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MC RETRO 30+ **INSTRUCTION MANUAL** This game includes 2D graphics and a retro expression

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Introduction

Thank you very much for buying Ruins Exploration Archaeological action game "La-Mulana".

If you read this instructions before playing the game, you can play the game with more fun. We would think dashing into the ruins without a preliminary knowledge is manly, however you may want to read this.

"La-Mulana" is a game that is made old-fashioned of from beginning to end. But I think this have the oft-forgotten fun of the games recently, and we have made this game our best to show what retro 2D games have evolved as they are. Be sure to play through, or clear in hard mode, or give up.

LAMALANA 5.4.5-+

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Minimum System Requirements

OS: Windows XP(latest service packs) with DX 9.0c CPU:Intel® Pentium 4 / 2.0GHz Memory: 1 GB RAM Graphics: 128 MB VRAM, 3D accelerator compatible w/ DirectX 9.0c HDD: 500 MB HD space Sound: Compatible with DirectX 9.0c DirectX: DirectX 9.0c

Recommended System Requirements

OS: Windows XP/Vista/7(latest service packs) with DX 9.0c CPU: Intel® Core 2 Duo 2.4 GHz or AMD Athlon™ 64 X2 4400+ 2.8 GHz Memory: 2 GB RAM Graphics: 256 MB VRAM, 3D accelerator compatible w/ DirectX 9.0c HDD: 1 GB HD space Sound: Compatible with DirectX 9.0c DirectX: DirectX 9.0c

* Please run this checker before you buy La-Mulana. http://la-mulana.com/en/specials/download

\sim Legend from Ancient Times \sim

Descending unto this place... She came from the sky... One unto this world. Trapped alone, she cries.

Let me return home to heaven. It is where I belong.

Children, please help me. Children, send me back home. Children, for this reason you were born.

> folk ballad descending of"The Clan See and end of Starting Journey" Translation:Shawn Kosugi

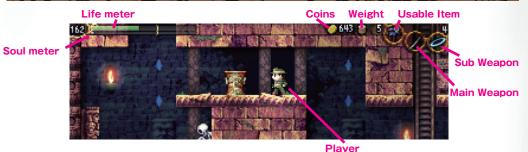
Story

A letter reached Professor Lemeza teaching archaeology at a university. "Eventually, I found it. I've won!"

The Kosugi clan have been pursuing the archeology for generations. The ruins which they have been researching. The La-Mulana Ruins is said to be the birthplace of whole the civilizations. The letter was written by his father. Shawn Kosugi and word that he had found it.

Title men	
	START CONTINUE LOAD TIME ATTACK OPTION EXIT e2011 #ASTERIZM CO.LID AN Regna Reserved
START	: Start the game from the beginning.
CONTINUE	: Load the quick save data and continue the game.
LOAD	: Load the save data and continue the saved game. Select a saved file you want to play and press the confirm button.
TIME ATTACK	: Beat the enemies appear one after another as quickly as possible.
OPTION	: Display config menu.
EXIT	: Quit the game

The Game Screen



Life meter: Display the remains of the player's life. It runs out, the game is over. If you get the specific item, it's upper limit will be stretched.

Soul meter: Increase by gathering green-colored "Soul stone" that enemies drop when you defeat them. Soul meter is filled, and Life meter is restored. Coins: You can pick up coins by defeating enemies, breaking jars and opening treasure boxes.

Weight: The number of weights are essential to function the gimmicks of the Ruins. You can pick up them by defeating enemies, breaking jars and opening treasure boxes. You can also buy at the store.

Usable Item: Display an item such as the Handy

- Scanner can be used during the search. You can change it at the item menu.
- Main Weapon: Display the Main Weapon that player equips. You can change it at the item menu. Sub Weapon: Display the Sub Weapon that player

equips. You can change it at the item menu. Player: Character you handle.

Controls



keyboard	explanation
1	up moving using radders / entering the stores or the rooms
Ļ	down moving using radders
	exit from the stores or the rooms/open the save menu at the save points
←→	move
Z	jump/confirm
Х	use the main weapon you've equipped/cancel
С	use the sub weapon you've equipped
V	use the usable item you've equipped/operate the specific software
А	switch to the next main weapon
Q	switch to the previous main weapon
S	switch to the next sub weapon
W	switch to the previous sub weapon
ESC	open, close the main menu
F1	pause/awake
TAB	switch to the right menu
CTRL	switch to the left menu

* F1 function key on the keyboard is assigned the Pause button. From F2 to F9 is assigned each menu. You can open it directly by pressing those function key. But the menu of specific software cannot be opened unless you launch the corresponding software. Space key and Enter key is assigned the confirm button, and Esc key is assigned the cancel button fixedly.

* Besides above devices, the wired XBox 360® controller is supported.



What is La-mulana?



La-mulana is an action adventure game that focuses solving the mystery of the Ruins. Your scope of activities widen by solving the riddles. Then, main purpose is getting a lot of hint and solving the riddles,

not to mention defeating enemies.



Let's learn about the purpose of the game!

The purpose of the game is exploring "La-mulana Ruins" which is said the beginning of whole the civilizations. Though you say that you will solve the mystery, you can't know what the mystery are at all. For this reason you may not understand what you should do. But if you follow next four advices, the road will open spontaneously!

🈂 Solve a riddle before your eyes.

You must solve almost all the riddles to solve the mystery of the Ruins. If you solve one riddle before your eyes, you will move one step toward the goal.

Defeat the Guardians sleeping somewhere!

Boss enemies called the Guardians are asleep somewhere in the Ruins. The way to important areas may open by defeating them.



Get the items that are hidden in the Ruins!

A lot of the mysterious item are hidden in the Ruins. Those enhance the ability of the professor or are necessary to solve the riddles. Let's gather them to widen your scope of activities!

Solve the riddles of the field!

The Ruins is divided into plural areas. The areas are called the field. One way is you get over the field you are in anyway.

Advices for new player



Professor should have arrived at the Ruins with every equipments. However most search tools are confiscated at the airport, he felt uneasy. But don't worry. If you follow the next advices, your exploration will progress!



Save coins to buy indispensable items. Especially, Hand Scanner and Glyph Reader are essential. You must buy them.



If you are lack of confidence, how about solving all riddles in "Gate of Guidance"? After you develop confidence, you can extend your legs to other fields. You can explore various fields from the first. But you must refrain reckless behavior!



When your life reduce, gather Soul stone in a safe place. And there are hot springs that restore your life at outskirts of the village and somewhere in the Ruins.

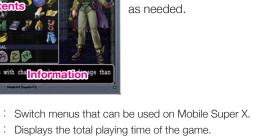


Don't forget that you are an "Archaeologist". Pay attention to a small change and strange place in the Ruins!





Professor Lemeza loves using laptop "MobileSuperX". It has various functions that are essential to explore the Ruins. You can change items or softwares in the menus



- Task bar Elapsed time Content
- Information
- : Displays the contents of each menu.
 - : Display detailed information about the selected item.



In the item menu, you can change main weapons, sub weapons and usable items. You may exceed enemies by changing the weapons depending on the situation, and solve the difficult riddles by using items.

Main weapon : The main weapon that the player equips with. Sub weapon : The sub weapon that the player equips with. Usable Item : Items that you can select and use. Press the item button when you want to use them. Key : "Key" needed to unlock the seals. Four keys can be found. Image of Professor: The image changes depending on equipped weapons and got items.



Software menu

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	Capstar. exe RAM: 200MB	RAM:400MB	RAM: 400MB
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You can choose softwares that you want to launch from "Mobile Super X" in software menu.

You can launch more than one software at the same time unless the amount of memory is used exceeds the capacity. You can change the software as needed. You might also get an unexpected effect by a combination of softwares.

Software list : The list of softwares that are installed. Software can be bought in the shop. You might find unknown softwares hidden in the Ruins.

Memory space : Memory space of Mobile Super X. You can not launch the softwares exceeds it.

Software

Software can be gotten in and around the Ruins. You can install them on Mobile Super X. There are application, games and so on.



Configuration menu

Button Co	nfig	Keyboard		
GAME SETTING		-		
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Status		00		
Mask		MASK00		
Sound		Original	/ BGM 25 /	SE 35
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Language		English		
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INFORMATION Change cont				

In the configuration menu, you can change key assignment of your device, adjust the screen size, and control volume.



Controller setting	:	Change your controller settings. You can set the vibration
		function of the controller.
Screen	:	You can change screen size and ratio.
Status	:	You can adjust status bar position vertically.
Mask	:	You can change your wide-screen mask settings.
Sound	:	You can control volume of BGM and SE.
Language setting	:	You can change language.
Exit game option	:	Return to title screen.

Specific software menu

There are some softwares that add the specific menus to Mobile Super X when you launch them. You can operate them by switching tabs on the menu screen.

There are some specific software you can operate them by pressing the item buttonon on their screens.

Xelpud Mailer	: You can read the e-mails from Elder Xelpud when you launch this. Regrettably, you can not create any mails and reply.
TextTrax	: You can save the messages of the tablets, the bodies and characters.
Enga Musica	: You can listen the tunes are used in the game when you launch this. Press the confirm button to play them.
Mantra	: You can select a spell called "Mantra". But you can only select them that have been already deciphered. You can chant Mantra by a certain item.
Pause screen	: You can display the map when you launch Yagoo Map Reader. And, If you have "Holy Grail", press the item button to switch to the Holy Grail menu.

Saving a game



There are two ways to save the game in La-Mulana. "Quick-save" is done automatically when you touch the deciphered Holy Grail Tablet. If your game ends, you can continue from the the Holy Grail Tablet that you have touched last. You need an item named "Holy Grail" for saving a game. Once you quit the game, Quick-save file is deleted.

You can "Save" a game when you press the "Down arrow key" in front of the Holy Grail Tablet. Even if you quit the game, save file is not deleted.

You must "Save" your game before quitting the game.





Items

	Name	Description		Name	Description
MAIN	R Whip	The one and only weapon the professor brought with him. Is he a side use it or a side is used it?	SUB W	<i>O</i> Chakram	A weapon that returns after being thrown. Manage to catch it and you won't lose ammo. If you fail to catch it, yor hand will be badly injured.
WEAP	Chain Whip	A whip made with chains. Deals greater damage than a regular whip. Using this, you can capture Devil's Castle easily.	/EAPO	Caltrops	A weapon used by scattering it on the ground as you go. When enemies step on the scattered pieces, they take damage. When you step on them, you take damage in fact.
ON	Flail Whip	A whip made of chain attached to a steel ball. It boasts exceptional attack power. You need great strength because of heavier.	N	Pistol	The end-all in sub weapons, it has superior destructive power. Please don't ask "Is this weapon effective against legendary creatures?"
	Knife	Light and easy to use. Ideal for speedy attacks. Mistake to use this would lead you to cuts on your body.		Ankh Jewel	A jewel that can destroy the Ankh, in which Guardians sleep. There is possibility of being arrested for reselling it. Please do secretly.
	Key Sword	A sword whose center is shaped like a key. This is looks like useless. But please don't throw, and store it.		Buckler	A shield that can block bullets from small enemies. The new Buckler will arrive in the shop as soon as yor one because the shopkeeper have a good head for business.
	Axe	Swing down this axe to make mincemeat of foes. It is heavy and slows movement, but provides a wide attack range. Be sure to use it for wood chopping.		Silver Shield	A shield that can block bullets from strong enemies. It is said that is put under a spell, we can not deny the possibility of the placebo effect.
	Katana	A Japanese sword suited for slashing. Attacks from bottom up. However, double attack is impossible unfortunately because the sheath is lost.		Angel Shield	A shield that can block bullets from almost all enemies. It contains in an angel herself to gain the greatest aegis power. Please don't waste the sacrifice of her.
SUB V	Shuriken	Said to have been used by Japanese Ninja, they can be thrown one-after-another. This is not a starfish. I repeat, this is not a starfish.	USAB:	Hand Scanner	Small scanner used in conjunction with laptop. It can scan eveything except women's bodies.
VEAPO	Rolling Shuriken	A shuriken that rolls on the ground. It tears through enemies as it rolls. These have the minimum motors.	LE ITE	Djed Pillar	A relic that can manipulate spells. You can look it on an X-ray photograph.
N	Earth Spear	A spear made from a special metal. It can pierce through the ground, and spear-shaped light shoots down. Spears don't come back because Spears themselves are reckless.	M	Mini Doll	This is smaller compared with the professor's body. This seems someone's hand-made.
	Flare Gun	Shoot fireballs straight above after filling the tube with gunpowder. You should load a car with this.		9 Magatama Jewel	A jade for a certain rite. In Japan, we saw them in the stands twenty years ago.
	Bomb	The bomb's powerful blast sure does pack a punch. Careful though, as it will damage the professor as well. Professor will become smoked		Cog of the Soul	This looks like a part of machine. This are too small for road bike.

Name	Description		Name	Description
Lamp of Time	If you use, something happens! Just kidding.	ITEM	MobileSuperX	Adventurer's favorite tough laptop. Professor's partner.
Pochette Key	This is key-shaped. This might be broken with rough handling.		MobileSuperX2	An upgrade that blows away the Mobile Super X. This laptop has twice memory of Mobile Super X. There is no problem if you laounch a lot of software.
Dragon Bone	The cranial bones of mysterous creature. Are there any bones except a head.			Enables you to open the laptop menu under water. This is made of vinyl.
Crystal Skull	It is said that this has power to distort space. Are there also any parts except head?		Heatproof Case	You can open the menu in lava with this This is made of anodized aluminum.
Vessel	A vessel made of silver. It is useful when you feel thirsty.		Shell Horn	This plays a strange melody when you solve mysteries in the ruins. Of course, the flesh was eaten by someone.
Pepper	The perfect spice for meat dishes. It can also be used to dressing and Chinese fried rice.		Glove	Thick red gloves. Block-pushing speed increases.
Woman Statue	A woman-shaped doll. Does men have a weakness for a slender waist every age.		Holy Grail	Enables you to warp to the deciphered Holy Grail Tablet. This is not versatile. Be careful.
Key of Eternity	A staff with spiral decoration coiled around it. It is difficult to turn it.	-	Isis' Pendant	A pendant featuring a decoration of the Goddess Isis. It may be too heavy to wear.
Serpent Staff	A staff with a snake decoration coiled around it. It is a symbol of peace in the present age. What does this used for?		Crucifix	Crucifix that shine dimly. Protects against ghost attacks.
and the second s	A charm that someone is into the runis drops. It might come a day pass to the owner. Please treasure it.		Helmet	Keeps your head safe and sound. No more being washed away by the waterfall. This shape is not very well.
Diary	A keepsake of Professor's father. It might be better not to look at this because it may have recorded love affairs.		Grapple Claw	A tool said to have been used by Ninja. It is regrettable that this is not for attack
Mulana Talisman	Someone have it who know the mystery of the ruins. When you get it, your adventure may end soon.		Bronze Mirror	A mirror made of polished bronze. Is this used for anything ritual?

Items

	Name	Description		Name	Description
	Eye of Truth	A stone slate engraved with eye designs. Because this is a thin, please use this with care.	ITEM	Hermes' Boots	Footwear said to have been donned by a legendary hero. Increases walking speed. This is also Steel-toe boot. Very safe.
	Ring	Armor passed down by a weapons master. This is very useful. But if you sell it to the thrift shop, it will be bought for dirt cheap.		Fruit of Eden	Gold shaped into fruit. You can't eat this. It is not wise that sell this gold fruit though the market price of gold is rising.
	Scalesphere	A crystal ball in which a phantom fish dwells. Protects from water damage by eliminating the poison within the water. Please do not forget to give the bait.		Twin Statue	A stone statue of the legendary twins. It looks like a loving brothers. But nobody knows the fact.
	Gauntlet	Armor that is said to have belonged to the god of weapons. It is decorated with beautiful relief. Please do not throw it because it is too heavy.		Bracelet	Item with mysterious powers. This is very useful, too. However, this is no decoration, market price will be low.
	Treasure	Treasure collected through shady means. Owner does not know that its value is really low.		Perfume	Send the dead the underworld. If once you smell this, you may go to the other world.
-	Anchor	An anchor wrought from a rare stone. It is hard to carry it because it is small, but heavy.		Spaulder	Enhances your weapon. Please defeat enemies one after another with full of energy.
	Plane Model	A gold airplane model. This is expensive except archaeological value because this is pure gold.		Dimensional Key	A relic made from a strange material. If you have an impact on it, it may burst and spatter paint. With care.
	Philosopher's Ocarina	An ocarina chiseled from stone. If you play it, it will not be sounded. What purpose do you use for?		Ice Cape	With this frosty cloak fashioned from ice, even a dip in the lava will deal only minimal damage. Please prepared for frostbite.
	Feather	Offering from the Village of Departure. Offerings are often lost.	OTHE	Sacred Orb	Your strength increases just by having it. Nothing happens if you eat it.
	Book of the Dead	The papyrus is describing the journey to the afterlife. It is essential for a hamburger.	R	Map	Maps of the fields. Please don't spread the maps in goat's presence.
	Fairy Clothes	These duds have been infused with fairy power. It is not very cool, I think.		B	Ammo for a pistol. Very expensive. You may depend on it when you meet strong enemy, we think.
-	Scriptures	A book with spells that will slightly block evil powers. It had a strong force originally, but the exorcist who is previous owner had used most of it.		Weight	You need to solve the riddle. Though it is heavy, please carry your best because you need a lot.

	Name	Description		Name	Description
KEY	Origin Seal	A stone tablet with the writing that describes the beginning Lets you destroy the corresponding Wall Seal.	SOFT	Mantra	Software for saving ancient mantras. You can't save earthly desires.
	Birth Seal	A stone tablet with writing that describes the birth. Lets you destroy the corresponding Wall Seal.	WARE	Enga Musica	Ancient music software. You can listen the music freely. But you could go on with the game.
	Life Seal	A stone tablet with writing that describes life. Lets you destroy the corresponding Wall Seal.		Beo La-Mulana	Is Disc made from stone? If once you insert this into a disc drive , it is impossible to eject.
	Death Seal	A stone tablet with writing that describes the destruction. Lets you destroy the corresponding Wall Seal.		Death Village	NIGORO's first flash game. In this puzzler, you lead a man through a haunted house.
SOFT	Glyph Reader	Software that translates ancient writing. This is of a certain company in Tokyo make.		Rose and Camellia	NIGORO's second flash game. This fighting game has noble women laying the smack down, literally.
WARE	xelpud mailer	Software for delivering emails only from the Elder. There is no problem in narrowband internet connections because users can't attach files to e-mails.		Lonely House Moving	NIGORO's third flash game. An action game in which you must avoid dropping packages.
	Yagoo Map Reader	Software for displaying maps. Check the pause screen to view a map of the current field. Of course, this is useless without map.		Capster II	NIGORO's fourth flash game. Twist, turn and spin as you navigate your ship through a planet.
	Yagoo Map Street	An advanced version of the Yagoo Map software. The maker purchased a satellite to connect Yagoo Map Reader and this software. Surely, the maker's budget is in the red.		Mekuri Master	NIGORO's fifth flash game. This simple action game has you flipping up skirts.
	TextTrax	Text-saving software. Physical evidences will win everytime. You must save them shrewdly.		Bounce Shot	NIGORO's sixth flash game. Take out enemies with bouncing bullets in this shooting title.
-	Additional Text Memory	An upgrade for the TextTrax software. Doubles your text storage space. Please save texts to your heart's content.		Miracle Witch	NIGORO's eighth flash game. Conjure up magic to solve mysteries in this action-RPG.
	Snapshots	Analyzes murals displayed within the screen. "Can I substitute Glyph Reader for this?" you must not ask.		Future Development Company	NIGORO's seventh flash game. A game focused on problem-solving while developing an area.
	Guild	Software made by the shop guild within the ruins. It alerts you if there is a hidden shop on-screen. The storekeepers' expectations come across.		La-Mulana	NIGORO's first full-fledged game. You're playing it right nowl



Treasure chest

Objects

Talking about a ruin, the topic is the treasures. Their contents are useful items. Surely, you need solve the riddles to open them. If you do, treasure chest are unlocked. And, you hit them to appear the contents.

Pot



There are countless pots in the ruins. In fact, you can break them with your weapons. Then, coins, ammunitions of sub weapons, weights may turn up.

Shop



There are shops in most fields. Don't underestimate their stock because you can buy them with coins. You may buy a find. Especially, Shops on the surace sell essential items you explore the ruins.



Treasure

Talking about a ruin, the topic is the treasures. This contents are a lot of coin. You will have a little trouble in opening them.

The cover of weapon



The stone covers seal strong weapons. There is some risk in breaking the seal. If you hit them carelessly, retribution will overtake you.

Pit

Seemingly, this is the same as normal floor. But if you pass there, you will fall.

Spike



This give you a large damage when this stick through you. If you pass there horizontally, you will not recieve damage.



Retribution

Beware of this eyeball! Once you hit the wall in a room with this carelessly, lightning strikes you! Your life is reduced greatly. One of the most dangerous trap.



There are walls you can break with weapons. And, some floor collapses when you step on there.

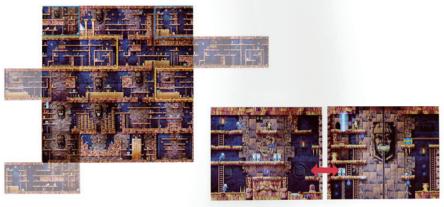


Block

You can push them. Something may happen when you push blocks to block pedestals.

Structure

Each fields in the ruins has 20 screens. Every side of each screens adjoins next screen horizontal and vertically. Shape of each fields is complicated. However, it can be arranged rectangle-shaped of 4 x 5 squares. If you keep this in mind, you will be easy to understand the structure of the field.



In case of Gate of Guidance, you can move to Pit of the Holy Grail from behind the bodies on Snake's Sanctuary.

The fields are partitioned a unit called room or view. Each of rooms or views has their name. Their names may be found at hint messages. You can learn a name of room or wiew, if you have map and Yagoo Map Reader. Be sure to see them.



Characters



Lemeza Kosugi

31 years old. 'Sansei' the third generation of Japanese-American.

An archaeologist who teaches at a University in U.S.From a grandfather's generation to an archaeologist and if an ancestor is followed, descendant of Japanese Ninjya warrior. Grown up in the ancestry, still leaning Ninjyutu at present time.

This Ninjyutsu seems so much helpful for his archaeological survey, as he is able to reach the deepest point of uncovered ruins and can live for days with no problem.

Thus, he is famous for his unbelievable ruins research, though is looked coldly by commonsensical academians. He is chagrined at that his father, also an archaeologist and they jostle each other for the research, take a big bite from the difference of experience. Never leave the adventurer's exclusive use laptop "Mobile-

SuperX". Although there is no disagreeable thing in particular, a favorite food is curry.

Shawn Kosugi

62 years old. 'Nisei' the second generation of Japanese-American. Known as an authority of anthropology and historiography, and is Lemeza's father. He is also bright at biology and astronomy as well.

He took over his father research theme 'Conditions for an ape to serve as people are not only evolution. ' and he quests for the the Anthropo-Origin. He disappeared after making a presentation exciting hypothesis, 'There is civilization used as the origin of whole the civilization. ' some years ago.

He is also trained as well as Professor Lemeza and doesn't seem like the age over 60 with trained body and excessive survival skill. A decline by age is compensated with the cunning strategy. It is too often that letting his son to research the same ruins and poaching the resultants.





Elder Xelpud

uncertain age.

The doyen of "The Clan See and end of Starting Journey" which guards La-Mulana Ruins.

Although protecting The La-Mulana Ruins according to the rule of the whole family who will continue in 5000 years or more, surprisingly broad-minded about except 'protecting La-Mulana Ruins' and incomparable high technology lover.

> Enjoying PC life even carrying out to power generation from great water fall of outskirts of a village. Very well known as a bleeding Mr PC on the net.

> On the other hand, the clan's goods are abundant, though the village is in deeper place of jungle.

> He, actually, is an ambitious person who is hoping to strike it rich secretly. Usually, only playing games.



Mulbruk

A girl keeps sleeping inside of the ruins.19 years old whom is said, in fact, keep sleeping for over 3000 years.

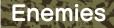
She is one of the clan of the Four Philosophers who are also keep living inside of the same ruins, and keeps her everlasting life by the way which is different from the Four Philosophers, because of the distinguished intuition she has from her childhood.

If you can release her from the dormancy, her wealth of knowledge about the ruins must be helpful.

However, she has trouble waking up because of the thousand years sleeping. Using her brain makes herself to be sleepy, and she may be sleeping on your visit.

She is still a teenager and curious about the trend of the present day.





Skeleton

Undead, a bones is dwelt by the soul. If they crumble under attack, but they will stagger to their feet soon.







Bomb Mouse If they find you, they will attack by exploding their own body.



A hybrid monster of a lion and an ant. They are harmless unless you get near.



A frog-shaped slime. They come out through the hole in the wall one after another. They are weak, but very disturbing.



Tog

Cat Sith

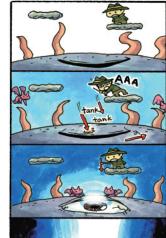
A cat balance himself on a ball. They are cute, but they hit the ball when you approach.





Bat

Bat fly in the Ruins. You will have much trouble unexpectedly because a lot of them inhabit everywhere.









Amphisbaena

A guardian have snakelike dual-head. It is impossible to escape from them because both of the heads attack at the same time.

Tips

When you start the game, a tent will be opened up the professor. You enter the tent, and the friendly elder push e-mail software to you forcibly. Besides, his mails are a little annoying. I suppose you don't want to read them in fact. However his mails may sometimes imply something important. So, you may want to read them with patience.

Then, you may go out of the tent and dash into the ruins at once, let's prepare for the adventure in Surface. You set a goal to collect coins and weights to buy Hand Scanner, Glyph Reader and Yagoo Map Reader in Surface. If you do not have enough coins, you will also collect them in the ruins. You can scan the information of the various things by Hand Scanner. Hand Scanner gives you the information about murals in addition to the messages of the tablets and the bodies.

Professor can jump large in addition to moving right and left and climb up and down ladders. The vertical jump is straight up from the standstill. You can move right and left in falling after the vertical jump. You can jump diagonally by press jump button while professor are moving. Height of the diagonal jump varies with time you hold down the jump button. Distance of jump varies with moving distance. So, it is difficult to control Professor. There are other types of jump. Please find them in the game.

You may find the softwares you can install on your laptop. Some are useful, some are useless. But there are no meaningless one. Only one software has no effect, however, to launch two softwares simultaneously, they may show the abilities beyond your imagination. you will get over difficult stages in the abilities. So that let us find the combinations.

Yagoo Map Reader + Yagoo Map Street	Display maps with more detailed information.
TextTrax + Additional Text Memory	Expand storage space of TextTrax.
Enga Musica + ?	Listen all tunes in the game.
Death Village + ?	Extend invincible time after you recieve damage.
Rose and Camellia + ?	Strengthen main weapons except whips.
Miracle Witch + ?	The fairy of treasure appear surely when you touch a tiny light.
Miracle Witch + ?	The fairy of key appear surely when you touch a tiny light.
Miracle Witch + ?	The fairy of weapon appear surely when you touch a tiny light.
Lonely House Moving + ?	You can revive only once when you killed.
? + ?	Shorten time fairies return.
? + ?	Strengthen whips.
? + ?	You can read hidden developers' messages.
?	You can warp to alternate fields.

Postscript

We are engaged in the game for long time.

In an amateur period, we were regarded highly because of releasing this game. When we had turned professional, we concluded smoothly that remaking this game as first work was the best way. Remaking this took two years to complete. One year have passed since releasing WiiWare version in Japan. Remake version for PC have been released at last. La-Mulana returned to PC after long time.

We have not succeeded as indies game developer yet. It is only this game that we entrust our fate, We think. Then, We developed thin game in the best to be evaluated long. Now, we entrust our fate to La-Mulana.

That apart, the pleasures of the making games is listening players' impressions---well players' screams. When we were young, we would often read that game developers said, "I 'm glad to listen players' impressions." About that, we thoght "Don't give a high-sounding talk!" But something we feel in same place as them is "exciting" rather than "gladness".

That is like playing the game with players. No wonder it's exciting.So, we will play La-Mulana with everyone from now on. We will be engaged in the game for very long time.

