



SILENT THUNDER

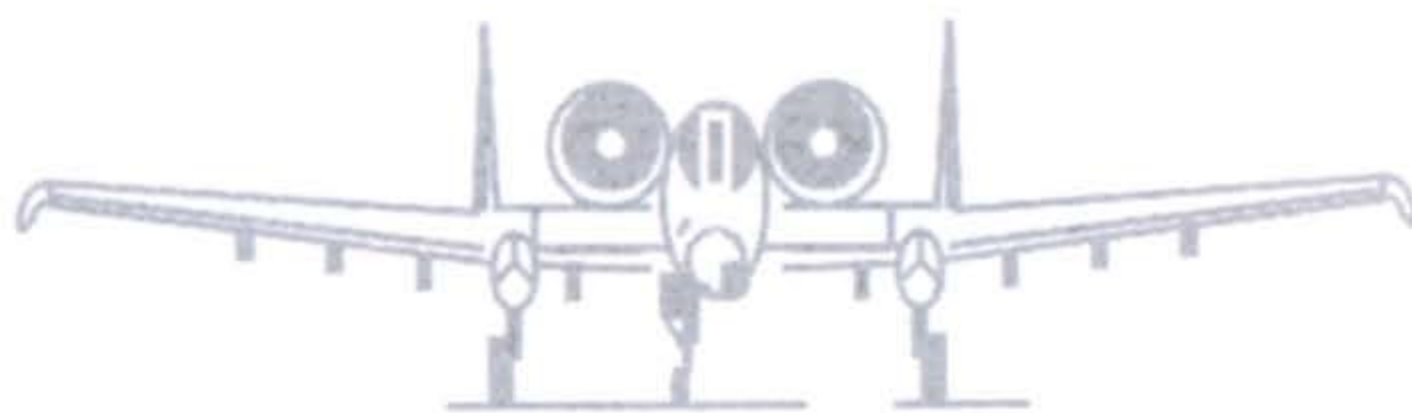
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Silent Thunder Installation Guide



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About This Manual

Welcome to the *Silent Thunder* Installation Guide. This booklet tells you how to get the game installed and running.

For fast look-up of game commands, see the **Quick Reference Card**.

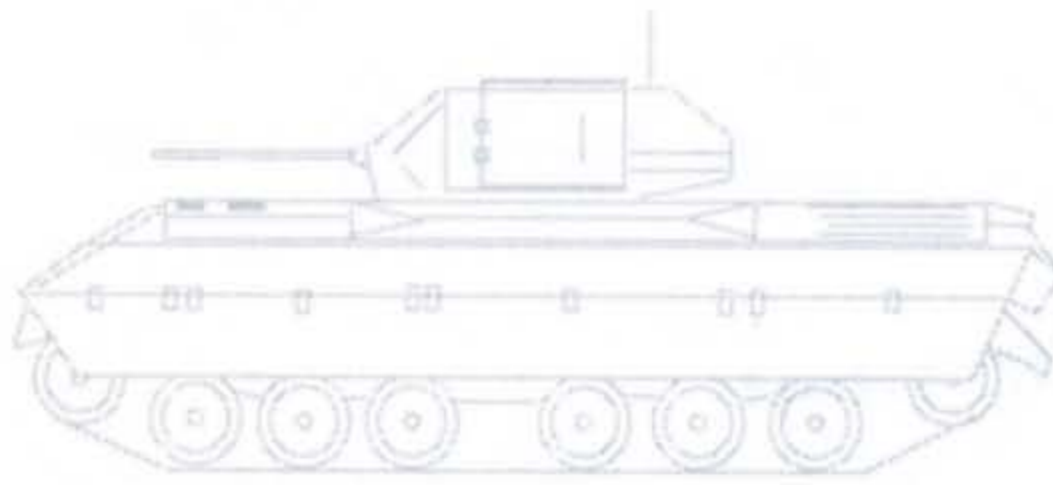
For detailed game play information, start the game and open the **On-Line Manual**. This built-in help system is available before and after missions, and provides all the information you need. To open the On-Line Manual, press the ? key or click the ? button.

In Windows 95, **joysticks** are configured in the Control Panel. For help with joysticks in Windows 3.1, see the README file.

Installing and Starting the Game

Installing the Game – Windows 95

1. Start Windows 95.
2. Insert the *Silent Thunder* CD into the CD-ROM drive.
3. When the *Silent Thunder* setup screen appears, follow the on-screen instructions.



Starting the Game – Windows 95

1. Start Windows 95.
2. Insert the *Silent Thunder* CD into the CD-ROM drive.
3. Select the Start Game option when it appears.

Installing the Game – Windows 3.1

1. Start Windows 3.1.
2. Insert the *Silent Thunder* CD into the CD-ROM drive.
3. From the Program Manager FILE menu, select RUN.
4. In the RUN window, type **d:\setup** and press [Enter] (assuming **d** is your CD-ROM drive name).
5. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Starting the Game – Windows 3.1

1. Start Windows 3.1.
2. Insert the *Silent Thunder* CD into the CD-ROM drive.
3. Open the Sierra Program Group.

4. Double-click on the *Silent Thunder* icon to start the game.

Additional Setup Help

During installation, TEST SYSTEM checks to make sure your computer can run the game correctly.

If you have trouble installing or starting *Silent Thunder*, open the *Silent Thunder* README file in the Sierra folder or on the CD.

After game installation, the “Setup” program in the Sierra program group or folder lets you re-install the game, re-test your computer, uninstall the game, register, or view detailed Support and Setup Help information. To start it, just double-click on the Setup icon.

Troubleshooting

Error Messages

General Protection Fault: Try updating both your Windows Video Driver and your Windows Sound Card drivers. Contact your video card and sound card manufacturer for more information.

Not Enough Memory to Run This Application: Try closing all other programs or screen savers before launching *Silent Thunder*.

Other Problems

If you have already looked at the *Silent Thunder* README file, check out the on-line Setup Help. To open this, double-click on the “Setup” program in the Sierra program group or folder. Click SUPPORT, and then CONTENTS to find help on your specific system component or problem.

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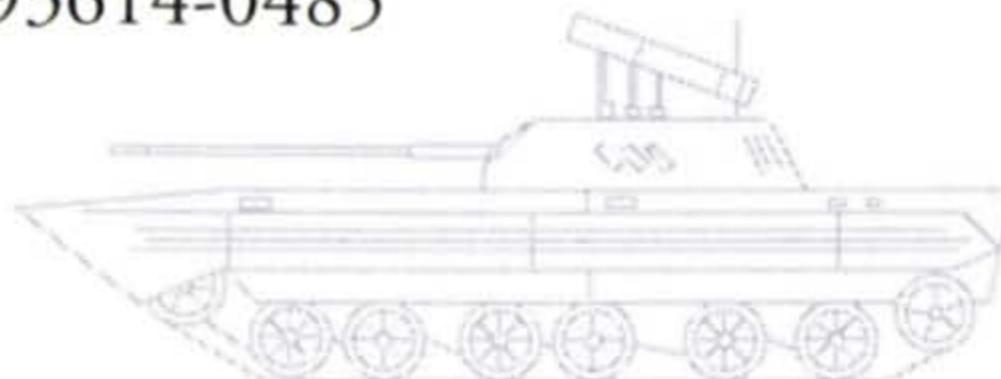
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