

FAST LANE

The objective is to win the C1 racing driver's World Championship Title by competing in races at nine different circuits around the world. After loading the game, use the joystick (left & right) to choose between entering a Championship race or to practise on a circuit.

PRACTICE

Select track, practice time & driver. After your time runs out you will be able to select a different track or enter the Championship.

To start your practice session:

1. Electrics on - P
2. Fuel select - Q
3. Ignition on - I
4. Starter motor on - S

This sequence is done automatically in the main race.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Before each race you will have to qualify for a position on the starting grid. The quickest lap time of 3 laps will determine your grid position. At the start of the Championship a list of circuits is displayed in the order in which you will compete. Press SPACE to cycle through the maps and press FIRE for options page prior to starting race.

IN THE PITS

Before any race you will enter the pits to set up your car. You will also be able to pull into the pits during a race, except when qualifying, by turning onto the black pit lane, stopping the car and turning off your engine.

When in the pits you may adjust / repair an item by selecting its icon:

1. Tyres - replace wheel or select tyre type
2. Gearbox - replace gearbox / clutch
3. Suspension - replace strut or change setting
4. Brakes - replace disc pads or change brake bias - front / rear
5. Bodywork - tune up engine, replace battery etc

Press ESC to return to main icon screen. Press SPACE for "Current system set up". Press SPACE to return to main icon screen. Press ESC when on icon screen to fill up with fuel and ESC will exit the pits. n.b. The time spent in the pits is real time and you will lose your position in the race if you take too long!

CONTROLS

Joystick forward.....accelerate
Joystick back.....brake
Joystick right.....steer right
Joystick left.....steer left

Pressing the FIRE button when accelerating or braking will change gear.

The car has 5 gears (+ neutral) and a maximum speed of 182 mph.

Keyboard:

P.....electrics on/off
Q.....main fuel tank select
A.....reserve fuel tank select
I.....ignition on/off
S.....starter motor on/off
R.....request systems report
L.....lights on/off
SPACE.....show current positions (in race only)
F1.....pause mode
HELP.....display these keys with status on screen
ESC.....quit race / qualify / practice session

HINTS & TIPS

If you stall the car by going too slow in too high a gear, you can re-start the car by turning the starter back on, provided that all other systems are set correctly. Going too far off the side of the circuit will cause a crash. This does a lot of damage to the car. Check systems report by pressing R. The tyre status indicator is at the bottom left hand side of the screen. The status ranges from 0 (ok) to 9 (near blowout). A blowout is shown as a flashing B. As you enter the pits, slow down as quickly as possible. Check your rear view mirror for other cars as you leave the pits. Check your fuel by requesting a systems report. Repair any system damage shown as WARNING or else you may have to retire from the race if the system becomes "OUT OF ACTION". Practice your circuits before entering the championship. These are long races, watch for nightfall.