

Epic Banana Presents....

Reaper Arena

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What is it?- Reaper Arena is a side-scrolling action game. It's kinda long-anticipated. I named it originally when it was going to be an arena game, but I changed the setup and kept the name.

What is the plot?- Well, uh, gee... Oh, I got it! You're a commando sent on top-secret missions to neutralize matters of national security.

Requirements-

At least 1.5 megs of RAM

Approx. 915 K hard disk space

Color monitor, 256 colors

Probably system 7 or greater. I dunno.

Gameplay-

Here's the controls:

J- Move left

L- Move right

K- Climb down ladders

I- Climb up ladders, jump up

U- Jump to the left

O- Jump to the right

A- Shoot left

D- Shoot right

Space- action (open doors, activate rocket turrets, etc.)

The missions-

MISSION 1: A team of pyromaniacs have seized a small villa in Kentucky and taken hostages. Kill all hostile forces and protect civilians.

NOTE: The leader of the team has strapped himself to a bomb, and we suspect he will detonate if you get close. It's acceptable if he blows himself up, just as long as he doesn't kill the civilian in the process.

MISSION 2: A high-tech group of assassins are plotting to kill the president. Neutralise the threat.

NOTE: The main assassin is highly dangerous. She's holed up in her underground bunker. Be careful.

MISSION 3: Some para-science researchers have read one to many a copy of

"Jurassic Park" , and figured out a way to clone to life raptors. Break into the installation and terminate all live specimens and any people or guards that try to stop you.

NOTE: Try to kill the raptors without getting close. A direct confrontation would probably be fatal.

MISSION 4: A techno-ninja militia group has been found guilty of manufacture of illegal weapons and conspiracy to overthrow the government. An obvious threat to national security. Intelligence reports that they plan to attack soon. Find out what they're up to, and puta stop to it.

NOTE: The information you need is in a small, boxlike computer. Beware these ninjas, the can really slice you up.

Weapons and Equipment-

Bayonet

Key: 1

Damage:1

Found on Level: n/a
Description:I forgot why I put this in. It really stinks.Close range only. Press the attack key and release.

M9 Beretta

Key: 2
Damage: 1
Found on Level: n/a
Description: A lightweight pistol. You come with it, it comes with you.

Grenades

Key:3
Damage: 4
Found on Level: 1,6
Description: Standard fragmentation grenade. You can throw it quite far. Explodes on contact with ground.

Shotgun

Key: 5
Damage: 4
Found on Level: 6
Description: Good replacemnt for your pistol. Slow rate of fire.

G-Gun

Key: 4
Damage: depends on duration
Found on level: 6
Description: Sends an electric wave pattern through the air. Capable of making humans explode. Limited range.

Rocket launcher:

Key: 6
Damage: 4
Found on level: 7
Description: Sends an explosive rocket through the air. Very deadly.

Cheatlike Descriptions of Enemies-

Grenade Guy

Hp: 5
Weapon: Grenade
Found on Level: 1
Description: Some wacko with an obession for hand grenades. He doesn't let up on his torrent of bombs until he's dead.

Scuicide Bomber

Hp: 2
Weapon: Self-detonation
Found on Level: 2
Description: Yet another wacko, but this one's strapped the bombs to himself. Very volatile! Looks

insane.

Flying Guy

Hp:6

Weapon: Mines

Found on Level: 3

Description: I think he's the coolest guy. He drops time-delay mines and flies away on his jetpack. An honor guard for the assassin.

Assasin

Hp:10

Weapon: M9 Berrata

Found on Level: 4

Description: She's nearly your equal. She'd probably win in a shoot-out.

Raptor

Hp: 8

Weapon: Claws

Found on Level: 5,6

Description: If it jumps on you, you're probably dead. If it claws you, it really hurts you. It jumps around a lot.

Researcher

Hp: 5

Weapon: Fists

Found on Level: 5

Description: A guy in a blue sweater with a mean left hook. He's not defenseless!

Shotgun Guard

Hp: 9

Weapon: Shotgun

Found on Level: 6

Description: A large guy with a bandanna. He's not the fastest shot.

Techno-Ninja

Hp: 4

Weapon: Sword, Rocket Launcher

Found on Level: 7,8

Description: A very dangerous opponent. Try not to get in a direct confrontation with one. Try never to get up close to one.

Civilian

Hp:1

Weapon: n/a

Found on Level: 2,9

Description: If one dies, you fail. There may be imposters! Choose your targets wisely.

General Notes:

Some levels will end as soon as you kill all the enemies. Needless to say, if you kill all the enemies before grabbing the weapons, you'll miss them. Oh, and there is a cheat code. The more adept players of

other epic banana masterpieces will probably know how to get this one.

Contact-

All my games can be found at <http://www.angelfire.com/ma/maimPMC/ts.html> . And <http://hyperarchive.lcs.mit.edu/HyperArchive/Abstracts/game/HyperArchive.html> is a cool site. E-mail me at foltz@mix-net.net . Cocoa is available at <http://www.crim.ca/~hayne/Cocoa/Installers/> .

Wishful thinking-

This probably never works, but if you like my games (any of them! Not just Reaper Arena!), send me 1\$. My address is

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If that will not work, then do the celebratory dance of Epic Banana.

How to Dance the Celebratory Epic Banana Dance-

Act like you're being attacked by invisible creatures. Shout "Squirell!!"