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This booklet provides game operation, bookkeeping, game adjustment, and diagnostic procedures for FIREPOWER. For installation and special maintenance information refer to the blue-covered game manual. For detailed information refer to Williams Solid State Flipper Maintenance Manual.

# SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS WHEN REPLACING CIRCUIT BOARDS

# **CPU Board**

- 1. Revision level 6 CPU Boards (batteries located on lower right corner of board) or later boards must be used.
- 2. Must he equipped with green-labeled FIREPOWER PROMs, green-labeled game ROM and green-labeled flipper ROMs.
- 3. Jumper J4 must be connected and J3 removed.

# Sound Board

- 1. Model D 8224 required for speech.
- Must be jumpered for white-labeled sound ROM operation and be equipped with Sound ROM
   Jumpers W2, W5, W7, W9, W10, and W15 connected; W3, W4, W6, W8, W1 1, W12, and W13 removed)

# **Power Supply Board**

1. Fuse F4 (10A SB) for flipper solenoids must be installed.

# **Optional Speech Module**

1. Requires 5T4971 (IC7), 5T4972 (IC5), and ST4973 (IC6) speech ROMs.

# **GAME OPERATION**

\*Indicates adjustable features

**Game Over Mode** - Turn game ON; player scores show zero, high score to date\* alternates with player I score, player I up lamp flashes, game over lamp lights, all playfield lamps except for credit lamp cycle in attract mode.

**Credit Posting** - Insert coin; knocker sounds, number of credits displayed. If maximum credits\* exceeded by coin or high score to date\*, credits are posted correctly, coin lockout deenergized until remaining credits are below maximum. No credits may be won and coins are rejected while lockout is deenergized.

**Game Start** - Push credit button; start-up tune played, ball served, credit display reduced by one, player I up lamp flashes until first scoring switch is made, ball in play shows 1. Pushing credit button before ball 2 displayed allows additional players.

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**Bonus Advance** - "F-l-R-E" rollovers when not lit, flashing "1-6" targets, left and right inside rollovers (3 advances when lit), and left and right outside rollovers. Bonus multiplier advanced and FIRE insert lit by spotting "F-l-R-E". "F-l-R-E" lamps rotate by actuating right flipper (LANE CHANGE feature).

**FIREPOWER** - Making three POWER targets scores 10,000 and lites POWER insert, left and right inside rollovers, and \*ball saver kicker ON. Liting FIRE and POWER inserts scores and advances FIREPOWER bonus (5,000 or lit values of 10, 30, and 50,000). Outlane Special lit when \*30, or 50,000 bonus collected.

**"1-6" Targets** - \*Making "1-3" or "4-6" or same ball lights ball saver kicker ON. Spotting "1-6" lights ball saver kicker ON\*, flashes two eject holes, lights spinner, and alternately lights two jet bumpers; ad justable to flash eject holes one at a time (always one at a time once **MULTI-BALL** play is achieved). Spotting "1-6" twice on the same ball lights all jet bumpers.

**Eject Holes** - Making eject hole when flashing locks up ball and new ball released per following order: from ball ramp, flashing eject hole, unlit eject hole. Locking up all balls in eject holes initiates **MULTI-BALL** play. To minimize multiple player interaction, lit and flashing eject holes are reallocated from ball to ball as required: Dashing lamp to empty eject hole if possible; lit lamp to occupied eject hole if possible.

**Extra Ball** - Maximum of two Extra Balls per ball. Lighting \*5x or making"F-I-R-E" with 5x lit lights center POWER target for Extra Ball. Making target when lit awards Extra Ball.

**Tilts** - Ball in play tilted on first closure of Playfield and Ball Roll tilts and third\* closure of Plumb Bob. Slam Tilt returns game to game over.

**Memory** - "F-l-R-E" lanes, FIRE insert, POWER Target lamps, POWER insert, \*FIREPOWER bonus lamps, \*lit target arrows, eject hole lamps.

**End of Game** - Match Digits\* appears in ball in play display, \*credit awarded for match. Exceeding high score to date awards \*three credits. Match, High Score to Date, and Game Over sounds made as appropriate. Balls released from eject holes and are placed on ball ramp before new game can be started.

With optional Speech Module, the following phrases are produced during game play:

#### ACHIEVEMENT

Game start, collecting FIREPOWER bonus Making "F-1-R-E" Lighting POWER Spotting "1-6" lamps MULTI-BALL play Winning Extra Ball Making Special Tilt High Score to Date PHRASE FIREPOWER. FIRE. POWER. Enemy destroyed. Fire 1, 2, 3. You won one mission. Mission accomplished. You are destroyed. FIREPOWER mission accomplished.

Game Over	Random Phrase
You destroyed FIREPOWER.	Mission destroyed you.
Enemy destroyed you.	Enemy power won.
Mission 213 accomplished.	You destroyed enemy mission.
You are enemy.	Enemy mission.
Enemy fire destroyed you.	You won, FIREPOWER destroyed.
Fire destroyed you.	FIREPOWER destroyed.

# **BOOKKEEPING AND EVALUATION TOTALS**

(Functions 01-12)

- 1. In game over mode, set alternate-action switch to AUTO- UP (out) and depress A DVANCE pushbutton. Test 04 is indicated in number of credits display, Function 00 in ball in play display, and game identification in Player 1 display.
- 2. Operate the ADVANCE pushbutton to display each function on the ball in play display (see Table 1) and record each total from Player I display. (To reveiw a total that has been advanced past, set alternate-action switch to MANUAL-DOWN (in) and operate the ADVANCE pushbutton.)
- Calculate the following if desired:
   % Paid Credits = Function 04 . Function 08
- 4. Turn the game OFF and back ON to return to game over mode.
- 5. To change current High Score to Date to value of Function 13, momentarily depress HIGH SCORE RESET pushbutton.
- 6. To zero Functions 01-11, see page 7

# GAME ADJUSTMENT PROCEDURE

(Functions 13-35)

### Coin door must be open to change settings.

- 1. In game over mode, set alternate-action switch to AUTO- UP (out) and depress ADVANCE pushbutton. Test 04 is indicated in number of credits display, Function 00 in ball in play display, and game identification in Player I display.
- 2. **To raise** Function number in ball in play display, operate ADVANCE pushbutton with switch set to AUTO-UP (in). **To lower** Function number operate ADVANCE with it set to MANUAL-DOWN (out).
- 3. With desired Function indicated in ball in play display, **raise** value in player 1 display by operating credit button with switch set to AUTO-UP (out); **lower** value by operating credit button with it set to MANUAL-DOWN (in). Value left of Player I display is new setting. For values see Table I and (for pricing) Table 2.
- 4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 until all required adjustments have been made.
- 5. Turn game OFF and back ON to return to game over mode.
- 6. To restore factory settings **and** zero audit totals, see page 7.

# **DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES**

(Display Digits, Lamp. Solenoid. and Switch Tests)

- 1. In game over mode, set alternate-action switch to MANUAL-DOWN (in) and depress ADVANCE. All displays should go blank.
- 2. Momentarily depress ADVANCE and set switch to AUTO-UP (out). Display Digits test is performed.
- 3. Momentarily depress ADVANCE. Test 01 is indicated on number of credits display an Lamp Test is performed.
- 4. Set switch to MANUAL-DOWN (in) and momentarily depress ADVANCE. Test 02 is indicated on number of credits display and solenoid 01 on the ball in play display; solenoid 01 is pulsed by driver board.
- 5. Operate ADVANCE to pulse each solenoid (see Figure 3). Pulse solenoid 08 three times to remove balls from ramp before proceeding to switch test.
- 6. Set switch to AUTO-UP (out) and momentarily depress ADVANCE. Test 03 is indicated on number of credits display and stuck switches on ball in play display.
- 7. See Figure 4. Operate switches; switch number is indicated on ball in play display.
- 8. Turn game OFF and back ON to return to game over mode.

9. To set up Auto-Cycle Mode (Display Digits, Lamp, and Solenoid Tests) see page 7.

FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	NOTES	FACTORY SETTING
00	Game Identification	1	1497 2
01	Coins, Left Chute (Closest to coin door hinge)	1	
02	Coins, Center Chute	1	
03	Coins, Right Chute	1	
04	Total Paid Credits	1	
05	Total Specials	1	
06	Total Replay (Extra Ball) Scores	1	
07	Match and High Score to Date Credits	1	
08	Total Credits	1,2	
09	Total Extra Balls	1.3	
10	Total Ball Time in Minutes	1	
11	Total Number of Balls Played	1	
12	Current High Score to Date	4	550,000
13	Backup High Score to Date	5	550,000
14	Replay 1 Score	6	410,000
15	Replay 2 Score	6	610,000
16	Replay 3 Score	6	0
17	Replay 4 Score	6	0
18	Maximum Credits	7	20
19	Standard and Custom Pricing Control (00-07)	8	02
20	Left Coin Slot Multiplier	8	01
21	Center Coin Slot Multiplier	8	04
22	Right Coin Slot Multiplier	8	01
23	Coin Units Required for Credit	8	01
24	Coin Units Bonus Points	8	00
25	High Scores Credits	5	03
26	Match (00=ON 01=OFF)		00
27	Special		00
	00 = Awards Credit		
	01 = Awards Extra Ball		
	02 = Awards Points		

Table 1. Game Adjustments

28	Scoring Awards		00
	00 = Credits at Replay Score		
	01 = Extra Ball at Replay Score		
29	Maximum Plumb Bob Tilts (1-9)		03
30	Number of Balls (03 or 05)	9	03
31	"1-6" Targets	9	03
	00 = Eject Holes lit singly, no target memory		
	01 = Eject Hole pair lit first time, no target memory		
	02 = Eject Holes lit singly, targets on memory		
	03 = Eject Hole pair lit first time, targets on memory		
32	Ball Saver Kicker ON Lamp		01
	00 = Lit from POWER Targets		
	01 = Lit from "1-3" or "4-6" targets on same ball or spotting "1-6" lamps		
	02 = Lit from "1-6" lamps		
	03 = Lit from "1-6" Lamps or POWER targets		
33	FIREPOWER Bonus Lamps		03
	00 = No lamps lit initially, no lamp memory (extra conservative)		
	01 = 10,000 lamp lit initially, no lamp memory (conservative)		
	02 = No Lamps lit initially, bonus lamps on memory (moderate)	1	
	03 = 10,000 lamp lit initally, bonus lamps on memory (liberal)	J	
34	Extra Ball Control/Attract Mode Sounds		01
	00/01 = No Extra Ball		
	01/11 = Extra Ball when Lit after 5X	1st setting = No Attract Mode Sounds	
	02/12 = Extra Ball when Lit with 5X	2nd setting = Attract Mode Sounds	
35	Special Control/Background Sound		12
	00/10 = Alternating Special lites when 50,000 FIREPOWER Bonus collected		

01/11 = Alternating Special lites when 30,000 FIREPOWER Bonus collected
02/12 = Special lite when 50,000 FIREPOWER Bonus collected
03/13 = Specials lite when 30,000 FIREPOWER Bonus collected

Notes:

- 1. Functions 00- 11 cannot be changed from the coin door; however, Functions 01-11 can be set to zero as described on page 7.
- 2. Total Credits (Function 08) is the sum of Function 04 and as applicable, Functions 05, 06, and 07.
- 3. Total Extra Balls (Function 09) is the sum of the game extra ball feature and Functions 15 and 06, as applicable.
- 4. Current High Score to Date (Function 12) can be changed to the value of the Backup High Score to Date (Function 13) by operating the HIGH SCORE RESET switch while in the game over mode.
- 5. Function 13 may be set to any multiple of 10,000 points. Setting Function 25 to zero with Function 13 set to any score but zero permits the High Score to Date feature to operate but no credits are awarded.
- 6. Functions 14-17 (Replay Scores) may be set to any multiple of 10,000 points. Setting a function to zero disables the replay score point. Always disable the Replay 4 level first, the Replay 3 level second, etc. The replay levels must be set with ascending values.
- 7. Setting Maximum Credits (Function 18) to zero places the game in a free play mode.
- 8. With Function 19 set to 00, Functions 20-24 must be set manually. Refer to Table 2 for seven standard pricing schemes (selected by values of 01-07 for Function 19) and custom pricing values.
- 9. For 5-Ball play, it is recommended that Function 31 be set to 02.

# **RECOMMENDED SCORE LEVELS**

Levels		Score Card
	CREDIT GAMES	
3-Ball:		
*410,000; 610,000		497-36
or 410,000; 620,000; 740,000		497-14
5-Ball:		
(See Note 9)		
500,000; 720,000		497-45
	EXTRA BALL	
3-Ball:		
300,000		497-74

5-Ball:

400,000

\* Factory Setting

COIN DOOR			FUNCTION		CTION	
MECHANISM	CREDITS	19	20	21	22	
Twin-Quarter	1/25e, 3/50e, 7/\$1	00	03	12	03	
Quarter, Dollar, Quarter	1/25e, 3/50e, 7/\$1 coin only	00	03	14	03	
	1/25¢, 7/\$1 coin only	00	10	07	01	
	1/25e, 3/50e, 6/\$1	00	01	04	01	
	1/25c, 6/\$1 coin only	00	01	06	01	
	•1/25c, 5/\$1	05	01	04	01	
	1/25¢, 5/\$1 coin only	00	01	05	01	
	•1/25c, 4/\$1	02	01	04	01	
	•1/50c, 3/\$1	01	01	04	01	
	1/50¢	00	01	04	01	
IDM, 5DM,2DM	•1/1DM, 3/2DM, 10/5DM	03	09	45	18	
	2/1DM, 5/2DM, 14/5DM	00	13	65	26	
20-Cent, 50-Cent	1/20e, 3/50e	00	06	00	15	
1 Franc, 10 Franc, 5 Franc	•1/2F, 3/5F only, 8/10F only	04	01	16	06	
25 Cent,	•1/25e, 4/1G	06	01	00	04	
1 Guilder,	1/25e, 5/1G	00	01	00	04	
50 Yen, 100 Yen	•1/50Y, 2/100Y	07	01	00	02	
1 Franc or	1/1F, 3/2F	00	01	01	01	
Twin-1 Franc	1/1F	00	01	10	01	
5 Franc,	•1/5F, 2/10F	07	01	00	02	
10 Franc	1/10F	00	01	00	02	
Twin-2 Franc	•1/2F	02	01	04	01	
10, 20 Franc	•1/10F, 2/20F	07	01	00	02	
Twin-1 Sucre	1/3S, 2/5S	00	02	00	02	
<ul> <li>Indicates standard price settings by through 24 to the values indicated in</li> </ul>	adjusting only Function 19. For other	price settir	ngs, set F	unction 1	9 to 00 an	d s

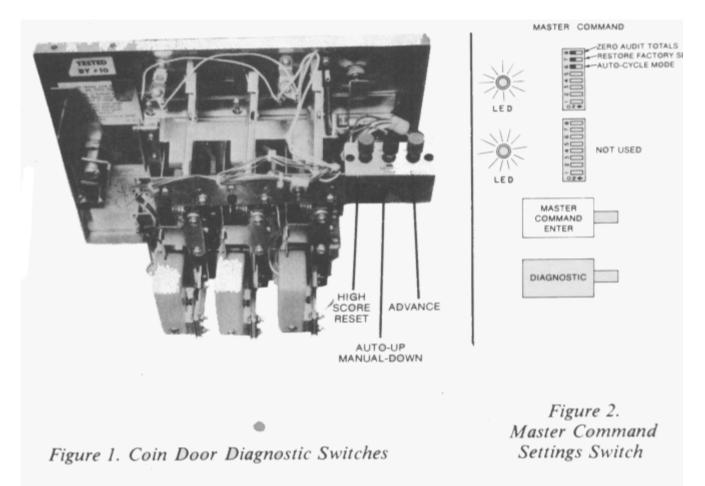
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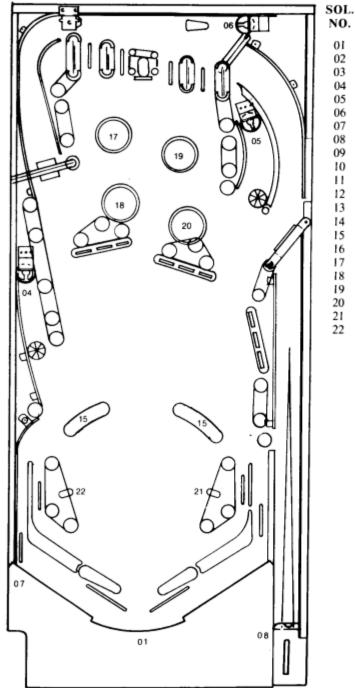
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# **RESETTING AUDIT TOTALS AND ADJUSTMENTS; INITIATING AUTO-CYCLE MODE**

- 1. In game over mode, set the alternate-action switch to MANUAL-DOWN (in) and momentarily depress the ADVANCE pushbutton. All displays should go blank.
- 2. Remove the backglass and unlatch and open the insert door.
- 3. Set all switches on the MASTER COMMAND slide switch to OFF (move to the right).
- 4. Set switch on MASTER COMMAND switch to ON (move to left):
  - 1. To zero audit totals (Functions 01-11) set switch 8 to ON.
  - 2. To restore factory settings and zero audit totals, set switch 7 to ON. *Coin Door must remain open to restore factory settings*.
  - 3. For Auto-Cycle Mode set switch 6 to ON.
- 5. Momentarily depress MASTER COMMAND ENTER pushbutton. The LEDs should blink once.
  - 1. After zeroing audit totals turn game OFF and ON to return to game over mode.
  - 2. After restoring factory settings, turn game OFF and ON twice to return to game over mode.
  - 3. To initiate Auto-Cycle Mode, set alternate-action switch to AUTO-UP (out) and momentarily depress the ADVANCE pushbutton. Each cycle of this mode sequences

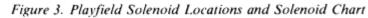
through display digits test, flashes all multiplexed lamps 64 times and pulses each solenoid. To terminate the Auto-Cycle mode and go to game over, turn the game OFF and ON.





#### DESCRIPTION

- Ball Release
- Not Used
- Not Used
- Left Eject Hole Right Eject Hole
- 5 Upper Right Eject Hole
- Left Ball Saver Kicker
- Ball Ramp Thrower
- Sound
- 10 Sound
- 11 Sound
- 12 Sound
  - 3 Sound
- 4 Credit Knocker
- 5 Flash Lamps
- 6 Coin Lockout
- 7 Top Left Jet Bumper
- Bottom Left Jet Bumper
   Top Right Jet Bumper
- 0 Bottom Left Jet Bumper
- I Right Kicker
- 2 Left Kicker



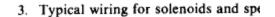
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01	Ball Release	GRY-BRN	2P11-4, 8P3-17	Q15	Sz
02	Not Used	GRY-RED	2P11-5, 8P3-18	Q17	
03	Not Used	GRY-ORN	2P11-7, 8P3-19	Q19	
04	Left Eject Hole	GRY-YEL	2P11-8, 8P3-20	Q21	sc
05	Right Eject Hole	GRY-GRN	2P11-9, 8P3-21	Q23	sc
06	Upper Right Eject Hole	GRY-BLU	2P11-3, 8P3-22	Q25	sc
07	Left Ball Saver Kicker	GRY-VIO	2P11-2, 8P3-23	Q27	sc
08	Ball Ramp Thrower	GRY-BLK	2P11-1, 8P3-24	Q29	S≁
09	Sound	BRN-BLK	2P9-9, 10P3-3	Q31	
10	Sound	BRN-RED	2P9-7, 10P3-2	Q33	
11	Sound	BRN-ORN	2P9-1, 10P3-5	Q35	
12	Sound	BRN-YEL	2P9-2, 10P3-4	Q37	
13	Sound	BRN-GRN	2P9-3, 10P3-7	Q39	
14	Credit Knocker	BRN-BLU	2P9-4, 7P1-16	Q41	S∕
15	Flash Lamps	BRN-VIO	2P9-5, 6P2	Q43	T
16	Coin Lockout	BRN-GRY	2P9-6, 7P1-18, 7P2-4	Q45	SI
+17	Top Left Jet Bumper	BLU-BRN	2P12-7, 8P3-11	Q2	s
*18	Bottom Left Jet Bumper	BLU-RED	2P12-4, 8P3-12	Q4	s
*19	Top Right Jet Bumper	BLU-ORN	2P12-3, 8P3-13	Q6	S
*20	Bottom Left Jet Bumper	BLU-YEL	2P12-6, 8P3-14	Q8	S
*21	Right Kicker	BLU-GRN	2P12-8, 8P3-15	Q10	S
+22	Left Kicker	BLU-BLK	2P12-9, 8P3-16	Q12	S
*	Right Flipper	BLU-VIO	7P1-8, 8P3-3		S
•	Left Flipper	BLU-GRY	7P1-10, 8P3-4		S

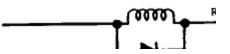
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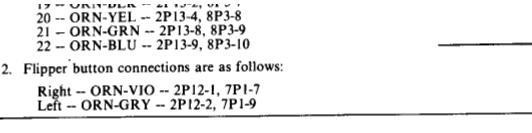
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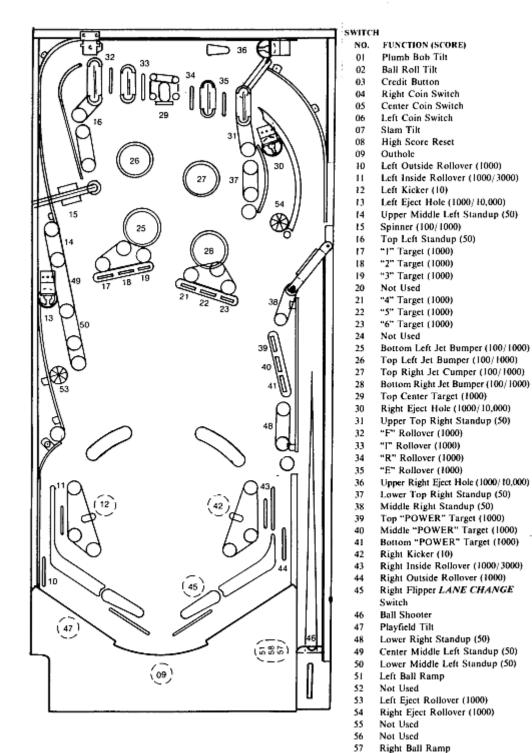
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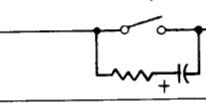
17 -- ORN-BRN -- 2P13-5, 8P3-5 18 -- ORN-RED -- 2P13-3, 8P3-6 19 ORN-RIK -- 2P13-2 8P3-7











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#### 58 Center Ball Ramp Note: Second score is lit or flashing value.

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RON	~	1 GRN-BRN	2 GRN-RED	3 GRN-ORN	4 GRN-YEL	5 GRN-BLK	6 GRN-BLU	7 GRN-VIO	8 GRN-GRY
1	WHT- BRN	PLUMB BOB TILT	OUTHOLE	"1" TARGET	BOTTOM LEFT JET BUMPER	"J" ROLLOVER	BOTTOM "POWER" TARGET	CENTER MIDDLE LEFT STANDUP	RIGHT BALL RAMP
	Unit	1	9	17	25	33	41		57
2	WHT- RED	BALL ROLL TILT	LEFT OUTSIDE ROLLOVER	"2" TARGET	TOP LEFT JET BUMPER	"R" ROLLOVER	RIGHT	LOWER MIDDLE LEFT STANDUP	CENTER BALL RAMP
		2	10	18	26	34	42		58
3	WHT- ORN	CREDIT	ROLLOVER	TARGET		ROLLOVER	RIGHT INSIDE ROLLOVER		NOT USED
		3	11	19	27	35	43	51	59
4	WHT- YEL	COIN SWITCH		NOT USED	BOTTOM RIGHT JET BUMPER		RIGHT OUTSIDE ROLLOVER		NOT USED
		4	12	20	28	36		52	60
5	WHT- GRN	CENTER COIN SWITCH	LEFT EJECT HOLE	TARGET		STANDUP	RIGHT FLIPPER LANE CHANGE	LEFT EJECT ROLLOVER	NOT USED
		5	13			37	SWITCH 45	53	61
6	WHT-	LEFT COIN SWITCH	UPPER MIDDLE LEFT STANDUP	"5" TARGET	RIGHT EJECT HOLE	MIDDLE RIGHT STANDUP	BALL SHOOTER	RIGHT EJEČT ROLLOVER	NOT USED
		6	14	22	30	38	46	54	62
7	WHT- VIO	TILT			STANDUP		PLAYFIELD TILT	NOT USED	NOT USED
		7	15	23	31	39	47	55	63
8	WHT- GRY	HIGH SCORE RESET	TOP LEFT STANDUP		"F" ROLLOVER	MIDDLE "POWER" TARGET	LOWER RIGHT STANDUP	NOT USED	NOT USED
		8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64

Figure 4.	Playfield	Switch	Locations	and	Switch	Chart
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Figure 5. Switch Matrix

ROW		1 YEL-BRN	2 YEL-RED	3 YEL-ORN	4 YEL-BLK	5 YEL-GRN	6 YEL-BLU	7 YEL-VIO	8 YEL-GRY
1,	RED- BRN	SAME PLAYER SHOOTS AGAIN (PLAYFIELD)	TOP POWER TARGET	4,000 BONUS	20,000 BONUS	LEFT EJECT HOLE ARROW	10,000 FIREPOWER BONUS	RIGHT SPECIAL	#1 PLAYER UP
2	RED- BLK	BALL SAVER KICKER ON	CENTER POWER TARGET	5,000 BONUS	"1" TARGET ARROW	RIGHT EJECT HOLE ARROW	30,000 FIREPOWER BONUS	CAN PLAY	#2 PLAYER UP
3	RED- ORN	FIRE (x2)	BOTTOM POWER TARGET	6,000 BGNUS	"2" TARGET ARROW	UPPER RIGHT EJECT HOLE ARROW	50,000 FIREPOWER BONUS	2 CAN PLAY	PLAYER UP
4	RED- YEL	POWER (x2)	RIGHT INSIDE ROLLOVER	7,000 BONUS	"3" TARGET ARROW	2X	LEFT JET BUMPER	3 CAN PLAY	#4 PLAYER UP
5	RED- GRN	-F.''	LEFT INSIDE ROLLOVER	8.000 BONUS	"4" TARGET ARROW	зx	TOP RIGHT JET BUMPER	4 CAN PLAY	TILT

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6	RED- BLU	ulu	1,000 BONUS	9,000 BONUS	"5" TARGET ARROW	4X	BOTTOM RIGHT JET BUMPER	матсн	GAME OVER
7	RED- VIO	"R"	2,000 BONUS	NOT USED	"6" TARGET ARROW	5X	BOTTOM LEFT JET BUMPER	BALL IN PLAY	SAME PLAYER SHOOTS AGAIN (BACKBOX)
8	RED- GRY	"E"	3,000 BONUS	10.000 BONUS	SPINNER 1,000 WHEN LIT	EXTRA BALL WHỆN LIT	LEFT	CREDITS (PLAYFIELD)	HIGH SCORE TO DATE

Figure 6. Lamp Matrix