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User Manual

Attack of the Kitty Loaf

Background:

Oh no! The Kitty Toaster has gone berserk and is spitting out Kitty Toast at a rapid rate! However, the Kitty Toast tastes excellent with Magic Butter, so it would be a shame to waste all those loaves. Together with your Magic Butter squeeze bottle, you go on a “quest” to butter as many slices as you can!

Objective:

You must use your Magic Butter squeeze bottle and fire globs of Magic Butter at the slices of Kitty Toast that the Kitty Toaster fires at you. You must not let the Kitty Toast fall butter-less onto the plates at all costs—they won't taste as good! Also, watch out for the burnt Kitty Toast—if you butter it, you'll have to eat it (and get a sick stomach)! Keep an eye out for the special Strawberry Kitty Toast too—those give you a special bonus!

Rules:

Use your mouse to steer your squeeze bottle. Once you have aimed correctly, click your mouse to fire. Be careful though, as you will need to anticipate where the bread falls and the speed at which it is falling.

It is a relatively simple game, but there are a few factors that can make it tricky:

- Multiple slices are falling at the same time. The more slices you hit, the more vitamins (points) you get.
- Vitamins are very important in the game, because the amount of vitamins you get determines health. Because you can't perform daily activities without vitamins, once you run out, the game is over.
- Because Magic Butter is hard to come by in supermarkets, you are only given a limited amount during each level. It is essential that you

do not waste any! Once you run out, the game is over. The amount of Magic Butter you have remaining is displayed by the little Butter Bar on the screen.

- Throughout the game, there are random burnt pieces of toast scattered in between the falling slices that you must not hit with butter. Burnt toast does not taste good with magic butter, and makes you fatally ill. Thus, in addition to losing 100 vitamins, you lose a life every time you hit a piece of burnt toast with magic butter.
- You win the game when no more toast drops from the sky and you still have vitamins and butter left. The game is over when you have hit too many burnt toast slices with butter (i.e., run out of lives), or when you have run out of Magic Butter.

Scoring:

- +100 vitamins for each slice of strawberry Kitty Toast you butter
- +10 vitamin for each slice of Kitty Toast you butter
- -100 vitamins for each slice of burnt Kitty Toast you butter
- -1 life for each slice of burnt Kitty Toast you butter

Mouse:

Left mouse button	Fires the butter onto the toast
Moving mouse left	Moves the squeeze bottle left
Moving mouse right	Moves the squeeze bottle right

Menus:

File >

New	Starts a new game
Quit	Quit the game

Sound >

Sound on	Turns the music on
Sound off	Turns the music off

Help >

View Help File	Allows you to open the help document
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Game Screen:

Kitty Toaster	Spits out the special yummy Kitty Toast at you.
Kitty Toast	Drops down from the sky. Fire these with butter to get more vitamins.
Strawberry Kitty Toast	Pink colored Kitty Toast. Fire these with butter to get extra vitamins.
Burnt Kitty Toast	Dark brown colored Kitty Toast. Lose a life if you hit these slices.
Toast Total	The total number of toast in the level.
Toast Dropped	The total number of toast already dropped in the level.
Magic Butter	Shoot this at the Kitty Loaf to make a yummy meal! The game ends if you run out, so conserve!
Butter Squeeze Bottle	Shoots Magic Butter at the Kitty Toast. This is your weapon.
Vitamins	Shows how many vitamins you have earned thus far. If this number goes below zero, the game is over!
Lives Remaining	Shows the number of lives you have left in the game. If you run out of lives, the game is over!
Butter Meter	Displays the amount of Magic Butter (number of squirts) you have left in the squeeze bottle. When this number reaches zero, the game is over!

