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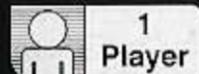
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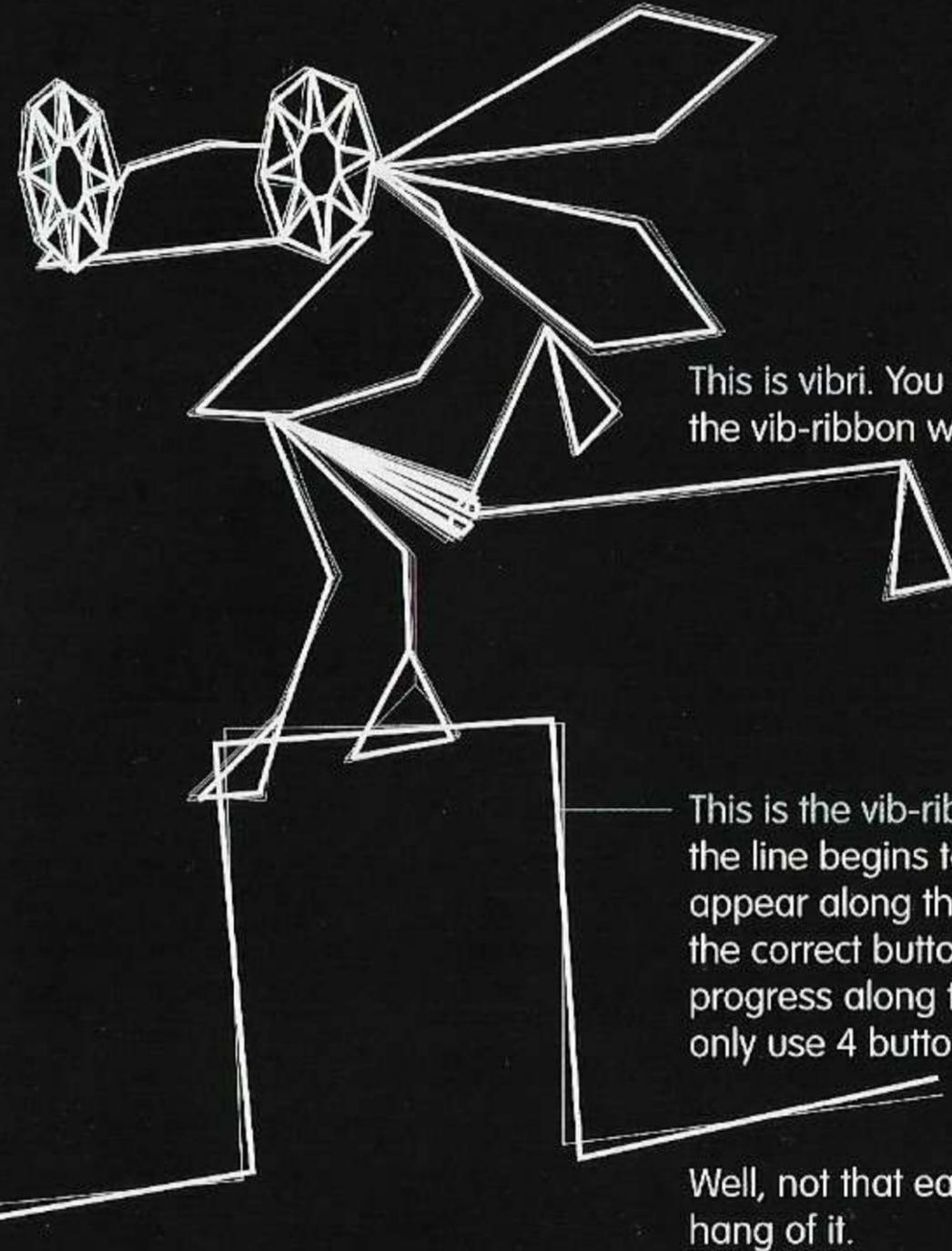
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## YOU NEVER KNEW MUSIC WAS SO MUCH FUN ... UNTIL NOW!!

The idea's so simple it's brilliant – follow the beat of the music and press the Controller buttons in time to the music.



This is vibri. You have to guide her along the vib-ribbon without hitting any 'pieces'.

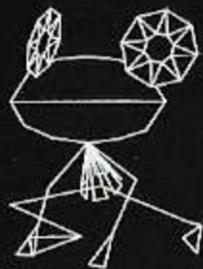
This is the vib-ribbon. As the music plays, the line begins to move, and objects appear along the path. You have to press the correct button to clear the 'piece' and progress along the line. Best of all, you only use 4 buttons. Easy, huh?

Well, not that easy, but you'll soon get the hang of it.

## HOW TO PLAY

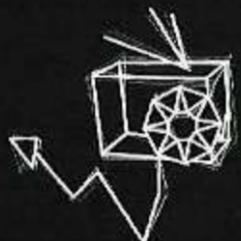
As the game starts, vibri begins to skip along the vib-ribbon.

When an obstacle, or 'piece', is close, press a button and she will clear it! If you press the wrong button, or if your timing is out, vibri will get an electric shock and the line will begin to wobble.



If you make many mistakes, vibri will degenerate into Frog-vibri.

Continue to mess up and she'll degenerate into Insect-vibri.



But if you clear plenty of obstacles, she will evolve further and be able to come back for more.

Behind the vib-ribbon, you'll see a swirling pattern. Every 'piece' vibri clears will add to the pattern behind her. If she clears 20 'pieces' without making a mistake, she'll move up to the next level. If she makes one mistake, the pattern will clear and she'll have to start again. If she fails to clear 9 'pieces', she will degenerate to the next level down.



When vibri is doing well, she becomes Super vibri! Then something fantastic happens – you'll start to stack some serious points!

## SETTING UP

Set up your Console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Insert the "VIB-RIBBON" disc and close the disc cover. Turn the Console ON at the POWER button. Do not insert or remove your Controller once the power is turned on.

PLEASE NOTE: The vibration function of the Analog Controller (DUALSHOCK™) can be used in both Analog, and Digital mode, but the left / right sticks are inactive in either case.

## LANGUAGE SELECTION

Use the directional buttons to highlight a language, then press the  button to select it.

## MAIN SCREEN

Use the directional buttons to make your selection, then press the  button to confirm.

GAME: Progress to the PLAY GAME menu for game selections

HOW TO PLAY: View a quick tutorial of the basics

LANGUAGE: Select the in-game language

## PLAY GAME MENU

Press  /  to turn the menu wheel back or forth, then press the  button to select your choice.

PLAY WITH THE VIB-RIBBON DISC: Take on the challenge of original VIB-RIBBON games

PLAY WITH MY OWN CHOICE OF CD: Use tracks from your own CDs to generate new VIB-RIBBON paths

OPTIONS: Reconfigure your game options

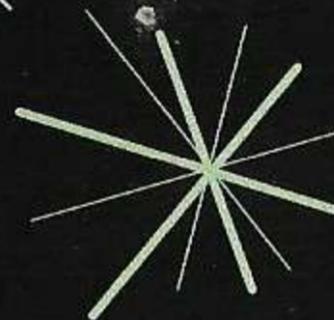
BACK: Return to the Main Menu screen

## OPTIONS MENU

SOUND EFFECTS ON/OFF

VIBRATION ON/OFF

BACK



## 1. PLAY WITH VIB-RIBBON DISC

This is your basic vib-ribbon game. Start off with the Bronze level and see how far you can get. Once you've cleared this, you'll be ready to try out some of your own CDs on the vib-ribbon!

PLAY WITH VIB-RIBBON DISC MENU

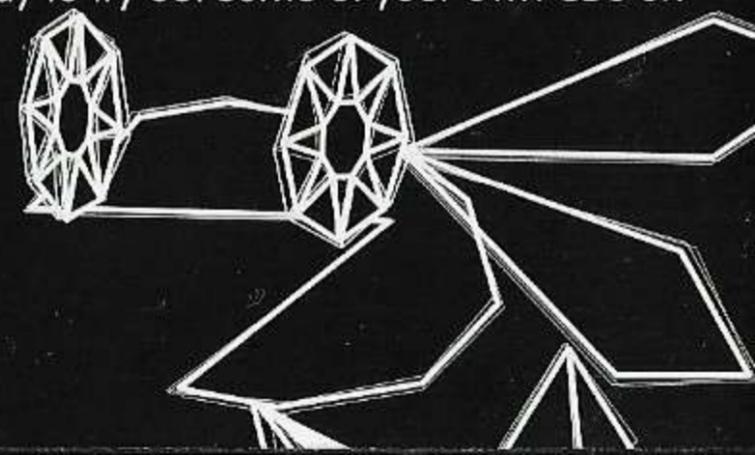
BRONZE (EASY)

SILVER (NORMAL)

GOLD (HARD)

HIGH SCORES

BACK



## GAME SCREEN

### EVOLUTION METER

As vibri clears each 'piece' she'll collect a 'piece' of the Evolution Meter. Once she has enough 'pieces' to complete the circle, she'll evolve. But one mistake and the Meter will go back to nothing. 9 mistakes and she'll devolve!

### COUPONS

This pattern at the back is the COUPON – it keeps score for you. The better your score, the fancier the pattern will get. At the end of the game, the pattern will convert into numbers to give you your final score.

### CHARACTER

'PIECE'  
Clear these to get points.

### TIMER

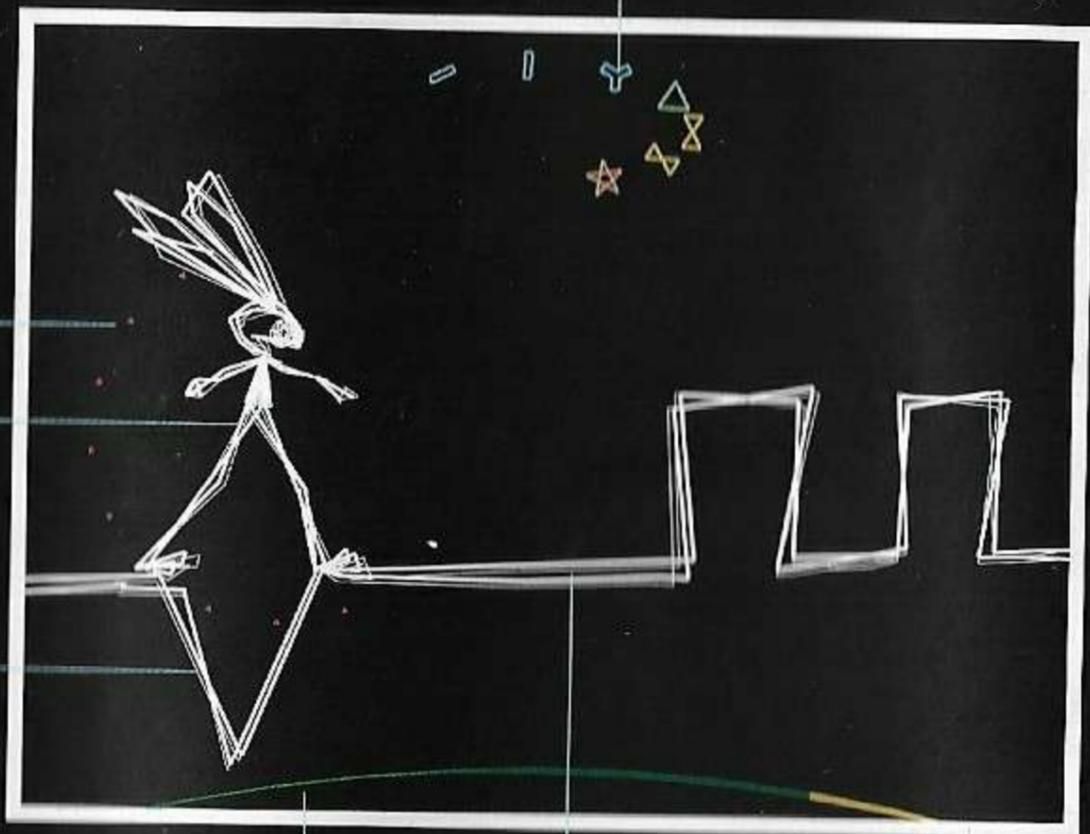
The remaining time, and the length of the course. When the green has turned completely to yellow you have completed the course.

### RIBBON

A musical path in Music World, where vibri takes a walk.

### FREE ACTION

Perform some actions where there are no 'pieces' to earn more points.



## 2. MY OWN CD

Once you've loaded the VIB-RIBBON disc, you can take the disc out and play it with ANY CD IN THE WORLD! After five minutes playing this, you'll start scouring your CD collection, picking all of your favourite songs to see how they affect the game. Simple pop songs suddenly create mental-frenzy patterns; heavy thrash rock might deliver a regular, rhythmic crowd-pleaser. It's a game that can MAKE a party – though you might not want to let anyone else have a go.

## CHANGING DISCS

From the PLAY GAME menu, select PLAY WITH MY OWN CHOICE OF CD. From here, a screen will appear instructing you to insert your chosen CD. WITHOUT turning the console OFF, open the disc cover and replace the VIB-RIBBON disc with the CD of your choice. Close the disc cover and continue on your journey.

## MENU

Once you've inserted one of your own CDs, here are the options that will be available to you:

**SINGLE TRACK:** Select a single track to take on.

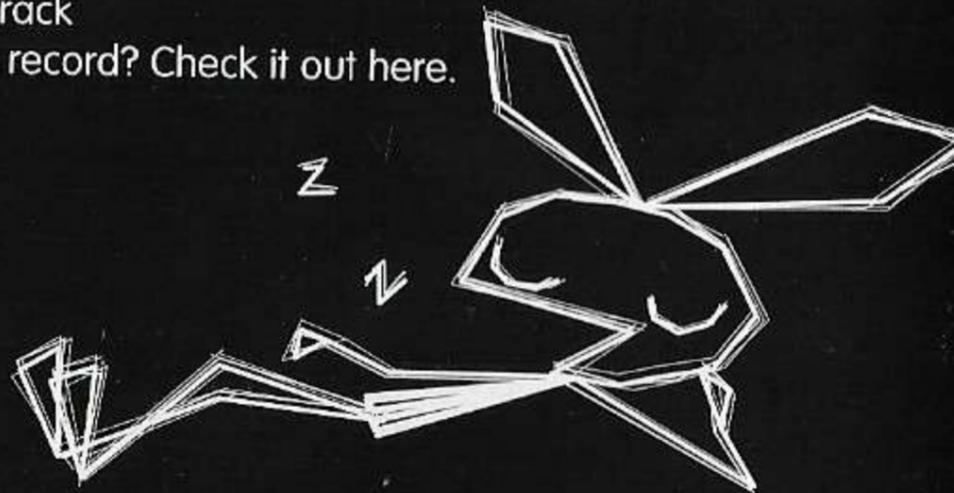
**ALL TRACKS:** Take on each track on the CD one after the other

**SPEED:** Play a vib-ribbon Speed Challenge (see below for more information)

**AUTO:** Let vibri complete a track for you – this comes in handy if you want a little guidance before you attempt a track

**HIGH SCORE:** Have you just beaten a record? Check it out here.

**BACK:** Return to the previous menu.



## SPEED GAMES

In SPEED games, you should aim to walk along the vib-ribbon as quickly as you can to get as far as you can before the song finishes. There are no Coupons or Evolution Meters in SPEED games, just you against the clock!

NOTE: Despite there being no Evolution Meter, vibri CAN still devolve and lose the game.

SPEED MENU

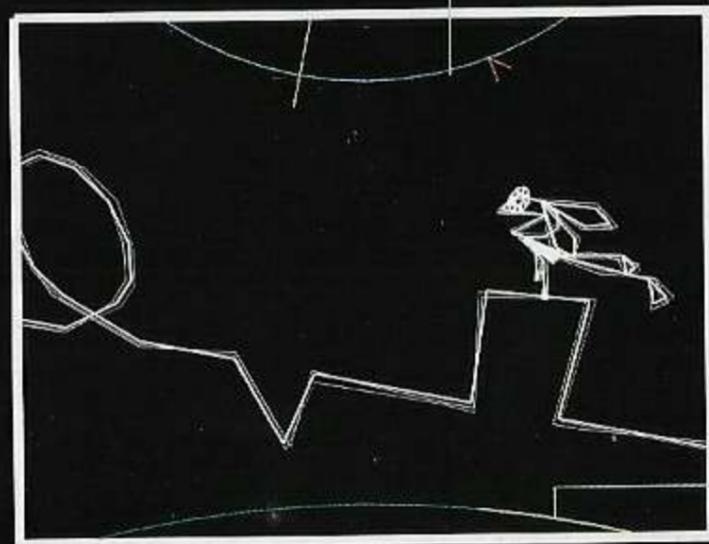
BRONZE (EASY)

SILVER (NORMAL)

GOLD (HARD)

BACK

## SPEED GAME SCREEN



### SPEED METER

The yellow needle indicates current speed. When it reaches the pink TARGET SPEED area, you have cleared the game.

### FREE ACTION

Perform some actions where there are no 'pieces' and clear the next piece to increase speed.

### TIMER

In SPEED mode, when the green turns all yellow, then it's 'TIME UP' and the game is over.

## BONUS MARKS

At the end of the game, your 'clearing' bonus is added to vibri's status to calculate your final bonus mark. If you clear the game with a really good score, vibri will be so happy she'll dance and sing for you. If not, she'll be very upset. But don't worry, you can always try again.



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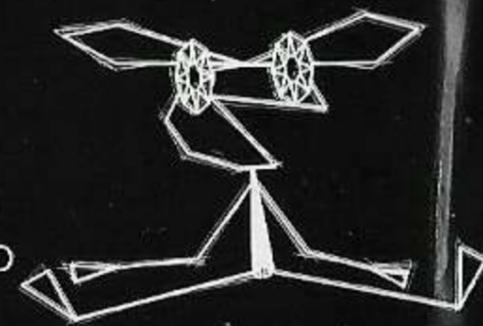
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