

### INSTALLING ABE'S EXODDUS

To install the game, insert the "Install" CD ROM, wait for the Setup program to begin, and follow the instructions on the screen to install the game. If you have autorun notification disabled (ie. nothing happens), simply double-click on the My Computer icon, the CD ROM drive, and finally "AUTO.EXE".

During the installation, you will have the option (by choosing "Full" installation type), of installing all the game level data on your hard disk. This will smooth screen transitions in the game, and is recommended if you have the space (about 150 MB more than the "Typical" installation).

You will also have the option of installing Microsoft Direct X 6, which is required to run the program. Only decline this option if you are sure you have Direct X 6 installed on your computer already. If it's already installed, it won't hurt anything to install it again. If you are prompted during the Direct X installation about whether or not to replace a file, you should choose the file with the latest date, unless you know you need to use the older file. If you install Direct X, you will be required to restart your computer at the end of the installation.

To start the game after installation, either double-click on the Abe's Exoddus icon in the Program Group created, or click on the Start button, select Programs, then Abe's Exoddus, then the Abe's Exoddus icon. There are also icons (Faster Abe's Exoddus, Fastest Abe's Exoddus) for performance enhaced (but worse looking) versions of the game. Select the Read Me icon for more specific info about these, as well as for instructions on how to install the Oddworld Desktop Theme.

Before the game starts, you will be prompted to insert the "Play" CD ROM. Once the game is installed, this will be the only CD ROM you will need to play the game.

### SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

- · Windows®95 or Windows®98
- · 166MHz Pentium processor (200MHz recommended)
- · 16MB RAM (32MB or higher recommended)
- · 4X CD-ROM (8X or higher recommended)
- · 100% SoundBlaster compatible sound card



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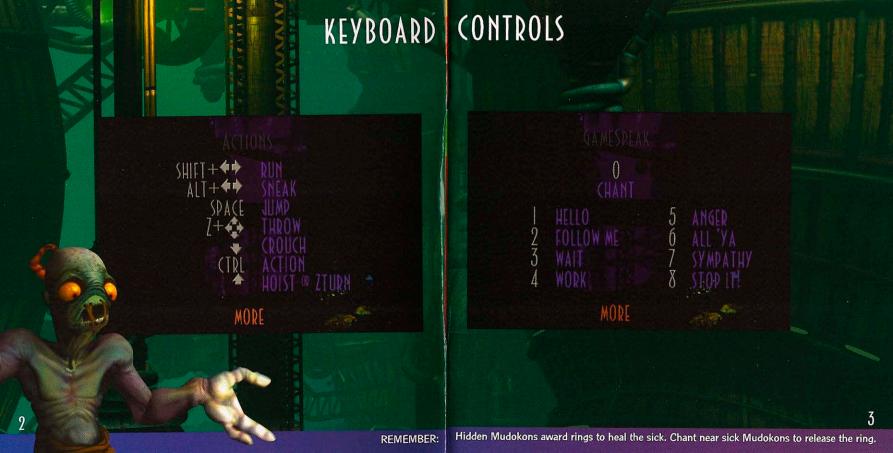
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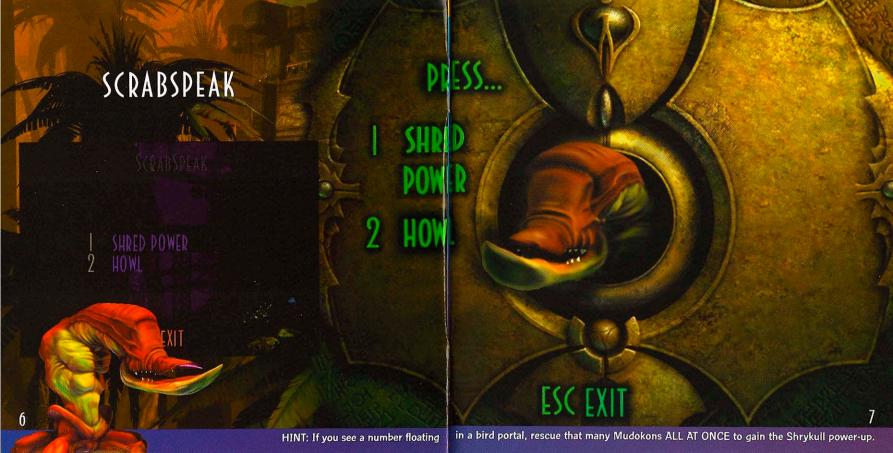
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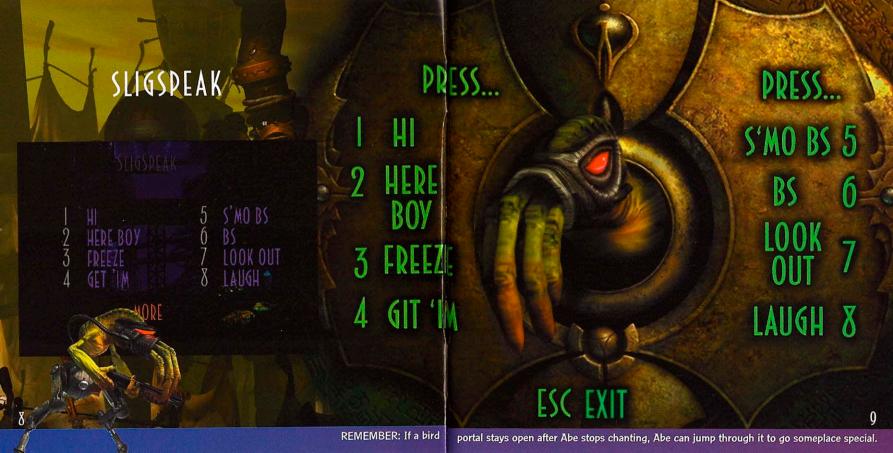
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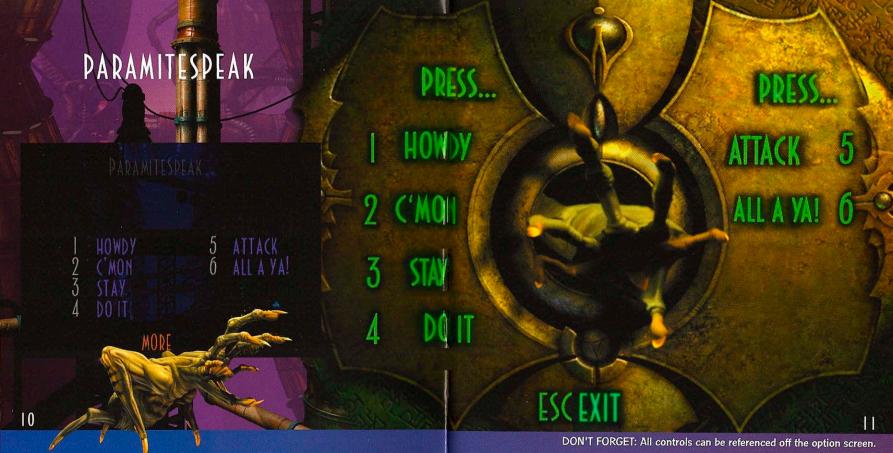












# IN THE BEGINNING... If you see some fancy movies followed by Abe's head saying "hello," you've passed the test and loaded the game. From this screen you have all sorts of options. If you want to dive straight into the game, select "Begin." "GameSpeak"" introduces you to Abe's critical speech abilities. It's cool to

watch his face when you make him talk. Check it out. Several characters besides Abe can talk, too, and you can check them out here as well.

"Load" lets you select a saved game, provided you've saved one to your hard drive. "Options" lets you see how your keyboard or controller is configured, and gives you some minor control over the sound. The sound options let you select between stereo and mono sound. Just before the game starts, you can check out a keen "Backstory" movie that will bring you up to date on Abe's story so far.

If you scare away a bird portal, just leave screen...when you return, the birds will be back.

Oddworld: Abe's Exoddus is a tough game. Even with infinite lives, it's going to take a long time to play through the game, particularly if you're trying to rescue all the Mudokons. Fortunately, you can save your game.

Saving a game is easy, Press "Esc" while playing to bring up the Options menu, Select "Save," and press "Enter". A unique name for the current screen will be displayed. and you can either change the name or leave it as it is.

> If you're in a hurry and you want something less permanent, choose "Quiksave™"from the Options menu (or press F5 from a game screen). Then, if you die, Abe will re-start where you saved.

# LOADING AND SAVING

Be careful. though, because Quiksaving in the wrong place can leave Abe stranded! If that happens, choose "Restart Path" off the Options screen.

To restore a saved game, select "Load" from the Options screen. Choose the saved game you desire to load from the list of names using the up and down arrows and press "Enter". To restore a Quiksave™. choose "Load Quiksave™" from the Load screen (or press F6 from a game screen).

Finally, if you paint yourself into a corner, use the "Restart Path" option on the Options screen to restore the immediate neighborhood to its original condition. This can come in handy if you've QuikSaved" yourself in the House of Pain.

When last we saw Abe, he'd just rescued ninetynine Mudokons from RuptureFarms", and struck a serious blow to the Glukkons of the rapacious Magog Cartel. Once an ignorant, happy floor-waxer, Abe now found himself a hero to his people. You might think Abe had earned a vacation...

... but that was before he fell on his head, and had a vision. Three restless ghosts let Abe in on a shocking secret.



Abe,
being a schmuck—
uh, hero—set out across
the desert with five friends to
find Necrum. When the game
opens, Abe and his pals have
snuck into the Necrum
Mines.



of no us to he those Your mission is to destroy the Mines by sabotaging the boilers that power the place. You'll have to find your five friends, too ... but keep them away from

SoulStorm™ Brew! One slug of that stuff and they'll get sick, and be no use to anyone... unless you can find a way to heal them. And how do you do that? I bet those three restless ghosts might have an idea.

They're probably hanging around their tomb. If you find the ghosts, maybe you can get them to confirm the rumor that Scrabs and Paramites are running free in the Vaults of Necrum.

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RuptureFarms was just one of many slaughterhouses the Glukkons are using to exploit the Mudokons. Even worse is the SoulStorm Brewery, where super-addictive SoulStorm Brew is made from the bones of dead Mudokons mined from Necrum, the ancient Mudokon city of the dead!

What happens after that is up to you to discover, but if you think you're going to get off with just blowing up the Mines. you haven't been paying attention. Hellish train rides, bone-processing factories, a whole barracks full of Slias, and SoulStorm™ Brewery itself are in your future. There won't be a dry eye in the house when you discover the secret ingredient of SoulStorm™ Brew. And oh yeah, it wouldn't be a bad idea to rescue any other Mudokons you find along the way. Never know when it will come in handy to have a bunch of escaped Mudokons to call on. It sure bailed your fat out of the fire when Molluck had you hanging over the meat grinders back in RuptureFarms™... but that's ancient history.





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### THE CAST





Robbed of their proud and ancient legacy by profit-crazy Glukkons, the Mudokons are the slave labor force of the Magog Cartel. In a masterpiece of corporate efficiency, Mudokons that are worked to death can still serve the Cartel by offering up their bones for SoulStorm™ Brew. You'll find 'em wherever the Magog Cartel needs a cheap labor force. They're an emotional bunch of guys.

10 Look out if they start fighting!



SLIGS

Gun-crazy fiends...when they've got their pants on, at least.



SCRABS

Nothing is tougher than a Scrab—except, maybe, another Scrab.



PARAMITES

Vicious little pack animals, but they can be your best friend once you learn what makes 'em tick.

### THE CAST

### SLUDGS

The lowest form of Oddworld life. subsisting on the offal of Fleeches. Hey, it's a living.

### ELEECHES

Starting life as happy Glukkon pets, these vicious little worms rapidly grow too big to cuddle, and are eliminated by flushing them down the toilet. Whole colonies infest Oddworld's underworld.

### **FLYING SLIGS**

Half-mad Slig flyboys.



#### GDEETEDS

A public-relations nightmare made right! Glukkons were aghast when these marketing and P.R. machines began attacking the customers. Now, they make perfect security quards!





They bark, eat live flesh, are definitely not good with children, but they're a Slig's best friend.



Cuter than their grown-up cousins, but just as vicious.

### CRAWLING SLIGS

Everybody has to start someplace.



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SHRYKULL

Half-Mudokon, half-God,

all trouble. Abe changes

into this guy when he

rescues enough Mudokons

through special portals. How did Abe learn to turn

into this thing? You weren't

here for the last game,

were you?



Abe is an amazingly versatile little blue guy. Nothing bad will happen to you on the first couple screens of the game, so take a couple minutes to play with the controls and learn all the things Abe can do.

MINE CAR: To enter the mine car, stand in front of it and press .

To exit the mine car, or to make it drop from a track (and smash whatever is below it...that's a hint, buddy), press (Ctrl).

FARTS: Abe can fart at any time by pressing **X**. You can use farts to annoy Mudokons (making them take a single step away from you...that's ANOTHER hint, by the way). You can also possess farts and do nasty things after drinking from a SoulStorm™ brew machine.

SLIGS, FLYING SLIGS, PARAMITES, GLUKKONS, SCRABS:
You can possess 'em all...and they all have their own control
schemes! Figuring out how to use them is half the fun, so
we won't spill it here. Just remember that they can all talk
(and that the last hint we're giving away for free!)

While there's plenty of game play on the first level, many of the screens are tutorial areas spotlighting important game mechanics. Read the scrolling LED messages in the background for instructions on how to perform moves.

## GAME SPEAK

Abe does more than run, jump, roll, and flip around like a fish. He can talk.

Even if you can't talk, you'll have to learn how to make Abe talk if you want to play the game.

The "GameSpeak™" option available from the start-up screen is an excellent place to learn about

Here's a diagram of Abe's

Abe's amazing speech abilities.

GameSpeak™, in case you need it in the middle of a game.

GameSpeak™ Hints: You can talk to just about anything, but Sligs and other Mudokons will be most receptive.

Learning what to say to who is part of the game's challenge, so we won't spoil it for you, but here are a couple pointers:

- \* Say "Hello" to initiate conversation with a Mudokon.
- \* Say "All ya!" to alert all Mudokons at once.
- \* Learning to use "Follow Me" and "Wait" is pivotal to solving many puzzles.
- \* Some of the words (especially the rude sounds) are just plain fun to make. Use GameSpeak™ to personalize the way you play the game. It's an attitude thing.
- \* Sligs can order Slogs.
- \* Glukkons can order Sligs!
- \* Experiment!

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You can pick up rocks, bones, grenades, and meat by squatting next to them and pressing (Ctrl).

### EMOTIONS

The Mudokons aren't just targets, you know (although they are fun to shoot). They're real creatures with emotions of their own. In your travels, you'll run into plenty of moody Mudokons.



ANGRY MUDOKONS won't listen to you, unless you tell them you're sorry. They'll sometimes take a swing at you, so be careful.



WIRED MUDOKONS are all hopped up and out of control. They're usually strung out on laughing gas. You'll have to slap some sense into them before they'll listen to you.



DEPRESSED MUDOKONS are so upset about living in slavery that they'll scarcely acknowledge Abe is even there. One good shock can push them over the edge into suicide, so show them some sympathy when you meet them.

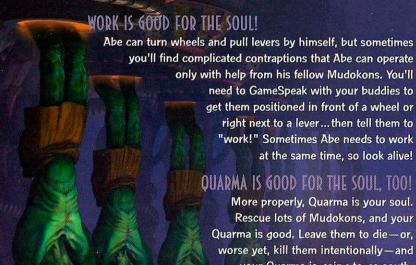
SICK MUDOKONS are drunk from SoulStorm™ Brew. You'll need to find a helper Mudokon to give you a healing ring before sick Mudokons can recover.



BLIND MUDOKONS can't see, on top of everything else, so they need some special care when you talk to them. Mostly you'll need to tell them to "wait!" or they'll just walk right off ledges and into walls...

which is kind of amusing the first ten or twenty times you see it. Especially if there are mines or drills around. Or death drops.

Or electrical walls... they're good too.



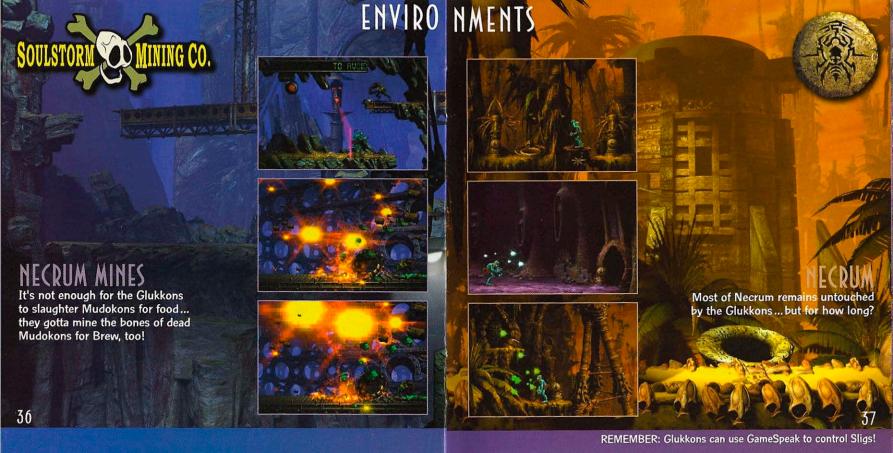
More properly, Quarma is your soul.
Rescue lots of Mudokons, and your
Quarma is good. Leave them to die—or,
worse yet, kill them intentionally—and
your Quarma is going to go south,
and in a hurry. To win the game you
must have good Quarma, meaning
you must save at least as many
Mudokons as are killed. Watch for
Status Displays throughout the game for
hints about how many Mudokons you've
rescued, and how many are still out there. Be
thorough in your investigation, because once you
leave an area, any Mudokons left behind are permanently lost!

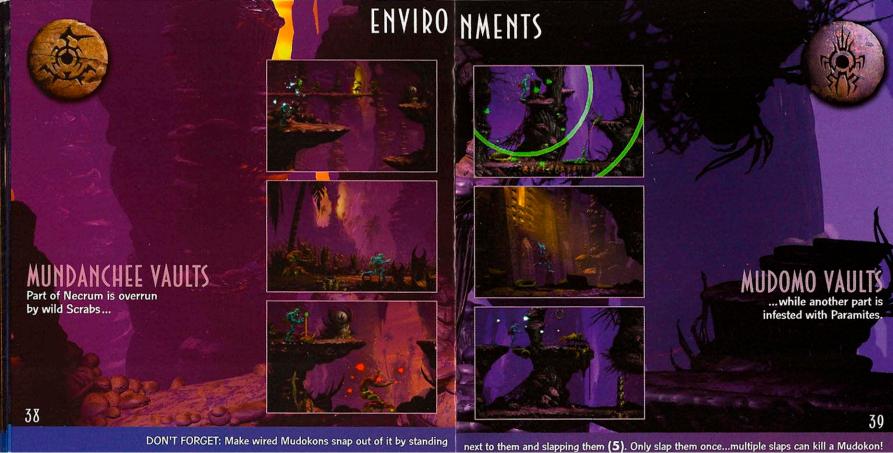
For the ultimate challenge, try to rescue all 300 Mudokons. You'll get a special bonus if you do. There is no truth to the rumor that a secret bonus awaits players who kill nearly all the Mudokons. No truth at all. What kind of sick people do you think we are? As if we'd put something like that in a game.

Not us. No way. Nope.

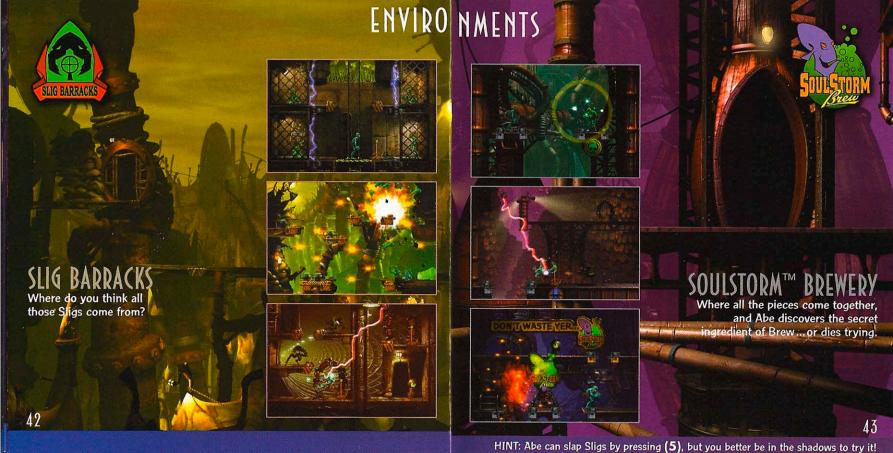
### WHO CUT THE CHEESE?

There's no delicate way to put this:
Abe can fart. He can fart up a
storm...a SoulStorm"! Drink brew
from a dispenser machine (you'll
find the first of several full
machines in FeeCo Depot) and
press (X) button to fart. Chant to
possess the thing, move it
around, then chant again for a
BIG SURPRISE! You can also
make Mudokons upset by farting
near them, which comes in handy if
you want someone to step aside.





















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ABE PORTAL

chant and jump through these



these touch you

TOMB DOOR

release spirits to

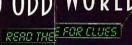
open these doors



LED SCREEN read these

for clues







MINE

DRILL

safe when

turmed

off...

otherwise.

look out!









SLIG LOCKED

where do you think they keep their pants?



**ROCK SACK** 

hit this to

get a rock



















LEVER

pull it





**MUDOKON STATUS INDICATOR** keep an eve on these-

they're important!



MEAT SACK, **BONE SACK** slap these to play with your food



TELEPORTER

pull the lever and hold your breath





WELL jump into these for Sloas!

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BIRD

PORTAL

chant near these

## THE ODDWORLD QUINTOLOGY

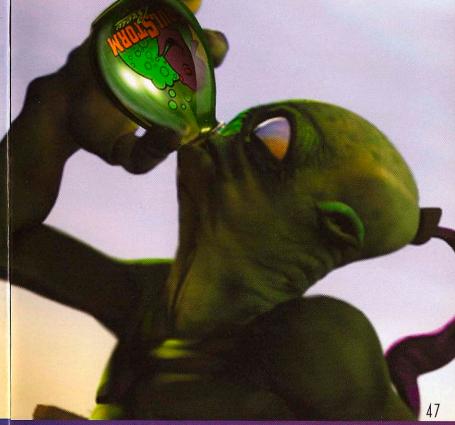
Oddworld: Abe's Exoddus is the first "bonus game" in a five part game series from Oddworld Inhabitants called "The Oddworld Quintology." Each part of the Quintology will have one or more bonus games. The first game in the Quintology, Oddworld: Abe's Oddysee, introduced Abe and his friends, and was the inspiration for this bonus game. Oddworld is big—very big—and Abe's Exoddus is just a brief glimpse of the strange and exciting depths of THE ODD!

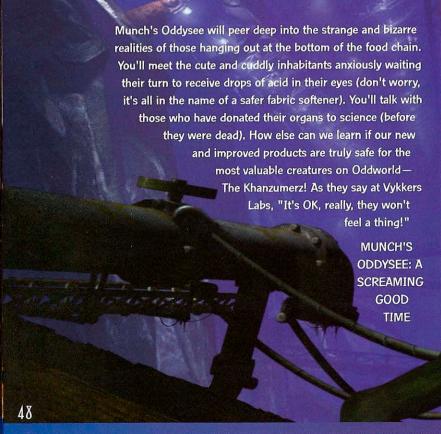
The next Quintology game, Oddworld: Munch's Oddysee, will reveal a whole new way to explore Oddworld, thanks to a mind-blowing new game engine, and a cast of characters guaranteed to give you nightmares.

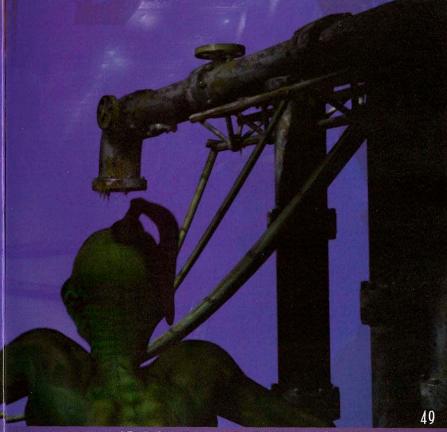
Or sweet dreams. All depends on what you find cute and cuddly.

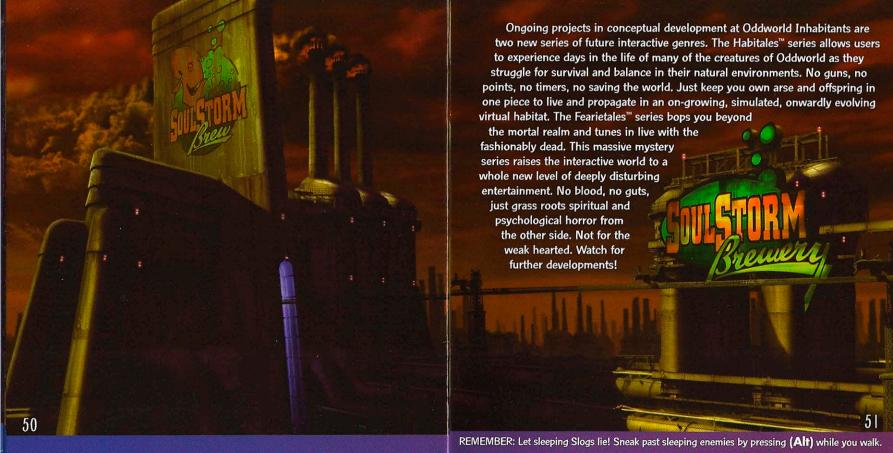
Us, we go with the cuddly.

Especially if it has tentacles
or nasty poison spikes
that can penetrate
your brain.









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Whew! that's it....

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