

INSTRUCTION MANUAL FOR



GAMESAVES™

For use with the Xbox®
Game Console

XBOX GAMESAVES MANUAL

INTRODUCTION

Congratulations! You have purchased the ultimate game enhancer for the Xbox® that will provide you with everything that you need to beat the game and manage your game saves!! To get the most out of your XBOX GameSaves, please visit us at www.gameshark.com to register your XBOX GameSaves and receive all of the benefits of being a member and to get all of the hottest saves for the latest games!!!

XBOX GameSaves allows you to download the coolest game saves available for your games from the dedicated website, www.gameshark.com, allowing you to unlock levels, have tons of cash, and unlock secret characters.

XBOX GameSaves lets you back-up all the saves you have on your XBOX Memory Units to your PC, meaning you can free up valuable space on your XBOX Memory Units! You can also delete any saves you no longer require at the click of a mouse button.

1) GETTING STARTED

a) Requirements

To use XBOX GameSaves you must have a PC running Windows 98SE or above. It is advisable to have over 300MB of disk space free for storing the saved games you transfer from your XBOX Memory Unit(s). You will need a CD-ROM drive and one free USB port.

A PC modem and account with an Internet service provider (ISP) or a dial-up Internet connection is required to use XBOX GameSaves online features.

b) Setting up XBOX GameSaves for the First Time

1. Insert the XBOX GameSaves disc into the CD drive of your PC and close the drawer.
2. After a few seconds, the installation launch panel will appear. If the launch panel does not automatically appear, double-click on the My Computer Icon, then double-click on the CD-ROM icon, and lastly double-click on the SETUP.EXE file to bring up the launch panel.
3. Follow the onscreen prompts to install XBOX GameSaves onto your PC.

c) Connecting the Supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable

1. Connect an XBOX Memory Unit to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. Insert the USB plug end of the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable into a spare USB socket usually located at the back of your PC.
3. Windows will now ask you for a path to install the required USB drivers. The USB drivers can be found on the XBOX GameSaves CD inside the 'FireLink Drivers' folder.

d) Starting-up the XBOX GameSaves Interface

1. Make sure you have the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable correctly connected to a spare USB socket on your PC.
2. Also make sure you have an XBOX Memory Unit connected to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.

3. Double-click the XBOX GameSaves icon on your PC.

2) AN OVERVIEW OF XBOX GAMESAVES INTERFACE

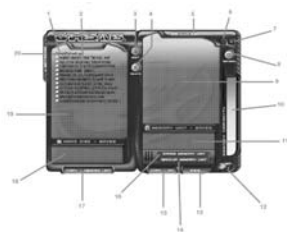
When you first start your XBOX GameSaves software, you will be presented with an interface consisting of two different panels as shown below. Details of each panel and its functions are explained in more detail below:

a) PC Panel

This is the left panel that displays all the Saves stored on your PC. The Saves are stored in Group Folders so the user can manage their own Saves by simply grouping them together. Saves can also be copied or moved into different Group Folders within the PC Panel.

b) Memory Unit Panel

This is the Panel on the right and displays saves, which are stored on the XBOX Memory Unit that is attached to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.



- 1. Group Folder** - These are the folders that contain the saves stored on the PC.
- 2. Saves** - These are the actual save files that are stored on the PC.
- 3. Edit** - This button allows you to Edit the Game name and Save Descriptions of the saves stored on the PC or XBOX Memory Unit.
- 4. Delete** - This button will delete any highlighted Game Save.
- 5. Status** - This button shows useful information about the number of saves stored on the PC and properties of the currently connected XBOX Memory Unit such as number of blocks free and the number of saves it currently stores.
- 6. Minimize** - This button minimizes the XBOX GameSaves application into your Task bar.
- 7. Off** - This button closes the XBOX GameSaves application.
- 8. Refresh** - Refreshes the Memory Unit Panel displaying the contents of the currently connected XBOX Memory Unit.
- 9. Memory Unit Panel** - This panel displays all the saves that are currently stored on the XBOX Memory Unit attached to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
- 10. Memory Unit Capacity Bar** - This bar shows how much free space is available on the connected XBOX Memory Unit.
- 11. Memory Unit Save Information Panel** - This box displays useful save information for selected save stored on the - connected XBOX Memory Unit.

- 12. GameShark Icon** - This brings up Build and version information.
- 13. WWW** - This button will open up the XBOX saves page of www.gameshark.com.
- 14. Back up Memory Unit** - This button copies the entire contents of the connected XBOX Memory Unit to the PC.
- 15. Copy -> PC** - This button copies highlighted saves from the Memory Unit Panel to the PC.
- 16. Erase Memory Unit** - This button erases the entire contents of the connected XBOX Memory Unit.
- 17. Copy -> Memory Unit** - This button copies highlighted saves from the PC to the connected XBOX Memory Unit.
- 18. PC Panel Save Information Panel** - Displays Save information for currently selected save in the PC Panel.
- 19. PC Panel** - This panel displays all the saves you have stored on the PC.
- 20. Network** - Opens the Internet Connection Panel, used to connect to the XBOX section of GameShark website to find new saves.

3) MANAGING SAVES ON THE PC

XBOX GameSaves allows you to store and manage all your XBOX GameSaves on your PC. You can quickly and easily copy, delete and backup game saves from your XBOX Memory Units.

You can then rename and add Save Descriptions to help you compile your own collection of game saves stored on your PC that can be quickly transferred back to your XBOX Memory Units for use at any time.

The following sections explain XBOX GameSaves numerous functions and capabilities in detail so you can begin to manage your game saves right away.

a) Group Folders

On the PC Panel, all the saves are stored in Group Folders, which are designed to make it easier for you to manage the GameSaves stored on your PC. E.g. you could have a Group Folder named 'Game X' and only store saves for 'Game X' inside.

You can open and close the Group Folders by simply double-clicking on them to show or hide the saves stored inside them.

b) Creating Group Folders

To create a new Group Folder simply double-click left button while the mouse cursor is in any blank space within the PC Panel. A dialogue box will appear allowing you to enter a name for a new Group Folder.

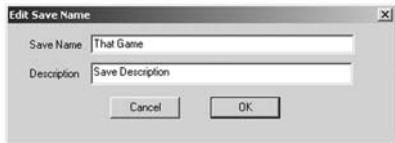
c) Editing Group Folder Names

To edit a Group Folder name, simply use the mouse to highlight a Group Folder then click on the 'EDIT' button. A dialogue box will appear allowing you to edit the Group Folder name.

d) Editing Game Save Information

When you highlight a game save in the PC Panel, useful information is displayed in the Information box below such as file size, save name, save description and game name.

XBOX GameSaves allows you to add or edit this information so you can identify each Game Save more easily. This is a useful function and allows you to distinguish between two saves for the same game. It also allows you to add a brief Save Description to help identify each save, for example you could enter a Save Description such as "level 5 Unlocked with all weapons"



Follow the steps below to edit the Save Name and Save Description.

1. Use the mouse to click and highlight the Game Save you wish to edit.
2. Now use the mouse to click on the "Edit" button. Double-clicking the selected Game Save also performs this same action.
3. The **"Edit Save Name"** dialog box as shown above will now appear.
4. Enter what you want to call the save in the "Save Name" box.
5. You can also enter a short description of the save in the "Description" box. This will help you distinguish between your saves.
6. Once you are happy with your save name and description, click "OK".

e) Deleting Saves Stored on the PC

Once you have deleted a save file it cannot be recovered! Please use this function with caution, especially if you don't have a backup of your saves.

To delete saves from the PC Panel, simply use the mouse to highlight the save you wish to delete and press the 'DELETE' key on your keyboard or use the mouse and click the 'Delete' button.

TIP

To delete more than one save at a time, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the saves you want to delete. Now when you delete, all the highlighted saves will be deleted together.

4) MANAGING SAVES ON YOUR XBOX MEMORY UNITS

XBOX GameSaves has several functions that allow you to keep your XBOX Memory Units in good order.

You can back-up & delete individual saves from your XBOX Memory Units and even perform a full erase function.

Before you can use any of these functions you will need to know how to view the saves stored on your XBOX Memory Unit within the XBOX GameSaves interface.

a) Viewing Saves Stored on XBOX Memory Units

Follow the simple steps below to learn how to view the saves stored on your XBOX Memory Units with the XBOX GameSaves interface:

1. Make sure you already have XBOX GameSaves running on your PC before continuing (refer to the Getting Started section).
2. Attach the XBOX Memory Unit you wish to view to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.

3. A progress bar will appear, as the Memory Unit Panel starts to show what saves are stored on the XBOX Memory Unit.
4. If no progress bar appears, use the mouse to click the 'Refresh' button, this will refresh all Panels and you should now see the saves that are stored on your XBOX Memory Unit.

b) Making Backups of your XBOX Memory Unit

You can use XBOX GameSaves to make a backup of your entire XBOX Memory Unit. Follow the steps below:

1. Attach the XBOX Memory Unit you wish to backup to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear as the Memory Unit Panel starts to show what saves are stored on the XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Use the mouse to click on the "**Back-up Memory Unit**" button.
4. A "**Save As**" dialogue box will appear, asking you what you want to call the save directory. A default directory will already be set up. If you want to call the directory something different to the default name, type in what you want to save as.
5. Use the mouse to click "**Save**".
6. A progress bar will appear while the XBOX Memory Unit is backed up to PC.
7. Once the progress bar closes, your XBOX Memory Unit will now be backed up in the location you specified.

c) Deleting Saves on your XBOX Memory Units

Once you have deleted a save file it cannot be recovered! Please use this function with caution, especially if you don't have a backup of your saves. See the section above for details of how to backup.

Follow the steps below to delete your saves:

1. Attach the XBOX Memory Unit that contains the saves you want to delete to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear as the Memory Unit Panel starts to show what saves are stored on the connected XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Once the progress bar is complete, use the mouse click on a save that you wish to delete from Memory Unit Panel (right panel).
4. To delete the save either press the "**Delete**" button on your keyboard or use the mouse to click the "**Delete**" button on the XBOX GameSaves interface.
5. A message box will appear asking "**Delete Save(s)?**"
6. If you wish to delete the save click "**OK**" and the save will now be deleted.
7. If you do not wish to delete the save click "**Cancel**" and you will return to the XBOX GameSaves interface.

To delete more than one save at a time, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the saves you want to delete. Now when you delete, all the highlighted saves will be deleted together.

If you want to delete all the saves off your XBOX Memory Unit, simply use your mouse to click the '**ERASE MEMORY UNIT**' button.

PLEASE NOTE: All saves which are deleted from your XBOX Memory Unit will be lost forever, so make sure you want to do so or make a backup on your PC.

5) COPYING SAVES FROM XBOX TO PC

XBOX GameSaves can only copy saves from an XBOX Memory Unit, not the XBOX hard drive. If there are any saves on your XBOX hard drive that you wish to copy to PC, please copy them to an XBOX Memory Unit first. Refer to your XBOX manual for details of how to do this.

There are two ways to copy saves from an XBOX Memory Unit to the PC. These are both described below:

a) Copying saves using the Copy -> PC button

1. Attach the XBOX Memory Unit that contains the saves you want to copy, to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear as the Memory Unit panel starts to show what saves are on the XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Once the progress bar is complete, you can begin to highlight the saves you want to copy to the PC. Simply put your mouse cursor over a save on the Memory Unit Panel (Right panel) and click on it. The save will now be highlighted.
4. Use the mouse to click the **Copy -> PC** button.
5. A "**Save As**" dialogue box will appear, asking you what you want to call the save directory. A default directory will already be set up. If you want to call the directory something different to the default name, type in what you want to save as.
6. Use the mouse to click "**Save**".
7. The saves will now be transferred to the PC, saved in the directory you have just created. The original save will still be on the XBOX Memory Unit.

Tip

To transfer more than one game at a time between panels, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the games you want to transfer. All the games will be highlighted. Now simply press the **Copy -> PC button** and all the highlighted saves will be transferred.

b) Copying saves using the "Drag and Drop" method

1. Attach the XBOX Memory Unit that contains the saves you want to copy, to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear as the Memory Unit Panel starts to display what saves are stored on the XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Once the progress bar is complete, use the mouse to highlight the save you wish to copy from the Memory Unit Panel.
4. With the mouse cursor over the selected save, press and hold down the left mouse button and simply drag the save onto to the desired Group Folder on the PC Panel.
5. Release the left mouse button and the save will be copied to your chosen Group Folder. A progress bar will appear while the save is being transferred.
6. The save will now be transferred to the PC saved in the directory you have just created. The original save will still be on the XBOX Memory Unit.

Tip

To transfer more than one game at a time between panels, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the games you want to transfer. All the games will be highlighted. Now simply press and hold the left mouse button down whilst the cursor is over a highlighted save and "drag" the saves to the PC panel (Left). All the saves will be transferred.

6) COPYING SAVES FROM PC TO XBOX

XBOX GameSaves can only copy saves from PC to an XBOX Memory Unit, not the XBOX hard drive. If you wish to copy saves to your XBOX hard drive, please copy them to an XBOX Memory Unit first. You will then have to copy the saves from your XBOX Memory Unit to the XBOX hard drive, refer to your XBOX manual for details of how to do this.

There are two ways to copy saves from an XBOX Memory Unit to the PC. These are both described below:

a) Copying saves using the Copy -> Memory Unit button

1. Attach an XBOX Memory Unit that has enough free space to store the saves you want to copy to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear as the Memory Unit Panel starts to show what saves are on the XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Once the progress bar is complete, you can begin to highlight the saves you want to copy from the PC to the XBOX Memory Unit. Simply put your mouse cursor over a save in the left hand panel and click on it. The save will now be highlighted.
4. Use the mouse to click the '**Copy -> Memory Unit**' button.
5. A progress bar will now appear while the save is being transferred to the XBOX Memory Unit.
6. Once the transfer is complete, the progress bar will close and your saves will now be on the XBOX Memory Unit.

Top Tip

To transfer more than one game at a time between panels, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the games you want to transfer. All the games will be highlighted. Now simply press the Copy -> Memory Unit button and all the saves will be transferred.

b) Copying saves using the "Drag and Drop" method

1. Attach an XBOX Memory Unit that has enough free space to store the saves you want to copy, to the supplied USB PC to XBOX Memory Unit Cable.
2. A progress bar will appear, as the Memory Unit Panel starts to show what saves are on the connected XBOX Memory Unit.
3. Once the progress bar is complete, use the mouse to highlight the save you wish to copy from the PC Panel.
4. With the mouse cursor over the selected save, press and hold down the left mouse button and simply drag the save into the Memory Unit Panel (Right panel).
5. Release the left mouse button and the save will be copied to your XBOX Memory Unit. A progress bar will appear while the save is being transferred.
6. Once the transfer is complete, the progress bar will close and your save will now be on the XBOX Memory Unit. The original save will still be on your PC.

Tip

To transfer more than one game at a time between panels, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the games you want to transfer. All the games will be highlighted. Now simply press and hold the left mouse button down whilst the cursor is over the highlighted saves and "drag" them into the Memory Unit Panel. All the saves will be transferred.

7) DOWNLOAD THE LATEST GAME SAVES AND CHEATS

If you have Internet access on your PC, XBOX Game Saves can connect directly to our dedicated XBOX site, allowing you to download the latest and hottest XBOX GameSaves available. Viewing and downloading XBOX saves from the GameShark website server has never been so easy. You can search for the saves you want using XBOX GameSaves advanced Internet Search function.

a) Accessing the Internet Connection for the First Time

When you first select the 'Internet Connection' button that is located on the left side of the PC Panel, a dialogue box will appear asking you for a Username, Password and a Product Key.



Once you have entered your details and Product Key, the Internet Panel will slide out to the left.

b) Internet Connection Panel Overview

The Internet Panel looks like this:

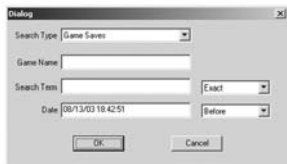


- 1. Internet Panel** - This panel displays the results of your search.
- 2. Close** - This button will close the Internet Panel.
- 3. Search Icon** - Clicking this icon will allow you to search www.gameshark.com database of XBOX saves.
- 4. Configure** - Allows you change your User Name, Password and Product Key details.

5. Internet Panel Saves Information Panel - This box shows the game name and save description of a highlighted save.

c) The Search Function

Follow the steps below to learn how to search for new saves and cheats using XBOX GameSaves online search function:



1. Use the mouse to click on the Search Icon in the bottom right of the Internet Panel, a search dialog box will appear as shown above.
2. Enter the name of the game you want to search for in the "Game Name" box: i.e. "Splinter Cell™".
3. Use the mouse to click on 'OK' and XBOX GameSaves will now perform an online search for your game name on the XBOX GameShark server.
4. Search results will be displayed in the Internet Panel. If you do not find what you are after, you may want to make a more advanced search (see Advanced Searches below).
5. Remember you can use the mouse to highlight any of the files listed from the search results displayed on the Internet Panel to view extra information such as save descriptions, file size, and dates created.

d) Advanced Searches

Simply read the following information below to learn how to perform advanced searches.

The "**Search Term**" option allows you to search for certain terms such as "Unlimited", the dropdown box gives you different options of how your entered search term is used, these are explained below:

1. **Exact** - This search will only return results that match exactly with your search term. This option will return the least results.
2. **Fuzzy** - The search will return results that are similar, but not exactly the same as the search term you entered. This option will return the most results, and is the best option if you are unsure of a game save name.
3. **Contains** - The search will return results that contain one or more of the words in your Search Term. This option is also a good option if you are unsure of a game save name.

The "**Date**" option allows you to search for Saves or Cheats by date. Simply enter a date in the "Date" box (it will currently display today's date/time), the dropdown box gives you different options of how you can search the date, these are explained below:

- 1. Before** - The search will return saves that were uploaded to the GameShark server before the date you have entered.
- 2. After** - The search will return saves that were uploaded to the GameShark server after the date you have entered.
- 3. On** - The search will return saves that were uploaded to the GameShark server on the exact day you have entered.

e) Downloading Game Saves from the Internet Panel

The game saves displayed on the Internet Connection Panel are on GameShark's servers; to use them you will have to download them to an XBOX Memory Unit or the PC. Downloading these files is as simple as copying a save to and from the PC and XBOX Memory Unit

To download files from the Internet Panel, simply move the mouse cursor over your chosen Game Save, press and hold the left mouse button and "drag" the file from the Internet Panel into the location where you wish to save it.

TOP TIP

Download the files to your PC first as this will mean that any Save Descriptions or extra file information will stay intact; you can always copy it to your XBOX Memory Unit later. And this will also mean you will always have a backup on your PC.

To download more than one file at a time, simply hold down the "Ctrl" button on your keyboard while selecting the files you want to download. All the files will be highlighted. Now simply hold the mouse button down while the cursor is over one of your highlighted files to 'Drag' them where you want.

f) Browsing for saves on www.gameshark.com and downloading

Alternatively you can just browse the GameShark website at www.gameshark.com for the latest saves, game reviews and information. Simply use your mouse and click the 'WWW' button found at the bottom of the Memory Unit Panel.

8) FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: I have copied a file across from my PC to my XBOX Memory Unit, but it does not appear to be there. Why is this?

A: Try clicking the "Refresh" button with your mouse. This will refresh the Memory Unit Panel, and your save should show up.

Q: When I try and copy saves from my XBOX hard drive to an XBOX Memory Unit, there is no copy function, why is this?

A: Unfortunately this is due to the game itself. Some games will not allow saves to be copied from the XBOX hard drive.

Q: I plugged in my memory unit and it was blank, why is this?

A: Plug your memory unit into your XBOX controller and check there are saves present. If there are saves present, it could be possible that your memory unit is not compatible with XBOX GameSaves. We cannot guarantee full compatibility with all third party memory units, XBOX GameSaves supports official XBOX memory units and Mad Catz XBOX Memory Units.

9) CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Please refer to the Frequently Asked Questions in the previous section before contacting our customer service department.

If you still cannot resolve the problem, please contact us as follows:

Phone: (619) 683-2815

E-Mail: support@gameshark.com

World Wide Web: <http://www.gameshark.com>

Mailing Address:

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Warranty Information

To obtain warranty service within the warranty period:

IN THE USA: Return product to the place of purchase or send the defective item postage prepaid with a copy of the sales receipt, return address and a brief description of the problems you are experiencing to the above address.

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