



Cabela's
**MONSTER
BASS**



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- dizziness
- altered vision
- eye or muscle twitches
- loss of awareness
- disorientation
- seizures
- any involuntary movement or convulsion

RESUME GAMEPLAY ONLY ON APPROVAL OF YOUR PHYSICIAN.

Use and handling of video games to reduce the likelihood of a seizure

- Use in a well-lit area and keep as far away as possible from the television screen.
 - Avoid large screen televisions. Use the smallest television screen available.
 - Avoid prolonged use of the PlayStation 2 system.
Take a 15-minute break during each hour of play.
 - Avoid playing when you are tired or need sleep.
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Stop using the system immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms: lightheadedness, nausea, or a sensation similar to motion sickness; discomfort or pain in the eyes, ears, hands, arms, or any other part of the body. If the condition persists, consult a doctor.

WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:

Do not connect your PlayStation 2 system to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

HANDLING YOUR PLAYSTATION 2 FORMAT DISC:

- This disc is intended for use only with PlayStation 2 consoles with the NTSC U/C designation.
- Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.



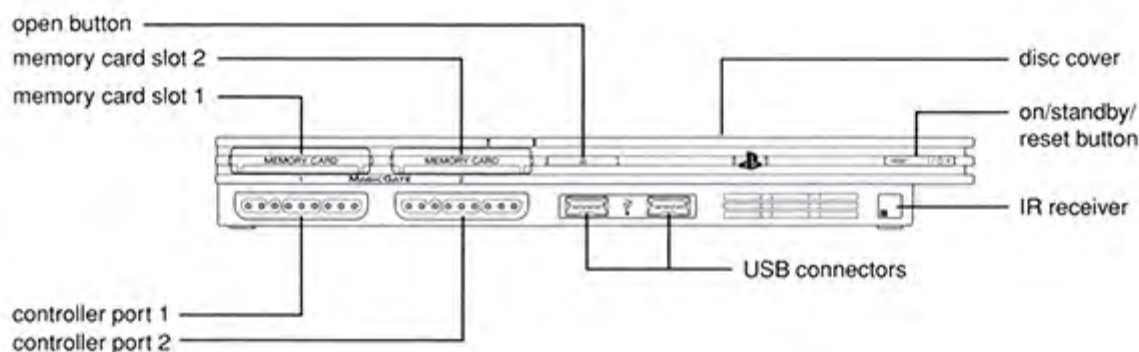
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GETTING STARTED



Set up your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system according to the instructions supplied with your system. Check that the system is turned on (the on/standby indicator is green). Insert the Cabela's® Monster Bass disc in the system with the label side facing up. Attach game controllers and other peripherals as appropriate. Follow the on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for information on using the software.

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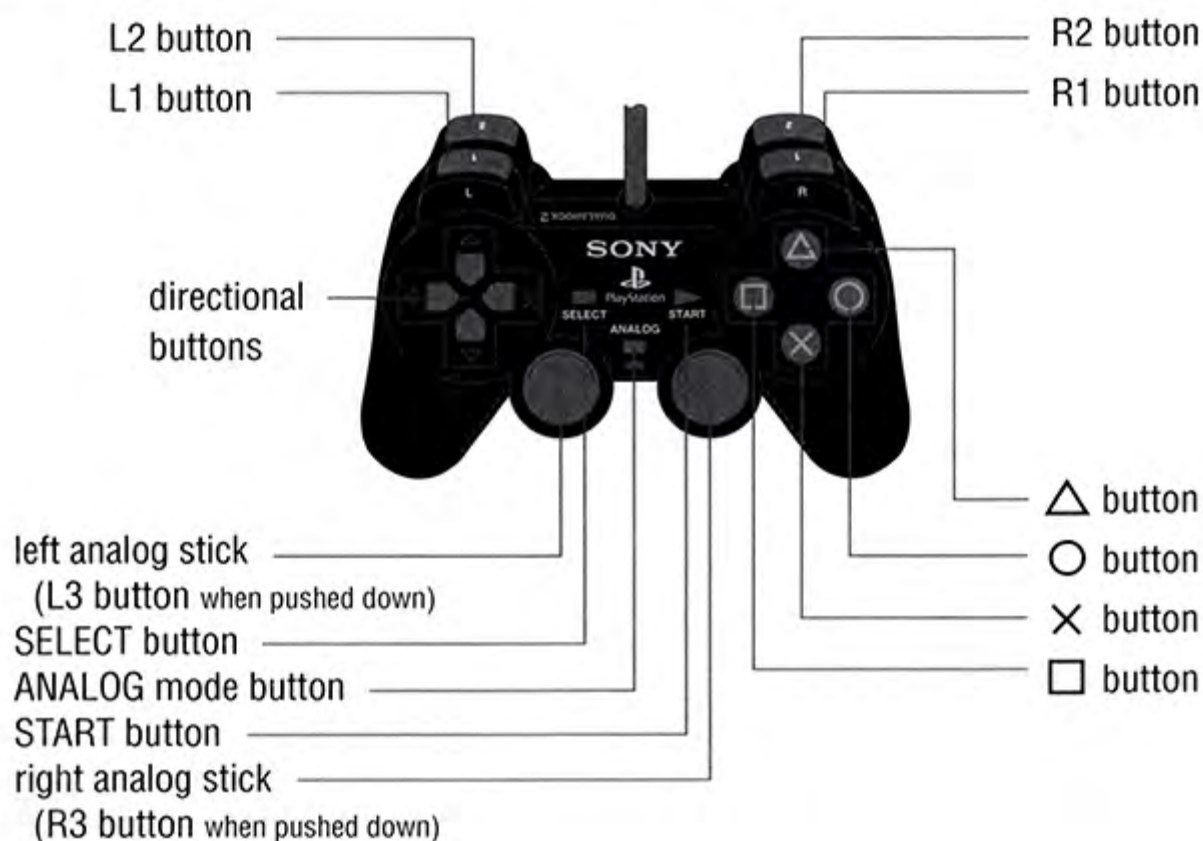
To save game settings and progress, insert a memory card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2) into MEMORY CARD slot 1 of your PlayStation®2 system. You can load saved game data from the same memory card or any memory card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2) containing previously saved games.



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STARTING UP

DUALSHOCK®2 ANALOG CONTROLLER CONFIGURATIONS

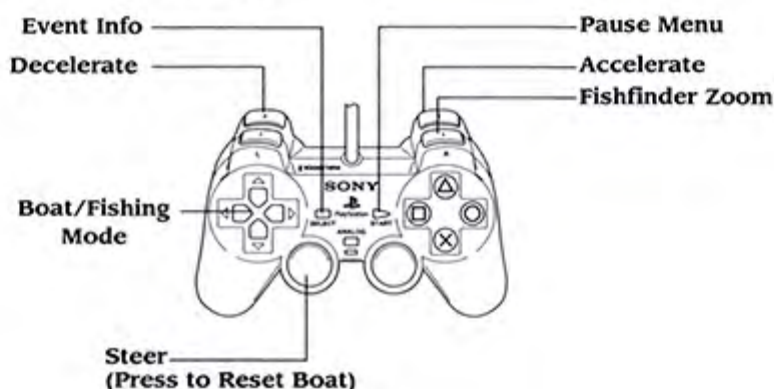




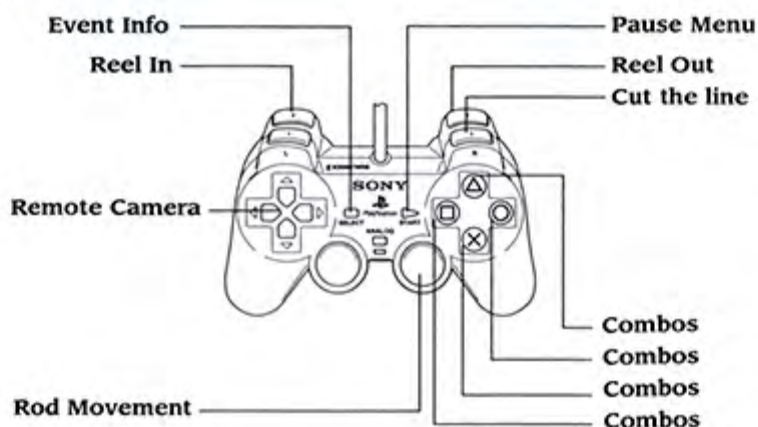
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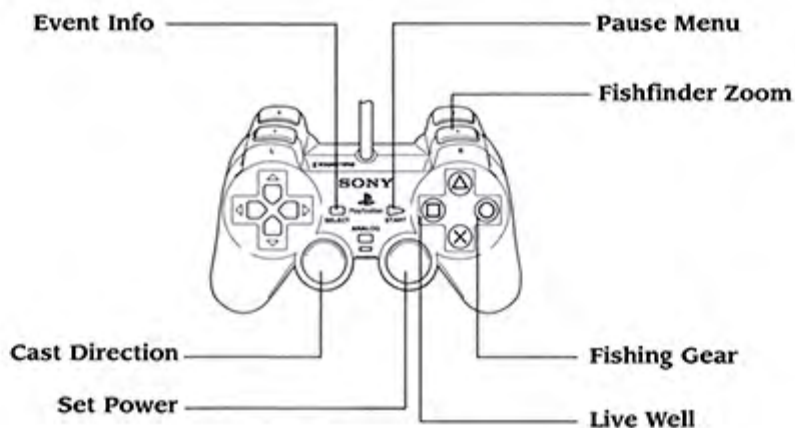
Boat / Trolling Mode



Fishing Mode



Casting Mode





MENU NAVIGATION

If you want to go straight into gameplay, please use these options:

1. Select New from the menu.
2. Name your character or accept the default name.
3. Press **R1** to switch to character section screen and choose your character.
4. Press **START** to begin the game.

GAME MODES

Tournament Fishing

In this mode, you will participate in 3 different tournaments – Easy, Normal, and Hard. You will have to begin on Easy and work your way up by winning and unlocking additional tournaments.

Open Fishing

This mode allows you to have a free-roaming fishing experience in any (unlocked) fishing area.

Quick Challenge

This mode allows players to jump right into the fishing action by selecting a random (unlocked) fishing area.

Options

This menu allows you to change gameplay, sound and controls settings.

Extras

This menu includes a lot of valuable information:

- Highlights
- Angler's Den
- Credits

GAMEPLAY TIPS

Trolling Mode

When you begin the game, your character will be sitting at the front of the boat. In this mode, the player can move slowly and quietly around the lake using the trolling engine. This is very useful in finding the perfect fishing spot. Your fish-finder at the bottom right corner of the screen will be of great help to you.

Once you select a spot, use the directional buttons to switch to the Casting Mode or Boat Mode.



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Boat Mode

In Boat Mode, you can take full advantage of the boat's power and drive around the lake at full speed. At the same time, you are still able to use the fish-finder, but at higher speeds it is not as accurate.

Casting Mode

When you are ready to cast you should know which lure you want to use. This will depend on:

1. The species of fish you are trying to catch (your objective).
2. Depth at which the fish is located (fish-finder).

With this information you can select the right lure from the Fishing Gear menu (⊙).

Once you cast you will have to pay attention to two things:

1. Line tension. You will have to counter the line tension using the rod (left analog stick) and reel (**L2** and **R2**). If you don't manage to reduce the line tension in time you will have to perform a combo to prevent the line from breaking.
2. Combos. These are bonuses that reward you with faster reeling, increased lure attractiveness, etc.

COMBOS

Attract

When this combo is performed correctly it makes the lure more attractive to fish.

Sure-bite

Perform this combo correctly and the fish is hooked. But if you fail the fish will escape.

Reel-in boost

When performed correctly, the line is pulled in with a short 30% speed boost.

Time warp

If performed successfully, time passes 20% quicker but the fish gets extra energy.

Sure hand

If performed correctly, rod-movement combos (keeping the tension meter centered) are easier for 2 minutes and the fish doesn't fight as much.

Aerial boost

If performed correctly, the fish jumps out of the water and is reeled in quicker.

Old sage

If performed successfully, combo timings are extended by 15% for the rest of the fish fight.



Fish hero

Fish gains extra energy and fish fight takes longer allowing more points to be earned.

LURES

This game features over 30 types of the best Cabela's branded Bass lures that vary in color and weight. They will provide you with all you will need to be a successful Bass angler.

LOCATIONS

The game features the following popular North American locations:

- Clear Lake (CA)
- Lake Wylie (NC/SC border)
- Lake Amistad (TX/Mexico border)
- Lake Logan Martin (AL)
- Lake of the Ozarks (MO)
- Lake Okeechobee (FL)

FISH

Cabela's Monster Bass will give you an opportunity to hook the most popular bass species:

- Largemouth Bass
- Smallmouth Bass
- Spotted Bass
- Striped Bass
- White Bass
- Roanoke Bass
- Suwanee Bass



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