

**YAGAC**

Balrog Soft

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# Chapter 1

## YAGAC

### 1.1 YAGAC.guide

YAGAC v0.8β

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English

### 1.2 English

Instructions in English

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What is YAGAC?

Requeriments

Tutorial

LEGAL STUFF READ THIS

Contact with the autor

Others productions

Please, Send me an email with opinions,

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## 1.3 What is YAGAC

What is YAGAC?

YAGAC is Yet, Another Graphic Adventure Creator, a new graphic adventure creator, with YAGAC you will make Commercial Graphics Adventures.

Take your mouse you only need a mouse to create a graphic adventure.

With~this preview version you only can edit 2 ROOMS.

YAGAC Package has a language for graphic adventures called LAGA, click on tutorial to see LAGA commands.

When you create an adventure with YAGAC, the editor writes a LAGA source, and you can modify in a text editor!!!

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## 1.4 Requeriments

Requirements

Workbench 2.04+, only one...

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## 1.5 Tutorial

Tutorial

LAGA Commands (LAnguaje for Graphic Adventures)

Please read this first!!!!

OBJECT is ever the object number, never internal name.

IMPORTANT!!! ONLY ONE COMMAND IN A LINE!!!! IMPORTANT!!!!

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EVER WRITE in CAPITAL LETTERS

See sources/Tutorial.yagac with YAGACed to see an example.

Defining data:

```
SPRITEBANK["file.abk"]
FONT["Name.font",SIZE]
```

Defining anims:

```
WLKUP[Image1,Image2,ImageX,....]
```

```
WLKDOWN,WLKLEFT,WLKRIGHT,STPUP,STPDOWN,STPRIGHT,STPLEFT,TALKUP,TALKDOWN
TALKLEFT,TALKRIGHT,PICKUPUP,PICKUP_DOWN,PICKUPLLEFT,PICKUPRIGHT.
```

You must use this commands as WLKUP command

```
XSPEED[PIXELSBYFRAME]
YSPEED[PIXELSBYFRAME]
SPEED[DELAYINANIMS] 1 unit -> 50ths of second
```

```
TALKSPEED[DELAYINANIM] 1 unit -> 50ths of second
```

Defining user anims:

```
USERDEF[Number,Delay,im1,im2,imx,...]
```

Delay in "talks user anims delay" are 50ths of second, but in other anims are the same but multiply by 10.

im1, im2, imx are the images of the sprite bank

```
NROOM[ROOMS] -> number of rooms in the adventure
SROOM[ROOM] -> number of the start room (the first room of the adventure)
MROOM[ROOM,MUSIC] -> set music in a room (MUSIC is a number)
```

Objects:

```
OBJECT[NUM,TYPE,(DEGREE/VARVAL/USAGE),PRIO,ACTIV,OBJDEF,OBJROOM,"INNAME","EXNAME",↔
INVSHAPE,XPOS,YPOS(,SECONDBOB)]
```

NUM -> internal number of object

TYPE -> 3 types of objects

0 for MANAGEABLE -> You can use this type of objects, and pick up

1 for EXITS -> are the same than Doors

2 for DECORATIONS -> they are only decoration, but you can interact with ↔ them

(DEGREE/VARVAL/USAGE)

for type 0 -> degree of use, 0 for low or 1 for high (high use are USE OBJECT ↔ WITH OBJECT)

for type 1 -> status of VARIABLE VALUE exits objects 0 or 1 (ex: 0 -> door ↔ closed, 1 -> door open)

for type 2 -> with usage 0, objects has a normal use, with usage 1, object is ↔  
only an anim.

#### VARIABLE VALUE

this variable is an internal variable to control DOORS.

#### Example:

VARVAL=0 is closed door

VARVAL=1 is open door

and second bob is the shape of the object when VARVAL turns to 1

#### PRIORITY

0 for priority -1 ever at background

1 for priority 0 you can walk in background and top

2 for priority 1 ever at top

#### ACTIVATE

0 for a hide object

1 for activate object

#### OBJDEF

This is the image number of the sprite bank (2 - ?) for this object

#### OBJROOM

The room where object is locate

#### "INNAME"

Internal name for object (only if the source code is loaded in YAGAC)

#### "EXNAME"

Name of the object in the adventure

#### INVSHAPE

This is the image number of the sprite bank for the inventory object shape

#### XPOS

X cord for locate object

#### YPOS

Y Cord for locate object

#### SECONDBOB

This argument is only for type 1 objects. This is the image number for swap ↔  
with the objdef if the varval change to 1.

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MARK[NUM,XPOS,YPOS,DI]

You can use this command if you want to assign a position for the MAN when you ←  
click in a object

NUM is the object

XPOS Xcord for the mark

YPOS Ycord for the mark

DI is the direction for the man in the mark

DI=1 for DOWN  
DI=2 for UP  
DI=3 for LEFT  
DI=4 for RIGHT

SMARK[NUM,XPOS,YPOS,DI]

This command is the same of MARK but, you use this to assign the start ←  
position of MAM in a room

Changes with MARK

NUM is the room

DVERB[NUM,"phrase"] (DTALK,DUSE,DLOOK,DPICK,etc)

With this command you can assign a phrase for the man when an action are ←  
ordering.

NUM is the object

Example:

```
DTALK[1,"I cant"]
```

this command is the same that(SEE LAGA STRUCTURE):

```
IF TALK(1)  
    SHOWTEXT "I cant",0  
ENDIF
```

QUESTION[PAGE,POS,"Phrase"]

with this command you can design the dialogs phrases

PAGE, page of dialog  
POS 1 to 5, five phrases to write  
PHRASE the phrase.

PAGE[NUM,POSPHRASE,JUMP,CLEAR,EXIT]

with this command you can design the dialogs pages

NUM number page

---



POSPHRASE phrase position  
 JUMP if you want to jump to another page if you click in this phrase , 0 no ↔  
 jump  
 CLEAR delete the phrase when somebody click on it with value 1  
 EXIT -1 if is the goodbye phrase, other values is for text answer (SEE BELOW)

Example:

Dialog: Hello  
 How old are you?  
 Bye

LAGA Dialog:

QUESTION[1,1,"Hello"]                   -> Design the first phrase of the ↔  
     first dialog  
 QUESTION[1,2,"How old are you?"]       -> Design the second phrase of the ↔  
     first dialog  
 QUESTION[1,3,"Bye"]                   -> Design the third phrase of the ↔  
     first dialog  
  
 PAGE[1,1,0,0,0]   -> Design the first  
 PAGE[1,2,0,0,0]  
 PAGE[1,3,0,0,-1]

TEXT[NUM,OBJ,ANIM,TEXT]

This is for the answer of dialogs

NUM for text number  
 OBJ the object to talk  
 ANIM anim of object talking  
 TEXT the text that the object says

MUSIC[NUM,"music.mod"]

with this command you assign mods for your game

NUM number of the music  
 "music.mod" name of the mod

-/- STRUCTURES -/-

LAGA have commands to organize actions, this command are:

IF CONDITION

    STAMENTS

ENDIF

multiple conditions:

```

IF CONDITION
  IF CONDITION
    STAMENTS
  ENDIF
ENDIF

```

the conditions can be:

OBJECT is the number object

all conditions of an object present this structure

```
DEFATT(OBJECT)
```

```

  IF CONDITION
    STAMENTS
  ENDIF

```

```
ENDATT
```

```
ENDDEF
```

ENDATT means the finish of conditions of this objects  
and ENDEF is necessary too.

```
IF VERB(OBJECT)
```

VERB can be TALK, USE, LOOK, etc

mean: IF YOU TALK WITH OBJECT THEN STAMENTS

```
IF ITEM(OBJECT)=0/1
```

mean: IF OBJECT IS IN INVENTORY THEN STAMENTS 0 object in room, 1 object in inventory ↔

```
IF VAR(NUMBER)=>/</>/<<NUM
```

mean: IF INTERNALS VARIABLE NUMBER IS NUM THEN STAMENTS

» IS > OR EQUAL

« IS < OR EQUAL

```
IF SCENE(ROOM)
```

mean: IF MAN IS IN SCENE ROOM THEN STAMENTS

```
IF STATUS(OBJECT)=0/1
```

mean: IF VARVAL OF OBJECT IS 0/1 THEN STAMENTS

STAMENTS:

```
VAR(NUM)=1
```

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Let the internal variable num to 1 or anything number

variants: VAR(NUM)=+1

is the same that ADD to VAR(NUM) the number 1

VAR(NUM)=-1

is the same of VAR(NUM)=-1 but with minus

SHOWTEXT "Text",OBJECT

Object says an message "Text"

OBJECT 0 is the man

If object>0 then you need define a TEXT command for the object

OBJPOS (OBJECT)=XPOS,YPOS

Locate OBJECT in a new position

CMARK (OBJECT)=XPOS,YPOS

Locate OBJECT mark in a new position

DMARK (OBJECT)=DI

Change OBJECT MARK direction

OBJUPDATE

Redraws all objects

OBJACTIVATE (OBJECT)

Show the OBJECT

OBJDESACT (OBJECT)

Hide the OBJECT

ADDITEM (OBJECT)

Add OBJECT to inventory

DELITEM (OBJECT)

Delete and object to inventory

DVERB (OBJECT)="Text"

Change descriptions actions of an OBJECT

TOUCH (OBJECT)=0/1

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Change usage of an OBJECT

CHANGESCENE (ROOM)

Change to another ROOM

DIALOG (PAGE)

Start an a dialog PAGE

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## 1.6 How to use

How to use

This is a preview demo, and you only can make simple examples, but you can see how work the program.

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## 1.7 ORDER

Legal stuff

YAGAC v0.8B is a preview freeware version, you can distributing free  
If this program will appear in a magazine, the magazine must send to me  
an email with the petition. Future versions wont be freeware, otherwise  
I'll write the system of distribution in this package.

Write to my direction to all suggestions.

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## 1.8 Contact with the autor

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Contact with the autor

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## 1.9 Others productions of Balrog Soft

Other productions of Balrog Soft

Assigner Pro - Assign your disk, make scripts and add assigns  
in your user-startup

Game Boy Ripper - Game boy GFX Ripper....

Mpeg Play GUI - Front end for any mpeg player

Bomb - Clone of scorched tanks

Mouse Flash - Replaced the command Lmouse

Ceporro 2000, Artificial Intelligency program in spanish.

Irc Encrypter - A irc encrypter, only for Amiga!!!

Amitamagochi - The best tamagotchi simulator for Amiga.

Remember Day - This program remember to you special days.

Future productions

Amitamagochi final version(Delayed or canceled ???), and Game Boy  
Ripper final version. And more....

YAGAC Final version

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