

Main programmer information.

Lane Waters.

Software engineer.

Lane has written several arcade games for various companies.

He has also written accounting software and systems software.

His programming languages mainly consist of C and Assembly Language.

Before moving over to Windows, he programmed on the Commodore Amiga.

Here is a great book.

You may want to get a solitaire book to get pointers on the games. More detailed rules would also be available. It would take an entire book to write the detailed rules to all the games. Suggestion:

The Complete Book of Solitaire and Patience Games

By Albert H. Morehead and Geoffrey Mott-Smith

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Product catalog.

All programs run in Windows.

1. Funsol solitaire game.
2. Funpok video poker game.
3. Inside World graphical role playing game.
4. Registering these games.

Here is a list of the classic card games in Funsol(tm).

There should be something for every type of player.

First for the one deck games.

1. Aces Up
2. Agnes
3. Auld Lang Syne
4. Baker's Dozen
5. Beleaguered Castle
6. Bisley
7. Bristol
8. Canfield
9. Carpet
10. Chameleon
11. Chessboard
12. Captive Queens
13. Citadel
14. Dutchess
15. Eagle Wing
16. Easthaven
17. Eight Off
18. Elevens
19. Five Piles
20. Fifteens
21. Flower Garden
22. Fortress
23. Fortune's Favor
24. Four Seasons
25. Fourteen Out
26. Gate
27. Golf
28. Good Measure
29. King Albert
30. Klondike
31. La Belle Lucie
32. Nestor
33. Old Patience
34. Osmosis
35. Peek
36. Perseverance
37. Puss in Corner
38. Rainbow
39. Russian Solitaire
40. Scorpion
41. Shamrocks

42. Simplicity
43. Spiderette
44. Storehouse
45. Strategy
46. Streets and Alleys
47. Super Flower Garden
48. Superior Demon
49. Tam O'Shanter
50. Thirteens
51. Tens
52. Thumb and Pouch
53. Trefoil
54. Westclif
55. Will O' the Wisp
56. Whitehead
57. Yukon

Here are the two deck games.

1. Alhambra
2. Blockade
3. Blondes and Brunettes
4. Busy Aces
5. Colorado
6. Congress
7. Contradance
8. Courtyard
9. Deuces
10. Diplomat
11. Double Fan
12. Falling Star
13. Fan
14. Fanny
15. Forty Thieves
16. Frog
17. Gargantua
18. General Patience
19. Grand Duchess
20. House on the Hill
21. Indian
22. Limited
23. Lucas
24. Maria
25. Miss Milligan
26. Mount Olympus
27. Napoleon's Square

28. Number Ten
29. Parisienne
30. Patriarchs
31. Rank and File
32. Red and Black
33. Royal Rendezvous
34. Spider
35. Square
36. Streets
37. Sultan

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2. Company.
3. Tools used.

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Pentium P6		
Memory: (circle one)	2MB	4MB
8MB 16MB+		
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Introduction to Funpok(tm).

Funpok has 192 different machines, each with their own database of stats. (Professional version)

1. General Info.
2. Special features.
3. What you get.

Funpok(tm) features.

1. Every machine has its own database of stats saved to disk.
2. Jackpot, Double-up and Casino machines.
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4. Jacks or better in the shareware version.
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6. Plenty of preferences.
7. Realistic sound effects. No annoying sounds!
8. Plenty of stats on game play history.
9. Large card graphics.

Here is what you get for registering Funpok(tm).

1. 192 different machines in the Professional version, or 32 machines in the shareware version.
Each machine has its own database.
2. Saved stats to start you off.
3. Plus!

Funpok(tm) information.

Funpok is a Windows video poker game. This program is shareware. The shareware version has 32 machines. The Professional version has 192 machines. Except for the amount of games, there are no other differences between the two versions. If any new features are added, they will be present in the your registered version.

To play Funpok, just copy the files to a directory and add the icon to the Windows Program Manager. There are several icons in the file to choose from. No changes are made to system files. Windows 3.1, mouse, VGA and two megs of FREE memory are required to run Funpok. A sound card is recommended. A funpok.ini file is created in the windows directory. Use virtual memory if your computer has four megs or less of memory.

Introduction to Funsol(tm).

Funsol has a very large library of 113 solitaire games. (Professional version)

1. General Info.
2. Special features.
3. What you get for registering.
4. All those games.
5. Revision history.
6. Rules???

Funsol(tm) Features.

1. Unlimited undo.
2. Card counter.
3. Saving of game and ALL moves made so far.
4. Powerful seed selection.
5. Plenty of preferences.
6. Show all cards (cheat).
7. Pop-up rule boxes for each game and each pile.
8. Valid move indicator.

Here is what you get for registering Funsol(tm).

1. 113 entirely different solitaire games in the Professional version or 25 games in the shareware version.
2. Several saved games that can loaded and tried.
3. Plus!

Funsol(tm) information.

Funsol is a Windows solitaire card game. This program is shareware. The shareware version has 25 games. The Professional version has 113 games. Except for the amount of games, there are no other differences between the two versions. If any new features are added, they will be present in the your registered version.

To play Funsol, just copy the files to a directory and add the icon to the Windows Program Manager. There are several icons in the file to choose from. No changes are made to system files. Windows 3.1, mouse, VGA and two megs of FREE memory are required to run Funsol. A sound card is recommended. A funsol.ini file is created in the windows directory. Use virtual memory if your computer has four megs or less of memory.

Funsol(tm) Revision history.

1. Square has been renamed to Spaire because Square was already taken (see below).
2. Error messages removed. They did not work right and made game play impossible. Mainly used for debugging.
3. Improved movement rate selection. There are four choices now.
4. Most bug fixes would not be noticed by the average player, but several were fixed. This program has been THOROUGHLY tested.
5. These ten games have been added since the shareware release.

Grand total: 113 games.

Unique games:

1. Monomoy
2. Face Walk

One deck games:

2. Chessboard

Two deck games:

3. Falling Star
4. Deuces
5. Square (the unique game Square was renamed to Spaire)
6. Courtyard
7. Napoleon's Square
8. Busy Aces
9. Fan
10. General Patience

6. Help file updated.
7. Cards pick up no matter where one clicks on a pile.
8. Much less memory is required to run Funsol.
9. Fixed Gargantua, only 100 cards were being dealt.

Here is a list of the games in Funsol(tm).

1. Classic games.
2. Unique games.

What do I get for registering?

Here is what you get for each game.

1. Funsol(tm).
2. Funpok(tm).
3. Inside World(tm).

You will find at least these extras on the disk.

1. DICE.EXE is a simple dice rolling game that saves your high scores. You start with five dice. Two additional dice are rolled and displayed next to the word HUMAN above your dice. Just press PUSH to roll your five dice. If any of the five dice match either of the two dice next to the word HUMAN above, they will be darkened and taken away. Only the remaining dice can be rolled if you decide to PUSH again. If all the dice match, you lose all your dice and ALL points scored that round from previous rolls. Don't push your luck too far. Just press STOP to end your turn and keep your points for the round. The computer plays against you in alternating turns. There is a total of five rounds. Any high scores made by you or the computer are saved, and can be displayed via the File menu. Press NEW to start over.
2. MAZE.EXE is just a self-running demo of a maze generation program. Watch the dots chase each other in the maze.
3. DOSSOL.EXE is the egg. This is where it all started, as a DOS program. Press 'U' to undo (only one level of undo). Press 'S' to restart the same game. Press 'N' to start a new game. Press 'E' to view all the cards. Press ESC to exit. This is Mackenzie only. Run DOSSOL from the DOS prompt.

Introduction to The Inside World(tm).

The Inside World has ten levels of high quality levels. (Professional version)

1. General Info.
2. Special features.
3. What you get for registering.

Inside World(tm) features.

1. Load and save games at anytime during the game.
2. Hundreds of items and hints, dozens of spells, many monsters.
3. Top view scrolling and first person perspective.
4. Totally graphical. Fast 256 color graphics in Windows.
5. Dozens of sound effects and music.
6. Heavily play tested.
7. Everything is handled on one screen.
8. Mouse and keyboard support.
9. Real time action. No turns. Easy and fun fighting.
10. Gain experience and increase skills.
11. Two mapping systems.
12. No death, players just get tired and fall asleep for a while.
13. Inventory system sorts most item types. Lunchbox, keyring etc...
14. Everything is actually shown, not just described.
15. No area is cut off during the game. One can return to any area.
16. Growth, monster generation, birth, laying eggs and metamorphosis.

Here is what you get for registering The Inside World(tm).

1. Ten levels in the Professional version or three levels in the shareware version.
2. More spells, monsters and items on the extra levels in the professional version.
3. Plus!

Inside World(tm) info.

The Inside World is a Windows role playing game. This program is shareware. The shareware version has three levels. The Professional version has ten levels. Except for the amount of levels, there are no other differences between the two versions. If any new features are added, they will be present in the your registered version.

To install The Inside World, just copy the files to a directory and add the icon to the Windows Program Manager. There are several icons in the file to choose from. No changes are made to system files. Windows 3.1 or Windows 95, mouse, VGA and AT LEAST FOUR MEGS OF FREE MEMORY ARE REQUIRED TO RUN The Inside World. Use virtual memory if your computer has less than eight megs of memory. A sound card is recommended.

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7. Removal of registration box at startup.
8. Free technical support. Telephone or e-mail.
9. It's always proper to register useful software.

Registering our products.

Here is some information on registering.

1. What do I get?
2. What is the cost?
3. Where do I send my payment?
4. Registration form. (use [Print Topic](#) from Help Menu)
5. \$1 off if you prefer to call before registering.

How about the rules?

This has been a common question.

1. Right click on the individual piles to get the rules for each pile.
2. Right click on the background to get special game rules.
3. [Here is a great book.](#)

Saved games to try.

These saved games come with the registered version.

1. DADD has five easy Daddy Long Legs saved games to try. Each game has an unusual deal of the cards. Can you find them?
2. EQUI has nine easy Equinox games, and six hard ones. They are hard, but can be solved.
3. FIFT has nine easy Fifteens games. The goal of these games is to end up with the 4 aces, the 4 twos and a three. $1+1+1+1+2+2+2+2+3 = 15$.
4. KLON had five hard Klondike games. Now THESE are a challenge, but they can be solved with patience. Just save and come back later.
5. MACK has three easy Mackenzie games. Try to complete it without making a SINGLE play to the foundations until the very end. There are also 14 hard games that will keep you busy for quite a while.
6. MISC contains four unusual deals from various games. Try to find the unusual combinations.
7. MISS contains three hard Miss Milligan games. Some took over two hours to solve.
8. RAPT has an easy Raptor game, but try winning the eight hard games in this directory.
9. TARA contains 13 easy Tarantula games, but have long straight flushes in them. Try to win without disturbing the flushes until the very end. There is one hard game to try too.
10. TIMB has 25 easy Timber Hawk games, and seven hard ones. Our play tester did not think she could ever solve them again, but she did once. There is also a file called HARDEST.GAM that was solved once too, but don't even bother with that one!

Tools used to make our products.

Our products are written entirely in C/C++.

1. Visual C/C++ and Application Studio by Microsoft Corporation were used for programming.
2. Deluxe Paint by Electronic Arts was used for graphics.
3. Soundo'LE by Creative Labs was used for sound.
4. Midisoft Sessions by Midisoft was used for the music.
5. Help Pre-Compiler by Antonio Cordero Balcazar was used to make this help file.

Unique games.

Here are some unique games found only in Funsol.
Some of them are easier versions of classic games.

Here are the one deck games.

1. Burnt Paw
2. Daddy Long Legs
3. Equinox
4. Face Walk
5. Great Bear
6. Kings Up
7. Mackenzie
8. Monomoy
9. Pelican
10. Raptor
11. Spaire
12. Tarantula
13. Timber Hawk

Here are two deck versions of some of the above games.

1. Daddy Long Legs
2. Mackenzie
3. Mrs Lamminen
4. Tarantula

Here are two four deck versions.

1. Daddy Long Legs
2. Mackenzie

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