ALL ABOUT PACHINKO

PACHINKO! It's the sound. 500 steel balls springing through gold nail mazes, spinning wheels, falling into jackpots. The noise made by the steel balls as they drop and hit each other at the bottom of the machine sounds like "PA CHIN KO", so the Japanese coined the word PACHINKO for the name of their game.

And PACHINKO is the game of Japan. In fact, it is more like the Japanese national sport.

PACHINKO began in Japan in 1950, and crazily swept through the country faster than its falling steel balls! Today in Tokyo you'll find almost 8,000 Pachinko Arcades -- and at least 800,000 Japanese playing at any given moment! In fact, 170 Pachinko Parlors are reserved strictly for children.

What do the Japanese see in PACHINKO? Just one flick of the lever is fun, exciting, and a great way to relieve frustration. It's a relaxing pastime - that tests both your skill and the dexterity of your fingertips. And all you have to do is develop the PACHINKO touch to become a fan!

YOUR PACHINKO MACHINE

Your machine is delicate - however it is not complicated. It is easy for you to figure out how it works by watching the back of the machine as someone plays. We suggest you do this once or twice to familiarize yourself with the machine's operation. This will unquestionably add to your enjoyment of PACHINKO.

If the face of your machine is different from the one you saw on display or in the ad, do not be alarmed. This is part of the fun of PACHINKO -- many different playing boards.

Your machine has been manufactured by Nishijin, the largest PACHINKO manufacturer in Japan. It has been removed directly from one of the famous parlors along the Ginza of Tokyo and completely reconditioned by the largest exporter of Nishijin PACHINKO in Japan. Less than two years old, your PACHINKO has many years of perfect performance left, if you carefully follow the operating instructions inside this booklet.

No electrical source is needed to play PACHINKO. It works completely by the weight of the steel balls and the force of gravity. The wires connected on the back of the machine are only for the "jackpot" light and the "empty" light.

RULES FOR PLAYING PACHINKO

There are no set rules or way to play PACHINKO. Simply activate the machine and continue to flip the lever until you decide to quit. The Japanese sometimes have five or six balls up on the playing board at one time. Each jackpot will return you 15 prize balls.

Pachinko is great at parties! Give each guest 25 balls. Within 60 seconds he must try to accumulate as many balls as possible. The person with the most wins. Or, let the person continue to play until he thinks it's time to stop. The true gambler won't be able to stop until he's cleaned out.

IT'S FASCINATING. IT'S EXCITING. IT'S FUN.
IT'S PA CHIN KO -- JAPAN'S ALL AMERICAN GAME!
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HOW TO ACTUATE YOUR PACHINKO MACHINE

1. Unwrap the steel balls and save the plastic cup.

2. Open the front panel by lifting up hard on the panel locking lever (16). Lift out the plastic face plate and remove paper coverings. Replace the plastic in the grooves closest to the game playing surface (when front panel is closed) or the balls will not go up the shooting rails properly.

3. CHECK - Be sure Dump Lever (17) is in shut position - up. Then put approximately 480 balls (85%) into the Supply Tray (9). Some should pass through the tubes and stop in the reward storage tray (11). If they do not, refer to diagrams O and E on the back of this booklet.

4. When a ball enters a win pocket it falls down and actuates the pay-off actuator (10). The interlocking device (12) opens and sends 14 prize balls to the feeding tray (2) and the jackpot ball falls to the Receiver Tray (7). If this does not happen refer to diagram O on back. As the balls are delivered to the feeding tray the bell rings -- no power source is needed for this. The win light (15) will flash on if a battery attachment is connected.

5. Balls which land in the lost hole (4) are carried to the reward storage tray (11) for future use.

6. When removing the balls entirely from the rear of your machine, push down on the dump lever (17). Balls in both the supply tray (9) and the reward storage tray (11) pass through the machine and are discharged into the plastic cup which you must place in the machine in position (13). The plastic cup fits awkwardly. This is because the cup must be larger than the holder to hold all 500 balls.

7. Every so often take all of the balls out of the machine and clean them with a soft lintless cloth like an old T-shirt. This will prolong the life of your machine. NEVER transport Pachinko in its box without first removing all of the balls from inside the machine. Flip the playing lever to be sure no balls are in the playing mechanism.

HOW TO PLAY PACHINKO

1. Put approximately 50 Pachinko Balls (15%) into the feeding tray (2). Push down on the playing lever (6) with the thumb of your right hand and let it flip back up. Now the game is ready to play. If there are not enough balls in the supply tray (9) the machine will automatically lock and the game will not pay off. Always be sure that there are balls in the supply tray (9). This is the first thing to check if your machine does not run properly.

2. Shooting the balls into different positions on the playing board varies according to how hard you push down on the playing lever (6), and the position of the fingers on the finger rest bar (8). Diagram H on the back shows the proper hand position.

3. Balls are shot upward into the playing board - more than one at a time if you wish - and fall downward through guiding nails moving left and right irregularly on their own and sometimes enter a win pocket. When a ball enters a win pocket 15 prize balls are returned. Otherwise the ball is taken into the lost hole (4) and returned to the back of the game.

4. When the balls get low in the supply tray (9) refill from the reward storage tray (11) and continue to play. If you run out of balls in the feeding tray (2) refill from the reward storage tray (11).

5. To remove balls from the feeding tray (2) slide the feeding tray release (5) to your left. The balls will fall to the receiver tray (7).
A. STAND THE MACHINE.

DO NOT LAY FLAT EVER.

B. PUT THE BALANCE APPROXIMATELY 50 BALLS INTO THE FEEDING TRAY (2).

C. PUT APPROXIMATELY 450 BALLS INTO THE SUPPLY TRAY (3).

D. CHECK THE ROUTE OF THE BALLS.

SOME BALLS SHOULD HAVE ARRIVED HERE

E. UNLOCK SAFETY AS SHOWN

IF A BALL GOES INTO A HOLE AND YOU DO NOT RECEIVE A PAYOFF

F. HOW TO OPEN THE FACE PLATE.

1. DRAW OUT THE PIN

2. PULL UP HARD ON THE LEVER.

G. PUSH PAYOFF ACTUATOR TO THE LEFT. IT IS THE RED OR WHITE WHEEL.

H. FLIP THE HANDLE WITH THUMB OF THE RIGHT HAND.

IF YOU FLIP THE HANDLE AND NOTHING HAPPENS, FLIP THE HANDLE WHILE LOOKING AT THE BACK OF THE MACHINE, BOTTOM LEFT HAND CORNER. THE METAL WIRE THAT IS MOVING WITH THE LEVER SHOULD BE PUSHING THAT CLEAR PIECE OF PLASTIC BACK AND FORTH. IF IT IS NOT, MOVE THE PLASTIC OVER THE WIRE AND TRY IT.