Compatible with PlayStation® and PlayStation®2, Microsoft® XBOX™ and Microsoft® Windows® 2000 or Microsoft® Windows® XP

Impact Arcade

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Thank you for purchasing the Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platform.
Please be sure to read this manual carefully before using your platform.

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Usage & Health Policy

Please read the following precautions before using the Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platform.

Your Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platform is a high-quality product, designed for heavy use on all available difficulty levels of dance games. Maintenance or opening of the platform is, under normal circumstances, required only once a year. If malfunctions occur, you have the possibility to open the dance platform for cleaning or repairing under attention of the indications of this manual. All components are designed to be changed without the requirement of any special tools. We nevertheless strongly advice assistance from a professional technician if you are unsure about anything technical. Positive Gaming is not liable for any damages on the product or health injuries, occurred by opening, repairing or modifying the product.

- The dance platform is only for indoor use. Keep it away from open flames or other heat sources.
- Do not use the dance platform on wet, uneven or slippery surfaces.
- Do not expose the platform to temperatures exceeding 50 degrees Celsius (122 degrees Fahrenheit).
- Do not expose the platform to direct sun light.
- When two dance platforms are used to play in double mode, it is recommended to connect them together, using the supplied platform-merger brackets.
- Do not use the dance platform if damaged in any way.
- Use only the provided or other high-quality tools to work on the dance platform.
- If unplugging an electrical connector inside the platform is necessary, always use flat pliers to connect or disconnect any plugs to avoid injuries.
- Clean the dance platform only with a moist cloth. Do not use your dance platform before it is completely dry.
- It is strongly recommended to only use the dance platform in sport shoes. Playing barefoot or with socks may cause the player to slip and fall.
- Small children should only use the dance platform under adult supervision.
- Store the dance platform in a dry and cool place. Store it only vertical or horizontal to avoid damage.
- Remove the dance platform from playing areas when not in use to avoid injuries.
- Take frequent rest periods.

- Do not use the dance platform if you have heart, respiratory, foot injuries or any physical impairment that may limit your physical activity.
- If you experience any physical discomfort pain or have doubts about your health condition stop using this product immediately and seek medical advice before continuing.
- Use your dance platform with care to avoid injuries. Positive Gaming is not liable for injuries or damage from improper use of the dance platform.
- Do not use the dance platform under the influence of alcohol, drugs or strong medication, as they may impair your coordination and sense of balance.
- Use only the built-in handles of the dance platform for transport.

Package Contents

Unpack contents with care!

Your Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platform consists of the following parts:

1 Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platform
2 Control box
  a. Platform port cable, D-Sub
  b. Port cable, PlayStation®2 with protected cover
  c. Port cable, universal with attachment cable
    i. Detachable port cable, USB
    ii. Detachable port cable, Microsoft® Windows® XBOX™
3 Allen key tools
  a. Large
  b. Small
4 Platform-merger brackets (four)
5 Manual

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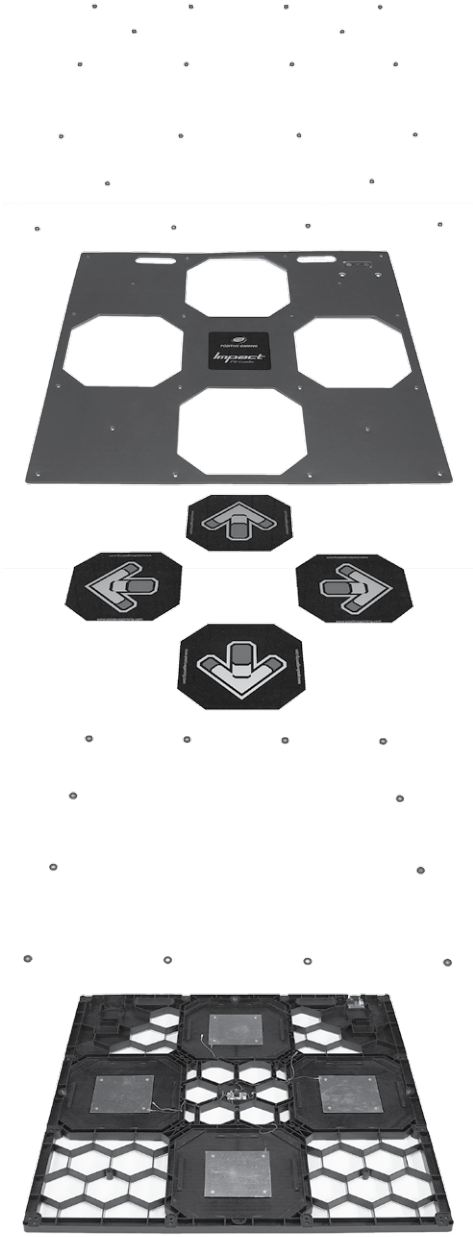
Diagram



Platform Assembly and Connectivity

Always disconnect all cables before moving the Impact Arcade Dance Platform. Always use caution when walking around the control box.

Hardware

1 Place the dance platform on a dry, flat surface within range of the gaming station.
2 Locate the control box.
3 Turn off any TV monitors and gaming consoles.
4 Connect the female D-Sub pad port cable to the male D-Sub platform port, located on the front right of the dance platform, by using the connector's built-in plug screws. *(See Figure 1)*
5 Connect the opposite end of the control box to the gaming console or PC.

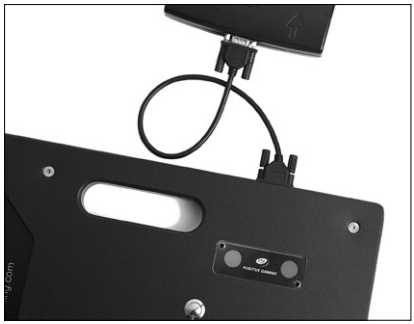


Figure 1

Software

- PlayStation® and PlayStation®2 gaming consoles will automatically detect the dance platform. *(See Figure 2 for button assignment.)*
- Microsoft® XBOX™ gaming consoles will automatically detect the dance platform. *(See Figure 2 for button assignment.)*
- Microsoft® Windows® 2000 or Microsoft® Windows® XP PC computer systems will automatically detect the dance platform. *(See Figure 2 for button assignment.)*

Button	**Green** Platform: Left	**Red** Platform: Right	**Start** Control Box: Left	**Select / Back** Control Box: Right
Windows® PC	Button 8	Button 7	Button 9	Button 10
PlayStation®2	Circle	Cross	Start	Select
XBOX™	A	B	Start	Back

Figure 2

Personalizing Your Dance Platform

The dance platform has a small area above the select buttons which can be used to personalize it using these simple steps: *(See Figure 3)*

Figure 3

1 Use the small Allan key to remove the two screws of the clear plastic plate.
2 Replace the inlay with your own custom made one. The required size is 80 x 30 mm (3.15 x 1.18 inches).

Physically Connecting Two Platforms

For use with two Positive Gaming™ Impact Arcade Dance Platforms, using doubles mode play.

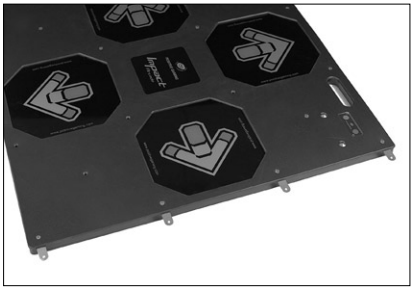


Figure 4

1 Locate the four platform-merger brackets.
2 For the first dance platform, use the supplied Allen key tool to unscrew the four large screws on the right edge of the platform and the two small screws of the tag in the upper top right corner.
3 For the second dance platform, unscrew the four large screws on the left edge of the platform.
4 On both dance platforms, gently lift the top layer a bit and remove all white washers under each screw hole. *(See Figure 4)*
5 On the left dance platform, insert one platform-merger bracket under each of the four screw holes.
6 Slide the right dance platform into the left platform's four platform-mergers.
7 Replace and fasten all screws on both platforms again. Keep the extra white washers in case you want to separate the platforms again.

Platform Maintenance

Only use supplied tools when performing maintenance.
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Dirty Surface

- Cleaning the surface of the dance platform should be done with the use of a rag and a light spray of surface cleaner. Apply the surface cleaner to the rag, not directly to the platform.
- Electronics can be damaged due to over exposure to spray cleaner, water, or other liquids.

Troubleshooting

Unresponsive Arrow Panels: The contact metal beneath each arrow panel may have become dirty.

1. Disconnect the controller box from the platform.
2. Unscrew all 20 large screws and the two small screws on the tag of the upper right corner of the dance platform.
3. **IMPORTANT:** Carefully lift the right upper corner of the plastic cover a bit and disconnect the two wires by pulling them to the right *(See Figure 5)*
4. Remove the top plastic cover completely.
5. Lift each arrow panel by the notch moulded in each base. *(See Figure 6)*
6. Fold each arrow panel back. To avoid ripping out the connected wires, do not remove the arrow panels completely.
7. Clean the metal panels lightly. Do not use aggressive chemicals or abrasive materials.
8. Vacuum any remaining dust, dirt or debris.
9. Reassemble, making sure all wires are securely connected, all white washers are in place and the screws are properly fastened.

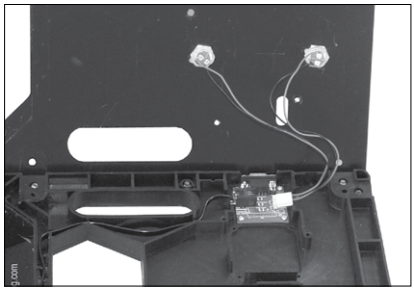


Figure 5

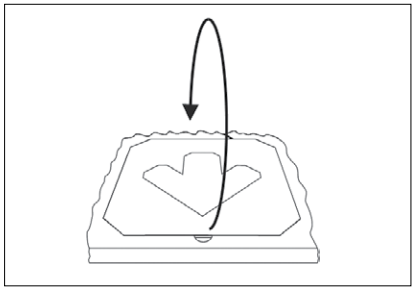
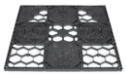
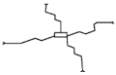


Figure 6

Replacement Parts

Use the following item numbers to order replacement parts:

Item #	Figure	Description
IPA-TP01		Top cover plate including center-decal
IPA-EL01		Electronic set, contains both PCBs (incl. 2,9 x 6,3 mm screws)
IPA-EL02		Control box (including cables)
IPA-EL03		Select switch (1 piece)
IPA-ID01		ID card incl. polycarbonate cover, two screws, two nuts and Allan key
IPU-AS01		Set of 22 anti-slip pieces
IPU-PM01		Platform-merger brackets (4 pcs.)
IPU-BP01		Base plate with metal sheets including 22 anti-slip pieces
IPU-FS01		M5 hex screw & bolt (20 pcs.) and Allan key
IPU-PA01		Arrow panel with printing and metal sheet embedded (1 piece)
IPU-SW01		Switch wire set, 4 wire-solution to connect arrows to center-PCB
IPU-FC01		RJ flat cable (connecting center-print with top-right print)
IPU-SP01		Spacers for top layer (12 pcs.)

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