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NES-HY-USA

# ICE HOCKEY

INSTRUCTION BOOKLET



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Thank you for selecting the Nintendo Entertainment System® Ice Hockey Pak.

#### **OBJECT OF THE GAME/GAME DESCRIPTION**

Ice hockey is hard hitting, fast-action competition. Each team tries to put the puck into its opponent's goal. A game consists of three periods, and the team with the most points at the end of the game wins. When the score is tied at the end of the three periods, the game is decided with penalty shots. If the score is still tied following the penalty shots, the game goes into overtime without goalkeepers.

At the start of the game, and at the start of each period, one player from each team goes to the center of the rink for a "face-off." From there on out, it's non-stop mayhem on the ice, a battle to the end. Will you be the champion?

Please read this instruction booklet to ensure proper handling of your new game, and then save the booklet for future reference.

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## 1. PRECAUTIONS

- 1) This is a high precision game. It should not be stored in places that are very hot or cold. Never hit or drop it. Do not take it apart.
- 2) Avoid touching the connectors, do not get them wet or dirty. Doing so may damage the game.
- 3) Do not clean with benzene, paint thinner, alcohol or other such solvents.

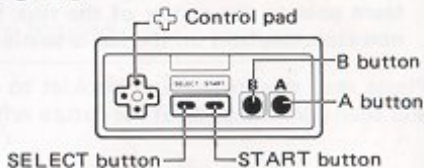
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## 2. NAMES OF CONTROLLER PARTS AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS


### Controller 1/Controller 2

**Controller 1** – for 1 Player Game

**Controller 2** – for second player  
in 2 Player Game



## 3. GAME SELECTION GAME MENU

Press the START button during the demonstration to display the game menu. Then use the  control pad or the SELECT button to select a 1 player game (you against the computer) or a 2 player game, and press the START button to begin.





Game menu



SELECTIONS



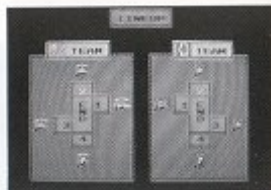
SELECTIONS

	<b>TEAM</b>	Use the  control pad to choose from the following six countries for your team and your opponent's team: USA (United States), SWE (Sweden), POL (Poland), CAN (Canada), URS (Soviet Union), TSH (Czechoslovakia). <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 1 Player Game (1): Your team (2): Opponent's team (computer's team)</li><li>○ 2 Player Game (1): 1st player (2): 2nd player</li></ul>
	<b>SPEED</b>	Use the  control pad to select the game speed, from 1 to 5, with 1 being the slowest and 5 the fastest.
	<b>TIME</b>	Use the  control pad to select the time for each period of play, from 7, 10, or 15 minutes.

After selecting the TEAM, SPEED, and TIME, press the START button.




## LINE UP

Here, you pick your team's formation by selecting the physical features of your four players. Each time you press the A button, the physical features change for the player with the flashing number. Use the control pad to move the cursor from player to player. Thin players, ordinary players, and stocky players each have their own playing traits. Think carefully about the team formation you want.



A button: Press to select physical features.

+ Control pad: Press to shift flashing cursor position.

Physical Features			
Playing Traits	Fast	Average ability	Slow
Sticking	Weak		Dynamite
Shooting strength	Feeble		Strong
Body check	Good		Poor
Face-off			

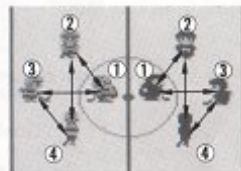
Once you've decided on your team's formation, move the cursor to the END mark and press the A button. After your opponent does the same and also presses the A button at the lighted END mark, play begins.

## 4. HOW TO PLAY

### FACE-OFF

Select the formation you want for each face-off. Players ① and ③ specialize mainly in defense, and players ② and ④ specialize in offense. Player ① moves to the center spot to take the face-off.

You can exchange players ② and ④ by pressing the + control pad up or down, and players ① and ③ by pressing the + control pad left or right. When play begins, the players that are flashing can be controlled directly.

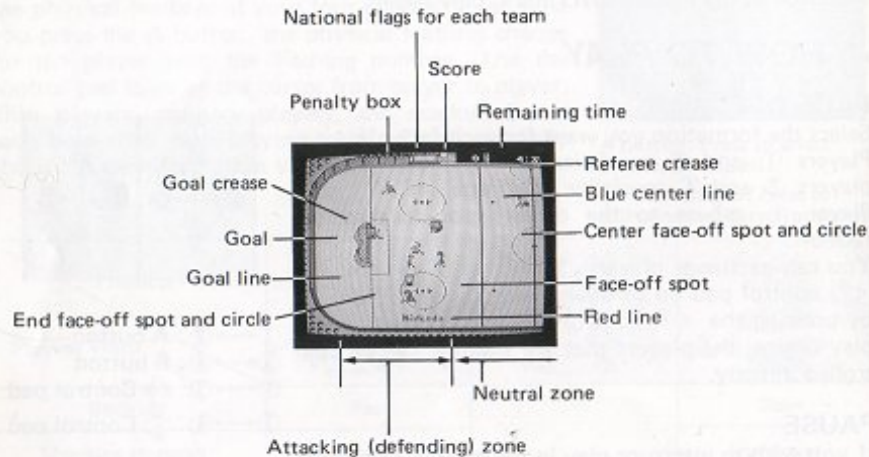


- ① ↔ ② : A button
- ③ ↔ ④ : B button
- ① ↔ ③ : + Control pad
- ② ↔ ④ : + Control pad

### PAUSE

If you wish to interrupt play in the middle of a game, press the START button. Press the START button again when you wish to continue the game.

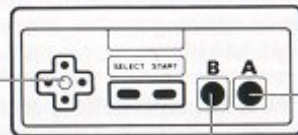
## GAME SCREENS



## CONTROLLER OPERATION

### [OFFENSE]

Player movements and direction  
of passes and shots



Passes and puck battles

Shooting (shooting strength determined  
by length of time pressed)

### [DEFENSE]

Player and goalkeeper movements



Attacking (body checking)  
and puck battles

- Changing movable flashing players (switching to the player nearest the puck)
- Strengthening defense in front of the goal

## B BUTTON PLAYING TECHNIQUES

<b>Shooting</b>	Shoot by pressing and holding the B button for a period of time, then releasing it. The shot speed varies according to the length of time the button is held.
<b>Fake Shot</b>	When the B button is quickly and lightly pressed, the player takes a shooting pose but does not shoot.
<b>Player Changing</b>	This lets you change the flashing player (the movable player) to one nearest the puck.
<b>Strengthening Defense</b>	When the B button is pressed continuously, the players gather in front of the goal to strengthen defense.

## ■ RULES OF THE ICE

### < Icing the Puck >

When one team shoots the puck from a position behind the blue centerline past the opposing team's goal line and an opposing player other than the goalkeeper is the first one to touch it, the play is interrupted and "Icing" is called. The puck is then returned to the defending zone of the team responsible for the Icing for a face-off. Icing is not called when the puck goes straight across the goal crease or when the opposing team has lost players due to penalties and thus has fewer players than the other team.

### ■ Moving from the Fight Mode to a Power Play

Players battle for the puck by repeatedly pressing the A button. If the battle takes too long, though, the surrounding players crowd in and start fighting. When this happens, a player from one of the teams is given a penalty and put in the penalty box for a set period of time. An attack by the team with more players is then called a power play. Please note, though, that whereas pressing the A button repeatedly makes it easier to capture the puck and also makes it more difficult to be penalized, the team that starts the puck battle is more frequently subject to unfavorable referee decisions.



### ■ **Selecting Your Opponent's Team Formation**

If you defeat all of the challenging countries at speed 5, you are given the ability to change the members of your opponent's team on the LINE UP screen.

### ■ **Perfect Your Flip-shooting!**

When you've stored up enough power with the B button, you'll be ready to flip-shoot. This technique lets you "flip" pucks right through the sticks of approaching opponents.

## ***COMPLIANCE WITH FCC REGULATIONS***

This equipment generates and uses radio frequency energy and if not installed and used properly, that is, in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, may cause interference to radio and television reception. It has been type tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B computing device in accordance with the specifications in Subpart J of Part 15 of FCC Rules, which are designed to provide reasonable protection against such interference in a residential installation. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient the receiving antenna
- Relocate the NES with respect to the receiver
- Move the NES away from the receiver
- Plug the NES into a different outlet so that Control Deck and receiver are on different circuits.

If necessary, the user should consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for additional suggestions. The user may find the following booklet prepared by the Federal Communications Commission helpful:

How to Identify and Resolve Radio-TV Interference Problems.

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Redmond, WA 98052

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