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Please read this manual carefully before using the software. If the software will be used by children, the manual should be read and explained to them by an adult.

Also, before using this software, please select
in the HOME Menu and carefully review content in "Health and Safety Information." It contains important information that will help you enjoy this software.

You should also thoroughly read your Operations Manual, including the "Health and Safety Information" section, before using this software.

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2 Information-Sharing Precautions

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Information-Sharing Precautions

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3 Online Features

With this software, you can connect to the Internet to add friends, update their profiles, update your own profile, receive guest profiles, Ba'als, and other data into your game (pp. 28, 29, 32, and 33). You can also access the Nintendo eShop to purchase SP Drinks.

- Refer to your Operations Manual for information about connecting your system to the Internet.
- You must go through the initial setup for Miiverse on your system before you can use Miiverse with this game.

This software supports Nintendo Network.



Nintendo Network is the name of Nintendo's network service that enables users to enjoy games and other content via the Internet.

Protecting Your Privacy

- To protect your privacy, do not give out personal information, such as last name, phone number, birth date, age, school, e-mail, or home address when communicating with others.
- Friend codes are a part of a system that allows you to play with people you know. If you

exchange friend codes with strangers, there is a risk you could share information with people you do not know or exchange messages that contain offensive language. We therefore recommend that you do not give your friend codes to people you don't know.

4 Parental Controls

You can restrict use of the following features by adjusting the options in Parental Controls.

- Access to this game (as well as other games) can also be restricted through the Software Rating item in Parental Controls.
- Refer to your Operations Manual for information on how to set up Parental Controls.
- Nintendo 3DS Shopping Services Restrict the purchasing of SP Drinks (p. 33).
- Online Interaction Restrict adding friends and updating data via the internet (p. 32).
- StreetPass Restrict the distribution of profiles (p. 30) via StreetPass.
- Friend Registration Restrict adding friends (p. 31) via Local Wireless.

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| View details (while selecting an ability or item) | \otimes |
| Change action speed (while allies or foes are taking actions) | <pre>C</pre> |
| View allies' current status | Right on O |
| View enemies' current status | Left on O |

Touch Screen Controls

You can also open the map menu, 000 skip events, view information about abilities, and perform other operations by touching the respective icons on the Touch Screen. You can also tap 🕐 to check what controls can be used on the current screen.

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Getting Started

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When you start up the game, the title menu will be displayed on the lower screen (p. 7).



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Select NEW GAME, and then set options such as the Difficulty and Autosave to begin a new game.

Transferring Data from the Bravely Second Demo

If you have save data on your SD Card from playing through Bravely Second[™]: The Ballad of the Three Cavaliers, you can carry over the population in your moon base (p. 13) and data for your registered Friends (p. 19). You will also be able to receive additional rewards based upon your progress in the demo.

- You can only transfer this save data when starting a new game. It will not be possible to transfer this data midway through the game.
- You can only bring a maximum of 20 people to your moon base.

Continuing a Game

Select a save file, then select CONTINUE and you will be able to resume play from the last point where you saved your progress. Menu items appearing as ??? will become available as you make progress in the game. Some options may require that you physically move your system in order to fully enjoy them. When using this software, you may have to move the Nintendo 3DS system around. Make sure you have enough room before playing, and hold the system firmly with both hands. Do not move the system with excessive force, as this could lead to injuries, damage to the product or damage to nearby objects.

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Title Menu

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From the title menu, you can choose from the following three options on the lower screen by tapping on them:



To copy data, first select a source file and then a destination file.

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You can choose to delete your save file with this option. If you select DELETE ALL, all save data and game data will be deleted. SP and SP Drinks will be deleted as well.

Files cannot be recovered once they are deleted, so be certain of what you are doing when you choose to delete a file.

Special Gifts

You can receive items by entering any special codes you may have received with your game purchase.

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Ending Your Adventure

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permanent, so be careful.



World Map

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You can move around on the world map to visit different towns and dungeons and progress through the story.



1 Your character

The character that you place at the head of the party with the Order command (p. 21) will appear on the world map.

2 Towns and dungeons

Approach a location and press (A) or (L) to enter it.

3 Map menu (p. 12)

Tap here or press 🔂 to open the map menu.

4 Map icons

Main scenario location

- Side story location
- Current location

5 R Menu

Tap here or press \mathbb{R} to open the R menu, where you can adjust enemy encounter rates (i.e. how often you will be drawn into random battles) and enable or disable autobattle (p. 23).



10 Towns and Dungeons

The screens that you see will change when you enter a town or dungeon from the world map.

- Attack and a



Party Chat

When certain conditions are fulfilled and this icon appears, you can press (*) to view a party chat: a special conversation among your group of allies.

2 Entrance or exit (blue area)

Approach an area highlighted in blue and press (A) or (L) to enter buildings, return to the world map, or otherwise move between areas.





In a dungeon, the appearance of the lower screen is slightly different.



1 Map

Areas will appear as you explore them.

2 Entrance or exit (blue area)

Pass through areas highlighted blue to return to the world map or move to a new area.

3 Recommended levels

This recommendation gives you an idea of what level you and your allies should be at to tackle a given dungeon, if you wish to have a good chance of making it out again.

Striking Up Conversations

You can talk to people by approaching them and pressing (A) or [].





Town Services

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You can recover your HP and MP (p. 22) by staying at an inn. Any status ailments (p. 27) will also be cured.



Acquire items at these shops in exchange for pg.



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Acquire and sell weapons, armour, and accessories here. You can also change what gear your party members currently have equipped (p. 18).



Acquire magic scrolls here. You will need both magic scrolls and the appropriate ability (p. 17) in order to use magic spells.

Talk to a pig to be able to warp instantly back to other towns you have previously visited.

The Adventurer

Pigs

Speak with the following options



| Save (p. 8) | Save your current game progress. |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Update Data (p. 32) | Connect to the internet to update your data. |
| Update StreetPass (p. 30) | Receive information about other players you have passed by. |
| Add Friends (p. 31–32) | Add friends via Local Wireless or the internet. |
| To Title | Return to the title screen. |
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Buy Items

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You can acquire items from the adventurer.

The available items will increase as you help rebuild the moon base (p. 13).

Rest in Cottage

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This option only appears in dungeons and allows you to restore HP and MP for a cost. It will also remove any status conditions.

AI Friends

When you talk to the adventurer, you may sometimes be introduced to an AI friend. These AI friends are registered like any other friends (p. 19) and their data may be updated when you speak with the adventurer again.

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Open the map menu by pressing 🖓 or touching *b* on the lower screen.

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◆ Some menu items will only become available after your adventure progresses to a certain point.

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This option opens the same save menu that you find when speaking with the adventurer (p. 11). From here, you can save your game, update your data, update your StreetPass[™] data, or register friends.

You cannot select SAVE or UPDATE DATA when in towns or dungeons.

From here you can check the bestiary or view tutorials, among other things. You can also view past events again.

Yew's Diary

× Quests

This is where you can check the particulars of your current quests.

These special quests help you acquire the Tutorial skills and knowledge Quests you will need during your adventure.



Select this option to work on rebuilding Magnolia's homeland on the Moon.



Make plush chompers in this special minigame.

The Rubadub

Step aboard the Rubadub to sail across seas and fly through the air. This option will

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only be available to select when you are located in an area on the world map from which the Rubadub can launch.

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Rubadub Menu

While aboard your trusty ship, selecting the Rubadub icon again will let you access the following options.

| Enter Ship | Enter the ship's interior. While inside, select TAKE THE HELM to freely pilot the ship yourself. |
|------------------|---|
| Autopilot | You can let the ship sail itself by selecting a region and then the town or dungeon which you wish to visit. |
| Board Rowboat | Climb into the small rowboat to traverse shallows and areas the Rubadub cannot sail through. |

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13 Rebuilding the Moon

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| 6 Reconstruction menu options | | |
| 000 000 | Toggle icons on/off. | |
| Q 0 Q 0 | Zoom in/out. | |
| S a | Update StreetPass data (p. 30). | |

Return to the world map



🏂 Rebuilding the Moon Base 🐔

You can help rebuild the moon base by clearing roads, building facilities, and raising the levels of those facilities.

When you repair a new path, it will grant you access to another area to develop and increase the number of facilities that you can build. And as you build more facilities and raise their levels, the items that you can purchase from the adventurer will increase, as will your available special move types and parts (p. 18). You may even receive free items.

Repair and Build

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Press 🗇 to choose where you would like to carry out repairs or build something. You can also select the icons on the Moon's surface. Then decide how many residents to dedicate to the task and work will begin at once. The amount of time it will take to complete each task can be lessened by assigning more people to it.

You can change the number of residents assigned to a task at any time.



Facility Levels

You can upgrade your facilities by selecting a facility you previously built and choosing to work on it again.

Buster Ships

Using buster ships, you can attack Ba'als and weaken them before battle. If your ships are the same

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colour as the Ba'al, you will be able to deal extra damage!

You can upgrade your buster ships just as you do with facilities.



14 Chompcraft

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You can work on chompcrafting via the map menu. Produce plush chompers and earn cp in return.

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 At a certain point during your adventure, you will meet someone who will exchange your cp for in-game currency (pg).

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Chompcraft Screen

On the upper screen, you will see Yew and his allies working on crafting chompers. As they finish each set, the completed chompers will be dropped into the carton waiting on the lower screen.



Production parameters

Here you can see how your production rates and how your speed, quality, and rarity are measuring up.

3 Tool effect time

If you are using special tools, the parameters which they act upon will turn blue while being affected by



Tool icons

The tools which each character can use appear here. These require cp to use. The number of \bigstar s indicate the tool's level and the number at the bottom shows how much cp you will have to spend to use it.

2 ? Icon

Touch this icon to view an explanation of how chompcrafting works.

3 Completed chompers

The figure at the bottom represents the value of all of the completed chompers currently in the carton.

4 Funds (cp)

5 Reward button

As you complete chompers, your reward gauge will fill up. The \bigstar s indicate the level of snack that you can reward your hardworking allies with.

6 Menu button

Tap here to toggle on or off the following menu options.



Watch your progress and perfect your timing as you carry out the following actions.

Use Tools

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Touch tool icons to use them in exchange for cp. They will boost different production parameters for a fixed amount of time. As you obtain higher-grade tools, you will be able to use the better grade versions by selecting while using the more basic versions.

Reward Yourself

When your reward gauge is full, you can tap the reward button to give your team a well-deserved snack. Doing so will give all of your allies a temporary bonus, boosting their production parameters. The higher the level of the snack that you provide, the greater this effect will be.

Sell Chompers

Touch SELL to sell all of the completed chompers currently in your carton. Depending on the kinds of chompers you have created, you may earn some sales bonuses as well!

Calling It Quits

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When you're done with chompcrafting for the moment,

select 🕒 on the menu and all of your currently complete chompers will automatically be sold and your results will be displayed.



Jukebox

As you improve in your chompcrafting, you will become able to select different background music by pressing () and (R). You can also open the music selection screen by pressing (2). Songs will be unlocked by reaching different profit benchmarks as you sell off your chompers.



15 Menu Screen

Pressing \otimes on the world map or in towns or dungeons will display the menu screen.



Level

Characters level up when their EXP (experience points) exceeds a certain amount.

- 2 Menu options (p. 16–21)
- 3 Current funds (pg)
- Current job level and job

Job level indicates how good characters are at their current job. It goes up when the character earns a certain number of JP (job points), at which point they learn a new ability (such as magic or special attacks) specific to their current job.

5 Friend's Mii (p. 19)

The Mii characters of friends with whom you are linked via Abilink (p. 19) are displayed here.

6 HP and MP (p. 22)

Your current HP and MP/max HP



Ask Agnès button

Hear what Agnès has to say about your current situation or review old messages from her.

3 Current SP value

SP are points required to use Bravely Second (p. 26).

4 SP gauge

This gauge fills while your Nintendo 3DS system is in Sleep Mode. It takes eight hours to fill completely and earn one SP.

It is also possible to recover SP by using an SP Drink.

The SP gauge will fill even if you put your system into Sleep Mode without exiting the game. Putting the game into Sleep Mode in the middle of your playthrough will still allow you to regain SP.

5 SP menu button

Tap here to open the SP menu and purchase SP Drinks to restore your SP.

| Purchase (p. 33) | Use your Nintendo eShop balance to purchase SP Drinks. |
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| Use | Use your SP Drinks. One SP Drink will restore three SP. |

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16 Menus (1)



View information about the items you have on hand and use them on your party. Select an item and then a target, if applicable, to use it.



Use magic by selecting a spell and then a target.

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Obtaining New Magic

Magic can be used thanks to the abilities (p. 17) which your characters can acquire from certain jobs. There are different kinds of magic, including black magic (offensive spells) and white magic (healing spells), and you will need to acquire the necessary abilities and also obtain specific spell scrolls in order to use each spell.

♦ A few special kinds of magic, such as summoning magic, are acquired by other means and cannot be purchased in the form of scrolls.



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lower screen may display more detailed information and explanations.

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You can change you and your allies' jobs from here. When one of your characters changes jobs, their stats and appearance will change. Their proficiency with various weapons and armour can also change, along with the abilities which they can learn.

The number of jobs you have access to increase as you progress through your adventure.



Equipment Proficiency

Each job grants proficiency for different kinds of weapons and armour, which makes your characters more skillful at using those kinds of equipment. This proficiency is expressed in a range from A to E, plus the best possible ranking of S. The closer your proficiency is to S, the greater your characters' stats will be boosted by equipping that kind of weapon or armour. All jobs have full proficiency (S) for any light armour, hats, and accessories.

Abilities

Here you can set the support abilities you want your characters to have access to and

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also view your current job's abilities and specialties.

| Job Command | Set selected job commands. |
|----------------------|---|
| Support Abilities | Select a job, and then select an ability to set support abilities. |
| Fixed Commands | Move the cursor over this item to see a list of fixed commands on the lower screen. |
| Specialty | Move the cursor over this to see a description of the current job's specialty on the lower screen. |



Ability Categories

The abilities available to characters are categorised as follows:

Abilities available without being set

Fixed Commands These are the command abilities that have been learned for the current job.

Specialties These are abilities for the current job that take effect automatically.

Abilities that must be set

♦ Job Commands
 These are command abilities a character learns for each job.
 They only take effect when you use them.

Support Abilities These are abilities that take effect automatically if set. You can set as many support abilities as you have available slots.

18 Menu (3)

Equipment

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You can change a character's equipment from here.

On the upper screen, you can see which equipment your characters

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currently have donned and a full list of the equipment you have. On the lower screen, you will see how it affects your characters' stats and appearance.

Tap a on the lower screen to check out how your character looks on the upper screen.

Changing Equipment

Select the type of equipment you wish to change, and then select a new weapon or piece of armour to equip it. Selecting RECOMMENDED or OPTIMIZE will use the AI to determine an optimal arrangement of weapons and armour for your character.



Dual Wielding

Dual wielding refers to the ability to equip a weapon to both of your character's hands. With a weapon in each hand, you cannot hold a shield and so you open yourself to the chance to take major damage. You will be able to deal more blows by equipping two weapons, but the power behind each hit will also be lessened unless you have certain abilities set. Some weapons also regularly take two hands to wield, including bows, knuckles, and firearms. These weapons allow for powerful attacks to make up for this potential downside.

Special

Special moves become available once certain conditions have been satisfied in

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battle (p. 21). In this menu, you can change the various settings for your characters' special moves, including the conditions for triggering them.

Setting Conditions

Select TRIGGER CONDITION, and then choose a particular condition.



Setting Parts

Selecting a special move takes you to the Set Parts screen. From there, you can select the

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parts you want from the Part List to make your special moves stronger.

- The lower screen will display a list of special moves matching the selected type.
- The parts you can set will depend on the special move's type.

Special Move Names and Catchphrases

After selecting a character, select CUSTOMIZE NAMES, and then choose a special move to



change its name. Choose CATCHPHRASE to edit the special battle cry that the character will use when triggering his or her special move.



19 Tactics Menu (1)



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update data
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Unprotect (onYou can protect the
profiles of up to five
quests so they do

| Guest List) | not get deleted. |
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| Delete | Delete a selected profile. |

Your Profile

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When you select the friend menu, your own profile will appear on the lower screen. Touch your title to change it, or touch EDIT to change your short message. You can also touch the tab on the right side of the screen to change what information is displayed.

Friend Candidates

Fellow players who have been registered as friends on your Nintendo 3DS system but whose profiles you have not yet received for this game title will appear as "friend candidates".

Abilink

Abilink is a special feature that allows your characters to use abilities that a friend's characters have learned. You can link one friend to each of your characters.



 You cannot use Abilink to link with guests.

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20 Tactics Menus (2)







Status

Review your characters' stats and condition by viewing each of the four tabs: Stat Values, Base Values, Immunities, and Resistances. Touching each category within these tabs will provide you with more information about what it means.

2 Character's current appearance

Touch the screen and slide left or right to see your character's current appearance and equipment from all angles. You can also tap
to have the character displayed on the upper screen.

Immunities and Resistances

Some equipment and abilities can grant your characters resistance to status conditions and elements. Being resistant to a status condition (p. 27) will make a character immune to its ill effects. Resistance to a particular element (p. 27) can take one of the four following forms:

| Weak | Take more damage than usual. |
|---------|--|
| Resist | Take less damage than usual. |
| Absorb | HP recovers by the amount of damage taken. |
| Nullify | No damage is taken. |

Tactics Menus (3)

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Order

You can rearrange the order of your characters within the party. The party's leader (the

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character appearing at the top of the list) will be the one displayed on the world map, in towns, and so on.

Config

Change a variety of game settings, including sound settings and difficulty levels.

| Battle Settings | Set battle shortcuts and other options, like updating data when using Send. |
|---------------------|--|
| Sound Settings | Change volume settings for sound effects, background music, and voiceovers. |
| Message Settings | Change settings for text speed and language and for autoplaying scenes. |
| Game Settings | Change settings for operations, cursor defaults, and autosaving. |
| Difficulty | Turn destination markers on or off, and decide the strength of foes and how richly you are rewarded after battles. |

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22 Battle Screen

The battle screen is displayed when a battle is triggered by an event or when you randomly encounter enemies in dungeons or on the world map.

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2 Allies

The order of your allies depends on how you have decided to sort them. The leader of the party will appear farthest away (towards the left).





Tap this icon to view more

information about battle controls.

Battle commands

Select a command so that the battle can proceed.

3 GO! Button

After choosing your battle commands, selecting this button will set the next turn in motion. Characters who have not been given any battle commands will Default (p. 25).

4 BP

BP (brave points) can be used to increase the number of actions your characters can perform per turn or to use certain abilities.

5 HP and MP

HP decreases when taking an attack, and when it reaches zero, the character is KO'd. (p. 27). MP is required to use skills and magic.

6 SP menu button

Tap this icon to open the SP menu (p. 15).

7 SP

Your current SP. SP is needed to use Bravely Second (p. 26).

First Strike and Brave Attack

Battles may sometimes start with your enemies or your allies in the First Strike or Brave Attack state. First Strike grants one side of the battle the chance to perform actions without any interference on the first turn. Brave Attack allows all members of one side to begin the battle with +1 BP.



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Some battle controls and options will become available to you after reaching certain points in your adventure.

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How Battle Proceeds

Input battle commands (p. 24) and your party will fight. When all allies and enemies



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have acted, the next turn begins and you will once again have the opportunity to input battle commands.

Changing Action Speed

Press 🔂 during one of your allies' attacks to change how quickly actions play out in battle. You can set the speed to $1\times$, $2\times$, $4\times$, or pause the action.

Autobattle

Press () during a battle and you can choose a command set. Then select EXECUTE and autobattle will be enabled. Press 🕑 again to turn autobattle off.

Command Sets

All three of your command sets will initially be set so that all characters simply use Attack, but this can be overwritten with any actions of your choosing. You can also select REPEAT to have your party members repeat the actions taken on the most recent turn.

Sect Autobattle Menu Select one of your command sets and the following options will

appear:

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| Execute | Use the selected command set to continue battling automatically. |
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| Сору | Copy the commands you entered. |
| Use Command Set | Use a registered command set to select actions for all of your party members. |
| Save Commands | Save the actions you currently have selected as a command set. This option becomes available when you have set the cursor over GO! |

Ending Battles

Defeat all of your enemies to emerge victorious, and you will be taken to the results screen. On the

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lower screen, you will be able to see how much EXP, JP, and pg you earned, as well as any items or rewards you received.



Fight On

If you seize victory in a single turn, you will have the chance to take on new enemies with

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the Fight On option. The only catch is that BP state remains as it was, including any deficits you incurred during your turn. Winning

consecutive battles with this option will gain you greater rewards, if you are up to the challenge. Failing to defeat enemies in a single turn or selecting CALL IT QUITS will end your battle streak.

The message "Enemies lurk out of sight..." sometimes appears at the beginning of the battle. This message tells you that a consecutive battle will be triggered whether you like it or not.

Falling In Battle

When all of your characters' HP is reduced to



zero, the party will fall. Press (A) or (L) to return to the title screen and try again.

Battle Commands

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Attack a selected target with your equipped weapon(s).

Abilities

Choose job commands and fixed commands to use. Using abilities such as magic, you can attack,



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heal, or perform other actions on the target or targets you select.

Brave (p. 25)

Use BP to take more actions during a single turn.



Accumulate BP while defending for that turn.



Use the moves of friends or guests. You can also register or change the move you will send to others.

Items

Use items on hand or change your character's equipment. Select an item and then a target to use it on.

 You can still choose battle commands after changing a

character's equipment.

Some kinds of equipment can be used like items to produce different effects. Equip them and then select USE.

Using Equipment

Special Moves

Fulfil certain conditions and you will be able to use your special moves (p. 18). Select a

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special move, then choose a target or targets to attack or heal.

Bonuses and Chains

When you trigger a special move, your characters will receive certain bonus effects as long as the special background music continues. If you use another special move before the music returns to normal, you will be able to chain together bonuses so that they continue as long as you continue using special moves.

Run

Flee from battle. The whole party can flee as long as one person escapes successfully.



25 Special Commands



A character generally gets to perform one action per turn, but you can increase this number by using the battle commands Brave and Default. Enemies can also use Brave and Default in battle.



Select DEFAULT to accumulate BP while defending yourself to lessen the damage you



take. You can accumulate up to three BP maximum.

Take Extra Actions with Brave

Select BRAVE to use BP to increase the number of actions for the current turn (up to



four maximum). You can select Brave even when BP is zero, but once your BP ends up in the negative, you will not be able to take actions on subsequent turns until it returns to zero.

- You cannot select Default for a character who has used Brave during the same turn.
- Each character recovers one BP at the end of each turn.
- ◆ BP cannot be reduced beyond -4.

If you input a command which would reduce your BP further than this threshold, it will not be performed.

Duplicating Commands

When selecting targets for your commands or abilities, you can use () and (R) to change the number of times you wish to have the character perform that action. If you choose to perform an action more than once, it will automatically trigger Brave to borrow against your current BP.

Summoning Friends

Summon friends or guests (p. 26) to use their actions. Select the friend or guest you want to summon, the move you want to use, and then the target or targets to attack or heal.

Affinity

The more you use a friend's moves, the more your affinity with them will rise. The higher the affinity, the better the friend's move may perform.

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♦ Affinity does not affect guests.

🏂 Send (Friend Summoning) 👎

Register or change the profile you share with other players. Select SEND, then choose a battle command that you would like to make available when others summon your character in battle with Summon Friend.



26 Bravely Second

Bravely Second is an ability that allows your characters to act while the enemy is frozen in time. While Bravely Second is in effect, you can use SP (p. 15) to execute commands.

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Press **START** or SELECT during your command selection or during an action to

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activate Bravely Second and stop time.

🐉 Use SP to Perform Actions 🐔

Selecting a character followed by a command will display the SP cost for that action. Select GO! at this point to execute the selected



command. Bravely Second can be activated even when it will force SP into the negative, but if you choose to do so, you will not be able to use it again until your SP returns to zero.

◆ SP cost varies by command.

You can use Brave and special moves during Bravely Second. When using Brave, however, SP will be consumed instead of BP.

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Other Battle Tips

Elements and Families

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Equipment and abilities can have elements and different effects upon specific

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families. Using them to strike at a foe's weakness will allow you to deal far greater damage than usual. Elements are aspects of nature, like fire, water, wind, earth, lightning, darkness, and light. Furthermore, enemies are divided into families such as humans or humanoids, beasts, aerial and aquatic monsters, bugs, plants, the undead, demons, and the inorganic.

Using the Examine ability, you should be able to check your enemy's family and any weakness it might have.

Status Ailments

Status ailments may result when a character is struck by certain attacks or magic in battle or traps in dungeons. You can generally use items or magic to cure them. Many common status ailments are described below.

 Some status ailments also naturally go away after a battle ends.



| КО | When characters' HP reaches zero, they become unable to take further action. |
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| Poison | Poisoned characters suffer damage at the end of each turn. They also continue to take damage after the battle ends. |
| Blind | Characters' accuracy suffers, making it harder to land hits or evade enemy attacks. |
| Silence | Abilities like magic, which require verbal commands, become unavailable. |
| Sleep | Sleeping characters are unable to act, but will wake when attacked. |
| Paralyze | Paralysed characters cannot act or evade incoming attacks. |
| Dread | Prevents characters from using Brave or Default, and reduces any accumulated BP to zero. |
| Confused | Confused characters may attack allies or even flee from battle. |

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28 Sending/Receiving Profiles



Each player profile you receive from StreetPass or other means will be saved as either a friend or a guest.

 You can get the latest profiles from your friends by using Update Data (p. 32).

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If you receive the profile of someone whom you have registered as a friend on your Nintendo 3DS system, that profile will be saved as a friend in Bravely Second as well. You can only keep a maximum of twenty profiles at a time. Once you exceed this number, you will have to choose a profile to delete before you can save any additional friends.

 Al friends (p. 11) are also automatically registered as friends.

Guests

Player profiles received from nonfriends using Add Friends (p. 31) or StreetPass (p. 30) will be registered as guests. You can only keep a maximum of twenty profiles at a time. Once you exceed this number, these guest profiles will be deleted automatically, starting with the oldest.

 Guest profiles cannot be used for Abilink (p. 19).



29 Sending Ba'als



Touch the Ba'al icon



on the moon base to open the Ba'al menu.



| Fire | Fire upon the Ba'al with your buster ships to weaken it. Your friends' (p. 28) ships can also join in on the barrage. |
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| Engage | Start a battle (p. 22) against the Ba'al. Ba'al disappear after being defeated. |
| Target Level | Set a target level which you hope to reach by firing upon the Ba'al with your buster ships. Your ships will automatically cease firing once the Ba'al's level has been lowered to the target level. |
| Protect | Protect certain Ba'al so that they will not be deleted in the event that you receive data for more than seven Ba'al (the maximum number). |
| Send | Choose a Ba'al to be sent out via StreetPass. |
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Exchanging Profiles (StreetPass) 🔊

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If you enable StreetPass, your profile will automatically be sent to other players who have enabled StreetPass for this game whenever your systems are near one another.

Enabling StreetPass

If you have not enabled StreetPass for this game, select UPDATE STREETPASS from the save menu (p. 11–12) and enable StreetPass.

Updating StreetPass Data

When you have passed by other players, you will be able to retrieve and view their profiles by selecting UPDATE STREETPASS from the save menu.

 You can also receive new profiles by tapping on the 200 in the moon base menu.

Stopping StreetPass

To deactivate StreetPass for this title, open the System Settings for your system in the Nintendo 3DS family. Select DATA MANAGEMENT, and then STREETPASS MANAGEMENT. Touch the icon for this software title, then select DEACTIVATE STREETPASS.



host. Once the host is found, select the host's name from the list to make a friend request. The host can

then choose whether to accept the guest's request.

2. Completing Friend Registration

Friend registration will be complete once the host approves the guest's request.



About Online Interactions

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- Receiving data for guest (p. 26) profiles (once per day)
- · Receiving data for new Ba'als



33 SP Drinks



You must have sufficient Nintendo

eShop funds to purchase SP Drinks. If you do not have enough funds, you can select ADD FUNDS to add more.

A Nintendo eShop Card or a credit card is needed to add Nintendo eShop funds.

To save time when adding Nintendo eShop funds again, it is possible to register the credit card information and protect it with a password.

The credit card information can be deleted at any time in Nintendo eShop by going to SETTINGS/ OTHER and selecting SETTINGS.

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