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WESTERADO

•• Double Barreled ••

Player Manual

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Minimum System Requirements

Windows 7
Dual Core 2 2.4 Ghz
2 GB Ram

Mac Os X 10.7
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Story

9/12/1889

Dear ma,

Business has been pretty good lately, thanks for askin'! They say the West is an unforgiving and hostile place, but I find Clintville to be quite peaceful.

For now, at least... Bad rumors have been goin' round. Land disputes, railroad sabotage, savage natives and ranch burnings. But it ain't all bad for me. Eventually they'll all come to my saloon to drink their sorrows away.

I just hope they'll leave the saloon in one piece! Don't ya worry ma, I'll be fine.

Much love,
Yer Lil' Bartender

Characters



The Hero

I ain't seen this fella much. He's all wrapped in mystery. All I know is that he lives with his ma and brother at the ranch down South.

The Mother

A sweet lady, mother of three. She frequents the town for supplies. Life's been tough on her, but she's got her sons to help her out.





The Brother

The older brother. Got real gritty ever since their father's been out of the picture. Heard he's been practicin' his gunslingin' too, using that fine revolver of his.

The Sister

A real charmer this one, the sister of them two brothers. Ain't seen her for a while though. Last thing I heard she took a train, lookin' fer better fortune in the big city.



The Sheriff

He's the joke of the town, nowadays. Used to be the best gunslinger 'round. Wouldn't mind if he came by the saloon, see what he's got to say for himself.

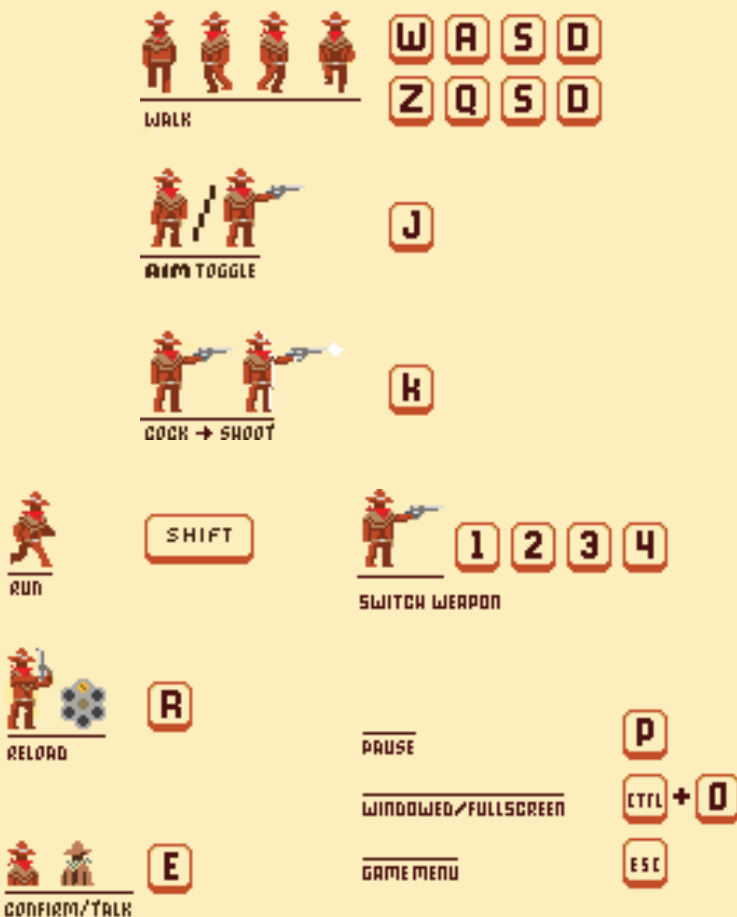
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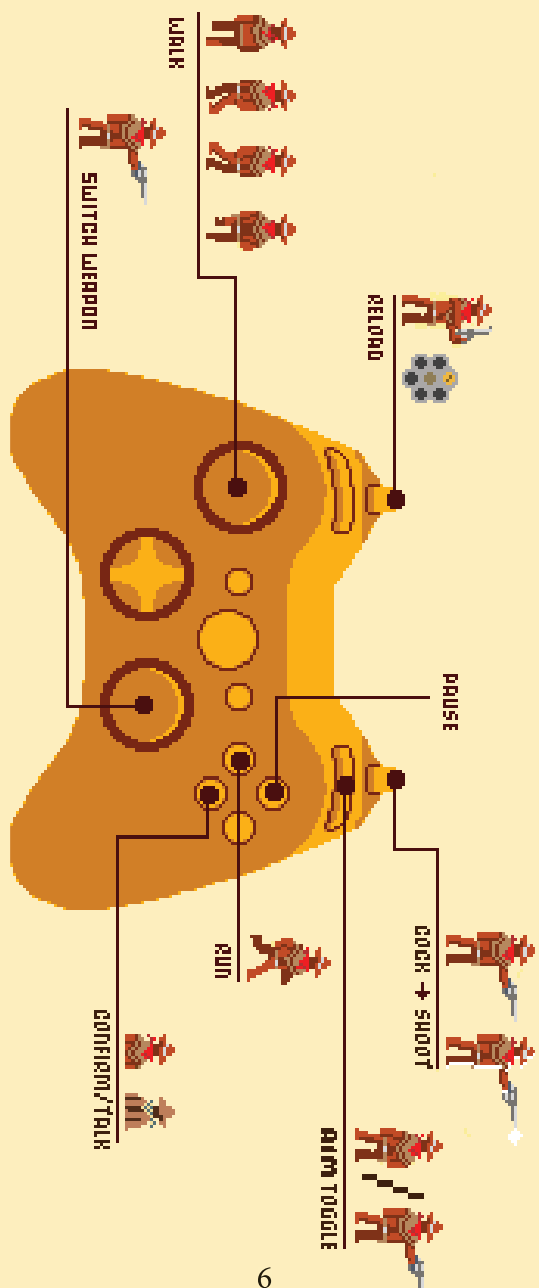
Most succesful rancher round these parts. He's got the biggest buffalo herd of all. His ranch is close by the forest up North.



Controls

These images I was told you'd find these handy. The first is for the device called a keyboard and the second for some sorta controller. I heard you can set these up to your liking in the OPTIONS menu.





Game Screen



1 Gun & Hats

This nifty little thing keeps track of the amount of bullets left in yer gun. It also shows how many hats ya still have on you. Don't forget each shot is lethal to ya if yer wearin' yer last hat!

2 Money

In the West you'll need greenbacks to purchase things. This here keeps track of how much you've got on ya. You might not want to carry all of it around, so deposit some at the bank for safety.

3 The hero

That's you, standin' in Santa Anna. I wonder what yer doin' all the way over there.



Menus: Main



This is the MAIN MENU, which you'll see on start-up. Here you can pick a save slot and adjust game settings.

1 Save Slots

These are your three save slots for Westerado. Your progress is saved automatically, so pick the save slot you want to play on to start playing.

2 Save information

This informs you about the currently selected save slot: your hats, amount of money and a percentage indicating world exploration.

3 Other options

The CLEAR button can be used to clear save slots. The OPTIONS button brings you to the OPTIONS menu (see next page). The QUIT button closes the game, in case other matters require your attention.



Menus: Options



This is the OPTIONS menu, accessed by pressing the ESC key or START on a controller (default keys). You can also reach it by selecting OPTIONS in the MAIN MENU at the start of the game.

1 Option Tabs

Cycle through these tabs to access different options. From adjusting graphics, audio and controls to starting cooperative play and quitting the game.

2 Options Window

This shows the in-depth options for each option tab, which can be customized to your personal preference.



Menus: Clues



This is the PAUSE menu, accessed by pressing P on a keyboard or the Y button on an Xbox controller (default keys). The pause menu is divided into three subsections: CLUES, MAP and JOURNAL.

- 1 Appearance**
This cycles through all the possible appearances of the murderer, based on the clues you have gathered so far.
- 2 Gossip found**
This lists all the clues of the murderer that you gathered so far.
- 3 Tabs**
These show the other menu screens you can access by pressing LEFT and RIGHT: A or D on a keyboard, or left and right on the left thumbstick on a controller (default keys).



Menus: Map



This is the MAP in your PAUSE menu. It's very useful to determine where you are and where you can go.

- 1 Map**
This is the map. You can swap between the overworld map and the underground map by pressing up or down.
- 2 Point of interest**
Listening to and agreeing to help people will make points of interest appear on the map. These indicate locations related to the entries in your journal.
- 3 Current Location**
This symbol marks your current location in the world.
- 4 Stats**
This shows how much of the world you have explored and how long you have been playing on this play-through.

Menus: Journal



This is the journal in the PAUSE menu. It contains information you've gathered to and missions you discovered.

1 Wanted Poster

Collected Wanted Posters will be shown here. Complete these if you want to dish out justice and earn some extra coin.

2 Journal Entries

These are all the journal entries in your journal. It'll remind you of things you could be doing for people who might help you.

3 Pages

This shows which journal page you're on. You can cycle between pages by pressing UP or DOWN: W and S on keyboard, or up and down on left thumbstick on a controller (default keys).

Menus: NTS



This is the FAST TRAVEL menu, accessed by approaching the horses provided by NTS, the free horse loaning company.

1 The Map

Identical to the MAP found in the PAUSE menu.

2 Arrow

The arrow indicates your currently selected travel destination.

3 Selection

This shows the location you have selected. You can change location by pressing LEFT or RIGHT and press CONFIRM to travel. If you wish to cancel your travel press CONFIRM on your current location.

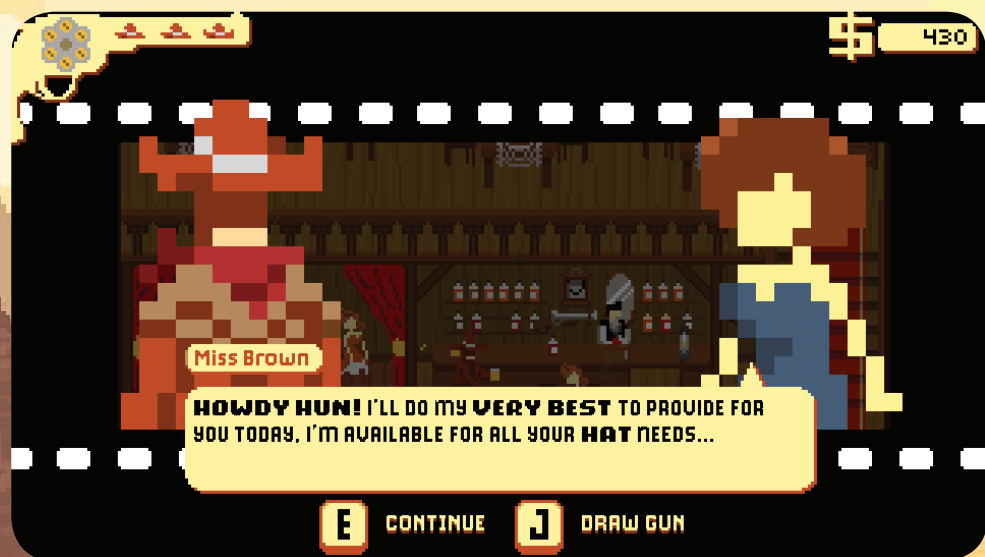


Explore

A huge prairie awaits you in Westerado: Double Barreled. There are two towns and acres of land teeming with buffalo. If you're trying to find someone who doesn't want to be found, you'll be in for a long ride.

Luckily there are many people who can help you on your search. Just keep in mind that you can't always please everybody. In the West it's easy to step on someone's toes. I suggest you get to know the world and the people inhabiting it to prevent needless fights.

If you stumble into trouble anyway, there are people willing to help you and make you new hats if you lose yours. Keep an eye out for the Haberdasher, General Store and Saloons.



Co-op



The Wild West is a harsh place, but you don't have to face its dangers alone! You can play with a friend by selecting CO-OP in the OPTIONS menu or start CO-OP while starting a new game. To play cooperatively you are required to have at least one controller plugged into your system.

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UI for Player 2

The gun and hats of the second player are displayed in the upper right hand corner.

2

Player 2

The second player can help out with dangerous missions, but only player 1 has full interaction with the world. When player 2 bites the dust player 1 can help him back on his feet.

Be careful when shooting: your bullets are as deadly to your companion as they are to your enemies. Although the two of you could settle any disagreements with a good old stand-off.



Troubleshooting

Slowdowns

The game is quite CPU intensive. If you're experiencing slowdowns here are a few things you can consider.

If you're playing on a laptop, check your Power Options first. On Windows 7 there should be a battery icon on your system tray in the bottom right. Make sure the *"High performance"* plan or equivalent is active. This should make sure you're getting the most out of your system. Usually laptops are configured to run slower on battery power, so plug in your adapter if you can. If the problem persists you can explore the Power Options further. WARNING: If you aren't sure of what you are doing, proceed with caution. Usually the *"Processor power management"* options are to blame. For maximum performance change both the *"Minimum processor state"* and *"Maximum processor state"* to *"100%"*.

Performance may also be increased by either setting the game to windowed mode or turning off the shadow renderer in the GRAPHICS section of the OPTIONS menu.

Unusable Controls

If at any point you've reconfigured your controls and are unable to reset them to the defaults in the game, you can remove your bindings manually. This is done through a file called *"controls.ini"*, which can be found in the *"Westerado DB"* folder in your documents folder (usually called *"Documents"* or *"My Documents"*). Deleting this file will reset your controls to the defaults.



Troubleshooting

Controller Support

The game has support for many types of controllers, but only Xbox 360 controllers are automatically setup. For any other type of controller the game should ask you to bind your controls when you press a button on the controller to access the MAIN MENU. If that doesn't work you can use a keyboard to navigate the menu and rebind your controller in the CONTROLS section of the OPTIONS menu.

If any of your controllers do not work in the game and don't show up in the CONTROLS menu, you can try to disconnect and reconnect the controller to the computer.



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