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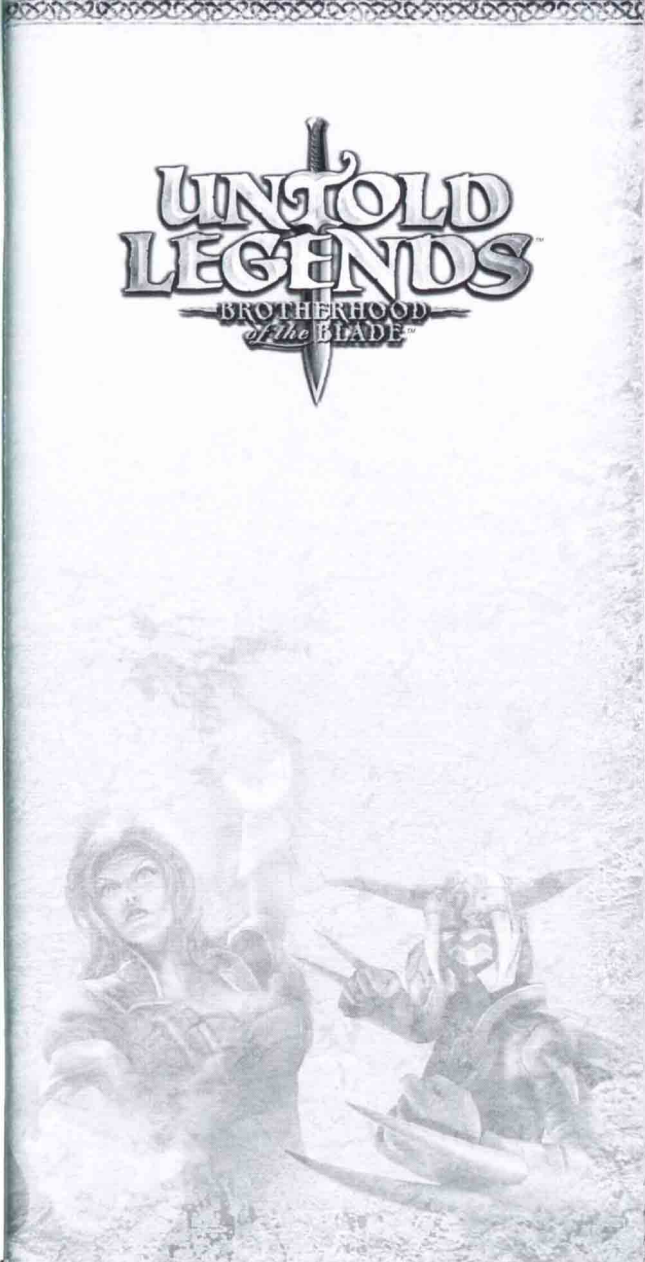
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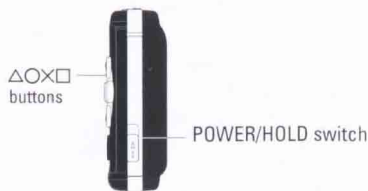
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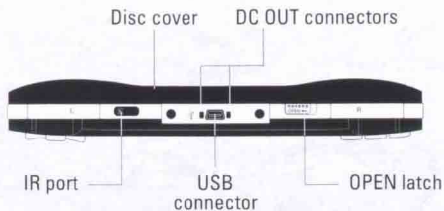
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GETTING STARTED

Right side view






Front view



SETTING UP

Set up the PSP™ (PlayStation®Portable) system according to the instructions in its instruction manual. Turn the PSP™ system on and the POWER indicator will light up green. The Home Menu will be displayed. Press the OPEN latch to open the disc cover. Insert the Untold Legends™: Brotherhood of the Blade™ disc with the label side facing the rear of the PSP™ system and then securely close the disc cover.

Select the  icon from the Home Menu and then select the  icon. An image of the software will be displayed. Select the image and press the  button to commence loading.

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Software titles that support Wireless (WLAN) functionality allow you to communicate with other PSP™ systems, download data and compete against other players via connection to a Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN).



AD HOC MODE

Ad Hoc Mode is a Wireless (WLAN) feature that allows two or more individual PSP™ systems to communicate directly with each other.



GAME SHARING

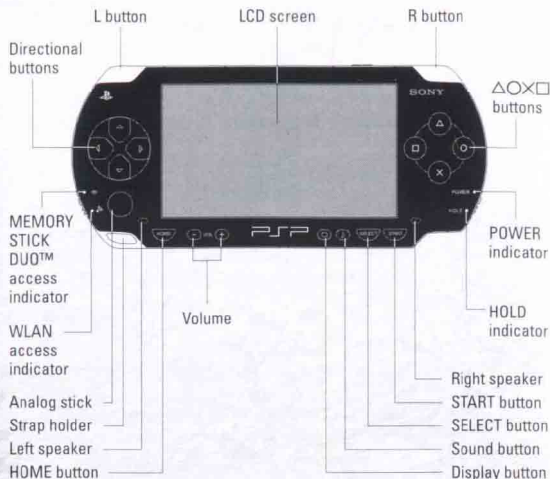
Some software titles feature Game Sharing facilities which enable the user to share specific game features with other users who do not have a PSP™ Game in their PSP™ system.



INFRASTRUCTURE MODE

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STARTING UP



CONTROLS

Main Menu / Options Menu Controls

Select Menu Item

Directional buttons or Analog stick + X

Back

○

Game Controls

Move

Analog stick

Attack

X

Perform Action

□

Use Ability 1

△

Use Ability 2

○

Use Health Potion

L button

Use Power Potion

R button(hold) + L button

Block

R button (hold) + ○

Switch Melee / Ranged

R button (hold) + X

Mini-Map

R button (hold) + □

Center Camera

R button (hold) + △

Quick Ability Menu

Directional buttons (hold) + △ or ○

Orbit / Zoom Camera

R button (hold) +
Directional buttons
START
SELECT

Pause Game / Options Menu

Inventory / Character Screen

Inventory / Character / Merchant Screen Controls

All Tabs

Cycle Screen Tabs Right

R button

Cycle Screen Tabs Left

L button

Move Pointer

Analog Stick

Rotate Paper Doll

Directional buttons

Exit

○ or SELECT

Inventory Tabs

Drop Item

△

Equip / Unequip Item

X

More Information

□

Compare Equipment

Up / Down with

Directional buttons

Ability Tree Tab

Spend Ability Points

X

Level Up Screen

Assign Attribute Points

Directional buttons

Confirm Distribution

X

Merchant Screens

Buy Item / Sell Item

△

More Information

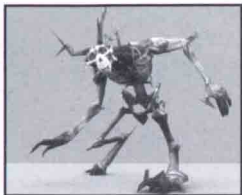
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Compare Equipment

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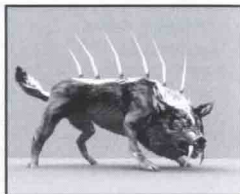
Directional buttons

INTRODUCTION



Unataca is an ancient planet. Hundreds of civilisations have risen and fallen upon its surface. This is the story of one such civilisation. Throughout all of their recorded history, the people have known peace and prosperity within the walls of their timeless city, Aven. High upon the plateau known only as "The Watchtower," Aven has been isolated and secure for generations. For so long have the people dwelled together in this sheltered solitude that today, only mystery and ignorance shroud the certainty of an unknown danger.

The realms beyond the Watchtower are barren and dying regions inhabited by both dangerous and powerful creatures. Aven is truly the only safe haven and the last remaining bastion of human civilisation and culture left upon a withering Unataca.

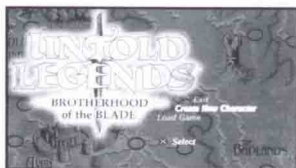


All of this is about to change....



Recently, strange occurrences have begun to haunt the people of Aven. Several prominent citizens have gone missing and innocents have fallen suddenly and mysteriously ill. Unrest and fear are beginning to prosper, but not without due reason. A dark cloud is brewing on the horizon and Aven is threatened by unknown forces that promise only oblivion.

QUICK START



1. Create a New Character

Directional buttons or Analog Stick to select Create New Character; Press **X** to confirm selection.



2. Select Class

Directional buttons; **X** to confirm selection.

3. Select Skin Tone, Hair Style, and Hair Colour

Directional buttons; **X** to confirm selections.

4. Distribute Attribute Points

Directional buttons; **X** to confirm distribution.

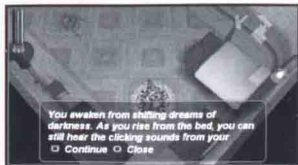
5. Name your Character

Directional buttons; **X** to select letters; **△** to backspace; **R** button to Shift; Select DONE and press **X** when finished.



6. Select Single Player

Directional buttons; **X** to confirm selection.



7. Advance Text

Press **[Square]**.

8. Close Dialog

Press **[Circle]**.

9. Move your Character

Analog Stick.

10. Attack the Praetox Spider

Get close, face enemy, press **[X]** to attack.

11. Collect the Loot

Get close to the loot; press **[Square]** to pick up.

12. Explore the Hallway

There may be more danger afoot. Watch your step!
Try pressing **[Circle]** to use your starting special ability.

STARTING A GAME

Welcome to Untold Legends. Before your adventure begins, you must learn the basics of navigating the screens and menus that are in the game. Use the Directional buttons to select the various menu options and press **[X]** to confirm your selection. Pressing **[Circle]** will step you back through the menus.

Multiplayer Games

Untold Legends is even more fun with your friends. Please see Multiplayer Games starting on page 26 for more information about hosting and joining wireless multiplayer games on your PSP™.

CREATING YOUR CHARACTER

In Untold Legends you get the opportunity to adventure as one of four character types, tailored to slightly different styles of play. Each class also has an exclusive set of special abilities that can be developed in different ways.



Knight

The knight is a champion of law, virtue, order and justice. A knight's primary role in Aven is to serve at the forefront of the protection of Aven and its people. The knight practices an ancient form of combat that has been perfected throughout the passing centuries. This combative style relies upon the usage of heavy weaponry and armour. Through relentless dedication and perfected discipline, the knight champions his tenets throughout the outer territories of Aven.

The knights of Aven belong to an elite and mysterious branch of military known as the Shaeluun Maul. The Shaeluun Maul has been regarded by the people of Aven as a stoic and constant force of vigilance and protection for countless centuries.

The knight is viewed with deep respect and silent fear by the people of Aven. The impenetrable mystery that surrounds the knights of Shaeluun Maul would warrant nothing less. However, the people trust these knights implicitly, for they have shown their unrelenting dedication to the city and its people since the beginning of Aven's history.

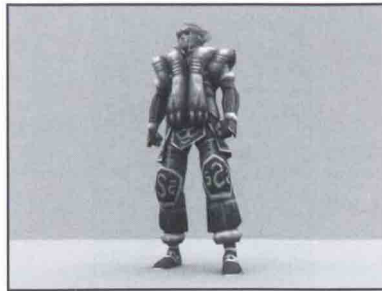


Alchemist

The alchemist is a scientist of incredible brilliance, extreme curiosity and little regard for the consequences of her experiments (all in the pursuit of science). They are also scholars of great renown and pursue the lost mysteries of the world with stubborn determination regardless of the incredible odds against them. The alchemist serves Aven as a source of knowledge, expertise and incredibly dangerous ability. Their relentless pursuit of the unknown often drives them to confront the dangers of the outer territories.

Alchemists employ eldritch science and its untold capabilities in their exploration of these dangerous territories. Potions of their own craft and ancient arcane scrolls are the sources of their destructive and defensive capabilities.

Alchemists are greatly respected in the city of Aven for their countless contributions to cultural progression. If it were not for this elite order of brilliant and progressive minds, Aven would likely not have survived the turmoil of its past.



Druid

Druids are dedicated preservationists who harvest the unseen powers of nature in their crusade against corruption. These fierce and stoic combatants are dedicated to obliterating the abominable corruption of the land and desire its restoration more than anything. The druids' dedication to Aven is very strong, for they view it as the last bastion of hope and the core in their crusade.

The druid employs the corrupted forces of the natural world in order to exterminate the enemies of Aven. This corrupted force is siphoned through the druid's own life essence, trapping the corruption forever within their own spirit. The force is then channeled as pure, natural energy that can serve to destroy the druid's foes or give protection to his allies. Although the druid will inevitably die from the infection of corruption, they consider it a sacrifice that is both worthy and necessary to their cause.

The druid is among the oldest of Aven's elite orders and has served the city for many eras. Druids are viewed with a grave respect by the people of Aven who consider them to be the bravest of champions and most honourable of heroes. The druids have been responsible for the continued survival of Aven and its people, having assured clean water and good crops with their many sacrifices in centuries past.



Berserker

The berserker is the embodiment of unbridled fury, force and bloodthirsty vengeance. A berserker's primary role is one of brutality and destruction. Berserkers are widely feared and distrusted for their extreme cunning and brutal force, but are nonetheless among the most important contributors to Aven's defence.

These mysterious and dangerous warriors are unique in their heightened senses and super-human strength. Berserkers employ small blades and throwing weapons in their arsenal.

Berserkers have been among Aven's populace for countless generations, but have only been accepted by the people and government in the recent century. Their origins are a mystery to all so it is a common belief that these unfortunate people are the bearers of a disease and should be treated as such. There is some truth to this speculation, as no berserker is born a berserker – they are chosen. Only those who have proven their incredible strength, perseverance and a bloodlust for vengeance are given the "gift" of the berserker.

Despite the cold sentiments of others, Berserkers are very loyal and dedicated to Aven and its people. They stalk the outer territories and obliterate the foes of Aven without mercy.

Picking your Class

Your gameplay experience will vary depending on the class you choose and how you develop your character's special abilities, so we encourage you to experiment and try several different characters.

Customising your Look

Untold Legends has several options to create a unique look for your character. As you play the game, you will also find powerful weapons and armour that will further customise your appearance.



Skin Tone, Hair Style, Hair Colour

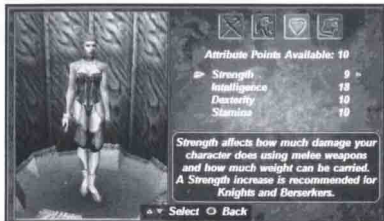
Each character can choose among different skin tones, hair styles and hair colours. Choose your options using the Directional buttons and press **X** to confirm your selections. Press **Y** to return to class selection.

Allocating Attribute Points

Attribute points help to determine your character's base abilities. Each class has slightly different starting attributes to represent the unique strengths and weaknesses of that class. In addition, you start the game with 10 Bonus Attribute points that you can spend to customise your character.

Allocate your Bonus Attribute points using the Directional buttons and press **X** to confirm your distribution. Press **Y** to return to appearance selection.

The following is a list of the attributes and how they each affect gameplay:



Strength

- Increases the amount of raw damage you can do with melee weapons.
- Increases the amount of weight you can carry.

Intelligence

- Increases the overall amount of power you have.

Dexterity

- Increases the amount of raw damage you can do with ranged weapons and special abilities.

Stamina

- Increases the overall amount of health you have.

Naming your Character

You may name your character anything you like. Select letters by moving the cursor with the Directional buttons and pressing **X** to confirm each letter. Press the R button to shift to uppercase letters. Use **A** to backspace. Select DONE and press **X** to finish entering your name.

GAME SCREEN

The Game Screen consists of several elements that provide crucial game play information:

Resources

The coloured vertical bars in the upper left of your screen represent the three major resources you must manage.

– Multiplayer note:

The coloured gem below the resource bars corresponds to the colour of the ring around your character's feet. In multiplayer games, you will be able to keep track of your friends' resources, as well as your own and this colour coding will help you identify who is who.



Health (RED)

Health represents how healthy your character is. When enemies hit your character, he will lose Health. If his Health reaches zero, he will die. As you advance through the game, your character will gain more Health. Health regenerates on its own over time. Health potions and certain special abilities can dramatically increase this regeneration rate.

Power (BLUE)

Power is the energy your character spends to use special abilities. Different special abilities consume different amounts of Power. If your character does not have enough Power available, she will not be able to use her special abilities. As you advance through the game, your character will gain more Power. Power regenerates on its own over time. Power potions and certain special abilities can dramatically increase this regeneration rate.

Experience (YELLOW)

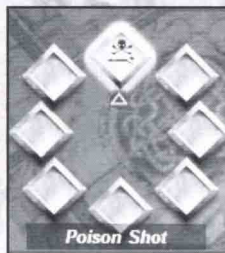
Experience shows the progress your character has made toward reaching the next level. As your character defeats enemies and solves quests, he will earn experience. When his experience bar is full, he will level up and earn more health and power as well as more Attribute and Skill points to distribute.

Mini-Map

By default, the mini-map is displayed in the upper right corner of the screen. Your character is represented on the mini-map by a coloured triangle. Holding the R button and pressing **+** will increase the size of the mini-map and center it on the screen. Holding the R button and pressing **-** a second time will close the mini-map.

– Multiplayer Note:

The coloured triangle on the mini-map corresponds to the colour of the ring around your character's feet. In multiplayer games, you will be able to keep track of your friends' locations, as well as your own and this colour coding will help you identify who is who.



Quick Ability Menu

Special abilities must be assigned to either the **A** or **B** button to be used. The quick ability menu allows you to quickly and easily assign special abilities to those buttons at any time.

Press and hold the Directional buttons in any direction to activate the quick ability menu. Use the Directional buttons to highlight the special ability you wish to assign and press either **A** or **B** to assign the ability to that button.

– Special Ability Note:

As you advance through the game, not all of your special abilities may be accommodated by the quick ability menu at one time. See Assigning Special Abilities to the Quick Ability Menu on Page 21 for additional instructions.

CHARACTER INFORMATION SCREEN

During game play, press SELECT to view your character's important details, such as your inventory, character sheet, quest log and special ability tree. The character screen has the following components:

Name

The name of your character is displayed here.

Paper Doll

This provides a detailed look at your character. Use the Directional buttons to rotate your character left or right.

Weight

This displays how much weight your character is carrying in relation to the maximum amount of weight she can carry.

– Attribute Note:

The Strength attribute greatly affects maximum weight.

Gold


This displays how much gold your character has.

– Gold Note:

Gold is used to buy equipment and items, such as health potions, from the merchant you will encounter.

Tabs



Your character's details are separated into special tabs. The following controls work across all tabs:

- Use the R button and the L button to cycle right and left from tab to tab.
- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select items on each tab and follow the on-screen instructions to perform various actions on the highlighted item.
- Use the Directional buttons to rotate your character's Paper Doll left or right.
- Press SELECT or  at any time to exit the character screens and return to game play.




Weapon Inventory Tab

This tab displays all of the weapons, both melee and ranged, your character currently has. Weapons increase the amount of damage your character does when attacking enemies, so it is always a good idea to equip the best weapons you can find. Items your character has equipped are highlighted in blue. Items your character class cannot equip are highlighted in red. Items your character can use in the future are highlighted in yellow. The following controls are used on this tab:

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select weapons.
- Press  to equip or unequip the selected weapon.
- Press  to drop the selected weapon onto the ground.

– Ranged Weapon Note:

You can have both a melee weapon and a ranged weapon equipped at the same time. During game play, to switch between your equipped melee and ranged weapons, hold the R button and press .

– Two-Handed Weapon Note:

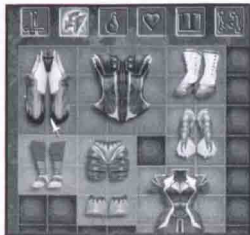
Some big melee weapons require your character to use both hands to equip them. When using a two-handed weapon, he cannot equip a shield.

– Dual Wield Note:

The Knight and the Berserker both have access to the Dual Wield special ability. After they acquire this special ability they can equip two single-handed melee weapons. While dual wielding, they cannot equip a shield.

– Enhanced Weapons Note:

Weapons can be enhanced by combining them with components that you find. Some weapons will already be enhanced when you find them. For more information on enhanced weapons, see Enhancing Equipment with Components on page 23.



Armour Inventory Tab

This tab displays all of the armour your character currently has. Armour will lessen the damage your character takes when he is hit by enemies, so it is always a good idea to equip the best armour you can find. Items your character has equipped are highlighted in blue. Items your character can use in the future are highlighted in yellow. Items your

character class cannot equip are highlighted in red. The following controls are used on this tab:

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select armour.
- Press **X** to equip or unequip the selected armour.
- Press **A** to drop the selected armour onto the ground.

Armour Locations

There are five body locations where your character can equip armour:

- **Head:** helmets, caps, etc.
- **Chest:** tunics, breastplates, etc.
- **Arms:** sleeves, arm bands, etc.
- **Legs:** pants, leggings, etc.
- **Feet:** boots, sandals, etc.

Enhanced Armour Note:

Armour can be enhanced by combining it with components that you find. Some armour will already be enhanced when you find it. For more information on enhanced armour see Enhancing Equipment with Components on page 23.

Shields

Characters may also equip shields to increase their ability to block. Shields are used in conjunction with single-handed melee weapons. If a character is equipped with a two-handed weapon or is dual wielding, they cannot use a shield.

Enhanced Shield Note:

Shields can be enhanced by combining them with components that you find. Some shields will already be enhanced when you find them. For more information on enhanced shields see Enhancing Equipment with Components on page 23.



Item Inventory Tab

This tab displays all of the non-weapon, non-armour items your character currently has, including jewellery, potions, quest items and components. The following controls are used on this tab:

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select items.
- Press **X** to equip or unequip the selected item (jewellery only).
- Press **X** to use the selected item (components only).
- Press **A** to drop the selected item onto the ground (except quest items).

Jewellery

Characters may find and equip jewellery. Magical jewellery has the ability to increase your character's attributes and resources. Similar to armour, there are multiple locations where jewellery can be equipped.

- **Neck:** chokers, necklaces, etc.
- **Finger (x2):** rings, bands, etc.
- **Ear:** hoops, studs, etc.

Jewellery your character has equipped is highlighted in blue.

Potions

Potions are used during gameplay. See Health and Power Potions on page 22 for more information.

Quest Items

Quest items are special items that you will acquire as you solve quests in Untold Legends. Some quest items will have special lore that is important to advancing the storyline of the game. This information will be displayed when you select a quest item and press **B**. Certain quest items will also enable your character to enter areas that were previously unavailable. Some quest items are not able to be dropped or sold.

Components

Components are special items that are used to enhance weapons, armour and shields. Press **X** to use a component. See Enhancing Equipment with Components on page 23 for more information.



Character Sheet Tab

This tab displays lots of important information about your character including class, resources, attributes, combat ratings and resistances. The following controls are used on this tab:

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select items.
- Press for more information about the selected item.

Class

This displays your character's class as well as a brief class description. See *Creating Your Character* on page 8 for more detailed class information.

Health

Health represents how healthy your character is. When enemies hit your character, he will lose health. If his health reaches zero, he will die. As you advance through the game, your character will gain more health. Health regenerates on its own over time. Health potions and certain special abilities can dramatically increase this regeneration rate. See *Health and Power Potions* on page 22 for more information.

Power

Power is the energy your character spends to use special abilities. Different special abilities consume different amounts of power. If she does not have enough power available, she will not be able to use her special abilities. As you advance through the game, your character will gain more power. Power regenerates on its own over time. Power potions and certain special abilities can dramatically increase this regeneration rate. See *Health and Power Potions* on page 22 for more information.

Strength, Intelligence, Dexterity and Stamina

These are your character's attributes. They affect gameplay in several meaningful ways. Bonus attribute points are earned every time your character gains an experience level. In addition, certain magical equipment can boost these scores even higher. Please see page 13 for detailed information on how attributes affect game play.

Melee Damage Rating

This indicates the range of damage your character can do with his currently equipped melee weapon(s) per melee attack.

Ranged Damage Rating

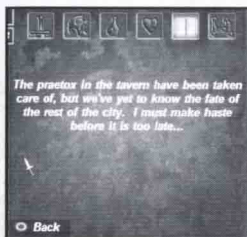
This indicates the range of damage your character can do with her currently equipped ranged weapon per ranged attack.

Armour Rating

Without armour, you would suffer full damage from enemy attacks. This rating indicates how effective your currently equipped armour is at mitigating normal damage from enemies. The higher this number, the more damage is mitigated.

Fire, Cold, Lightning, Poison and Magic Ratings

Enemy attacks can also do one of five types of specialised damage. These ratings indicate your character's ability to mitigate those specialised attacks. Magical equipment and certain special abilities can dramatically boost these ratings.



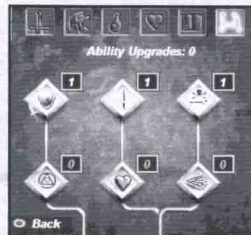
Quest Log Tab

This tab will keep track of your current quests and game objectives. If you have more than one active quest, press to cycle between them.

Special Ability Tree Tab

This is a graphical display of the special abilities your class has access to. The following controls are used on this tab:

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select special abilities.
- Press to spend a point on the selected special ability (if points are available).
- Press for additional information about the selected special ability.
- Press to assign special abilities to the Quick Ability Menu.



Each ability rank has a required level that must be reached before you are able to spend points in it. Abilities at the top of the tree must be purchased before abilities below them on the tree can be acquired. Special abilities have 20 possible ranks. As you spend points to increase the rank of a special ability, you will unlock additional effects and increase the effectiveness and power of that ability.

Assigning Special Abilities to the Quick Ability Menu

Experienced characters will have more special abilities than will fit at any one time on the quick ability menu. While on the special ability tree tab, you can assign up to eight of your character's special abilities to the quick ability menu.

- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select the special ability you would like to add to the quick ability menu.
- Press **△** to open the configuration dialog.
- Use the Directional buttons to select the desired quick ability slot for the special ability.
- Press **×** to assign the special ability to the selected quick ability slot.
- Press **○** to close the configuration dialog.
- Repeat to assign up to eight special abilities.

PLAYING THE GAME

Untold Legends is an exciting, fast-paced fantasy game of combat and quests. As your character travels across Unatata he will encounter many dangerous enemies and mysterious allies while attempting to unravel the mysteries of the past and prevent global disaster.

Attacking

There are two basic ways to attack an enemy in Untold Legends, melee and ranged. See Weapons Inventory Tab on page 16 for information on equipping weapons. To switch between melee and ranged attacks, hold the R button and press **×**.

Melee

Melee attacking an enemy is as easy as moving your character close to an enemy, facing them and pressing **×**.

Ranged

Attacking with a ranged weapon requires you to aim at an enemy and press **×**.

Using Special Abilities

Basic attacks will not be enough to defeat many enemies. Each class has special abilities that enable more advanced strategies.

Press **△** or **○** to use your assigned special abilities. See Quick Ability Menu on page 14 for directions on assigning special abilities.

Blocking

Hold the R button and press **○** to block. Blocking will lessen the damage your character suffers from enemy attacks. Characters can always block, but blocking is most effective when equipped with a shield. Be aware, monsters can block too!

– Backstabbed!

Even while blocking, your character is completely vulnerable to attacks from the rear.

– It burns! It burns!

Blocking is only effective against normal attacks. Fire, Cold, Lightning, Poison and Magic attacks are not mitigated by blocking; that is what your resistances are for.

Health and Power Potions

Health and Power potions will quickly regenerate your character's Health and Power. Larger potions restore more Health and Power than smaller potions. You need to manage your character's supply of potions effectively if you are going to succeed in your quest.

To use a Health potion, press the L button. To use a Power potion, hold the R button and press the L button.

Dying

When your character's health reaches zero, your character will die. Upon death, your character will be revived at the entrance of the area your character died in, or the point within the level where you last saved your game. All progress made up to the point of death, including monsters killed, experience earned and loot found will be lost.

– Multiplayer Note:

If a character dies, they can be revived if the survivors go to any exit or teleporter. They will also be revived if the survivors Recall back to Aven. If every character in a multiplayer game is killed, they will all be revived at the entrance to the area in which they died.

Talking to NPCs

Talking to the various citizens of Aven and other characters you meet on your journeys will be vital to your success. To talk to an NPC, approach the NPC and press **○**. To advance the conversation, press **□**. To end the conversation, press **○**.

Buying and Selling Items

Loren Haggard, the merchant in Aven, anxiously awaits your business in Market Plaza. To initiate a transaction with Loren Haggard, approach him and press **□**. Use the Directional buttons or Analog Stick to select whether you would like to buy, sell or exit, then press **×**.

Buying Items

Use the R button, the L button, and the Analog Stick to search the merchant's complete inventory and select an item you would like to purchase. Note the sale price in gold. To purchase the selected item, press **△**. The sale price will be deducted automatically from your character's gold supply.

Selling Items

Selling items you have found that your character cannot use or no longer desires is the best way to earn lots of gold in Untold Legends. Use the R button, the L button and the Analog Stick to search your inventory for the item you wish to sell. Note the purchase price the merchant is willing to pay. To sell the selected item, press **△**. The purchase price will be added automatically to your character's gold supply.

– Helpful Tip:

Pressing up or down will compare the selected item with your currently equipped item.

Opening Chests

All the good loot is in here, so be sure to open every chest you come across. To open, approach the chest and press **□**.

Breaking Boxes

Some objects your character will encounter can be broken. Press **⊗** to attack the object as you would attack an enemy.

Enhancing Equipment with Components

In your adventures you will discover special items called components. Components are used to enhance your weapons, armour and shields by adding special magical effects to them.

To add a component to a piece of equipment:

- Press **SELECT** to access the Character Screen.
- Use the R button or the L button to select the Item Inventory Tab.
- Use the Analog Stick to move the pointer to select a component.
- Press **⊗** to use the component.
- Use the R button or the L button and the Analog Stick to select the weapon, armour or shield you wish to enhance.
- Press **⊗** to enhance the selected item.
- You may press **○** to cancel the enhancement.

The Recall Stone

Your character, like every Aven citizen, has in her possession a Recall Stone. This stone represents a spiritual link to the city itself, and it enables its owner to teleport instantly back to Aven. In addition, the Stone has a memory of the last location in which it was used. This enables your character to travel back and forth from Aven with relative ease. To activate the Recall Stone, Press **START**, use the Directional buttons to select Recall to Aven, and press **⊗**.

Teleporters

In several locations throughout Unataca, including Aven, there are magical teleporters that are connected to each other and can be used to rapidly travel across the world. To use a teleporter, approach it and press **□**. Use the Directional buttons or Analog Stick to highlight your destination, and press **⊗** to activate the teleporter, or **○** to cancel.

Completing Quests

There are a wide variety of quests you can perform in Untold Legends, from slaying monsters, to saving hostages, to recovering ancient artifacts. As you complete quests, your quest journal will update with information and hints on how to proceed. If you get stuck, it is always a good idea to consult your quest journal.

Leveling Up

When you earn enough experience from slaying monsters and solving quests, your character will level up. Leveling up earns your character additional Health and Power as well as bonus attribute and special ability points to distribute. After you receive a level up message, press **SELECT**. Use the Directional buttons to distribute your bonus attribute points and press **⊗** to confirm your distribution. Special ability points may be saved and distributed at any time from the Special Ability Tree Tab, see page 20 for more information.

⌘ PAUSING THE GAME

You may pause the game at any time and access the Pause Menu by pressing **START**. Use the Directional buttons or the Analog stick to select a menu option and press **⊗**. Pressing **START** or **○** from the Pause Menu will return you to the game.

Return to Game

Select this option to return to the game.

Recall to Aven

Select this option to use the Recall Stone. See The Recall Stone on this page for more information.

Save Game

Select this option to save your current game progress. Use the Directional buttons to select the save slot you would like to use for your saved game and press **X**. If there is already a game saved in that slot you will be prompted to confirm your desire to overwrite the previous save. Press **○** to cancel at any time.

Options

Select this option to alter the various game and technical settings of Untold Legends.

Game Options

– Auto Split

With Auto Split on, all gold picked up in a multiplayer game is automatically divided among all players.

– Show Damage Text

With this option on, your damage is indicated by floating numbers in the game view.

– Confirm Zone Request

With this option on, you must hold down **□** to move from one game area to another.

– Accept Traded Items

With this option on, you can receive trades from another player in a multiplayer game.

– Mouse Speed

Use this option to increase or decrease the speed of the pointer on the Character Screens.

Controller Options

Displays the control layout for the game.

Sound Options

Use these to adjust the volume of the sound effects and music.

Map

Displays an overland map of Aven and the surrounding regions of Unataca.

Exit

Select this option to quit the current game and return to the main menu. All unsaved progress in your current game will be lost unless you save to a Memory Stick, so you will be prompted to confirm your desire to discard that progress and quit the game.

MULTIPLAYER GAMES

Untold Legends is even more fun with your friends.

Hosting a Multiplayer Game

To host a multiplayer game:

- From the main menu, select Create Character or Load Game and press **X**.
- Select Host Multiplayer and press **X**.
- Wait for other players to join your game.
- If you decide you do not want to host a game, press **○** to cancel.
- To kick an unwanted player from your game, select his name with the Directional buttons and press **△**. Kicked players are returned to the Join Lobby.
- When ready to launch the game, press **X**.

– **Note:** There can be a maximum of 4 players in any multiplayer game.

Joining a Multiplayer Game

To join a multiplayer game:

- From the main menu, select Create Character or Load Game and press **X**.
- Select Join Multiplayer and press **X**.
- Select the game you wish to join from the list and press **X**.
- Wait for the host to launch the game.
- If you decide you do not want to play in this game, press **○** to cancel.

Saving a Multiplayer Game

Just like in a single player game, you may save your progress at any time.

– Important Note:

Quest and storyline progress is *only* saved for the *host* player.

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