

## THQ PLATFORM\_FOR\_DISPLAY

# Summoner User Manual

Official Instruction Manual for the Summoner Video Game

## INTRODUCTION

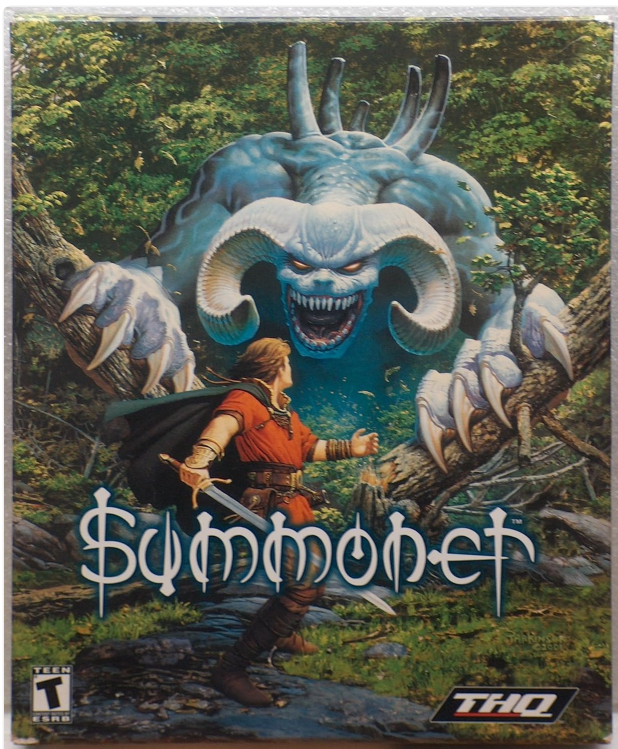
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Welcome to the world of Summoner. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and troubleshooting your game. Please read it carefully to ensure the best possible gaming experience.

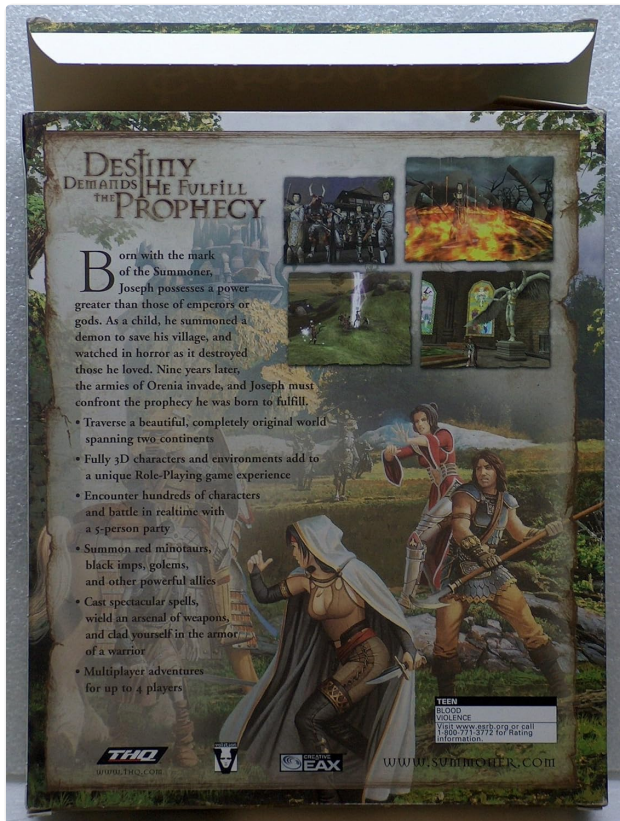
Summoner is a role-playing game developed by Volition and published by THQ. Players embark on an epic journey as Joseph, a young man burdened with the mark of the Summoner, destined to confront ancient prophecies and powerful foes.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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The front cover of the Summoner game box, featuring the protagonist Joseph facing a large, horned creature in a forest setting. The game title "Summoner" is prominently displayed.



The back cover of the Summoner game box, detailing game features such as fully 3D environments, character encounters, spell casting, and multiplayer options. Several in-game screenshots are also visible.



The Summoner game disc and its accompanying instruction manual, displayed outside the game case. The disc features artwork similar to the front cover, and the manual is titled "Instruction Manual".

## SETUP

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To begin playing Summoner, follow these steps:

1. **Unpack the Game:** Carefully remove the game disc and instruction manual from the game case.
2. **Insert the Disc:** Place the Summoner game disc into your console's disc drive. Ensure the disc is clean and free of scratches.

3. **Power On Console:** Turn on your gaming console and television/monitor.
4. **Start Game:** Select the Summoner game from your console's main menu or dashboard to begin.

Refer to your console's user manual for specific instructions on disc insertion and game launching if you encounter difficulties.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### Basic Controls

Summoner utilizes standard controller inputs for navigation, combat, and interaction. Specific button assignments may vary slightly depending on your console version. Consult the in-game tutorial or the physical manual included with your game for detailed control schemes.

- **Movement:** Typically controlled by the analog stick or D-pad.
- **Camera Control:** Often managed by a second analog stick or shoulder buttons.
- **Action/Interact:** Used for opening doors, talking to NPCs, picking up items.
- **Attack:** Initiates melee or ranged attacks.
- **Magic/Skills:** Accesses character abilities and spells.
- **Menu/Inventory:** Opens game menus for character management, inventory, and quests.

### Gameplay Mechanics

Summoner features a party-based combat system, character progression through experience points, and a vast world to explore. Key mechanics include:

- **Character Development:** Gain experience from defeating enemies and completing quests to level up and improve character attributes and skills.
- **Party Management:** Recruit and manage a party of up to five characters, each with unique abilities and roles.
- **Combat:** Real-time combat with tactical pausing options. Utilize a variety of weapons, spells, and special abilities.
- **Summoning:** As Joseph, you will learn to summon powerful creatures to aid you in battle.
- **Exploration:** Traverse diverse environments, from lush forests to ancient ruins, uncovering secrets and completing objectives.

## MAINTENANCE

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Proper care of your Summoner game disc will ensure its longevity and optimal performance:

- **Handling:** Always hold the disc by its edges or by placing a finger through the center hole. Avoid touching the reflective surface.
- **Cleaning:** If the disc becomes dirty, gently wipe it with a soft, lint-free cloth from the center outwards. Do not use abrasive materials or harsh chemicals.
- **Storage:** Store the disc in its original case when not in use to protect it from dust, scratches, and direct sunlight.
- **Temperature:** Avoid exposing the disc to extreme temperatures or humidity.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter issues while playing Summoner, consider the following common solutions:

- **Game Not Loading:**

- Ensure the disc is clean and free of visible scratches.
  - Verify the disc is inserted correctly into the console's disc drive.
  - Restart your console.
- **Freezing or Crashing:**
    - Ensure your console has adequate ventilation to prevent overheating.
    - Try restarting the game or console.
    - If the issue persists, check the disc for damage.
- **Audio/Video Problems:**
    - Check all audio and video cables connected to your console and television.
    - Ensure your television's input is set to the correct source.
- **Controller Not Responding:**
    - Verify your controller is properly connected or charged.
    - Try a different controller if available.

For persistent issues, consult the official THQ support website or your console manufacturer's support resources.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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Attribute	Detail
<b>Title</b>	Summoner
<b>Brand</b>	THQ
<b>Model Number</b>	PLATFORM_FOR_DISPLAY
<b>ASIN</b>	B001EYUORA
<b>Item Weight</b>	1.6 ounces
<b>Package Dimensions</b>	0.1 x 0.1 x 0.1 inches
<b>Type of Item</b>	Video Game
<b>Manufacturer</b>	THQ
<b>Date First Available</b>	August 18, 2008

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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Specific warranty information for the Summoner game is typically provided within the game packaging or on the publisher's official website. Please refer to the documentation included with your purchase for details regarding warranty coverage.

For technical support or further assistance, please visit the official THQ support website or contact their customer service department. Contact information can usually be found on the game case or within the game's credits.

*Note: As of the date of this manual, THQ's operational status may have changed. Please search for current support*

*channels if direct contact information is not readily available.*



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