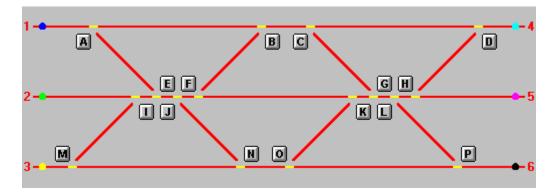
The Train Game by Philip Ross

The Train Game allows you to control trains through a section of track. In this simulation you can control the <u>points</u> on the track. If two trains crash into each other the game is over.



There are three levels of difficulty, <u>easy</u>, <u>medium</u> and <u>hard</u>.

Game Menu Options Menu



Changing Points

Trains will travel only where track (red) or a point (yellow) is shown. You need to set points to indicate the direction the train should travel in. If a point is set against an approaching train, the train will stop.

To change a point you need to click on the button nearest the point, or press the key indicated on the button.

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Game Menu

New - This starts a new game. You can either select this option from the menu or you can select the button 'New Game' or press F2.

Pause - This temporarily pauses the game. Selecting it once pauses the game, selecting it again restarts the game. To pause a game you can select this item from the meny, select the button 'Pause' or press F3.

High Scores - This displays a list of the top ten high scores.

Open, **Save** - Used to save your games to disk and reload them at a later date.

Exit - This quits The Train Game.

Options Menu Contents

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Music - This brings up a CD player dialog so you can play standard audio CDs. Once a CD has been put in the drive the buttons on the CD player will be enabled.

Sound Effects - This allows you to select whether you want no sound effects, 'beeps' through the PC speaker or sampled sounds on a sound card.

Speed - This allows you to select the speed the simulation will run at. The speeds can also be selected using the function keys F4 to F8.

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Easy

You get six trains on screen at a time and you have to get each through the section without any crashes.

Medium

This is the same as <u>easy</u> except you will occasionally get an express train which has to leave on an indicated track.

Hard

This is the same as <u>medium</u> except you lose score if an express train stops.