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SPONGEBOB'S

ATLANTIS SQUAREPANTS™



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Instruction Booklet



⚠ WARNING: PHOTSENSITIVITY/EPILEPSY/SEIZURES

READ BEFORE USING YOUR PLAYSTATION®2 COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM.

A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures or blackouts when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or when playing video games may trigger epileptic seizures or blackouts in these individuals. These conditions may trigger previously undetected epileptic symptoms or seizures in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition or has had seizures of any kind, consult your physician before playing. IMMEDIATELY DISCONTINUE use and consult your physician before resuming gameplay if you or your child experience any of the following health problems or symptoms:

- 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:

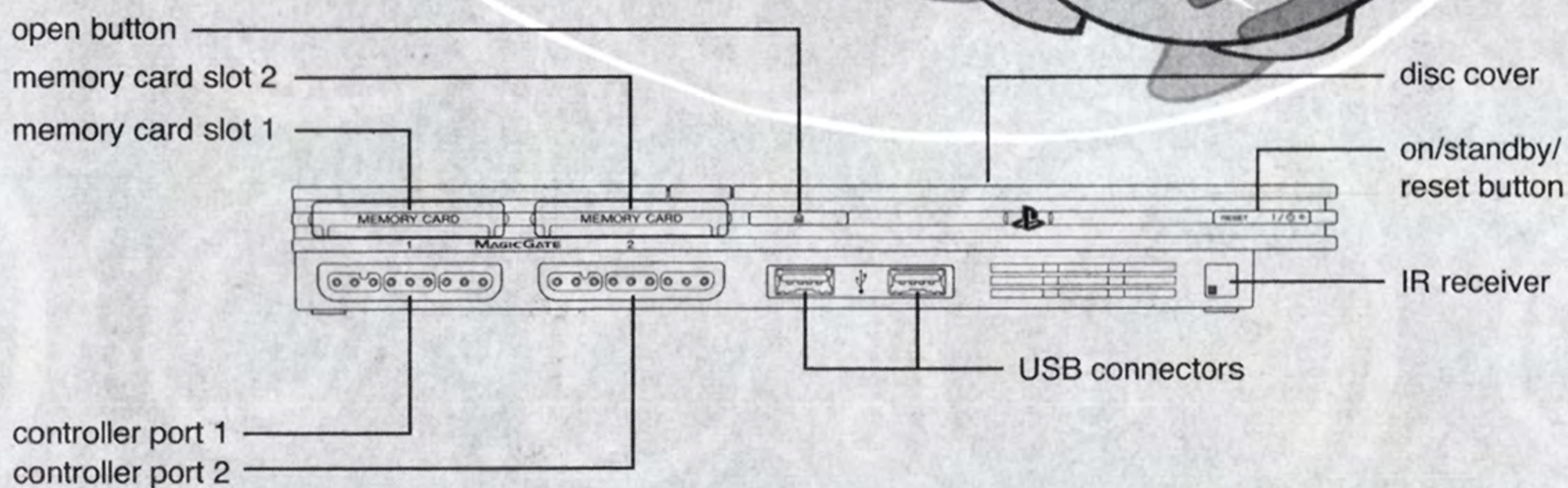
- This disc is intended for use only with PlayStation 2 consoles with the NTSC U/C designation.
- Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep 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



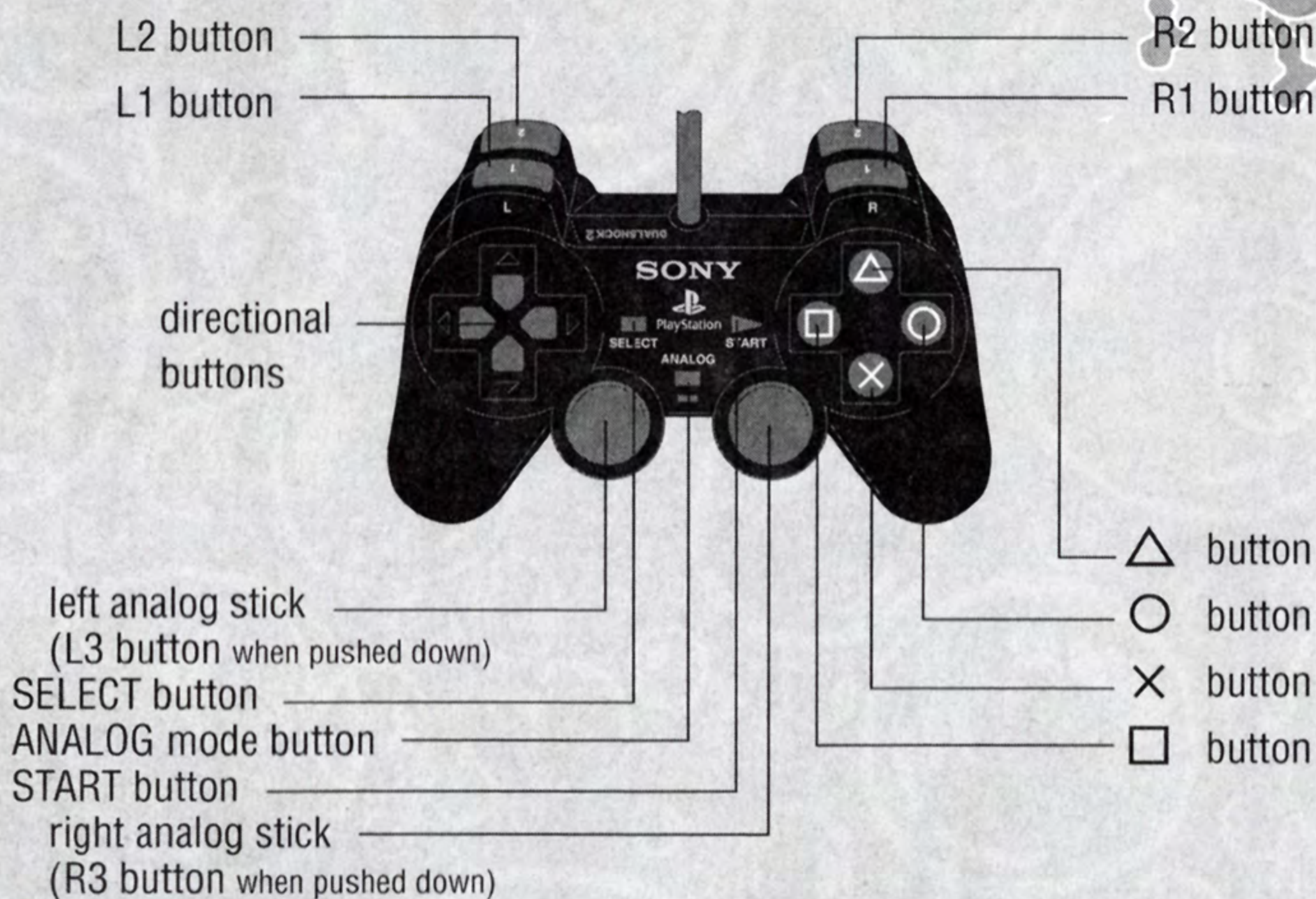
Set up your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system according to the instructions supplied with your system. Check that the system is turned on (the on/standby indicator is green). Insert the **SpongeBob's: Atlantis Squarepantis™** disc with the label side facing up. Attach game controllers and other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

Memory Card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2)

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.

Controls

DUALSHOCK®2 ANALOG CONTROLLER CONFIGURATIONS



Driving Controls

left analog stick – Steer

× button – Go forward

□ button – Go backward

R1 button – Fire ice cream / Jump

Platform Controls

left analog stick – Move around

R1 button – Swap character

× button – Use special abilities

△ button – Cancel ability

Point and Shoot Controls

left analog stick – Aim

R1 button – Take photo/Grab falling treasure/Fire ping-pongs

× button – Throw Patty / Action button

△ button – Reload

L1 button – Duck (only as Sandy)

Introduction

Ahoy there!

Welcome to SpongeBob's Atlantis Squarepantis.™ Join SpongeBob and the gang as they undertake their latest adventure - into the lost city of Atlantis. When a Magical Flying Bus carries SpongeBob and friends to Atlantis, they quickly overstay their welcome. Now the King of Atlantis and all his forces are after them and it's up to you to save them. But, the danger does not end there, Plankton lurks nearby and will go on an ice-cream powered Tank rampage too!

Main Menu

Use the directional buttons/
⊗ button to select one of the following:

New Game

Start a fresh adventure in Atlantis with SpongeBob and friends.

Continue Game

Load a saved adventure from a memory card.

Options

Use the directional buttons/⊗ button to make adjustments to the audio and/or display.

Videos

Check out some bonus videos including trailers for SpongeBob DVDs!





World Map

The levels of the game are arranged around the world map. Each of the levels fits into one of four basic categories.

Vehicle Levels

SpongeBob and company are given various vehicles to drive in this adventure, including an Atlantean tank with an ice cream cannon, and a magical flying bus! While driving, try to run over as many collectibles as you can find. Floating timers can help pause the clock if you're racing against time, and big buckets of ice cream can increase your firepower. Beware of enemy turrets and other obstacles you may need to steer around... or hop over!

Platform Levels

Occasionally our friends find themselves trapped in enormous mazes! They will need to work together to escape. Switch between pairs of characters to maneuver your way through the puzzles. Use each character's special ability like Patrick's strength or SpongeBob's spatula skills to help guide them through cavernous caverns and palatial palaces! Maybe Mr. Krabs' obsession with treasure can even help you out of a tight spot here.

Point and Shoot Levels

SpongeBob and the gang are big fans of throwing things. You better have good aim, because whether you're taking pictures on a museum tour or planning an Atlantean escape, you'll have a boatload of museum patrons and security guards to pelt with Krabby Patties and ping-pong balls galore! Don't forget to reload often and look for special items to photograph on your way through these areas.

Button Combo Levels

You might think SpongeBob is a natural performer, but in these levels he'll need your help! SpongeBob and his pals must press combinations of buttons in the right order at the right moment to perform rockin' music solos or to pose for masterpiece portraits. These skills will also help to avoid the nasty traps you are likely to find throughout Atlantis!



Atlantean Gift Shop

The Atlantean Gift Shop can be found in the World Map menu and offers a plethora of unlockables. If you work through the levels of Atlantis with an impressive time or score, you can earn Atlantean Amulets. Use these Atlantean Amulets to unlock level variations, costume pieces, arcade games and much more.

SwapBob SpareFace!

Feel free to customize SpongeBob with the SwapBob SpareFace option from the World Map menu. Try on all sorts of hats, pants, and shoes as well as a charming assortment of facial hair. Try to unlock all fifty costume pieces in the Atlantean Gift Shop for maximum swappage.



Arcade Games



Turn in your Atlantean Amulets at the Atlantean Gift Shop for tons of arcade games! Try to beat your own high scores or challenge a second player in the Amoeba Arcade.

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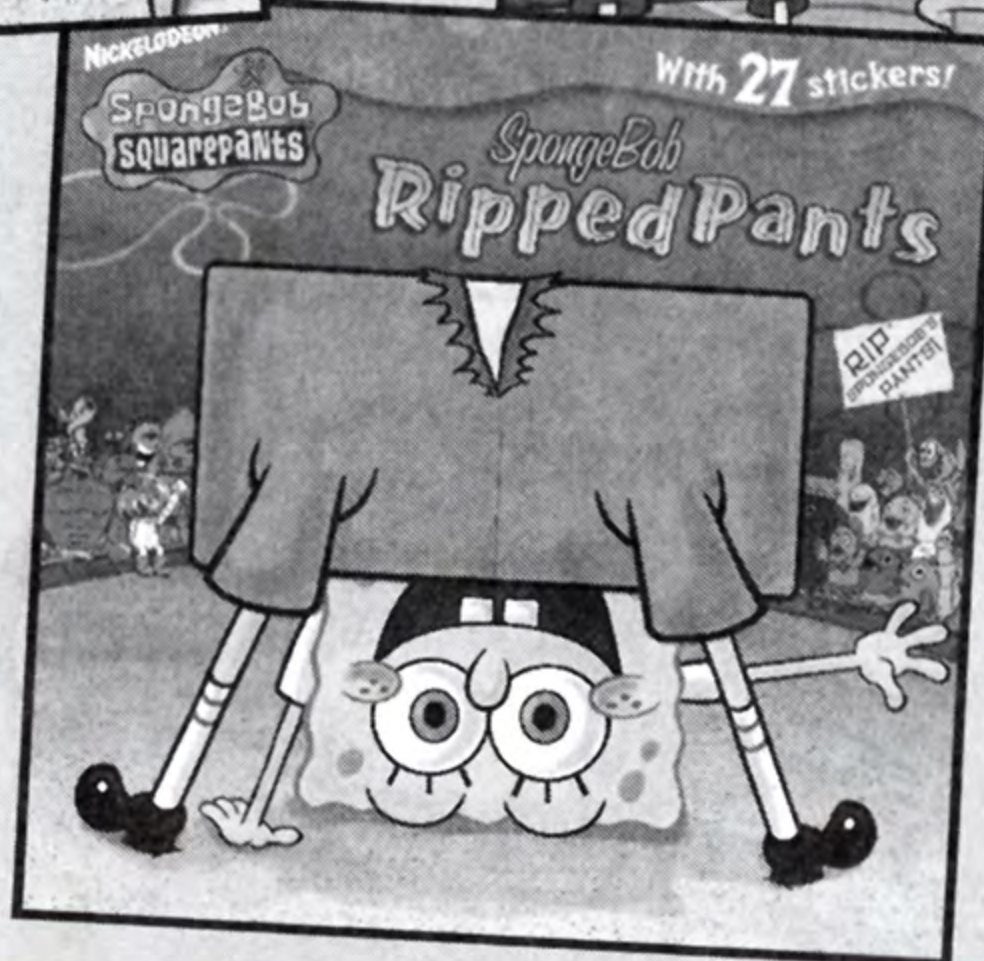
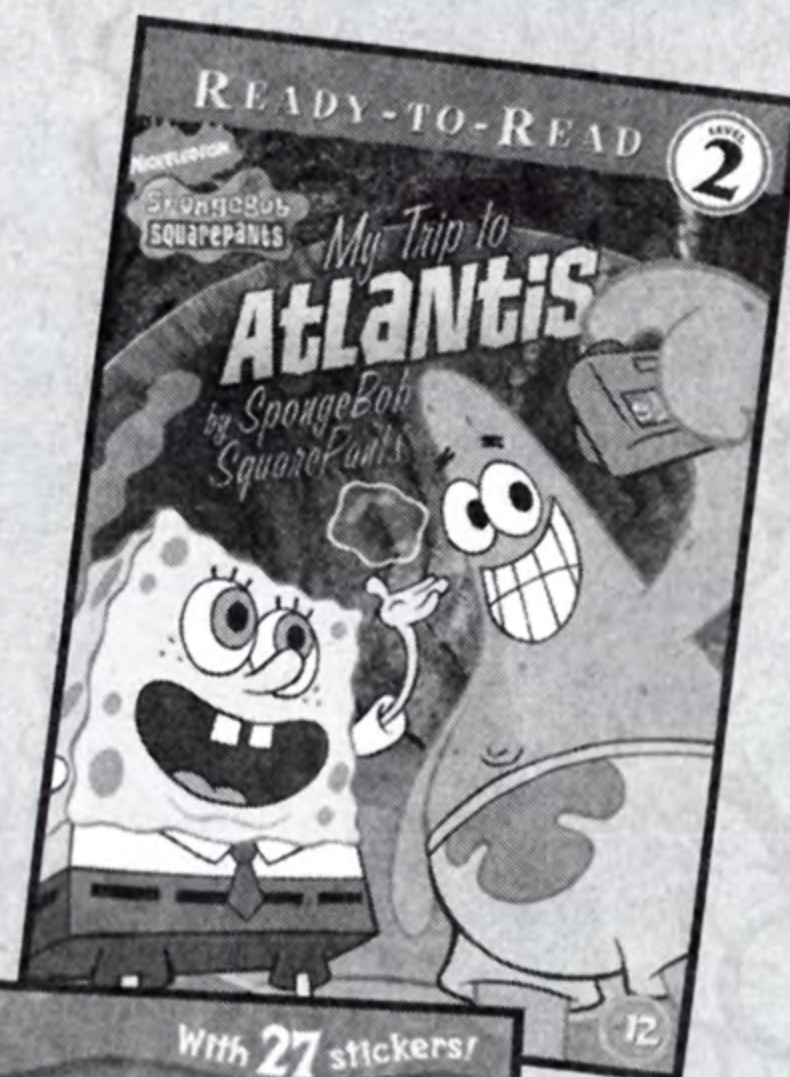
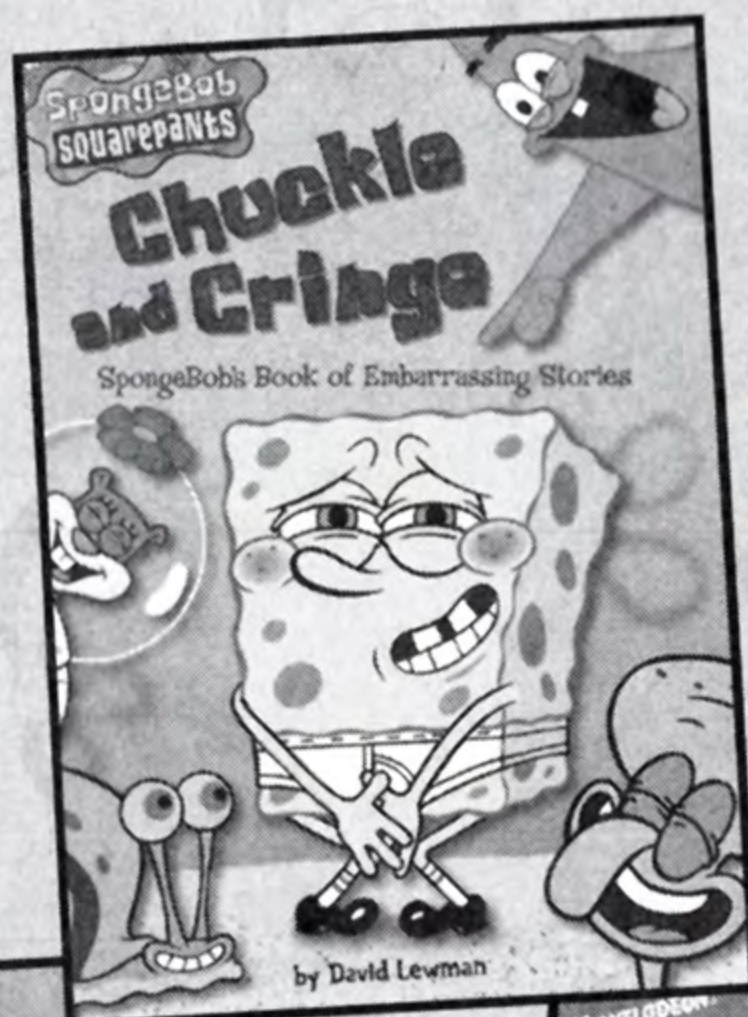
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