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I've been slightly cursed recently, by the fact that I can't complete a game in 1 hour on my Nomad (lunch break, bus), and after getting to the final stage of Castle of Illusion several days in a row, I finally sat down to play it at home and completed it. Same is happening with Rocket Knight Adventures (best game on the system IMO).

Anyway, I'd quite like a game that I can save my progress with. Does anyone have a list?

Olls

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Advanced Daisenryaku
Aerobiz
Aerobiz Supersonic
ATP Tour Championship Tennis
Ayrton Senna's Super Monaco GP II
Bahamut Senki
Barkley: Shut Up and Jam! 2
Beyond Oasis
Beggart Prince
Bill Walsh College Football
Bill Walsh College Football '95
Blue Almanac
Brave Battle Saga: Legend of the Magic Warrior
Brett Hull Hockey '95
Brian Lara Cricket '96
Buck Rogers: Countdown to Doomsday
Centurion: Defender of Rome
Coach K College Basketball
College Football USA '96
College Football USA '97: The Road to New Orleans
College Football's National Championship
College Football's National Championship II
College Slam
Crusader of Centy
Dragon Slayer
Dragon Slayer II
Duke Nukem 3D
Dungeons & Dragons: Warriors of the Eternal Sun
ESPN National Hockey Night
ESPN Speedworld
ESPN Sunday Night NFL
Evander Holyfield's Real Deal Boxing
Exile
F1 Circus MD
Fastest 1
FIFA Soccer '95
FIFA Soccer '96
FIFA Soccer '97
Frank Thomas Big Hurt Baseball
Gemfire
Genghis Khan II: Clan of the Gray Wolf
Greatest Heavyweights of the Ring
Hardball '94
Hardball '95
Hardball III
IMG International Tour Tennis
Jack Nicklaus' Power Challenge Golf
John Madden Football '93
John Madden Football '93 Championship Edition
John Madden NFL '94
King Colossus
Landstalker
Liberty or Death
Light Crusader
Langrisser II
Legend of Wukong

Light Crusader
Lord Monarch
Madden NFL '95
Madden NFL '96
Madden NFL '97
Madden NFL '98
Master of Monsters
Megaman: The Wily Wars
Micro Machines 2: Turbo Tournament
Micro Machines: Turbo Tournament '96
Micro Machines Military: It's a Blast!
Might and Magic: Gates to Another World
Might and Magic III: Isles of Terra
MLBPA Baseball
MLBPA Sports Talk Baseball
Monster World IV
NBA Action
NBA Action '95
NBA Hang Time
NBA Jam
NBA Jam Tournament Edition
NBA Live '95
NBA Live '96
NBA Live '97
NBA Live '98
NBA Showdown '94
NCAA College Football
NCAA Final Four College Basketball
NFL Football '94 Starring Joe Montana
NFL '95
NFL '98
NFL Quarterback Club
NFL Quarterback Club '96
NFL Prime Time
NHL '94
NHL '95
NHL '96
NHL '97
NHL '98
NHL All-Star Hockey '95
NHLPA Hockey '93
Nobunaga no Yabou: Bushou Fuuunsoku
Nobunaga no Yabou Haouden: Lord of Darkness
Nobunaga's Ambition
Operation Europe: Path to Victory 1939-1945
P.T.O. Pacific Theater of Operations
Pebble Beach Golf Links
Pele's World Tournament Soccer
Pele!
PGA European Tour
PGA Tour '96
PGA Tour Golf
PGA Tour Golf II
PGA Tour Golf III
Phantasy Star II
Phantasy Star III
Phantasy Star IV
Pier Solar
Pirates! Gold
Rent-A-Hero
Rings of Power
Romance of the Three Kingdoms II
Romance of the Three Kingdoms III
Shadowrun
Shane Warne Cricket
Shining In The Darkness
Shining Force
Shining Force II
Sonic The Hedgehog 3
Sorcerer's Kingdom
Starflight
Star Trek: The Next Generation
Summer Challenge
Super Daisenryaku
Super Hydride

Surging Aura
Sword of Vermilion
Taiga Drama Taiheiki
Taikou Risshiden
Tecmo Super Baseball
Tecmo Super Bowl
Tecmo Super Bowl II: Special Edition
Tecmo Super Bowl III: Final Edition
Tecmo Super Hockey
Tecmo Super NBA Basketball
Test Drive II: The Duel
TNN Bass Tournament of Champions
TNN Outdoors Bass Tournament '96
Tony La Russa Baseball
Tony La Russa Baseball '95
Traysia
Triple Play '96
Triple Play Gold
Troy Aikman NFL Football
Uncharted Waters
Uncharted Waters: New Horizons
Unnecessary Roughness '95
Virtual Pinball
Wacky Worlds
Warrior of Rome II
Warsong
Wayne Gretzky NHLPA All-Stars
Winter Challenge
Wonder Boy in Monster World
World Cup USA '94
World Series Baseball
World Series Baseball '95
World Series Baseball '96
World Series Baseball '98
Ys III: Wanderers from Ys
Zan Yasha Enbuden

Courtesy to sfog for listing all the sports titles @ digitpress. Saved me some trouble.

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05-31-2011, 06:37 PM

Landstalker also has a battery backup.

Olls

05-31-2011, 06:46 PM

Good call. That one somehow slipped off my list. :(

Barone

05-31-2011, 06:48 PM

F1 Circus MD, Fastest 1, Duke Nukem 3D and Ys III too, right?

Olls

05-31-2011, 08:05 PM

You're right. Added those too.

Chilly Willy

05-31-2011, 08:09 PM

Is it just MD? The Japanese version of Virtua Racing Deluxe also uses bram. For homebrew, Wolf32X uses bram. Not sure if you're including homebrew or just commercial games.

Olls

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Just commercial Genesis and Mega Drive games on my list (except for BBS, which is pretty popular, I guess). I don't know if he's interested in anything else.

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06-01-2011, 05:38 AM

No, that's perfect, thanks.

It doesn't seem to differentiate between backing up scores/player data and actual game progress, but I think you can

take a look at that list and guess.

TmEE

06-01-2011, 05:50 AM

Sonic3 has no battery, it uses FeRAM (like Knuckles Chaotix and Japanese Virtua Racing Deluxe)

Olls

06-01-2011, 03:18 PM

I've made no distinction between types of battery saves or ram. If the end result is the same, I think that is what matters to the TS.

Zz Badnusty

06-01-2011, 04:44 PM

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Awesome list. Thank you.

But the type of memory back-up should make a huge difference to anyone collecting games nowadays. I've been looking for a list of battery only games. As the time has now come to get those old batteries out of the carts and replace them, or else deal with leaking corroded batteries.

Olls

06-01-2011, 05:24 PM

That's true. Maybe someone with more knowledge than me on the subject can pitch in. Emulators do show the type of RAM used, but no information on battery saves (AFAIK).

Chris

06-03-2011, 01:25 AM

Thanks for the list, this saves me a lot of trouble.

I've been trying to compile a list of all my games that use batteries, because I'm worried about the corrosion issue.

I started going through all my Super Nintendo games first and have found nine so far.

If anyone has a list of Super Nintendo games that have batteries, I would be interested in that as well.

Does anyone know of Sega Master System games that use a battery other than Phantasy Star? and what about original Nintendo games?

villahed94

06-03-2011, 01:44 AM

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You won me by 2 days. I was about to say that.