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INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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THE GLOB DIAGNOSTICS

In order to aid the operator in quickly locating and correcting problems in THE GLOB game board, several comprehensive diagnostic routines were provided in THE GLOB software. A diagnostic button provided on the harness and designed to be located inside the arcade cabinet, will allow the operator to enter the diagnostic program. After depressing the diagnostic button, the diagnostic routines may be selected and executed by using the joystick and the energy button. A menu will be displayed once entering the diagnostics and will display the following diagnostic routines:

- CURRENT SETTING 1.
- 2. COLOR TABLE
- 3. SCRATCHPAD RAM
- 4. VIDEO RAM
- 5. ROM
- CONVERGENCE
- 7: 8: BUTTONS
- EXIT

The above eight selections are described as follows:

- 1. CURRENT SETTING- Upon entering this routine, the status of the dip switches will be displayed along with a description of the function of each switch. Use this routine when checking the setting or use it as an aid in readjusting the settings. Among the game functions which may be adjusted are the number of GLOBS per credit, the number of credits per coin, the difficulty level, the extra GLOB level and whether the attract mode sound is on or off.
- 2. COLOR TABLE- The color table function will display the different colors of both palettes of the color PROM. If bad colors are found, the color PROM, U66, should be checked and if necessary, replaced.
- 3. SCRATCHPAD RAM- This routine allows U12 to be checked for faulty static ram locations. Should an error be found, try reseating U12. If an error still persists, replace U12.

- 4. VIDEO RAM- This routine performs several checks of the dynamic ram comprising the display ram. At the end of the routine, the status of each dynamic ram is displayed. Faulty dynamic rams should be replaced with 150ns 4116's. If errors persist, the ram controllers, U37 and U58, should be suspected.
- 5. ROM- This selection performs a ROM checksum which should point out data and program memory errors should they exist. Faulty EPROM's will be identified after the execution of this routine. Try reseating the EPROM's before an EPROM failure is assumed. If an EPROM is replaced, replace it with one with the same code number as indicated on the EPROM label.
- 6. CONVERGENCE- This routine displays a convergence pattern which allows the operator to align the color guns of the video game monitor.
- 7. BUTTONS- This routine allows the operator to locate faulty buttons. A tone will sound when the joystick is moved or a button is pressed. If the tone does not sound for a button depression, faulty or dirty contacts should be suspected.
- 8. EXIT- This routine takes the operator out of diagnostics and into the regular game mode.
- NOTE: Every time the game is powered-up, all necessary diagnostic routines are run to ensure the normal operation of the game. Should an error be located by the "self test" diagnostics, the error will be pointed out on the screen.

THE GLOB has an exclusive built-in convertability feature which enables the operator to quickly change THE GLOB into the next available conversion game. This convertability feature relies on the addition of an "ID MODULE" which will allow the game logic board to execute the new game. Wires are provided on THE GLOB harness for the future connection to the "ID MODULE". (Do not detach these extra wires) THE GLOB does not require an ID MODULE therefore one was not provided. However, when the next conversion is purchased, a new set of EPROMS and an "ID MODULE" will be sent along with the installation instructions for the new game.

Because of the "ID MODULE" feature, new top earning games may be installed simply by replacing the EPROMS and the "ID-MODULE" at a substantial savings to the operator.

FRONT PANEL LAYOUT

We suggest you follow this layout as it is working very well



4 Way Joystick

It is important to put buttons on either side of Joystick to appeal to left or right handed players

Edgeconnector Assignments

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Dip Switch Assignments

S1	ON — 1 credit per coin OFF — 2 credits per coin
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S8	ON — Attract Mode Sound ON

OFF — Attract Mode sound OFF

Important Information Concerning This Harness

Wire groups labelled as GROUP 5 and GROUP 6 are provided for FUTURE GAME CON-VERSIONS and are NOT required for opertion of THE GLOB game board. HOWEVER, it is strongly suggsted that both groups (5 and 6) be unaltered and fastened securely to the side of the game cabinet for future use. Further information concerning game conversions can be obtained by corresponding with your distributor.





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IMPORTANT TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The Glob Diagnostics

In order to aid the operator in setting up THE GLOB, adjusting the monitor and quickly locating and correcting problems, several comprehensive diagnostic routines were provided in THE GLOB software. Dip switch #7 is used to enter diagnostics on both "Upright" and "Table" models. As an additional convenience to the operator, the standard "Test" switch may be used to enter diagnostics on "Upright" models. After activating one of the diagnostics switches, a menu will be displayed which instructs the operator to use Player 1's controls to select and execute the various routines. The options are:

- 1. Current Settings
- 2. Static Ram
- 3. Eproms
- 4. Convergence
- 5. Levels
- 6. Sounds
- 7. Buttons
- 8. Exit

The above eight selections are described as follows:

- 1. CURRENT SETTINGS Upon entering this routine, the status of Dip Switches 1 through 6 will be displayed along with a description of the function of each switch. Additionally, whether the game is in "Upright" or "Table" mode is displayed. Use this routine when checking the settings or use it as an aid in readjusting the settings. Among the game functions which may be adjusted are the number of GLOBS per credit, the difficulty level and whether the attract mode sound is on or off.
- 2. STATIC RAM This routine allows IC's 4K, 4L, 4M, 4N, 4P and 4R on the math game board to be checked for faulty static ram locations. Should an error be found, try reseating the "bad" chip. If an error still persists, replace the offending IC.
- 3. EPROMS This selection performs a ROM checksum on U2 and U3 on the sub-board which should point out data and program memory errors should they exist. Faulty EPROM'S will be identified after execution of this routine and the checksums will be displayed. Try reseating the EPROM'S before an EPROM failure is assumed. If an EPROM is replaced, replace it with one with the same code number as indicated on the EPROM label.

- 4. CONVERGENCE This routine displays a convergence pattern which allows the operator to align the color guns of the video game monitor.
- 5. LEVELS This routine allows the operator to set up each of the 24 levels for inspection or demonstration. Once a level has been set up, the operator may exit back to the levels menu or actually play the level. The play will be at the same speed and difficulty as would be encountered in normal arcade game play.
- 6. SOUNDS Each of the 22 game sounds found in THE GLOB may be initiated with this test.
- 7. BUTTONS This routine allows the operator to locate faulty buttons. Each of the player inputs (including the coin-in and player 2's controls on the Table model) is displayed on the screen. When the joystick is moved or a button is depressed, the appropriate display is high-lighted and a tone is sounded to indicate activation. If no indication is given, faulty or dirty contacts should be suspected. This routine can also be used to assist in the initial hookup of all of the controls.
- 8. EXIT This routine tests the automatic watchdog reset feature of the hardware and if successful, takes the operator out of diagnostics and into the game's attract mode.