

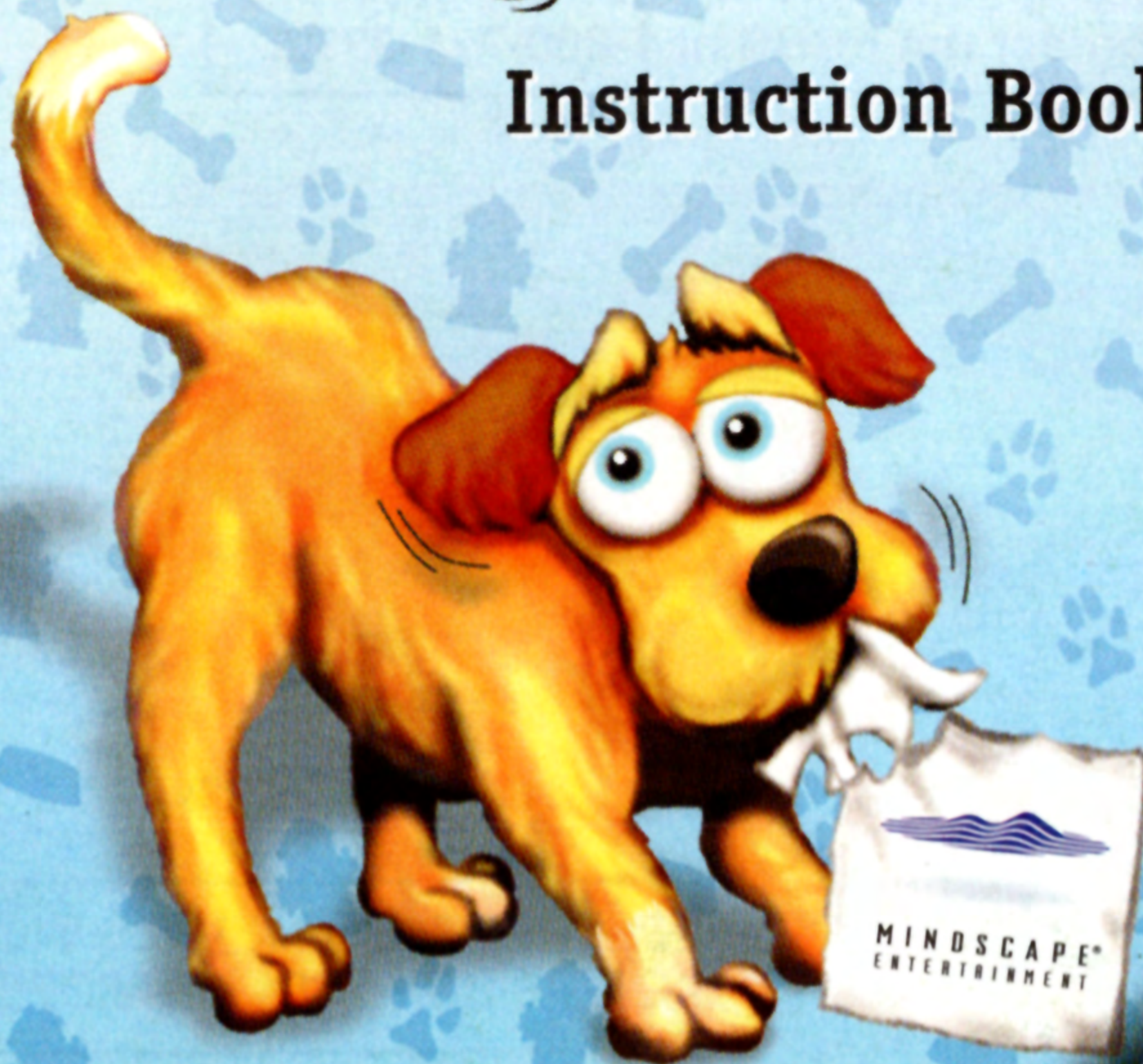
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WHAT ARE DOGZ?

Dogz are virtual Petz that live on your Color Game Boy. Dogz need lots of love and care – and if you raise a happy, well-cared for Dogz - you get to Adopt more. After your first Dogz, Adopt up to three Dogz. Play with Dogz one at a time so they get plenty of attention – brush them, pet them, feed them and eventually they can retire to the Hall of Fame a happy Dogz! Collect other special Toyz from friends and trade your Dogz!

After each successfully raised Dogz, more different Dogz will become available to adopt and eventually you will get to adopt Rare Dogz like the Green Mutt!

Check the Status screen to find out how your Petz is doing. Learn what your particular Petz likes and what makes it happy - each Petz is unique and you get to influence how your friend grows and changes! But, remember, if your Dogz "Happiness" scale on the Status Screen stays red for too long – your Dogz may Run Away!

CONTROL SET

Menu Screen Controls

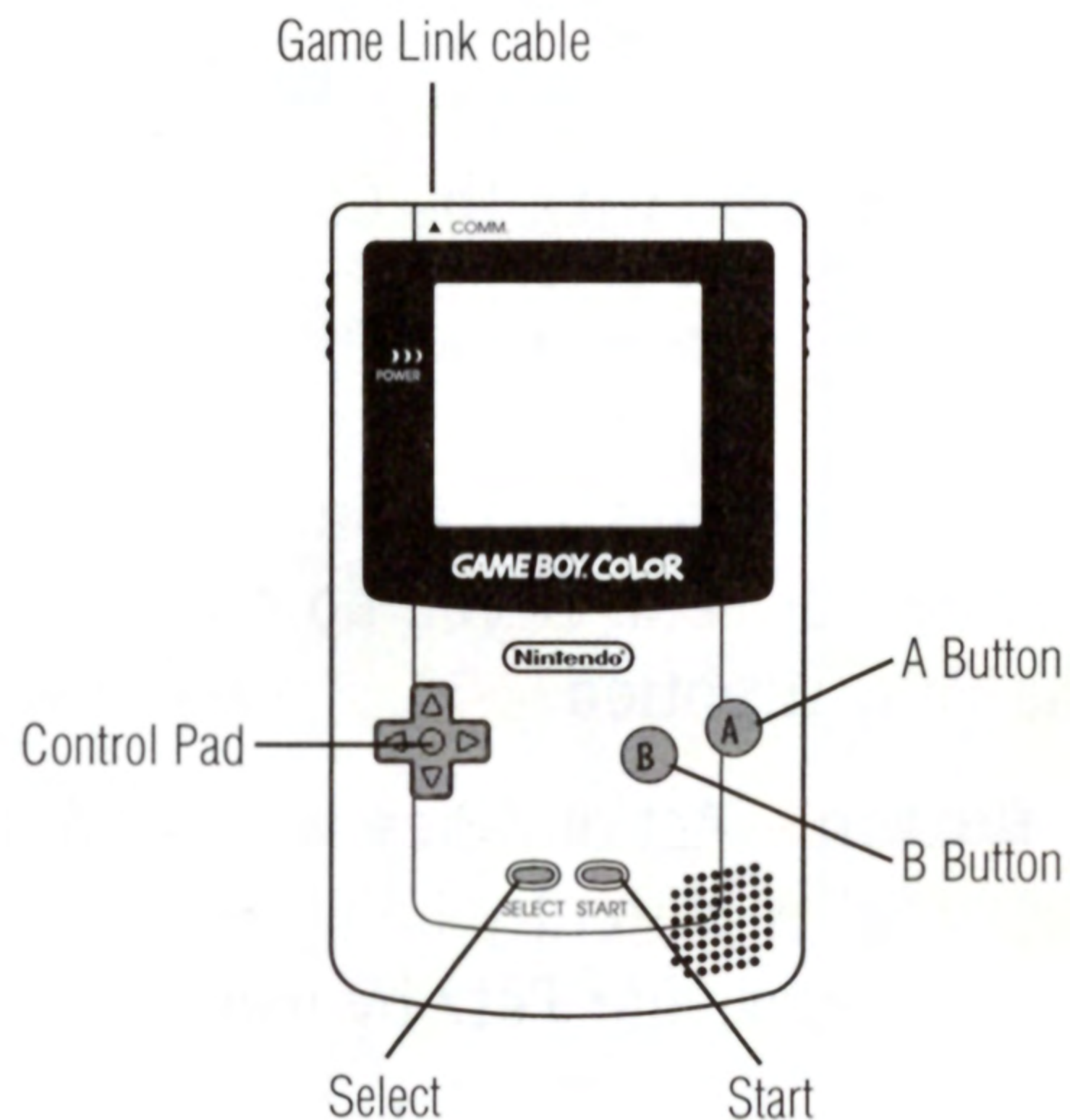
Control Pad – Move the cursor around the screen.

A Button – Selects a Menu, Item or Clicks a button.

B Button – Cancel any selections on the current screen and back out to the previous screen.

SELECT – Same as the A Button.

START – Same as the A Button.



Playpen Mode Controls

Control Pad – Move the cursor around the screen. Or pet your Dogz by using a rocking action with the Control Pad while pressing the B Button.

A Button – Pick up and release Toyz and Petz. When the A Button is pressed over a Toyz or Petz, it is picked up and moves along with the cursor via the Control Pad. Pressing A Button after the object has been picked up releases the Toyz or Petz. If you do not have a Toyz selected, it performs a 'snap' to get the Petz attention.

B Button – Action. Pressing the B Button performs an action appropriate to the Toyz that is currently being held. If you hold down this button over your Petz, you may pet your Petz by using a rocking action on the Control Pad.

SELECT – When in the Playpen, pressing this button brings down the Toyz Shelf, allowing you to select an object for use in the Playpen area. Only one Toyz is allowed in the Playpen at a time, but you can quickly select another using the SELECT. When the SELECT is pressed, any object currently in the Playpen area is immediately returned to the Toyz Shelf. Press the B Button to return to the Playpen without a Toyz.

START – Pressing this button brings up the Status screen, Main screen, Trade Petz and Share Toyz button links to the appropriate menus. During the display of these menus the game is essentially PAUSED.

TO START



When you turn on DOGZ GAME PAK, you first see the Title screen. Press any key to move onto the Main screen.

Main Screen



On the Main screen you see three buttons: Playpen, Petz Store and Hall of Fame.

Playpen

To play with a Petz that you have already Adopted, select Playpen from the Main screen. From there you see a screen with the names of your Adopted Petz. Choose which Petz you would like to play with and you and your Petz are taken to the Playpen.

The Petz Store



Your first stop is the Petz Store where you can choose and Adopt your new friend. At first, you can only have one Adopted Dogz. You should to prove that you can successfully raise a Dogz before you Adopt more. From the Petz Store, you see a list of three Dogz. Choose a Dogz that you would like to play with by selecting TRY, which takes you to the Playpen to see if this is the Dogz you would like. If you would like to ADOPT this Petz,

press START to get back to the Petz Store. To Adopt a Dogz, choose Adopt and you are on your way to a new friendship. Once you Adopt a Dogz, check the Status screen by selecting the START. The Status screen lets you know how your Petz is doing. By continuously checking this screen, you learn what things make your Dogz healthier and happier.

Adopting Your Dogz

To Adopt a Dogz, you need to choose a name and to read and AGREE to the Adoption Pledge.

Naming your Petz



Use the Control Pad to scroll through the letters and use the A Button to select the letter you want. When you have spelled the name you would like, go to the bottom right hand corner and select OK. If you do not spell out a name, your Petz is given its default name.

Adoption Pledge

Next you see the Adoption Pledge. Read this carefully – it contains important information on how to care for your new friend! When you agree to the Adoption Pledge, you are taken to the Playpen, where you can play with your New Dogz!

NOTE: If you already have three Petz adopted and you click Adopt, you are told that you should Retire one of your Petz. Remember this may affect your rating as a Petz Owner and therefore limit your options for New and Rare Dogz. Choose OK and you are returned to the Main screen.

Hall of Fame



The Hall of Fame lists all your Retired Petz. The color of your Petz' name tells how successful you were as a Petz Owner. Green means your Petz retired very happy, yellow is neutral, and red means that you didn't do a good job raising your Petz. The more green names you have the more likely you are to Adopt Rare Dogz! If your Petz are not very happy, you are not able to Adopt more Dogz.

TOYZ AND OTHER ITEMS TO CARE FOR YOUR PETZ

Toyz are kept in the Toyz Shelf, which is accessed by pressing the SELECT. Move the cursor to the Toyz you want and press the A Button to select it. Press the B Button at any time to cancel and return to the Playpen area. Once an item is selected, you return to the Playpen area. Move the Toyz around with your hand cursor. Pressing the B Button performs an action appropriate to the Toyz that is currently being held.

Starting Toyz

These are Toyz that come with your DOGZ GAME PAK. They are necessary for the proper care of your Dogz.



Flea Spray - Your Petz gets fleas if they aren't brushed regularly, and this causes them to scratch themselves. Although they don't like the Flea Spray, it is important for their health status. But, remember that too much Flea Spray can make your Dogz sick.



Brush - Your Petz like to be brushed. It makes them preen and feel happy. Brushing can also help to keep your Dogz free of fleas.



Water Bowl - Your Petz drink water from the Water Bowl. Make sure your Petz gets some water every day.



Food Bowl - Your Petz eat from the Food Bowl. Petz also need food every day to be happy and healthy.



Bottle - When you first get your Petz, or when your Petz are distressed, you can offer them the Bottle which helps them settle down or go to sleep.



Pillow - If your Petz have a Pillow to sleep on, they sleep more soundly. Sleeping can help your Petz have more energy.



Spray Bottle - If your Petz misbehave, spraying them with the Spray Bottle discourages naughty behavior.



Bonez - You can offer your Dogz the Bonez to play with. Dogz love to lay down and chew on the tasty Bonez.



Stick - You can throw the Stick, and the Dogz chase it. If you reward your Dogz for returning the Stick, they can learn to play “fetch” with it.



Bone Treatz - You can give your Dogz Bone Treatz as a reward for good behavior. Your Dogz learn to repeat good behavior in order to get more Bone Treatz. But remember that if you give your Dogz more Bone Treatz than their Dogz food, your Dogz may get sick.



Paint Can - Clicking on the Paint Can allows you to change your Petz' Playpen background or to paint your Petz different colors. After you click on the Paint Can, choose which option you would like to do.



Paint Petz: There are 32 different colors available to paint your Petz and these 32 vary between Petz. To Paint your Petz, click on the Paint Can and use the on-screen arrows to scroll through the colors. When you find the perfect match for your Petz, press the A Button to select that color.

Select Background: Use the on-screen arrows to scroll through the different backgrounds. When you find one that you like press the A Button and you are taken back to the Playpen with the new Background!

Special Toyz

You get one of the Toyz below with each DOGZ GAME PAK. Trade with your friends and when you collect them all – you get a Surprise Toyz!



Mouse - Petz love to chase the wind-up Mouse.



Flying Disk - You can throw the Flying Disk, and your Dogz chase it. If you reward your Dogz for returning the Flying Disk, he learns to catch it.



Ball - Dogz love to play Ball. Which one of your Dogz likes to play Ball most?



Tug-Toy - You can pick up the Tug-Toy, and the Dogz approach you. The Dogz bites the end of the Tug-Toy and tugs against you. This causes the hand-cursor to move as if it's being pulled.



Chew Toy - Your Petz love to swat the Chew Toy around the screen.



A Surprise Toyz - Once you have all of the above Toyz, then you get a Special Toyz!

THE TYPES OF DOGZ

There are many different types of Dogz you can earn. There are three basic Breedz, each with their own particular traits.



Mutt (Scrappy)

Mutts tend to have the best features of all Breedz! They are easy to train and in general they are happy and eager to please.



Scottish Terrier (Chip)

Scotties love to play, and even when they are being naughty it is usually a form of play. They are prone to fleas so you need to make sure to groom them regularly.



Chihuahua (Chi Chi)

Dogz of this Breedz are nervous, high-strung and energetic. They need lots of love and play time. Watch the Chihuahua's energy level and make sure they get plenty of rest to recover from their play.

COLLECT TOYZ AND DOGZ!

Collect all the Toyz and get a Special Toyz! Raise and train your Petz and swap them with your friends! As you prove yourself as a good Dogz owner, more Rare Dogz become available. Swap with friends to get the Dogz you want. Or even help your friends train and raise Dogz that they are having trouble with. Each Game Pak starts with the “core” items required to play the product and with one randomly selected Special Toyz. You can share your Special Toyz with other players who have different randomly selected Toyz. Once all of the Toyz are owned through trading, then a Special Toyz becomes available.

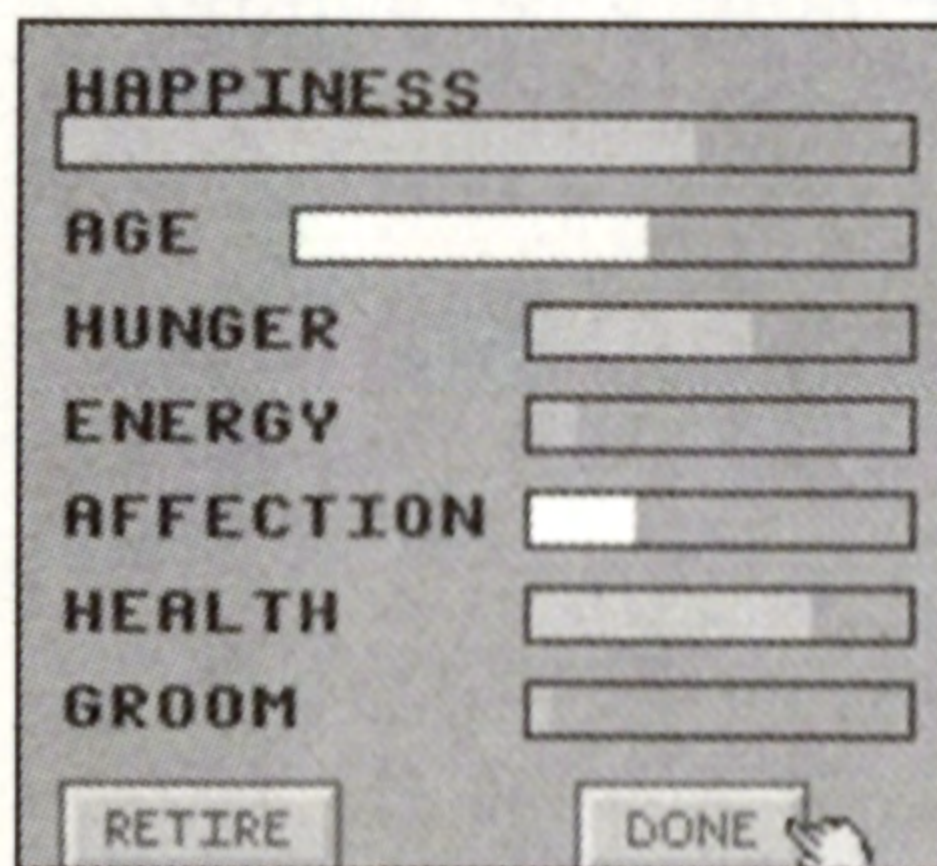
Note: DOGZ GAME PAK uses the Infrared Communication feature ability, so you do not need a Game Link Cable.

PAUSE SCREEN



To swap a Petz or to share Toyz, first go to the Pause screen. To get to the Pause screen, press START when in the Playpen.

Petz Status Screen



This is a very important screen – it tells you all you need to know about your Petz. If its Hunger level is yellow, feed it – if it's green, refrain from giving your Dogz any treatz. Find out what Toyz and Treatz make your Petz Happiness level go up!

How to read the Status Bars:

GREEN – This means that your Dogz is doing very well in that area. Good job!

YELLOW – Yellow is a warning – your Dogz is still OK but you should start thinking about what you should do to make it become green again.

RED – This is danger – especially if your Dogz' total Happiness is Red. If the Happiness Bar stays Red for a while – your Dogz will Run Away.

What the Status Bars mean:

HAPPINESS – This is the overall happiness of your Dogz. Beware: if this stays in the Red too long, your Dogz will Run Away.

AGE – This is how old your Petz is. When this bar fills up, your Petz will retire to the Hall of Fame.

HUNGER – The Hunger bar tells you how hungry and thirsty your Petz is.

AFFECTION – This bar lets you know if your Petz is getting enough general love and care. If this bar is yellow or red, you should pet your Petz more and play with them more.

HEALTH – This is your Petz general health. If your Petz has fleas, or hasn't eaten enough or has eaten too much or if your Petz is sad, the Health status bar will be affected.

GROOMING – If your Groom status bar is yellow or red, this means your Dogz needs to be brushed or has fleas.

Main Screen

Select this option if you would like to return to the Main screen.

Trade Petz

If you and a friend would like to trade Petz, select this option.

Here you need to select which Petz to swap, and follow the instructions for using your Infrared Communication Feature. At the end of the instructions, you can either click Start to begin the transfer or click Cancel to return to the Pause screen. Make sure that you agree with the swap because once you trade a Petz, you no longer own that Petz.

Share Toyz

This option is for giving Toyz to your friends. When you select this option you see a screen with all the Toyz you have. Select the Toyz that you want to share. From there you are taken to a screen with the Infrared Communication instructions. At the end of the instructions, you can either click Start to begin the transfer or click Cancel to return to the Pause screen. The Toyz have been shared when you get the screen stating the transfer was successful.

PETZ CARE TIPS

- Check the Status screen regularly to make sure your Petz is getting what it needs. Each Petz is unique, so experiment with different objects and Toyz to see how it affects your Petz' levels.
- Make sure to give your Petz plenty of food and water.
- Brushing your Petz keeps fleas away.
- Train your Petz by encouraging good behaviors with Treatz and discouraging naughty behaviors with a squirt from the Spray Bottle.

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