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## GETTING STARTED

Make sure your Nintendo DS system is turned off. Insert the SONIC CLASSIC COLLECTION™ Game Card into the Game Card slot on the back of the Nintendo DS system and push until it clicks into place.

Turn the power on. The **Health and Safety Screen** shown to the right will appear. Once you have read it, touch the Touch Screen.

When using a Nintendo DSi system, simply touch the SONIC CLASSIC COLLECTION™ icon to start the game.

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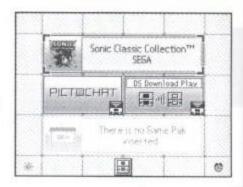
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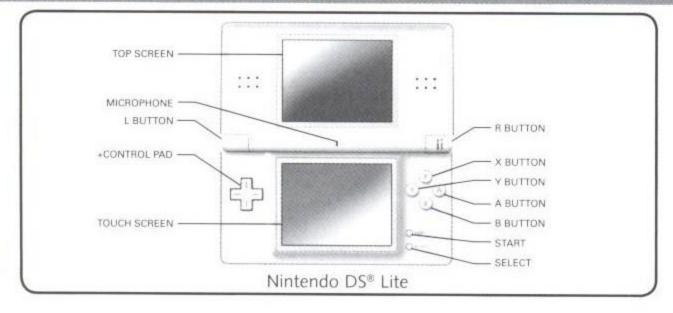
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Touch the Touch Screen to continue



### **Nintendo DS Lite**





At the Main Menu, press START or touch the Touch Screen to access the sub menus.

Use the arrows on the Touch Screen to scroll through the games or artwork. Once you've picked a game to play, touch the icon to play the game. To return to the previous screen touch the icon.

### Main Menu

#### O GAMES

Access all of the classic Sonic games in this collection.

#### **O ILLUSTRATIONS**

Access the gallery to view bonus artwork.

#### O CREDITS

See the staff list of this game.



#### Game Menu

During the action, the following options will be available to you at all times. Simply touch the icons on the Touch Screen to use each option.

Please note that Sonic 3 and Knuckles in Sonic 3 do not contain the save and load game options as they have an auto-save feature.

#### **© STORY & OBJECTIVES**

View the objectives and story of the selected game.

#### O BASIC CONTROLS

View the control scheme of the selected game.

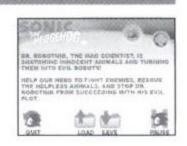
#### O SAVE GAME

Save the current game from any location and condition.

Please note that for Sonic and Knuckles this feature is disabled and the game will load from the beginning of the current Zone.

#### O LOAD GAME

Load previously saved games.



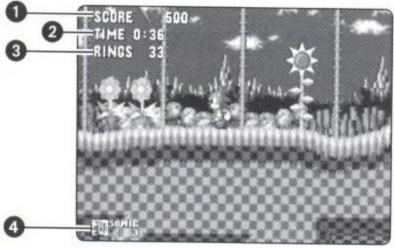
#### **Common Controls**

The following game controls are common to the Sonic the Hedgehog series featured in this collection. Additional game/character-based controls will be explained under each game title (starting from p.6).

Walk / Run	+Control Pad ←/→
Jump (Spin Affach)	A / B / Y Button
Rolling Spin Affack	+Control Pad ↓ (while moving)
Spin Dash	+Control Pad ↓, A/B/Y, release ↓

## **Game Display**

The following display items are available while playing Sonic the Hedgehog, Sonic the Hedgehog 2, Sonic the Hedgehog 3 and Sonic & Knuckles.



- O Current score
- 2 Time elapsed
- Number of Rings (\*Flashes when zero)
- Remaining Lives



## **Items & Objects**



#### O RINGS

Staying alive will be tough, but by grabbing Rings, Sonic won't get hurt when attacked. If an enemy attacks, you will lose the Rings you have collected. If an enemy attacks while Sonic has no Rings, you will lose a Life.



#### O ITEM BOX

Smash the Item boxes with a Spin Attack to get Rings and Special Items. See details of each game to find out what kind of Special Items are available in the game.





#### **Q LAMPPOSTS / STARPOSTS**

By crossing through a Lamppost or Starpost, your present score and time will be recorded. If you fail to complete the Act, you will return to the last Lamppost you touched.

The appearance of the items/objects above varies slightly between games.

## **Game Score**

All enemies are worth 100 points. Defeating Dr. Robotnik (AKA Dr. Eggman) at the end of a Zone earns you 1,000 points. Both the Time Bonus and the Ring Bonus will be added to your final score when available.



- ★ Time bonus This bonus is based on how much time you took to clear the Act.
- ★ Ring bonus This bonus is determined by the number of Rings you have left at the end of an Act.



## SONIC THE HEDGEHOG



Dr. Robotnik (AKA Dr. Eggman), the mad scientist, is snatching innocent animals and turning them into evil robots! Help our hero fight enemies, rescue the helpless animals, and stop Dr. Robotnik from succeeding with his evil plot.

#### **♦ GAME OBJECTIVE**

Avoid traps and crazed robots as you dash through 6 hazardous Zones, each with three thrilling Acts. You will face Dr. Robotnik at the end of every Zone (third Act). You have 10 minutes of Game Time to clear each Act. After 10 minutes, a TIME OVER message will appear and you will lose a Life.

## Additional Controls

♦ While standing still, press the +Control Pad (up/down) to scroll the screen up and down. The screen will not scroll when Sonic is already at the highest or lowest point.

\* Spin Dash (mentioned in p.4) cannot be used in this game.

## Special Items



Super Rings: 10 Rings at once!



Power Sneaker: Run even faster!



1-Ups: An extra

Life.





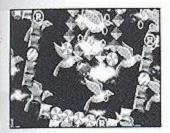
Invincible: Safe from enemy attacks for a short time.



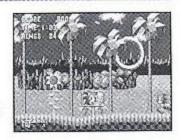
Shield: Defends you from one enemy attack.

## **Special Stages**

If you have 50 Rings at the end of any Act, you can warp to the Special Stage by jumping into the giant gold Ring.



Use the Spin Attack by ricocheting off multicolored blocks in a 360° rotating maze. In each Special Stage, the aim is to grab the Chaos Emerald and as many Rings as you can while keeping away from the Goal Blocks.





#### O CHAOS EMERALDS

These come in 6 different colours: yellow, pink, blue, green, red and white. You can find one in every Special Stage so collect them all!



#### **© GOAL BLOCKS**

This is the end of the Zone. Touch this and you will return to the previous Zone empty handed.

## Play Tips

- Grab all the Rings you can. When you lose your Rings, rush to grab them before they disappear.
- Watch the traps carefully to see how they move and improve your chances of avoiding them.
- Look for ways to get to places that seem impossible to reach.
- Use the Spin Attack, find hidden items, look for secret rooms!
- O Destroy enemies in succession for bonus points.
- By collecting Rings and improving your score, you may be lucky and obtain a Continue worth three more lives after GAME OVER. Press START before the timer expires during the Continue Screen.



# SONIC THE HEDGEHOG 2



Dr. Robotnik has returned, again bent on world domination. Join Sonic and his sidekick Miles "Tails" Prower the fox as they try to stop the demented scientist from discovering the Chaos Emeralds and completing the ultimate weapon, the "Death Egg."

#### ♦ GAME OBJECTIVE

Avoid traps and Badniks as you guide Sonic and his sidekick Tails through ten different Zones on the trail of the mad scientist Dr. Robotnik. You have 10 minutes to clear each Act. After 10 minutes, a TIME OVER message will appear and you will lose a Life.

### Additional Controls

#### O SUPER TWIST

In Metropolis Zone, press the +Control Pad left/right to turn the metal nut up or down the screw.





#### O PINBALL ATTACK

In Casino Night Zone press the Y, B or A Button to push down the spring and hold it down to build power and release to spring away! The Y, B or A Buttons are also used to flip the levers.



## Special Items



Super Rings: 10 Rings at once!



Power Sneaker: Run even faster!



1-Ups: An extra Life.



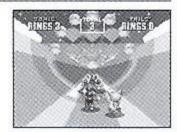
**Invincible:** Safe from enemy attacks for a short time.



**Shield:** Defends you from one enemy attack.

## Special Stages

This is your chance to collect a Chaos Emerald. Speed around the chute, picking up as many Rings as you can. Sidestep or jump over the bombs to stay in the race. If you finish the Stage, you will receive a Chaos Emerald and return to the Starpost of your original Zone.



## Play Tips

- O Jump on levers, hang from vines, or use Spin Attack to find hidden items.
- In the Special Stage, don't move too fast or you may miss the Rings.
- O Destroy enemies in succession for bonus points.
- By collecting Rings and improving your score, you may be lucky and obtain a Continue worth three more lives after GAME OVER. Press START before the timer expires during the Continue Screen.



# SONIC THE HEDGEHOG B



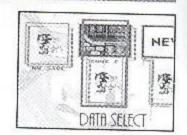
Dr. Robotnik's "Death Egg" has lost its ability to fly after crash landing on the Floating Island, and only the power of the Chaos Emeralds can repair his ship. To obtain these, he tricks their guardian Knuckles the Echidna convincing him that Sonic and Tails are really his enemies...

### ♦ GAME OBJECTIVE

Dodge Badniks and traps set by Knuckles, collect Rings, and uncover Chaos Emeralds as you guide Sonic and his sidekick Tails through six different Zones on the trail of the deranged scientist Dr. Robotnik.

## Data Select Screen

The DATA SELECT screen allows you to store up to six different games. Press the +Control Pad (left/right) to select a Game Save Window and press START to play. To start a new game, select **NEW** and press the +Control Pad (up/down) to select your character(s). To play without recording your progress, Select **NO SAVE** (top left box). If you complete a game and collect all the Chaos Emeralds, you are allowed to play a game from any Zone.



## Additional Controls

#### O INSTA-SHIELD

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During a Spin Jump, press the Y, B or A Button to generate enough energy for Sonic to be protected by a shield for a split second.

#### **O TAILS**

Press the Y, B or A Button multiple times so Tails can lift off and fly for a short amount of time. Use the +Control Pad for direction and tap the Y/B/A Button to maintain altitude.

## Special Items



Super Rings: 10 Rings at once!



Power Sneaker: Run even faster!



**1-Ups:** An extra Life.



Invincible: Safe from enemy attacks for a short time.



Robotnik: DANGER! You will receive damage like any Badnik attack.



Water Shield: Allows you to breathe underwater and bounce like a ball.



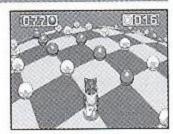
**Lightning Shield:** Attracts Rings like a magnet and a defense for electric and energy ball attacks. Will allow you to double jump too.



Flame Shield: Defends you from fire attacks and enables you to perform Fireball Spin Dash.

## Special Stages

Every Act has a hidden room with a giant Ring. Leap into the Ring to enter the Special Stage. This is your chance to collect the Chaos Emerald. Grab the blue spheres and avoid the red. When you collect all the blue spheres, a Chaos Emerald will appear.



## Bonus Stages

To find the Bonus Stage, collect 50 or more Rings during an Act, touch a Starpost and then leap into the tiny stars that appear. In the Bonus Stage, grab extra 1-Ups, Special Items, and Rings by turning the crank of the Gumball Machine.



# SONIC & KNUCKLES



Having blasted Dr. Robotnik's "Death Egg" to smithereens, Sonic is determined to find the Emeralds hidden on Floating Island, but Knuckles is equally determined to stop him by all means available. While they're going the rounds with each other, who will stop Dr. Robotnik?

## **♦ GAME OBJECTIVE**

Help Sonic or Knuckles collect Rings, avoid Badniks and escape traps as Dr. Robotnik attempts another dastardly plot to take over the world. You have 10 minutes to clear each Act. If you go over 10 minutes, a TIME OVER message will appear, costing you a Life.

## **Character Selection**

Press the +Control Pad (up/down) on the Title Screen to select either **SONIC** or **KNUCKLES** and press START to begin the game.

## **Additional Controls**

#### O INSTA-SHIELD

Quickly press the Y, B or A Button twice to generate a shield for a split second.

#### O KNUCKLES GLIDE

While Knuckles is jumping, hold the the Y, B or A Button to glide through the air, and press the +Control Pad (left/right) to navigate the glide. You can use this move to attack opponents.



#### **© KNUCKLES WALL CLIMB**

Knuckles can perform a wall climb by leaping towards a vertical surface and pressing the Y, B or A Button to stick to the surface. Press the +Control Pad up/down to climb up and down and then press the Y or B Button to jump off.



## **Special Items**

Smash open the Item boxes with Spin Attack to get Power-Ups. For details of the Special Items for this game, please refer to the Special Items section in Sonic the Hedgehog 3 (p.11).

## **Bonus Stages**

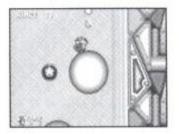
The number of Rings that you have when you touch the Starpost will determine the Bonus Stage. Collect 50 Rings in a Bonus Stage to earn an extra credit to continue when the game is over. When the Bonus Stage is over, you will return to the location of the Starpost to continue the Act.





#### O SLOT MACHINE STAGE

Collect Rings when the tumblers roll. Jump towards the centre and avoid the Goal Blocks to stay in this stage.



#### O GLOWING SPHERES STAGE

Sonic is stuck to a magnetic sphere. Roll to the top before jumping to a higher one. Use the flippers and bumpers to help you, and watch out for the strings of force field orbs creeping up from below!



## **Special Stages**

Every Act has a hidden room with a giant Ring. Leaping into the Ring will teleport you to the Special Stage.

This is your chance to collect the Chaos Emerald. Grab the Blue Spheres and avoid the Red Spheres. When you collect all of the Blue Spheres, a Chaos Emerald will appear. When you find a block of Blue Spheres (at least 3x3), touch all of the perimeter spheres and turn them into Rings. Note that you can earn a credit to continue the game if you collect 50 or more Rings.



## **MORE SONIC & KNUCKLES GAMES !!!**





Combined ("lock-on") games of Sonic & Knuckles can also be played in this collection. Play Knuckles in Sonic 2 and Knuckles in Sonic 3 to find more enemies and secrets not found in the standalone versions (Sonic the Hedgehog 2 and Sonic the Hedgehog 3).

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