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Puzzle for Palm

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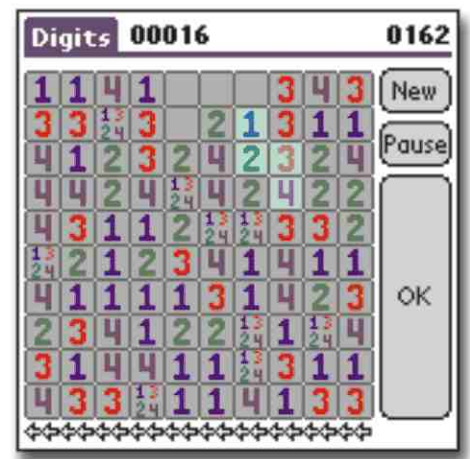
Introduction

Digits is a simple though amusing logical game, which opens SaM-Solutions line of games, designed specially for Palm computers. The game has something in common with such classic ones as Tetris or Lines, so if you want to pass your time in a useful way developing your logic skills and entertain yourself this game can come in really handy.

Use HotSync Manager to install the game on your Palm.

Game Rules

The game's goal is to remove all squares with numbers. The squares are removed in chains. You can group several squares in a chain by marking them one-by-one. Squares are removed by tapping OK button, or pressing Scroll Up button (see the “Controls” section for details).



A new square can be added to the chain only if it stands next to the previously marked square (on the right, left, top or bottom, but NOT diagonally) and if the numbers of all marked squares form an ascending or descending sequence. The number of the last marked square should be greater or less than the previous square number by 1.

For example, the following squares can be grouped in chains:



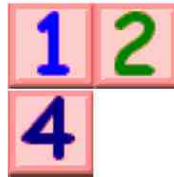
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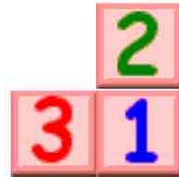
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The following squares cannot be grouped in chains:




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The only exception to this rule is the *universal square* . The universal square can be added to any square at any time. Besides, the universal square can join two chains. For example, the following squares can be grouped in chains:



or



From time to time little arrows will appear at the bottom of the game field. You can tap these arrows to move the column to the left or to the right. The arrows will appear only under those columns, whose squares can be moved in the corresponding direction.

Controls

Action	Controls
Mark/unmark a square	Stylus tap
Delete a group of squares	OK button or Scroll Up
Unmark a whole selection	Scroll Down or tap 1st square
Start a new game	New button
Move a column	Arrows at the bottom
Pause	Pause button
Restart game	Menu/Game/Restart
View the high scores	Menu/Game/Hi Scores
Select a game map	Menu/Game/Select Map

Counting Scores

The player receives n^2 scores for removing every group that contains the n number of squares.

Removed Squares	Points	Removed Squares	Points
2	4	7	49
3	9	8	64
4	16	9	81
5	25	10	100
6	36

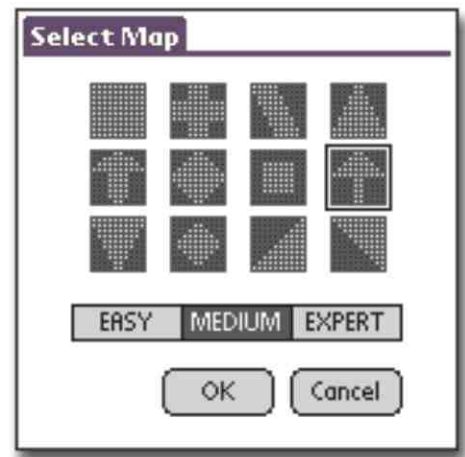
The “Hi Scores” window (Menu / Game / Hi Score) shows winners with best scores and best time. The whole Hi Scores list is divided into smaller lists depending on the map the game was played on. Use “Select Map” button to change Hi Scores maps.

Hi Scores		
Name	Score	Time
Sam-Solutions	91	60
Bob	74	57
Jim	66	51
Alexander	75	63
<div>Select Map</div> <div>Return</div>		

Game Maps

To add up some spice and bring variety into the game you may want to take advantage of a number of game maps included. To select a game map:

1. Tap **Game** in the main game menu, point to **Select Map**, and then tap the map you wish to use.
2. Tap OK to save your settings.



Difficulty Levels

The game has 3 difficulty levels, different in the number of the universal squares available on the field:

- Easy (universal squares make up 10% of the total number of squares)
- Medium (universal squares make up 5% of the total number of squares)
- Expert (no universal blocks available)

To set a difficulty level:

1. Tap **Digits** in the main game menu, point to **Select Map**, and then tap **Easy**, **Medium** or **Expert**, depending on the level you need.
2. Tap OK to save your settings.

How to Register

Every time you first launch a new game, an **About** screen appears, offering you to type your personal registration code. You can later access this window by tapping **Menu/Help/About**.

Please note: you can freely use the evaluation version for 15 days. To be able to further enjoy this game you will have to register and purchase a license. See the **Register.txt** for details.

If you have any questions, please forward your inquiries to the following email address: support@sam-solutions.net, or call +375-17-2398081 (ext.32). Phone calls are accepted on business days from 10.00 a.m. till 6.00 p.m., +02.00 GMT.