

# AERO ACRO-BAT

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instruction manual

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# Aero's story



The bat with attitude is back in his ongoing mission to stop the evil Industrialist Edgar Ektor. As you may recall, Aero believed he stopped

Edgar once and for all when he knocked him off the museum bridge. Unbeknownst to Aero, Edgar managed to escape with help from Zero the Kamikaze Squirrel. Meanwhile, Aero found a Magician's box, that transported him to an unknown world. There, Aero met a beautiful bat from Eastern Europe named Batasha. She begged him for his help. Gladly, Aero accepted and unknowingly entered a new adventure.

As the plot unravels, Aero meets new friends and villains alike. In a journey through strange and fantastic worlds, Aero learns of "Plan B" — a plot of immense proportions. What is "Plan B" and who is behind it? To find out, become Aero the Acro-Bat and be the Star of the Show!

# the objective

Aero must explore seven worlds each with a different objective but one ultimate goal — stop Edgar Ektor from initiating “Plan B”.

Each game begins with 3 lives and will have 2 continues. While fighting enemies, Aero should pick up icons to refill his star inventory, refill his energy and gain points. The maximum amount of energy points Aero can hold is 5. Barber poles act as checkpoints. If Aero loses a life, game play will start up again at the last checkpoint Aero activated.

Chance rooms are hidden within the levels and can only be accessed through a specific doorway. If Aero enters the doorway, he will be taken to a room where he must perform a task to collect one free man. There are also bonus levels that Aero can enter if he finds the special pick-up in each world. When Aero enters a bonus level he will be given the chance to win some extra men and use some new equipment.

If you complete each world, you will be given a password for that world. The next time you play, you can enter the password in the Options screen and begin play in the first level of that world.

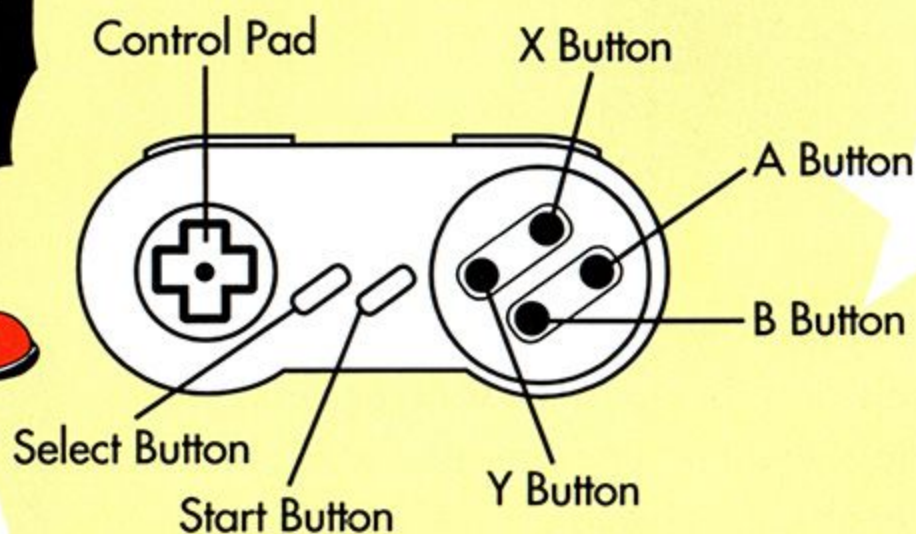
# getting started

Insert the **Sunsoft Aero the Acro-Bat™ 2** game cartridge, then turn the system ON. At the title screen press the Start button or go into the Options screen.

In the Options screen you can change the controller configuration and test music and sound effects.



# controls



**Control Pad Left/Right** — Run/Push left or right when on the ground; Maneuver left or right when in the air

**Control Pad Down** — Duck/Shield or climb down

**Control Pad Up** — Climb up

**Y Button** — Throw Stars

**X Button** — Slide; Hold X & Direction to Look

**B Button** — Jump; Spin/Drill when in air

**A Button** — Slide down ladder quickly

**B Button then A Button** — Drop Drill

**Top Right** — Drop Drill; Slide; Slide down ladder quickly

**Top Left** — Not used

**Start** — Begin/pause game

# techniques & moves



**Throw stars** — Aero must collect stars before he can throw them.

**Duck** — When Aero ducks, he folds his arm, bringing his wing up front to shield himself from snowballs and exploding objects.



**Spin/Drill** — Aero's drill technique is used to eliminate enemies. Once Aero is in the air, he may drill in most directions. To drill, Aero must first jump in the air by pressing the B Button. When he is in the air, press the direction you want to drill then press the B Button again.





**Drop Drill** — This new move is similar to the spin and drill move except that Aero drills vertically downwards.

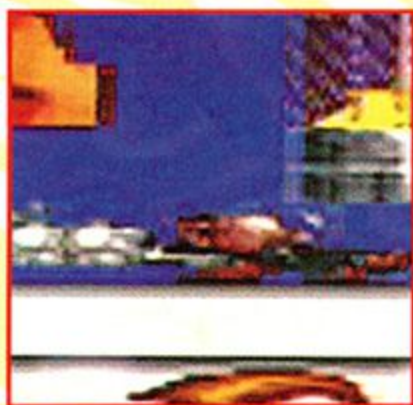
To perform the drop drill move, press the B Button then the A Button or press the Top Right Button. The drop drill can be used to hit enemies below if Aero has

already jumped and drilled. It can also be used for locating secret floor blocks that can be broken through.

**Slide** — To get under tight spaces.

Aero can use his slide technique.

To slide, run to gain momentum then press the X Button or the Top Right Button.



**Look** — To help keep enemies from sneaking up on Aero, there is a Look function. To see what is just out of view, hold the X Button and move the Control Pad.



# game play screen

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2

3

4



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- 1 stars
- 2 player score
- 3 special icon
- 4 # of Lives
- 5 energy





**pick-ups**



refill star inventory with these



drill into these to  
release energy pick-ups



**“A” “E” “R” “O”** qualify for ektor's deal





**gain energy**

**gain points**



**qualify for bonus round**

**allow double  
drill while  
timer lasts**





free aéro

allows aéro to fly



ALLOW quadruple drill  
while timer lasts

allows aéro to  
become powerful  
"fire aéro" while  
timer lasts



# the worlds



the bell castle

the boardin' zone



fort red star

**disco fever**



**dr. dis industries**

**performers'  
dungeon**



**ektor's  
engine**

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# Hero Notes





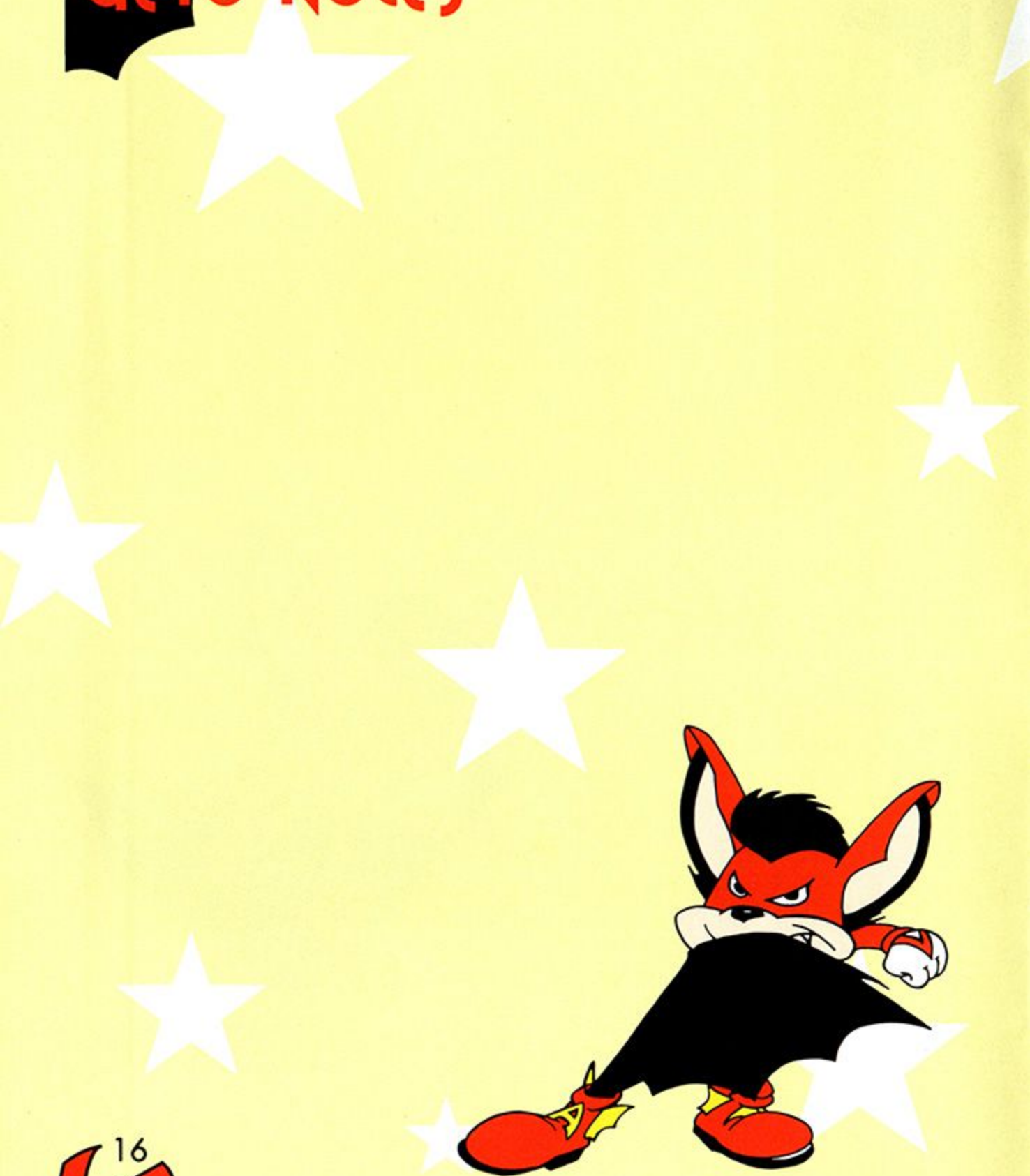
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# zero Notes



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