# Mega Memory Card For use with the Game Boy®, Game Boy® Pocket<sup>TM</sup> and Game Boy® Color

## **INTRODUCTION**

Thank you for purchasing the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card for the Game Boy® Color, Game Boy® Pocket, and the Game Boy. The Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card lets you store your favorite Game Boy® game saves so that you never have to erase your best score, fastest racing time or the game save with the hardest level that took you weeks to beat. With a massive 8 MB of RAM, the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card stores up to 100 Game Boy® game saves, and the easy to use menu system makes your game saves easily accessible.

NOTE: This product is only compatible with Game Boy® games that create and store actual game saves. If a Game Boy® game does not have a game save feature, or uses a password to save a game, that game will not work with the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card

# How to use the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card

- 1. Insert the bottom portion of the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card into the cartridge slot in
- 2. Connect the Game Boy® game cartridge to the Cartridge Connector of the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card. The game cartridge is supposed to be positioned upside down
- 3. Turn the Game Boy® unit around so that the display screen is facing you and slide the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card power switch to the right (the ON position). Now turn the Game Boy® unit on.
- 4. The Main Menu will then appear on display screen.

## If the Main Menu Does Not Appear

- 1. Make sure that the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card is completely inserted into the cartridge
- 2. Make sure that the game cartridge is connected to the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card cartridge connector.
- 3. Make sure the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card power switch is pushed toward the right (the ON position).
- 4. Make sure the Game Boy® unit has batteries that work and that are positioned correctly.

## **MAIN MENU**

The Main Menu contains the following 6 options:

- 1. Backup
- 2. Restore
- 3. Delete
- 4. Options
- 5. Erase Game Save
- 6. Reset

You will also notice a bar at the bottom of this menu. This is your Storage Bar. It tells you how much storage space is available within the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card for game saves.

## **BACKUP**

Backup allows you to take a saved game from a Game Boy® game cartridge and store it in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card. Backup also allows you to store up to 100 game saves in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card, and give each of those saves a unique file name.

# How to Backup a Game Save

- 1. Highlight Backup in the Main Menu and press the A button.
- 2. Enter a name for the save that you are backing up. Make sure that it is a name that you can easily recognize so that you can find and restore the save later. Use the Direction Pad (D-Pad) to navigate to a character and press the A button to select, or press the B button to cancel.
- 3. When you have finished naming the save, move down to the END symbol at the bottom right of the list. Press the A button to select, or press the B button to cancel.
- 4. A message box will appear indicating that backup process is working. When the process is finished, you will return to the Main Menu.
- 5. To see a list of saves that you have stored in the Mega Memory Card, highlight Restore and press the A button to select.

## RESTORE

When you want to replay a save that you stored in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card, Restore allows to see the list of game saves that you have stored in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card and lets you place one of these saves onto a Game Boy® game cartridge.

## **How to Restore a Game Save**

1. Highlight Restore in the Main Menu and press the A button.

- 2. A list of game saves will appear on the display screen. Use the D-Pad to select a game save, then press the A button. To exit this screen, press the B button.
- 3. A message box will appear indicating that restore process is working. When the process is finished, you will return to the Main Menu.
- 4. To play the game save you just restored, turn the Game Boy® and the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card off. Now turn the Game Boy® on and find the game save(s) within the game. You may have to follow the game's instruction manual to learn how to retrieve and replay game saves from a game cartridge.

NOTE: You can only restore a game save to its corresponding game. For example, you cannot restore a Tetris® game save onto a PokeMon® game cartridge, you can only restore a Tetris game saves to the correct Tetris game cartridge.

#### DELETE

This command allows you to delete game saves stored in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card. DO NOT confuse this function with Erase Game Save, which allows you to erase game saves from the Game Boy® game CARTRIDGE.

# How to Delete a Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card Game Save

- 1. Highlight Delete in the Main Menu and press the A button.
- 2. A list of game saves will appear on screen. Use the D-Pad to move the arrow to the save that you want to delete, then press the A button. To exit this screen, press the B button.
- 3. A message will ask if you want to delete the game save that you selected. If you do, move the arrow to YES and press the A button. The save that you selected will be deleted from the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card and you will return to the Main Menu.

If you do not want to delete the game save, move the arrow to NO and press the A button. Nothing will be deleted and you will return to the Main Menu.

# NOTE: Once a game save is deleted from the Mega Memory™Card, it cannot be undeleted.

## **OPTIONS**

When you select this, you will see the menu below. At the right of each option, you'll also see a square. When you select or de-select an option, an X will either appear in the box or disappear.

Use the D-Pad to move the arrow to the option of your choice, then press the A button to select or to de-select it.

NOTE: After you make changes to the Options list, be sure to move the arrow to the Save and Exit option, then press the A button to save the changes.

#### 1. Icons

Turns the icons that you see in the Main Menu on and off.

#### 2. Inverse

This changes the color of the background. Black and white are the only two background colors available.

## 3. Sound

This option turns on or off the sound you hear while navigating through menus.

# 4. Unique Names

This option forces you to create unique file names for the game saves that are stored in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card. If you select this option, no two backup file names can be the same.

#### 5. Save and Exit

This saves the changes that were made to the Options list, then returns to the Main Menu.

## **ERASE GAME SAVES**

This feature allows you to erase game saves stored on your Game Boy® game cartridge so you can have more space on the cartridge to store other saves.

NOTE: BE CAREFUL. This feature erases game saves from a Game Boy® game cartridge. Do not confuse this with the Delete feature, which deletes game saves from the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card. Once a save is deleted, it cannot be undeleted.

# How to Erase a Game Save from a Cartridge

- 1. Highlight Erase Game Save in the Main Menu and press the A button.
- 2. 2. A message will appear asking if you want to erase the game from the game cartridge. Use the D-Pad to move the arrow to either YES or NO, then press the A button to select your choice. Press the B button to cancel.

## **FACTORY RESET**

Choosing this option will erase all game saves stored in the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card, plus change all the Options back to the original factory settings.

NOTE: BE CAREFUL. This feature deletes all the game saves stored in the Mega Memory. Once these saves are deleted, it cannot be undeleted.

# How to Reset the Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card

- 1. Highlight Factory Reset in the Main Menu and press the A button.
- 2. A message will appear asking if you want to reset the Mega Memory™ Card. Use the D-Pad to move the arrow to either YES or NO, then press the A button to select your choice. Press the B button to cancel.

## TROUBLE SHOOTING

If you are having problems with your Mega Memory<sup>TM</sup> Card, make sure that the game cartridge is plugged in properly and that the Game Boy® unit is turned on. Also, make sure that the Game Boy® unit has fresh batteries that are properly positioned. If you are still having problems, you can call our Technical Support department at (410) 785-4064. You can also reach InterAct by:

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