

REFERENCE CARD

The Mines of Qyntárr -- MS-DOS Version

Function Keys:

The ten function keys [F1] through [F10] can be used to speed up the typing of common game commands as defined in the list below. Note that any command followed by an asterisk (*) in this list will be executed as soon as the appropriate function key is pressed. Commands not followed by an asterisk will be typed as shown here, then the game will wait for you to complete them and press **[ENTER]**.

[F1] -- Save

[F2] -- Restore

[F3] -- Wear the

[F4] -- Remove the

[F5] -- Drop all.*

[F6] -- Again.*

[F7] -- Take all.*

[F8] -- Inventory.*

[F9] -- Examine the

[F10] -- Look around.*

The ESCape Key:

Pressing **[ESC]** will cause the Quit command to be typed, but not executed. Press **[ENTER]** if you wish to execute the Quit command to leave the game. If you press **[ESC]** and **[ENTER]**, then change your mind, you may still cancel execution by pressing **[N]** when asked if you want to quit.

The Numeric Keypad:

The numeric keypad may be used as a "super shorthand" method of entering movement commands. Think of the keypad as representing the cardinal points in conventional mapmaking: **[8]** is "north," **[6]** is "east," **[1]** is "southwest," and so on. "Up" and "Down" can also be entered with the keypad: **[0]** (or **[INS]**) enters "Go up," and **[.]** (or **[DEL]**) enters "Go down." Keypad direction commands are executed as soon as a key is pressed.

A little experimentation will quickly make the use of the keypad clear to you.

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Floppy Drive Use:

To play *The Mines of Qyntárr* with a floppy drive system:

1. Start DOS on your computer.
2. Make sure your computer screen displays the prompt for Drive A.
3. Insert the Boot Disk in Drive A:.
4. Type **MOQ** then press **[ENTER]**.
5. If you have a CGA card (or equivalent), you will be asked if you want the screen display to be in color. Type **Y** if you do, **N** if you don't.
6. When prompted, remove the Boot Disk from Drive A: and insert the Game Disk.

You may now begin play as described in the Player's Guide and on the reverse side of this Reference Card.

Hard Disk Use:

The Mines of Qyntárr can be copied to and played from your computer's hard disk drive. Follow the steps listed below to copy the game to hard disk Drive C:.

1. Make sure your computer screen displays the prompt for the hard drive.
2. Type **MKDIR \MOQ** then press **[ENTER]**.
3. Type **MKDIR \MOQ\GAMEDIR** then press **[ENTER]**.
4. Type **CD \MOQ** then press **[ENTER]**.
5. Insert the Boot Disk in Drive A:.
6. Type **COPY A:MOQ.COM** then press **[ENTER]**. When copying is complete, remove the Boot Disk from Drive A:.
7. Type **CD \MOQ\GAMEDIR** then press **[ENTER]**.
8. Place the Game Disk in Drive A:.
9. Type **COPY A:\GAMEDIR*.*** then press **[ENTER]**. Wait for copying to be completed. *This process can take several minutes, depending on your computer system.*

Once these nine steps are completed, enter **CD \MOQ** to access the **\MOQ** directory. To start game play, enter **MOQ**.

When necessary, you may remove the game from your hard drive by deleting all files from the **\MOQ** and **\MOQ\GAMEDIR** directories, then using the **RMDIR** command to remove the directories. See your DOS manual for details.