**1 PLAYER Controls**

- **Slow motion (Infinite Mode)**: LT
- **Fast-Forward**: LB
- **Maximum Power-up (Infinite Mode)**: 
- **Move**: L, R
- **Camera movement**: L, R
- **Arcade Cabinet Zoom**: 
- **Call and send force**: A
- **Rapid-fire shot/missile**: B
- **Shot/missile**: X
- **2D/3D switching**: Y
- **Call and send force**: 
- **Rapid-fire shot/missile**: 
- **Pause menu**: 

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**Input Keybindings**

- UP/DOWN: Page up/down
- LB/RB: 1P/2P Switch
- Esc: X
- Control Settings: Space
- Back: B
How to Play

Basic Techniques

Defend humanity against the evil Bydo Empire! Use either stick to maneuver your ship, the R9 "Arrowhead", through the hostile environments.

Use the X button to fire or the B button to rapid-fire.

Use the Y button to switch between the original 2D graphics and all-new 3D graphics during play - experience the transformation right before your eyes.

* When the default setting is used
The Plasma Cannon

R-Type: Hold down the X button to accumulate plasma beam energy (indicated by meter).

Release to unleash a powerful plasma beam.

R-Type II: The plasma cannon has two charge stages in R-Type II. Release the X button after the first charge to fire a plasma beam or continue holding to double-charge the cannon, then quickly release to fire a devastating offensive.

* When the default setting is used
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The Force

Destroy Armos to reveal a valuable power-up.

Collect the power-up to bring forth the Force which can be used as a shield and a weapon.

Collect three power-ups to gain maximum Force power.

Use the A button to attract or launch the Force. Touch the Force with your ship to dock it and gain maximum firing potential. The Force can be docked on the front or back of your ship.

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Power-ups

Collect four Speed-ups to reach maximum speed. But be careful, too much speed can be hard to handle.

Shields will protect you from many enemies and enemy attacks. You can have a maximum of two shields at the same time.

Heat seeking missiles are an effective addition to your arsenal.
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R-Type Special Weapons

Reflective Lasers

Double Transverse Neon Wave

Ground Roving Fireballs
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R-Type II Special Weapons

All of the R-Type weapons are available in R-Type II, plus a few additional ones...

Semi-homing Beams

Shotgun Shells

Scatter Bombs
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Classic Mode

Classic mode stays true to the original arcade games. If your ship is destroyed, your mission continues at the last accessed checkpoint.

R-Type: Extra lives are awarded at 100k, 200k, 350k, 500k and 700k.

R-Type II: Extra lives are awarded at 200k, 350k, 500k and 700k.

High scores are posted to leaderboards at Game Over or completion of the final stage.
Infinite Mode

Infinite mode bestows you with endless lives. If destroyed, your ship is replaced by another with downgraded weapons, as the stage continues scrolling.

Don’t panic, you are temporarily invincible, and all end-bosses eventually retreat.

Your lives-lost tally and score are only posted to the leaderboard upon completion of the final stage.
How to Play

Co-op Play

Local multiplayer can be used in both modes. Player collision can be enabled for added difficulty.

Classic Co-op allows for revival of your companion by collection of a power-up or completion of a stage. Lives are shared, and a life is lost only when both ships are destroyed at the same time.

Infinite Co-op combines the lost-lives tally and scores of both players when posting to the leaderboard upon completion of the final stage.