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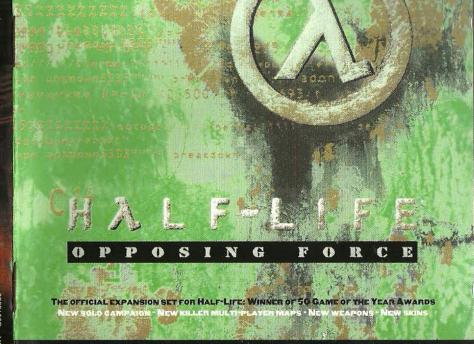
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FOREWORD

You are now a member of the Armed Forces of the United States. That Army is made up of free citizens chosen from among a free people. The American people of their own will, and through the people they have elected to represent them in Congress, have determined that the free institutions of this country will continue to exist. They have declared that, if necessary, we will defend our right to live in our own American way and continue to enjoy the benefits and privileges which are granted to the citizens of no other nation. It is upon you, and the many thousands of your comrades now in the military service, that our country has placed its confident faith that this defense will succeed should it ever be challenged.

The things that a trained soldier must know, and the way in which they are done, will be taught you as rapidly as you can absorb them. The basic military information is described and explained in this handbook so that it may be available constantly to you. By mastering the contents your future progress will be much more rapid.

You will have little time to learn the duties of a noncommissioned officer after you become one. You will be expected to know those duties and show that you know them. At a moment's notice you may have to take charge of your squad as a corporal - and in a critical hour.

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GETTING STARTED

TO ENGAGE MISSION

(Install Opposing Force)

Insert the game CD into your CD-ROM drive. If your CD-ROM drive has AutoPlay enabled, click the "Install Op For" button and follow the instructions. If AutoPlay is not enabled, double-click on the "My Computer" icon on your desktop. Double-click on the CD-ROM drive icon. Follow the installation instructions. If Opposing Force does not begin installing immediately, double-click on auto-run.exe.

Once the game has installed, you'll be given the option to play OpFor immediately, or you may choose to play the game at anytime by selecting Half-Life: Opposing Force from your start menu.

WHAT EVERY SOLDIER MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH

(Minimum System Requirements)

Windows® 95, Windows 98 or Windows NT
Pentium® 133
24 MB RAM
2X CD-ROM drive
Mouse and Keyboard
640x480 SVGA high color (16-bit) display
Windows-compatible sound device
125 MB HD space (Half-Life must be installed)

WHAT YOUR COUNTRY RECOMMENDS

(Recommended System Requirements)

Pentium® 166+, 32 MB RAM
3D accelerator card (OpenGL or Direct 3D)
32-bit Internet service provider with 28.8+ modem or Local Area Network

THE MAIN MENU

The Half-Life: Opposing Force Main Menu can be accessed at any time during a game by hitting the Escape key. Use your mouse or the up and down arrow keys to navigate inside of the Main Menu. As with the original Half-Life, hitting the Escape key at any time will go to the previous screen. Below, options within the menu system that are new to Opposing Force are described.

Before starting a game, your Main Menu choices include:

New Game Boot Camp Configuration Load Game Multiplayer View Readme.txt Previews Quit

NEW GAME

As in Half-Life, when you choose "New Game" to undertake your mission, you'll be asked to choose a level of difficulty.

Easy: Enemies are weak and are easy to kill.

Medium: Enemies do more damage but are easy to kill.

Difficult: Enemies do more damage and are difficult to kill.

BOOT CAMP

Access the Boot Camp at any time to learn the skills necessary to a soldier. These skills include operating your new Powered Vest and Night Vision goggles, learning to fire new weapons and learning how to work with your squad as a team. The Boot Camp also includes obstacle courses, rope climbing towers and radio training. Even if you have completed Half-Life, it is recommended that you visit the Boot Camp prior to beginning your primary Opposing Force mission.

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