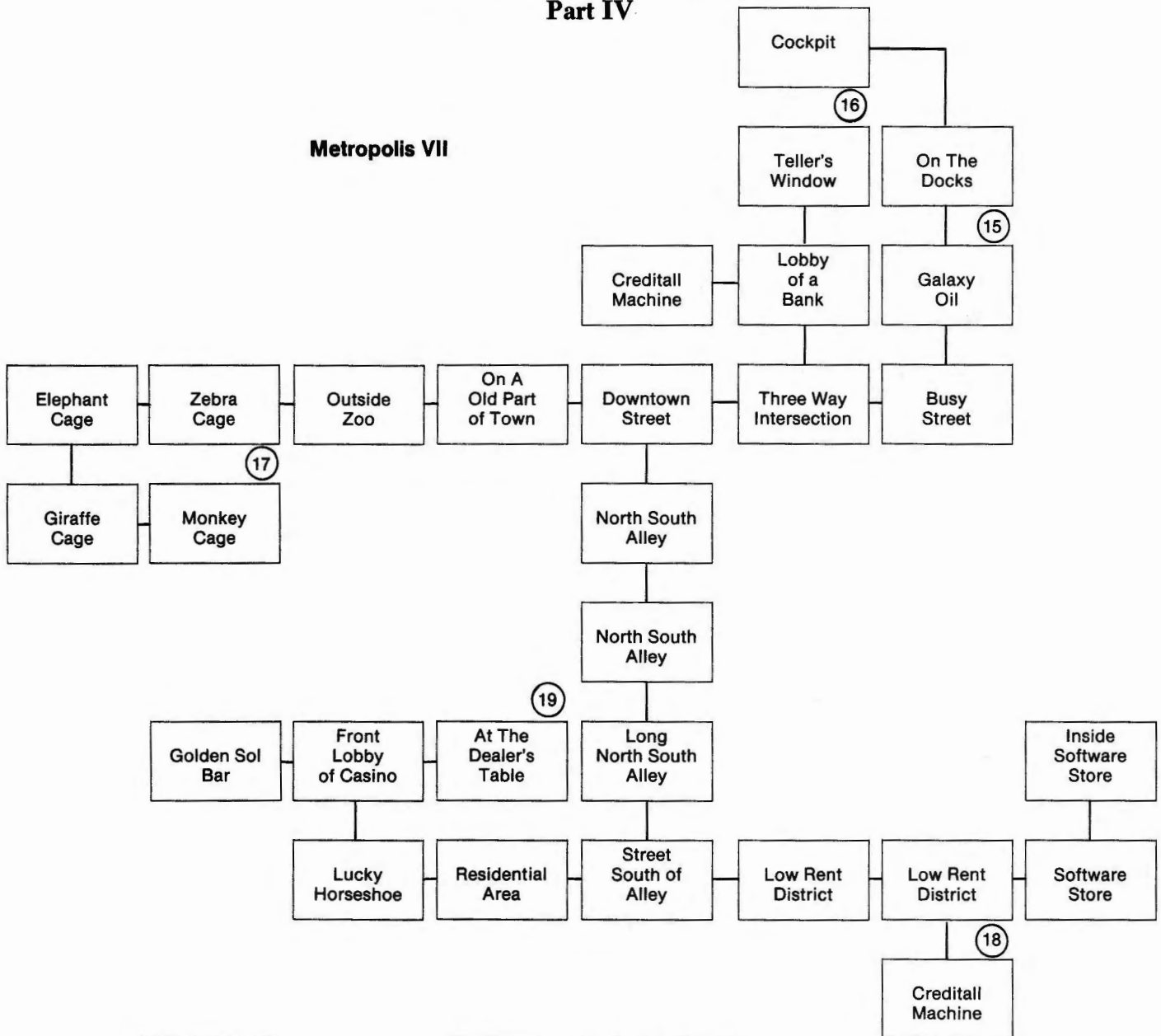
Part III



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Part IV

Metropolis VII



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1. Talk to Man. Go Buy Chart. Buy Fuel (990).
2. Get the Spacesut and Jetpack. Look at Chart. Turn Pointer to Sonex. Push Button.
3. Knock on Door (for a Clue).
4. Sell Gem.
5. Buy Fuel. Turn Pointer to Jubilex. Push Button.
6. Take Battery. West. Enter Shack. Leave Shack.
7. Yell or Shout. Go Get Diamond. Dig for Gold. Buy Fuel (750).
8. Turn Pointer to Sonex. Push Button. Sell the Diamond for \$1500. Buy more fuel (1500). Turn Pointer to Brenon I.
9. Shake Bridge. Get Android. Insert Batter.
10. Wear Jetpack. Turn Dial. North. Look Bushes. Go Get Ace and Lighter. Turn Pointer to Earth. Push Button.
11. Dig. Get Rope. Enter the Castle. Turn the Wheel.
12. Get the Torch. Take Worn Book. Get \$900. Wear Jetpack. Turn Dial. Take Sword. Go to front of Castle and Read Sign. Buy Fuel and Turn the Pointer to Jubilex. Push Button.
13. Light Lighter. Light Torch. Get \$700. Buy Fuel and Turn the Pointer to Koranth. Push Button.
14. Drop Android (he's afraid of the dark). Tie Rope to Pipe. E, E. Get Money. W, W. Buy some fuel and Turn Pointer to Metropolis VII. Push Button.
15. Sell Fuel. You should have \$700.
16. Open Account (costs \$50). Deposit all your money, should be \$650.
17. Give Banana. Get Key and Banana Peel.
18. Withdraw \$650. Enter the Casino. Don't waste your money on the woman. Talk to Bartender. Buy Drink (costs \$10). Buy Information (costs \$5). Get the name of the last planet, Valkryon.
19. Bet \$635. Cheat. Leave the Casino. Drop Banana Peel. Deposit \$1905. Don't forget to pick it up again in the Bank. Buy Fuel. Turn Pointer to Koranth. Push Button. Turn Pointer to Darten. Push Button.
20. Push Button. Unlock Door (need Key). Insert Sword in Slit. From the Entry to the Maze, go E, N, S, E, S, N, S, S, W, W, W, W, W, W, W. Talk to Man. Wing will now follow you.
21. Take Battery. Recharge Battery. Insert Battery. Get back to entry by E, E, E, E, E, N, W, W. Buy \$400 worth of fuel for the last trip. Turn Pointer to Valkyron. Push Button.