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GETTING STARTED

Using the PlayStation®2 System

Set up your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the MAIN POWER switch (located on the back of the console) is turned ON. Press the RESET button. When the power indicator lights up, press the OPEN button and the disc tray will open. Place the Ice Age 2 The Meltdown disc on the disc tray with the label side facing up. Press the OPEN button again, and the disc tray will close. Attach game controllers and other peripherals, as appropriate. Follow 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.

STARTING UP

DUALSHOCK®2 ANALOG CONTROLLER CONFIGURATIONS

- L2 button
- L1 button
- R2 button
- R1 button
- directional buttons
- left analog stick
- L3 button when pushed down
- SELECT button
- ANALOG mode button
- START button
- right analog stick
- R3 button when pushed down

BASIC CONTROLS

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SCRAT UNDERWATER

Left Analog Stick | Player Movement
△ button | Dive
X button (Tap Repeatedly) | Swim Forward
X button (Surface) | Jump Out

INTRODUCTION

The Ice Age is coming to an end! Pretty soon, the entire valley will be flooded as the ice dam melts away. Follow all of the animals as they make their way across the valley to safety. Along the way, help Scrat sniff out all of the acorns scattered about the land. Guide Sid as he zooms down the treacherous ice slide. And help our other heroes, Manny and Diego, as they take on new adventures.

PLAYING THE GAME

MAIN MENU

| New Game | Start a New Game |
| Load Game | Load a Saved Game |
| Options | Change Game Settings |
| Bonus Features | Access Unlocked Bonuses |
| Credits | View Credits |

PAUSE MENU

| Continue | Return to Game |
| Hints | View Useful Hints |
| Save | Save Game |
| Options | Change Game Settings |
| Quit Game | Quit to Main Menu |

HUD (Heads Up Display)

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<td>Dig here for a goodie</td>
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<td>Scurry Hole</td>
<td>See what's on the other side</td>
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<td>Pebble Pile</td>
<td>Grab some more pebbles to toss by attacking these piles</td>
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<td>Plant</td>
<td>Hit these plants to see if any goodies pop out</td>
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<td>Hint Sign</td>
<td>When in doubt, take a peek at what these signs say</td>
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<td>Flowers</td>
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COLLECTIBLES

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<td>1 point towards bonus unlock</td>
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<td>5 points towards bonus unlock</td>
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<td>20 points towards bonus unlock</td>
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<td>Walnut</td>
<td>Scrat likes to collect all of these before he leaves an area</td>
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<td>Golden Nut</td>
<td>The most elusive Acorn of all</td>
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<td>Replenishes Scrat's energy</td>
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MINI GAMES

SID SLIDE
Take on the most feared water slide in the park, “The Eviscerator”!

PENGUIN-BOWLING
Score 100 points in an icy game of bowling!
MONKEY SHOOTING GALLERY
Teach those rascally monkeys a lesson and win a walnut!

AND MANY OTHERS!
BE SURE TO PLAY THEM ALL!

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