Space Cheese Mining

1   Overview

Sometime in the not too distant future, due to a series of inconvenient events, planet Earth was destroyed. Fortunately a few people survived and moved to different planets to survive. As time went on, they grew apart and began to dislike each other.

The sets of humans moved to various planets and colonized against the heat, radiation, and sulphuric acid rain. Some didn't make it, some didn't colonise, some say people are still roaming the galaxy, and some say I'm just making this all up.

Fortunately for mankind, an asteroid made entirely of cheese has exploded in a neighbouring solar system, so it becomes a battle to get as much cheese as possible. Who will get 6 pieces of cheese first? Who will be the supreme (read: cheesiest) colony of humans? It's all about to be discovered in the new, thrilling, action-packed game of the year: Space Cheese Mining.

2   How do I set it up?

Find the file named "Space Cheese Mining.exe" and click it – twice! The fun begins here, so get ready.

You'll be met be a menu screen that may just blow your mind. Hit "Classic Mode" to start up a game. "Testing Mode" is there if you'd like to test the game.

We're nearly there! Go and find 3 victims to play against you (because after reading this guide, you have a clear advantage over them!). Enter your names, noting that you cannot enter a name if the previous textbox is empty.
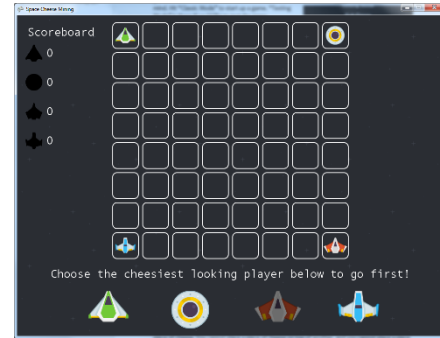
Hit "Start Game" and fun will ensue.

3   The pregame

You may well want to jump straight into it, or you may be sat there in glory of these 4k textures, but wait – there are a few things first.

3.1 Choosing the Cheesiest

Take a look at each player around you. Tell the other players to do the same. You must decide together the following question: who resembles a piece of cheese the most? Decide this amongst yourselves, and choose whichever piece that player owns when prompted.

In this case, Jack looks the most like a piece of cheese (by a 3 to 1 vote), so we'll press the red rocket, because that's his piece.
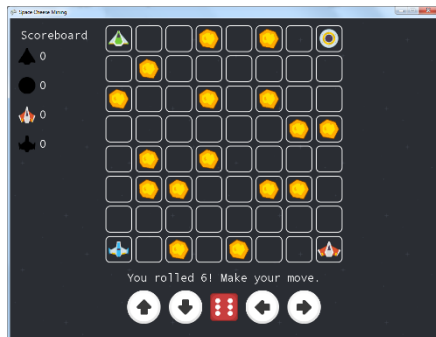
3.2 Placing the Cheese

Imagine yourself as some benevolent overlord: you must place 4 pieces of cheese for each player. Take it in turns sharing the benevolent glory as the game tells you. Simply click on a square to place a piece of cheese. You cannot place a piece of cheese on top of another, and you cannot place a piece on one of the 4 corner starting squares.

4 Taking a Move

After completing this you'll be hit by the stunning red die. You might want to click it, and that is exactly what you should do. Click the die, and take a go. You will be greeted by a number between 1 and 6 (probably not the one you want). Furthermore, you'll notice 4 beautiful buttons have appeared on your interface.

With all this excitement, you may have forgotten which piece you are. No problem – you will find a dandy scoreboard glued to the left of your screen. It doesn't display your name however, so try to remember it. If you forgot your name in all the comotion, close the game, have a rest, and try again in 30 minutes.

Simply click on the direction you would like to move. Unfortunately from this position, Jack cannot do anything.

4.1.1 Picking up Cheese

Picking up cheese is extremely simple. Land on top of a piece and it's yours. Bang. The job is done.

4.1.2 Cheese Grappling

If you land on top of another player, you must steal a piece of their cheese. You need that cheese more than they do. If you land on just one person, then you shall get a piece instantly. If you land on more than one person who has cheese however, you'll be met with a choice. From whom do I steal? That is purely your decision – we will aid you in the execution of the decision. Note: we recommend stealing from whoever has most. Can't be letting them win!

5 Winning the game

To win the game, collect 6 pieces of cheese. If no pieces remain, grapple them from your opponents! You will be met by a win screen if you win!