

Acclaim M/SNS-AJTE-USA

Acclaim NBA Jam: Tournament Edition Super Nintendo Entertainment System Instruction Manual

Model: M/SNS-AJTE-USA

1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the world of NBA Jam: Tournament Edition! This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your game cartridge for the Super Nintendo Entertainment System. Prepare for high-flying dunks, incredible shots, and intense 2-on-2 basketball action.

NBA Jam: Tournament Edition, published by Acclaim, is a classic arcade-style basketball video game known for its exaggerated gameplay and multiplayer fun.

2. SETUP

2.1 Inserting the Game Cartridge

1. Ensure your Super Nintendo Entertainment System (SNES) console is powered off.
2. Hold the NBA Jam: Tournament Edition game cartridge with the label facing forward.
3. Gently insert the cartridge into the cartridge slot on your SNES console until it clicks into place. Do not force the cartridge.
4. Connect your SNES console to your television using the appropriate audio/video cables.
5. Connect your SNES controllers to the controller ports.

2.2 Powering On

1. Turn on your television and select the correct input channel for your SNES console.
2. Press the POWER button on your SNES console to turn it on. The game should start automatically.
3. If the game does not start, ensure the cartridge is fully seated and try turning the console off and on again.



Figure 1: The NBA Jam: Tournament Edition game cartridge for Super Nintendo. This image shows the gray plastic cartridge with the game label featuring the "NBA Jam TE" logo, "Licensed by Nintendo", "Acclaim Entertainment Inc.", "Super Nintendo Entertainment System" branding, and the model number M/SNS-AJTE-USA.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Basic Controls (Standard SNES Controller)

Button	Action (Offense)	Action (Defense)
Directional Pad	Move Player	Move Player
A Button	Pass	Steal
B Button	Shoot / Dunk	Block / Rebound
X Button	Turbo	Turbo
Y Button	Crossover / Spin Move	Shove
L/R Buttons	Turbo	Turbo
START Button	Pause Game / Select	Pause Game / Select
SELECT Button	Not used in gameplay	Not used in gameplay

Note: Controls may vary slightly based on in-game settings or specific situations.

3.2 Game Modes

- **Exhibition:** Play a quick game against the computer or another player.
- **Tournament:** Compete through a series of games to win the championship.
- **Season:** Play a full NBA season, tracking team and player statistics.
- **Practice:** Hone your skills without the pressure of a game.

3.3 Gameplay Tips

- Utilize the "On Fire" mechanic: Score three consecutive baskets with the same player to become "On Fire," granting unlimited turbo and increased shooting accuracy for a limited time.
- Master turbo: Use turbo sparingly for bursts of speed, powerful dunks, and effective shoves.
- Teamwork: Pass the ball to open teammates for better scoring opportunities.
- Defense wins games: Block shots, steal passes, and shove opponents to gain possession.

4. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Keep the game cartridge clean and free of dust. Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the exterior. Avoid using liquids or abrasive cleaners.
- **Storage:** Store the cartridge in its original case or a protective sleeve when not in use to prevent dust and scratches.
- **Handling:** Always handle the cartridge by its edges. Avoid touching the metal connectors at the bottom of the cartridge, as oils and dirt can interfere with connectivity.
- **Environment:** Keep the cartridge away from extreme temperatures, direct sunlight, and high humidity.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Game Not Starting:**
 - Ensure the cartridge is fully inserted into the SNES console.
 - Clean the cartridge's metal connectors gently with a cotton swab and isopropyl alcohol (allow to dry completely before re-inserting).
 - Verify the SNES console is properly connected to the TV and powered on.
- **Graphical Glitches or Freezing:**
 - Remove and re-insert the cartridge.
 - Ensure the console and cartridge are not overheating.
 - Clean the cartridge connectors as described above.
- **Controller Not Responding:**
 - Check that the controller is securely plugged into the correct port on the SNES console.
 - Try a different controller if available to rule out a controller malfunction.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Product Name:** NBA Jam: Tournament Edition
- **Platform:** Super Nintendo Entertainment System (SNES)
- **Publisher/Developer:** Acclaim Entertainment Inc.
- **Model Number:** M/SNS-AJTE-USA

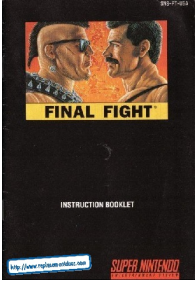
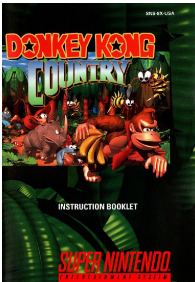

- **Release Year:** 1994 (Original)
- **Genre:** Sports (Basketball)
- **Players:** 1-4 (with SNES Multitap accessory)
- **Rated:** Everyone (KA - Kids to Adults, equivalent to E)
- **Dimensions (Cartridge):** Approximately 6 x 3 x 1 inches (based on standard SNES cartridge size)
- **Weight (Cartridge):** Approximately 3.2 ounces

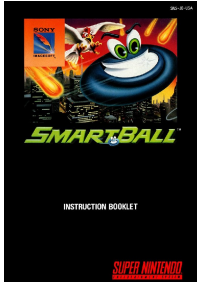
7. SUPPORT

For further assistance or inquiries regarding NBA Jam: Tournament Edition, please refer to the original publisher's support channels if available. As this is a retro game, direct manufacturer support may be limited.

For issues related to the "Renewed" product status, please contact your retailer or the Amazon Renewed program for their specific return and support policies.

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