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**Megaman 7 • Kirby's Ghost Trap
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The Virtual Boy goes on sale in America this month for US\$179.95 and strength of sales over there will determine when Nintendo's new toy will be released in

Australia. The number of games for the system has been increasing every month as more third party developers jump aboard the good ship VeeBee and some of the new games make great use of the Virtual Boy's 3D capabilities.

VIRTUAL BOY



MARIO CLASH

This appears to be quite similar to the original Mario Bros game, but Mario has

both platforms and Zelda-style overhead sections to contend with, not to mention the hordes of Koopa Troopas coming at him from all angles!



MARIO'S DREAM TENNIS

Mario, Luigi, Yoshi, Donkey Kong Jr and the rest of the Nintendo home team go head to head in a jolly round of tennis or two. The perspective is from behind your player and there's some great 3D effects with the ball being hit around the court most impressively.

GALACTIC PINBALL

The Virtual Boy is the machine most likely to be able to present a decent pinball sim, something that has eluded most consoles so far. There are five tables which scroll up and down, following the ball's movement, and there are several layers of depth to the tables.



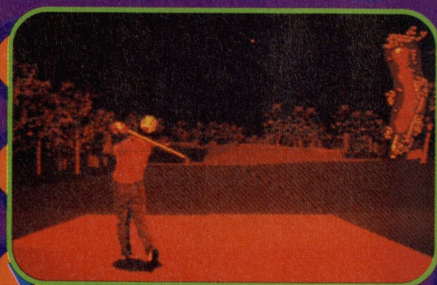
RED ALARM

A 3D space shooter from T&E Soft that at first glance resembles a wire frame version of Starwing, although the impression of depth and movement are much more pronounced.



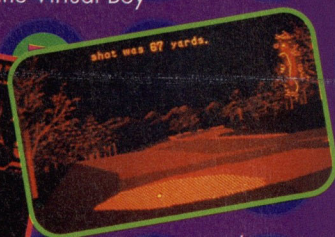
VERTICAL FORCE

A standard vertical shoot 'em up from Hudson Soft in which your ship can move in and out of the scenery in two planes. The gameplay is nothing original, but the visual effects are great.



T&E GOLF

A standard golf game, but the 3D effects provided by the Virtual Boy



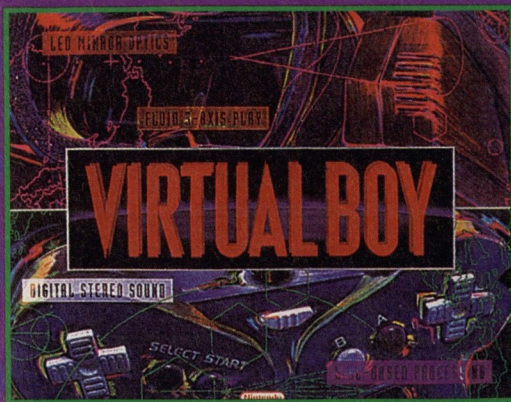
result in great presentation and lots of zooming in and out with the ball.



VIRTUAL LEAGUE BASEBALL

The Japanese love baseball, so it's no surprise that one of the first games for the Virtual Boy





VIRTUAL TETRIS

Tetris has turned up on just about every piece of electrical equipment ever



3D RPG

We couldn't translate the title of this game from I'Max, but it's very much a Dungeons & Dragons-style maze game. Spooky locations and a heavy RPG theme will make this game a winner in Japan for sure.

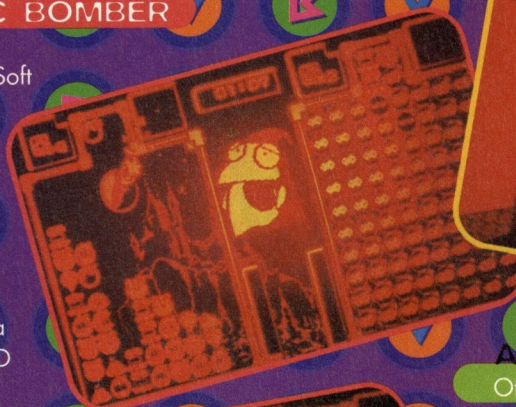
is based upon this sport. Kemco are responsible for this



invented, and the Virtual Boy is no exception. The catch, however, is that you have two layers of blocks which can be rotated around the screen, thus effectively doubling the excitement!

PANIC BOMBER VB

Hudson Soft has also has a Tetris-style puzzle game on the way which is a 3D



game, and it is quite like their Super NES baseball game.

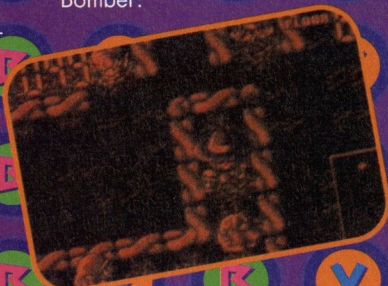
JACK BROS

An overhead perspective adventure game from Atlus in the mould of Gauntlet. You take your pick of three cute little imps and wander around in search of



keys and the like while vanquishing any monsters that dare to cross your path.

adaptation of the Super NES game Panic Bomber.



AND THE REST...

Other games which have been announced for the Virtual Boy include Waterworld from Ocean, based on the Kevin Costner film; Teleroboxer, a 3D boxing game with robots; an as yet unnamed RPG from Square Soft, and Wario Cruise from Nintendo. According to Nintendo, dozens of third party software publishers have been clamouring to develop games for the Virtual Boy and the fruits of which should be appearing over the next year.