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FIFA WORLD CUP
GERMANY
2006



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Before playing this game, read the Xbox 360 Instruction Manual and any peripheral manuals for important safety and health information. Keep all manuals for future reference. For replacement manuals, see www.xbox.com/support or call Xbox Customer Support (see inside of back cover).

Important Health Warning About Playing Video Games

Photosensitive Seizures

A very small percentage of people may experience a seizure when exposed to certain visual images, including flashing lights or patterns that may appear in video games. Even people who have no history of seizures or epilepsy may have an undiagnosed condition that can cause these "photosensitive epileptic seizures" while watching video games.

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Immediately stop playing and consult a doctor if you experience any of these symptoms. Parents should watch for or ask their children about the above symptoms—children and teenagers are more likely than adults to experience these seizures. The risk of photosensitive epileptic seizures may be reduced by taking the following precautions:

- Sit farther from the television screen.
- Use a smaller television screen.
- Play in a well-lit room.
- Do not play when you are drowsy or fatigued.

If you or any of your relatives have a history of seizures or epilepsy, consult a doctor before playing

COMPLETE CONTROLS

For pride. For country. Master these game controls and unleash your skills against the best soccer players on the planet. Your quest to become a 2006 FIFA World Cup™ champion begins now.



GENERAL GAMEPLAY

Move player	
Sprint	(pull and hold)
Quick menu	
Pause game	

ATTACKING

Pass/Header	
Shoot/Header	
Through ball	
Cross/Long pass	
Pace control/Stop ball	
Cancel/Dummy/Step over	
Trigger run	(pull)
One-two pass (ground)	(pull) + (double tap)
One-two pass (lob)	(pull) + then
Chip shot	(pull) +
Low cross	(pull) +

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ATTACKING

Cross (ground)	X (double tap)
Early cross (ground)	LT (pull) + X (double tap)
Chip through pass	LT (pull) + Y
First Touch/Skill moves	R2
Fake shot/pass/cross/lob	LB (after a shot, pass, cross, or lob has been initiated)
Dummy to self	LB (tap before receiving the ball)
Dummy to teammate	LB (hold before receiving the ball)

DEFENDING

Switch player	A
Conservative tackle	B
Mark player	B (hold)
Sliding tackle	X
Walk defense	RB

GOALKEEPER

Move/Aim kick or throw	LT
Throw	A
Drop kick	X/B
Drop the ball	Y
Keeper charge	Y (hold)

SET PIECES

TAKING A DIRECT FREE KICK

In order to hit the target you need to follow these steps:

1. Move to aim towards the area of net you want the ball to go. Move to change the height of the kick.
2. Move to place the kicker at an angle to the ball. The bigger the angle, the more spin it creates.
3. To take the kick, press and hold B (or A for a short pass). The Kick Meter begins to fill.

NOTE: Take a driven shot (LT pull + B), choose a short pass to fool the defense (A) or call a teammate to roll the ball to you (press and hold RB) in your pursuit of the goal.

4. Release B (or A) to kick or pass the ball once the desired power is reached.

TAKING AN ATTACKING INDIRECT FREE KICK

After setting your aim, press and hold A to pass, or press and hold X to cross. Release the pass or cross button to kick the ball.

TAKING A DEFENSIVE INDIRECT FREE KICK, GOAL KICK, OR CORNER

Aim	LT
Long pass	X (hold for increased power)
Low lob	LT (pull) + X (indirect free kick/corner only—hold for increased power)
Short pass	A

TAKING A THROW-IN

Move receiving player	LT
Change receiving player	A
Leading throw	Y
Direct throw	X

TAKING A PENALTY KICK

Aim shot	LT
Driven shot	B (hold for increased power)
Chip shot	LT (pull) + B
Curved shot	X

DEFENSIVE WALL

Move player/wall	LT
Add player to defensive wall	B (when additional player is available)
Jump	Y

DEFENDING A PENALTY KICK

Dive/Move along goal line	LT
Squat	LT ↓
Jump	LT ↑
Crazy legs	Y
Wave arms	B
Force opponent's controller to vibrate	A (multiplayer game only)

SETTING UP THE GAME

Master your skills on the pitch in *2006 FIFA World Cup* to dominate your opponents on the biggest stage in sports.

PLAY NOW

Go straight onto the pitch and take on any country in the game.

MATCH OPTIONS/UNLOCKABLES

At the Match Options screen choose the Match Type—from a Friendly to the FIFA World Cup Final—and get ready to dominate the world.

Choose UNLOCKABLES and select items you have purchased at the Store—from Invisible Walls to Slow Motion (see p. 6).

TEAM MANAGEMENT

Tinker with your starting lineup and find the winning formula as you take on the top countries from around the world.

SQUAD MANAGEMENT

From the Squad Management screen, change your Starting 11, choose your team Formation and Tactics, and select your starting Kickers.

Before shuffling around your starters and reserves, be sure to view the Player Bio to ensure you have your players where they can do the most damage.

ON THE PITCH

CONTROL HIGHLIGHTS



Controlled player in possession of the ball



Controlled player when not in possession of the ball



Off-screen controlled player indicator



A player with great skill who can dominate any game

PLAYER STATUS BAR



Fitness level/Playing style level

FITNESS LEVEL/PLAYING STYLE LEVEL

During a match, a Player Status Bar appears at the bottom of the screen, displaying the highlighted player's current level of fitness.

FITNESS

This level decreases the more a player sprints, slowing him down, but replenishes when he returns to normal pace.

POWER, WEIGHT, AND DIRECTION

When shooting or lobbing, a Power Meter appears at the bottom of the screen.

- Keep the pass or lob button pressed to increase power (as well as elevation and distance) and release when the meter has filled sufficiently.

PASSING

- Through balls, passes, lobs, and crosses are automatically directed towards a teammate or a teammate's run (in the direction of).
- To play first-time balls (passing or shooting without first controlling the ball), press the relevant buttons *before* the ball reaches your player.

DRIBBLING

- The faster you travel, the trickier it is to trap an incoming pass or keep control of the ball. Try to balance your pace with the need for control.
- Place your player between the ball and an opposing player to shield the ball and maintain possession.

SECONDARY DEFENDER

For the defender nearest the ball, tackling isn't always the best form of defense. When facing the man in possession, it's sometimes more effective to block his route to goal and then call in a secondary defender (pull) to make the challenge.

SAVING

- To save files, choose the SAVE option from the relevant mode menu. You are also prompted to save your game upon exiting certain screens.

NOTE: Changes made *outside individual game modes* are applied in all game modes. Changes made *within game modes* are specific to that competition (except Game Settings).

LOADING

- Select a Profile upon boot-up to load Game Settings for that Profile.
- To load previously saved games *after* you've started the game, select LOAD from the Main menu (or when starting 2006 FIFA World Cup mode). Select a game and press .

GAME MODES

Leave a lasting impression on the competition by participating in one of the many entertaining game modes in *2006 FIFA World Cup*.

NOTE: Most of the Game Modes in *2006 FIFA World Cup* are self explanatory and are not covered in this manual. Exceptions are listed below.

2006 FIFA WORLD CUP™ QUALIFIERS/FINALS

Choose a team to control throughout the demanding home and away legs of the qualification rounds. At the end of a long road the glittering prize awaits—the FIFA World Cup Finals. Capture the ultimate trophy and bring the FIFA World Cup back to your country.

- At the Select Tournament Teams screen, press $\triangle$ to choose a group and then press $\triangle$ to select the countries you want to control.
- When the draw is displayed, press $\triangle$ / $\times$ to redo the draw seeded at random/unseeded at random. To swap teams between groups, highlight a team and press $\triangle$ to select it. Then select a second team and press $\triangle$ to swap them. Press $\triangle$ to begin the tournament.

2006 FIFA WORLD CUP MENU

Play Next Game	Play the next match on your fixture list.
Squad	Manage your side before the next big game.
Group Tables	View all the group tables, which contain the points for each country and their positions.
Fixtures & Results	See upcoming fixtures in each group and size up your opposition for games to come.
Player Stats	See how well your players have done in the tournament so far.
Virtual 2006 FIFA World Cup Magazine	Keep track of all the news and statistics in the tournament as it progresses in this virtual magazine.
EA Passport	View your progress as you travel around the world in your quest to win the FIFA World Cup. Every country you defeat earns you a stamp, with bonuses for completing a FIFA World Cup Zone.
Leaderboards	See who is the top scorer in the tournament and who has the most yellow or red cards.
My 2006 FIFA World Cup	Access the My FIFA World Cup menu to change your in-game options, read help on Tactics, and more.
Scouting Report	View Scouting Reports on countries in the tournament, checking details from Preferred Formation to Key Players.
Save	Save your progress.
Quit	Leave the current tournament.

STORE

Unlock kits, players, and more by spending hard-earned points in the FIFA Store. As you progress through the game and overcome each objective, you are awarded points that are added to your profile. Unlocked rewards can be activated in Play Now mode (see p. 4).

OBJECTIVES

Soccer is a challenging game, but *2006 FIFA World Cup* rewards you every time you step on the pitch. To see what earns you points, select OBJECTIVES from the FIFA World Cup Options menu.

NOTE: Track the number of points earned by selecting STORE from the FIFA World Cup Extras menu. You can view your total points in the top right of the screen.

NOTE: Objectives are not awarded to a player when both teams are controlled by a player in a multiplayer game.

PRACTICE

Join the wide-awake club by working hard on the practice pitch. Choose to practice in a game with a set number of players or rehearse your corners and free kicks.

NOTE: When practicing plays in Practice mode, select an area of the pitch to take your squad. Location is numbered from left to right for free kicks and left or right for corners.

XBOX LIVE®

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CONNECTING

Before you can use Xbox Live, connect your Xbox console to a high-speed Internet connection and sign up to become an Xbox Live member. For more information about connecting, and to determine whether Xbox Live is available in your region, go to www.xbox.com/live.

FAMILY SETTINGS

These easy and flexible tools enable parents and caregivers to decide which games young game players can access based on the content rating. For more information, go to www.xbox.com/familysettings.

WELCOME TO 2006 FIFA WORLD CUP ON XBOX LIVE

The Xbox Live lobby is your main resource for connecting to players from across the world. Whether you're looking to joining a Ranked Match or an Unranked Match, all the tools you need to connect to other players are available from the Xbox Live Main menu.

Ranked Match	Search for an opponent to play either a ranked Quick Match or ranked Custom Match.
Unranked Match	Search for an opponent to play either an unranked Quick Match, unranked Custom Match, or create an unranked match of your own.
Lobbies	Join a lobby to meet up with opponents and friends on Xbox Live and invite them to a game.
Leaderboards	See where you stand in the Xbox Live rankings against friends, the Top 100, and more.
Online Settings	Change Web Password, view EA Terms and Conditions, and change your Quick Messages for the perfect Xbox Live experience.

HINTS AND TIPS

FIRST TOUCH

Move the **Ⓢ** to control your first touch before you receive the pass to control the ball in that direction. Many new skill moves are also available when running or sprinting with the ball.

DEFENSE

Get close to the ball carrier (**Ⓢ**) to battle for the ball without fouling. Press and hold **Ⓢ** to move towards the ball automatically.

SHOOTING

Use a chip shot (pull **Ⓢ** + **Ⓢ**) to lift the ball over the keeper.

Put a bit of variety into your penalty kicks by chipping the keeper (pull **Ⓢ** + **Ⓢ**).

DUMMY

Use a dummy (tap **Ⓢ** before receiving the ball) to let the ball go past, then turn and control it on the run. To let the ball go through to a teammate, hold **Ⓢ** before receiving the ball.

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