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Allow us to introduce you to the highest calibre titles available in the world today! We consistently set new standards in consumer software and offer the ultimate product mix masterfully created by our cutting-edge development houses. Year after year our company has invested heavily in technology and staff, enabling us to evolve into one of the worlds top 5 publishers.

This catalogue contains a sumptuous line-up of titles which are destined to follow the huge successes of the No.1: 'Starcraft' from Blizzard (Selling over 1 million units world-wide and counting) to USM from the UK's very own 'Impressions', also hitting the number 1 spot here in the UK.

3D Action shooter Half-Life set a new standard, and was named "Game of the Year" by over 30 publications. While Homeworld is destined to revolutionise its genre with its unique combination of action, strategy and space combat. It seems that the excitement never ends. We sincerely hope that you enjoy using our software as much as we have had creating it

enjoy!

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VALVE

Half-Life:™ Don't settle for half measures

A rich 3D first-person gaming experience, *Half-Life* is filled with unique, interactive creatures, non-player characters, stunningly detailed environments to explore, and intricate puzzles to solve. Your top-secret military experiment fails, your comrades are strewn in pieces around the lab, and the only chance you have is to fight past cunning monsters and squads of "cleaners" of a highly motivated government determined to destroy the aliens and silence you. Not only does the game include shoot 'em up elements, but it also gives the player a chance to use brainpower with the puzzles and adventure elements that are incorporated. With beautiful vibrant graphics, *Half-Life* provides a realistic eerie-looking immersive experience.

"An absolutely essential purchase.......Valve's masterpiece can happily lay claim to being the game of 1998".
PC Gaming World

"....Intelligent, frightening, jaw dropping and bloodthirsty, this isn't just a game, it's an experience...."
PC Review

- **Advanced enemy AI includes threat assessment, co-ordinated packs and flocking behaviour**
- **A multitude of unique environments and arenas to explore and interact in with realistic physics, sound and smoother and richer animation**
- **Combines the most advanced technology with genre-breaking gameplay elements**

new

HALF-LIFE

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer
Up to 32 players
via modem LAN
or the Internet

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133,
Win 95, 16 MB RAM)

VALVE gearbox software

Half-Life:™ Opposing Force

Action

Half-Life: Opposing Force is the first official expansion to the award winning 3D action game, *Half-Life*. Remember the soldiers who

More than your average expansion

gave you so much trouble in *Half-Life*? Now you are one of them, and life is not so easy as part of the Opposing Force. Although you were originally sent into Black Mesa to silence Freeman and his fellow scientists, you now find yourself stranded and confused – battling new creatures and a variety of other foes in an effort to save your own life. In addition to the extensive new single player experience, the game also contains a collection of fresh multiplayer content. *Opposing Force* features a host of new military, experimental and alien weapons, a fierce new alien race, and is an original and worthwhile game expansion.

- **The ability to play with a host of new military, experimental and alien weapons**
- **Gives players the opportunity to compete in new multiplayer maps designed by industry all stars**
- **Battle a fierce new alien race and interact with more human characters**

new
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3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer
Up to 32 players
via modem LAN
or the Internet

Multiplayer

HALF-LIFE
OPPOSING FORCE

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133,
Win 95, 24 MB RAM)

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VALVE

Team Fortress™ II:
Brotherhood of Arms

True team based action

Team Fortress II is a first person action game with strong team oriented play and strategic elements. You'll experience the thrill of battle while performing as part of a team or battle squadron. This unique approach closely approximates real-life battle and enables new and experienced players to play together in a way that challenges each individual and enhances the overall experience. Once you join a team and pick a class, you'll function in that class as part of the team, working together to complete any number of map-specific objectives. You'll have to focus the raw talent of your team's talents through communication and strategizing. With its advanced technology, challenging teamplay scenarios, and ease of use, *Team Fortress II* sets a new bar in multiplayer action gaming.

- An easy to use communication system for in-game strategizing between team-mates
- Takes full advantage of Half-Life's advanced technology while pushing some of Half-Life's technology to the next level – such as introducing parametric animation for more realistic character movement
- Computer controlled opponents and team-mates with advanced AI

new
Coming 2000

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer
Up to 32 players
via modem LAN
or the Internet

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133,
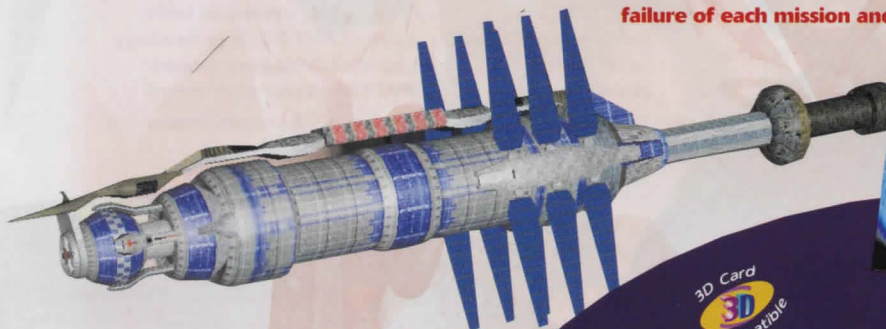Win 95, 16 MB RAM)

Action

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STUDIOS

Babylon™ 5

Action

You don't have to be a *Babylon 5* fan to enjoy this epic game of combat and strategy. This space combat simulator is destined to secure a

Play in the fascinating universe of Babylon 5

place in gamers hearts with its extraordinary graphics, inertial flight model and ships based on the TV show's original digital models. Fight in the Starfury and Thunderbolt whilst encountering over 30 Earth Alliance and alien ships, or test your mettle aboard alien fighters in the incredible multi-player mode.

- ● **Dogfight inside docking bays, within ship superstructures, utilising missiles, lasers and pulsed plasma weapons**
- ● **Huge Babylon 5 universe that includes over 100 combat and mission locations**
- ● **Easy to learn inertial flight model creates true zero gravity space flight: execute sideways strafing runs and other unique manoeuvres**
- ● **Evolving story which unfolds uniquely, based on the relative success or failure of each mission and decision**

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 166,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

Dynamix

Homeworld®

With the arrival of Relic's *Homeworld*, Sierra will add an extra dimension to the real time strategy genre. It offers players the unparalle-

An evolutionary step in gameplay and technology

led freedom to view space confrontations from any position. The epic tale begins in the centre of a lush spiral galaxy. For as long as anyone could remember, no-one challenged this peaceful existence. Then the conquerors came, wiping out billions and relocating survivors to a lifeless planet on the edge of the galaxy. Now the time has come to return home. Combining elements of space combat, strategic play and action, and with stunningly rendered space craft and intelligent sound, *Homeworld* promises to deliver elements of a favourite genre in a totally fresh way.

Strategy

"The most beautiful, dramatic strategy game ever. Full stop."
PC Gamer

"Homeworld is one of the finest looking strategy games we have ever seen."
Arcade

- A unique blend of existing game styles – includes the core space combat elements, and also offers the chance to use the strategic and action elements
- Extraordinary 'true' 3D engine for a completely fresh real-time gaming experience
- A multi-player mode which allows up to eight players to compete simultaneously via **LAN** or **WON.net**

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 166, Win 95, 16 MB RAM)

Strategy

Pharaoh™

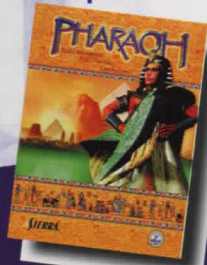Impressions Games, the creators of the award-winning *Caesar III*, plunge you farther back in time to the mysterious **Every great trilogy needs a prequel** ancient land of Egypt during the period when the great pyramids were built. *Pharaoh* is a strategic city-building game set in Egypt roughly 2900 to 700 BC. Players will feel as if they have been transported back in time to ancient Egypt as they grow Egyptian villages into thriving metropolises and watch the inhabitants and economy of this exotic land come to life. The game includes giant monuments that are assembled over time, a unique dynastic progression and variable difficulty levels. All this combined with 16-bit colour graphics, large maps for seamless gameplay, and a proven interface make *Pharaoh* an exciting city-building game.

- Includes many features never seen before in a City-building series game, including a farming model based on the flooding of the Nile

- Destroy enemies in land and naval combat or simply build the perfect Egyptian city with the City Construction Kit

- Build giant monuments including the great pyramids, the sphinx, and the temples of Luxor

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PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

Impressions

Caesar™ III

With beautiful rich and detailed graphics, *Caesar III* is the game that city-building fans everywhere will look forward to seeing on their PC. *Caesar III* is brought to you by

The ultimate in strategy games

"Impressions" Software, who excel in the city-building genre. This strategic simulation offers players the opportunity to create, rule and defend a Roman-era city of their own design, either via a series of missions or "constraint-free" via the City Construction Kit. Increased interaction with citizens, new commerce models, a clear game scenario and improved user interface all combine to make *Caesar III* a detailed city-building and management game with innovative strategic elements.

Strategy

- **All the game's action takes place on one level – no need to monitor separate scenes for city, countryside and battle**
- **Intuitive-interface and feedback: the real-time effects of player's actions are immediately visible on screen**
- **Offers multiple gameplay objectives in a richer, truer environment**

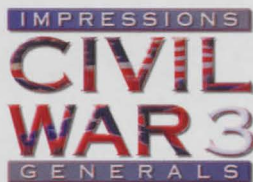*"Incredibly detailed and utterly absorbing"(92%)*
PC Zone

Mac CD-ROM
(minimum: OS 7.6.1, 100 Mhz, Power PC, 32 MB RAM)

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 90, Win 95, 16 MB RAM)

Strategy

Civil War Generals 3 ™

What's your favourite colour: blue or grey?

Civil War Generals 3, sequel to the best-selling Civil War series ever, bridges the gap between historical and real-time strategy games. *Civil War Generals 3* immerses players in an intense re-enactment of America's most important historical event. With turn-based resource management and real-time battles, a wide array of options, and variable difficulty levels, *Civil War Generals 3* delivers fun for Civil War buffs and hardcore gamers alike. Multiplayer features include real-time voice transmission, as well as competitive and co-operative play. The game spans the entire spectrum of the conflict from battles and economics to politics and popular sentiment.

IMPRESSIONS
CIVIL WAR 3
GENERALS

- Shoulder the political, economic and military challenges of the *American Civil War* and lead your people to victory.
- Choose from five levels of difficulty and a wide range of game options.
- Many ways to defeat your enemy: decimate their military, destroy their industry, or even get them thrown out of office!
- Simultaneous turn-based strategic gameplay with detailed real-time or 'quick 'n easy turn-based battles.

- Detailed animations and environmental audio provide intuitive feedback about resources and battlefield conditions.
- Play against a friend or in Partnership play with two to four people over modem, network or Internet. Taunt your opponents and co-ordinate tactics with your co-commander in real-time using your voice.
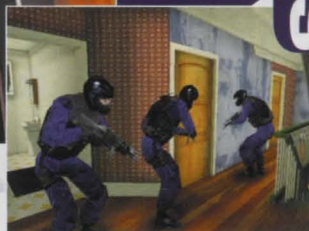
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Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133, Win 95, 32 MB RAM)
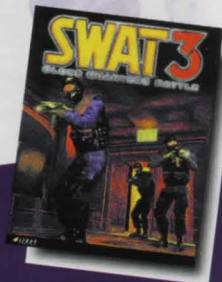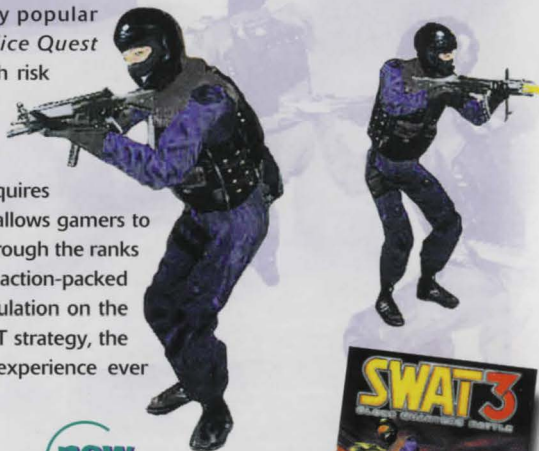
SWAT™ 3: Close Quarters Battle

Experience the real world of SWAT

SWAT 3 is the latest title in the immensely popular SWAT and *Police Quest* Series. Throughout the chaos of hostage rescues, high risk warrants, and barricaded suspects, players take command of a five-man assault team in an attempt to save innocents and take out the bad guys. The environment and tactics create a realistic gaming experience that requires gamers to think as well as act. A compelling narrative allows gamers to pursue individual missions or to follow a career track through the ranks of the LAPD SWAT unit. The combination of tactics and action-packed intensity creates a game unlike any other combat simulation on the market. Combining intense character AI with real SWAT strategy, the game delivers the most immersive tactical combat experience ever found without a badge.

- **Takes police tactics to entirely new levels of realism using photo realistic 3D environments and motion captured animation**
- **Players have the ability to change points of view by switching to the SWAT cameras each assaulter has mounted on their helmets**
- **Twenty unique missions with more than 100 characters**

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3D Card 3D Compatible

PC CD-ROM
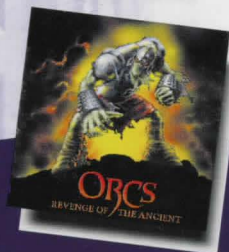(minimum: Pentium 200, Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

Orcs:™
Revenge of the Ancient

Strategy

Survival is the key

Orcs: Revenge of the Ancient, a fantasy strategy game developed by Berkeley Systems, is set in the world of Middle-Earth from J.R.R Tolkien's internationally acclaimed trilogy 'The Lord of the Rings'. The player assumes the role of an orc chieftain who must select, raise and train one of their minions to become the clan's champion. In single player mode each combat opens a new chapter with multiple endings dependent on the player's choices. In multiplayer mode they can pit their minions against the orcs of other players, each customized to their player's tastes, and each with its own strengths and weaknesses. At its heart, the experience is all about training and fighting, trying to create the best warriors with the most deadly and versatile balance of skills chosen from a long list of possibilities.

- **Real-time 3D combat engine using statistical modelling**
- **Customizable training and fighting allows you to equip your Orc with unique armour, weapons, special items and clothing**
- **RPG based skill system – each Orc has a unique attribute set which impacts his ability to train, fight and to do your bidding**

ORCS
REVENGE OF THE ANCIENT

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 166,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)
3D acceleration required
with Pentium 166

Dynamix

Desert Fighters™

Innovative WWII Combat Flight Sim

Desert Fighters is a low-level air combat action sim based in the North African theatre of WWII from January 1941 to December 1943. The player will experience flying into history in intense low level air-to-air and air-to-surface missions that will have them flying through scorching desert canyons, and through blistering sand-storms. The fate of the desert battle is in the player's hands.

- It features over 30 aircraft with approximately 18 flyable models, and 9 elite airplanes never-before-seen in a WWII combat simulation
- Campaign system that allows the course of history to be changed forever – the player's decisive tactics and piloting skill determine the outcome of the war
- 3D graphic acceleration and atmospheric special effects

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DESERT FIGHTERS

3D Card 3D Compatible

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 200, Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

PAPYRUS

NASCAR®
Racing 2000

Rev it up *Nascar® Racing 2000* is the latest addition to the highly successful NASCAR® line of PC racing simulations by Sierra Sports, developed by the award winning team at Papyrus. *Nascar® Racing 2000* also features the cars and tracks from the Busch Grand National series.

- **High resolution 3D graphics and new effects including dynamic skids, translucent smoke and shadows, shaded groove, specular highlighting**
- **Internet multiplayer**
- **3D positional sound with DirectSound3D and A3D 2.0, dynamic all-new engine sounds, and separate spotter and crew chief audio**
- **Force feedback support**
- **Enhanced, aggressive Artificial Intelligence races you harder and smarter**
- **Enhanced setup options**
- **Full paintkit to customize your own car**
- **Includes the cars and tracks from the Busch Grand National series.**
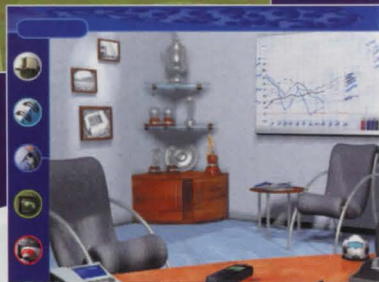

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer

Ultimate Soccer Manager 2000

USM 98 created a new precedent in soccer manage-

Total soccer management

ment by combining real data accuracy, intuitive game play and excellent graphics to create the most complete soccer management sim. *USM 2000* carries on the tradition for excellence, with further enhancements. The player's main objectives are to select his best possible team, create an effective training system, design tactics and formations, and buy and sell players to create the best possible playing side. Featuring advanced tactical and training systems, a transfer market boasting 20,000 players from over 12 leagues across the world, an international manager mode, a new 3D match engine, Modem/Lan play and free on-line season updates, *USM 2000* is nothing short of total soccer management.

- **3D match system which will allow players to view real-time match action or action replays from any angle and distance**

- **USM 2000 will be the first USM product that will be in 16-bit colour. This will players allow to radically improve the quality of the general graphics and the interface itself**

- **USM 2000 will contain a larger number of leagues than ever before (new leagues will include Brazil, Argentina and the USA)**

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PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 166, Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

Multiplayer
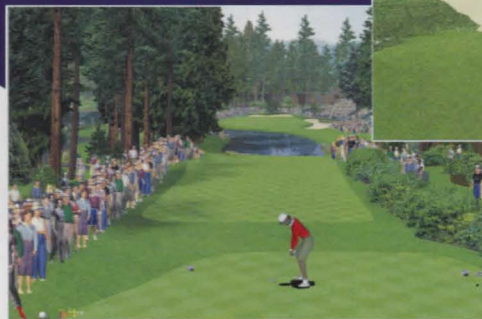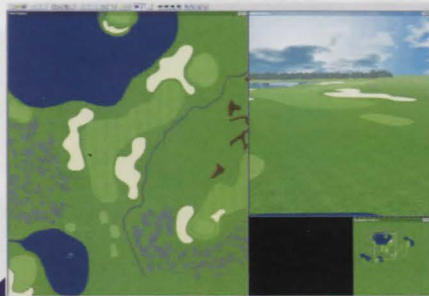Up to 8 players via modem LAN

Multiplayer

Sport

PGA Championship Golf 99

The future of computer golf is here

PGA Championship Golf 99 is the most rewarding, true-to-life experience developed for the PC. With each round, fans of the sport catch a glimpse of life as a PGA professional, playing legendary courses rendered in stunning 3D detail. Players can also replicate their favourite home course or design endless fantasy courses with the exclusive Course Architect. Once a dream course is perfected, posting on WON.net enables sharing with an Internet golfing community where the play can begin. Switching to Tournament setting allows the player to receive broadcast style commentary. Players can create their ideal golfer, both in look and in playing style. The game's advanced features and additional courses deliver a realistic experience that combine to produce the best golfing experience on the PC.

"...this could be the most fun, if not actually the best golf game on the PC for years."
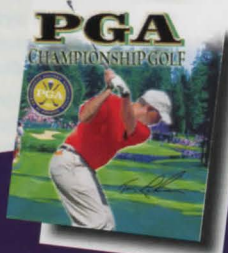**Ultimate PC**

new

- **Enhanced version of True Swing™ which offers an unparalleled computer golfing sensation that emphasises the same strengths as those required by an actual golf swing**

- **Ready Play technology which lets you walk the course and play your shots independent of your playing partners**

- **Unique 3D environment where players interact with each other and where you can view and play from just about any angle**

3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer
Multiplayer Up
to 64 players via modem
or the Internet (WON.net)

PGA
CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

DEIBUS
STUDIOS

Edgar Torrenteras' Extreme Biker™

Madcap motorcross action

Extreme Biker is an extreme motor-sports title featuring two distinct styles of play, with players participating in track-based racing or freestyle stunt action over 24 of the most insane environments ever devised. Situated either over open terrain or within a number of stadia, these feature all types of wild jumps and obstacles, as well as a number of hidden locations, allowing the player to discover and explore new areas. The game also features full action replay from a number of viewpoints and perspectives, as well as aggressive computer-controlled opposition, who can be punched or kicked from their bikes. The game is developed by Deibus, a new and original developer who go all out to achieve the best results not only in technology but in looks, functionality and gameplay.

- **24 game environments, including open-air and stadium-based races, and massive freestyle arenas**
- **Unique Dynamic Stunt System, featuring a large number of realistic stunts and tricks**
- **Detailed landscapes, ranging from desert vistas and verdant forests to the crowded cities of London and Paris, featuring high-quality texturing and effects**

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3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer
Up to 8 players via
modem LAN
or the Internet

Multiplayer

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 266,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

Gabriel Knight™ III:
Blood of the Sacred
Blood of the Damned

Adventure

The Solution
Will Shock You

This all-time adventure favourite now has a fully redesigned game engine generating realistic, real-time images. Master storyteller Jane Jensen sets Gabriel Knight and his associate Grace on a mystery adventure in the unassuming French village of Rennes-le-Château. For generations, religious historians, researchers of the occult and avid treasure hunters have attempted to uncover the village's hidden truths. The mystery is real and centres around the kidnapped newborn son of a dethroned Prince. Gabriel must rescue the missing heir, revealing secrets not only in the hills of France, but in the lineage of Gabriel himself. The game is deep, intelligent and full of atmosphere, with an original storyline blending fact and fiction.

- **Highly detailed, 3D animated characters in a full 3D environment with real-time character interaction**
- **Solve a real life enigma involving the Holy Grail, the Knights Templar, and a society of vampires, and find the mysterious lost treasure of Rennes-le-Château**
- **Unlimited angles of play, including first person and third person points-of-view which allows you an unprecedented level of exploration and control**

Blood of the Sacred
GABRIELKNIGHT3
Blood of the Damned

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 133 with 3Dfx,
Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

3D Card
3D
Compatible
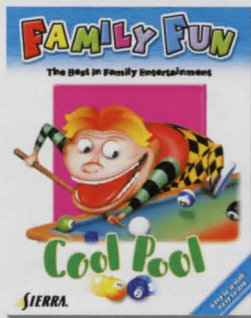
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Dynamix
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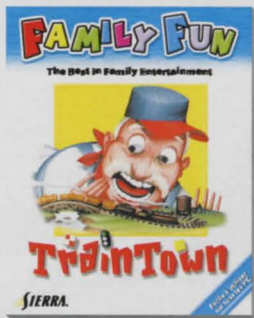
Family Fun®
SOFTWARE

The *Family Fun Software* series is a new range designed to be affordable, easy to install and great for all the family. *Family Fun Software* provides the best in family entertainment with a series of games to challenge your brain as well as your reactions. *Family Fun Software* games are easy to play, great to look at and endless fun. Their multiple player capability makes them terrific for families. This series contains games designed to look great on both low-end and high-end PCs. Now that's fun!
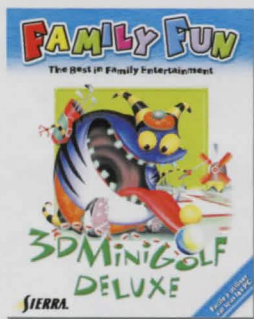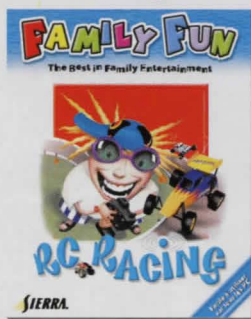
Cool Pool
More than just pool

Train Town

3D Minigolf Deluxe
Miniature golf was never this big.

RC Racing
Little cars, big fun!

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FAMILY FUN
SOFTWARE

PC CD-ROM
(minimum : Pentium 90,
Win 95, 16 MB RAM)

Blizzard

Diablo™ II

Don't be scared to take the challenge!

Diablo II is the highly anticipated sequel to Diablo. Developed by Blizzard Entertainment, the game returns the player to a dark world. After possessing the body of the hero who defeated him, Diablo resumes his scheme to shackle humanity into slavery by joining forces with the other prime Evils, Mephisto and Baal. Players face a new series of quests to rid the world of Diablo and his vile brethren forever. Features include 5 new character classes with unique abilities, 4 expansive realms and enhanced multiplayer functions. Set in a vast underworld, the game promises to draw the gamer into a world of hellfire and magic, re-creating the immersive and addictive feel of the first.

- Five all new character classes, including an Amazon, Barbarian and Sorceress, each with unique skills and spells
- Enhanced multiplayer – advanced Battle.net technology unleashes support for up to 8 players over the Internet, including multiplayer quests, and much more
- An immense, expanded ever changing world filled with all new quests, weapons, spells, armour, monsters and non-playing characters

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3D Card
3D
Compatible

Multiplayer

Multiplayer Up to 8 players via modem LAN or the Internet (Battle.net)
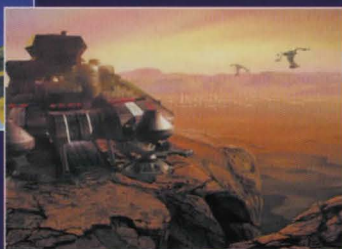
PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 166, Win 95, 32 MB RAM)

StarCraft™: Brood War

An epic saga of galactic warfare

StarCraft: Brood War returns players to the StarCraft universe in a renewed battle as three races continue their struggle for galactic domination. As three all-new campaigns unfold, players battle Kerrigan, an infested Terran vying for control of the Zerg, as they fend off surviving members of the Protoss race attempting to reunite with the mighty Dark Templar. This continuation of the war faces players with 24 all-new scenarios set in the 3 campaigns. The expansion set offers six new units including Lurkers, Valkyries and Dark Archons and exciting gameplay set in arid deserts, frozen wastes and twilight worlds of the Dark Templar. In the full version up to 8 players can battle head-on. This add-on to Blizzard's best selling game also includes 100 multiplayer maps.
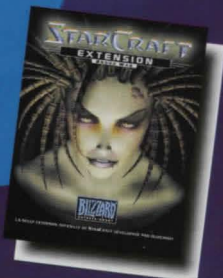
Blizzard

- Three all new campaigns that continue the epic StarCraft storyline
- New worlds to explore, from the Dark Templar twilight world to the blasted lands of Korhal
- New weapons of war

Multiplayer

Multiplayer Up to 8 players
via modem LAN or
the Internet (Battle.net)

PC CD-ROM
(minimum: Pentium 90,
Win 95, 24 MB RAM)
Mac CD-ROM
(minimum: Mac OS 7.6,
Power PC, 16 MB RAM)
Requires original StarCraft to play

Blizzard

WarCraft® II: Tides of Darkness

Bring the conflict to life

Return to the world of *WarCraft*, where the battle between the evil Orcs and the noble Humans rages on. With powerful new allies, terrifying new creatures and ingenious new weapons including Dragons, Battleships and Death Knights, the struggle for the domination of Azeroth continues.

- Manage vital resources, train units and research magic as you fight for dominance
- All new units fight over land, sea and air
- Includes a strategic 'fog of war' feature which allows players to only see activity within their units' line of sight, adding a whole new dimension as scouting and sentries become vital in the defense of territory

Multiplayer Up to 8 players via modem LAN or the Internet (Battle.net)

PC CD-ROM (minimum: DOS 5.0 or higher, Win 95, 8 MB RAM)

Diablo™

Embark if you dare

Embark if you dare on a dark and sinister quest that will pull you into the very depths of hell itself and beyond. Storm Diablo's halls as Warrior, Sorcerer or Rogue, each with unique abilities. As you venture deeper into the labyrinth, you'll discover weapons, armour and magical treasures, and develop your character's skills and abilities. *Diablo* invites you to enter into a world of dark, gothic fantasy.

- 3D modelled characters and real-time lighting effects
- Unprecedented replayability – Diablo creates a unique labyrinth every time you play
- Compete over the Internet with Free access to Blizzard's Battle.net gaming service

Multiplayer Up to 4 players via modem LAN or the Internet (Battle.net)

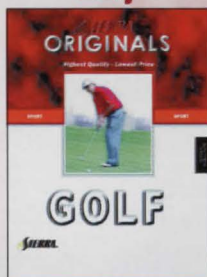PC CD-ROM (minimum: Pentium 60, Win 95, 8 MB RAM)

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ORIG(I)NALS

Highest Quality
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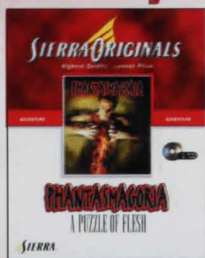
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