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This file contains information on the following topics and includes the form necessary for registration of this program.   Please read the **Read Me First** topic before using the program:

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Business Policies
(these policies are in effect from 4/1/93)

The following information describes **PSD's** policies regarding version changes, program updates, registration and pricing, notification of updates and other aspects that we will follow in conducting business with our customers.   All information is subject to change without prior notice.

Versions
Major versions are released for the initial program, when major changes are made to the user interface, and when additional functions and options are added to the program.

Minor versions are released when changes are made to existing functions and options, when making minor changes to the user interface, and when improvements are made to make the program easier to use.

Bug Fix versions are released when errors are noticed and corrected.

The following example indicates how to interpret our version numbers:
      VideoPoker V.1.2bS.
              V = version. 1 = Major version. 2 = minor update. b = bugs fixed.
              S = shareware.

Note: PSD reserves the right to make or not make changes to any of its titles.   The above version information is provided as a guideline that we will strive to maintain.   PSD will try to resolve any problems you may have with the operation of our software, but no promises are being made that we will be able to do so.

Registration and Pricing
The following information tells you what you get for registering a shareware product produced by **PSD**.

PSD pricing policy on its shareware products is as follows:

Customers who register any shareware product purchased through **PSD** will automatically be eligible for a 20% discount on all future registration and/or licensing fees.   **Products must be registered through PSD** for discount to apply.   **PSD's** shareware titles are denoted by an 's' or 'S' following the version number.

All customers who have registered programs prior to April 1, 1993 are also eligible for the 20% discount.

All registered customers are entitled to minor updates and bug fixes of registered titles free of charge.

Registered users are entitled to major updates of the same title at 50% off the price listed in the registration document included with the software.   The 20% discount also applies. As an example of your cost:
      Registration price for Version 2.1s of Casino BlackJack for Windows is $10.   You are a
      registered user of Version 1.Xs of Casino BlackJack for Windows.   Your cost would be
      $4 ($5 x 80%) + applicable sales tax.

Registration of a program automatically registers you for minor updates and bug fixes to that program. No additional registration is required.

Notification

To be notified of major releases, minor updates, and bug fixes to registered titles, please include your GEnie, CompuServe, or America Online address when registering the program.   Users of the previous information services will receive notice when changes are made to a program.   You may also call, write, or send e-mail to PSD to inquire about updates.

File Information
Included in each of our programs (with the exception of Casino BlackJack for Windows versions 2.0 and below, and Corporate Traders) is a dialog box that contains information on all of the files that were distributed with the program.   This information is provided to help ensure that you are getting all the files that were distributed and that none have been modified.   If you feel that a file has been modified or find that one is missing, please contact us.

Miscellaneous
All programs are tested for viruses prior to uploading.   All programs are also available with an automated installation routine for an additional cost of **US$5.00** to cover shipping and handling.

Note: All prices, terms, and policies are subject to change without notice.

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If you have a question, comment, or complaint you can reach us:

via mail:
       Pyramid Software Development
       2651 Sunset Blvd., #903
       Rocklin, CA   95677-4242
via phone:
       (916) 624-9543
via electronic mail, send messages to:
       GEnie: R.COUCH3
       CompuServe: 71652,3125
       America Online: PyramidSft

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This topic contains notes regarding **The Fastest Mouse** from **Pyramid Software Development**.

COMMDLG.DLL
The COMMDLG.DLL file included with **The Fastest Mouse** is a file distributed with Microsoft Windows 3.1 by Microsoft.   If you are using Windows 3.1 you can delete this file.   If you are using Windows 3.0 place this file in the directory where the Windows System Files are installed. Usually this is C:\Windows\System.

REGISTER.EXE
The REGISTER.EXE program is a utility that modifies **The Fastest Mouse** program.   Upon registering the program, you will be sent, via electronic mail or postal service, a PASSWORD that will give you access to all features of **The Fastest Mouse**.   REGISTER.EXE must reside in the same directory as FSTMOUSE.EXE when you register the program.

Once you have registered the program REGISTER.EXE is no longer needed and may be deleted.   Be sure to make an archived copy of your game files before deleting.

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The Fastest Mouse V.1.0s
Registration form

Please Print this form out and fill in the blanks or include the same information on a plain sheet of paper.

Name: _____
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Address: _____
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Apt./Ste.: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zipcode: _____

Name of Software:
(if using separate form)   _____
_

Number of Copies: _____
Price per copy:
(see note below) _____

Subtotal: _____
CA sales tax @ 7.25%:
(for California addresses) _____

Total: _____

GEnie, CompuServe, America Online, or Internet electronic mailing address:
(for sending of Password and Update notification)   _____

Where did you get this program?   (please circle one)
America Online   CompuServe
GEnie   Other BBS
Distributor/Vendor   Friend
Other

NOTE: The registration fee for **The Fastest Mouse** is US$5.00.   If you are a previously registered user of another **PSD** shareware product, your cost is only US$4.00.   For California addresses, sales tax for one unit is $.36 for a unit price of US$5.00 and $.29 for a unit price of US$4.00.

Make checks and money orders payable to:
Pyramid Software Development
2651 Sunset Blvd., # 903
Rocklin, CA 95677

Distributor and Vendor Information

Anyone wishing to charge people a fee for giving them a copy of **The Fastest Mouse** must have the written authorization of the author, without which, the distributor is guilty of copyright violation.   To receive such authorization, send this completed application, along with a copy of your software library's order form to:

Pyramid Software Development
2651 Sunset Blvd., #903
Rocklin, CA 95677-4242

Include $7 to cover the cost of processing the application and of sending you the latest version of this program.   For distributors already recognized by the **Association of Shareware Professionals**, this application is not necessary.

Name of Organization: _____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

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TERMS OF DISTRIBUTION LICENSING AGREEMENT
FOR **THE FASTEST MOUSE**:

1.   The fee charged may not exceed $5, including postage, mailer
      and any other charges.

2.   Your library's catalog or listing must state that this program
      is not free, but is copyrighted software that is provided to
      allow the user to evaluate it before paying.

3.   The offering and sale of this program will be stopped at any time
      the author so requests.

4.   Copies must be made from the copy of **The Fastest Mouse** sent to you with
      this agreement. This is required for control purposes.

5.   Problems or complaints about the program will be reported to
      the author for investigation.   In return for a license to
      charge a fee for the distribution of **The Fastest Mouse**, I
      agree to comply with the above terms of distribution.

      Signed,

      _____   _____
      your signature   date

      _____   _____
      Pyramid Software Development   date

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PERFORMANCE OF MERCHANTABILITY OR ANY OTHER WARRANTIES
WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED.   BECAUSE OF THE VARIOUS
HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE ENVIRONMENTS INTO WHICH THIS PROGRAM
MAY BE PUT, NO WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE IS
OFFERED.   GOOD DATA PROCESSING PROCEDURE DICTATES THAT ANY
PROGRAM BE THOROUGHLY TESTED WITH NON-CRITICAL DATA BEFORE
RELYING ON IT.   THE USER MUST ASSUME THE ENTIRE RISK OF USING
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WHAT IS SHAREWARE?

Shareware distribution gives you a chance to try software before buying it. If you try a Shareware program and continue using it, you are expected to register. Individual programs differ on details -- some request registration while others require it, some specify a maximum trial period. With registration, you get anything from the simple right to continue using the software to an updated program with printed manual.

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The Fastest Mouse is a "shareware program" and is provided at no charge to the user for evaluation. Feel free to share it with your friends, but please do not give it away altered or as part of another system. If you find this program useful and find that you are using it and continue to use it after a reasonable trial period, please register the program.

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The Fastest Mouse Version 1.0s License Agreement

Pyramid Software Development (PSD) grants you the right to use and evaluate this software for a period of **thirty (30) days** from date of first use.   After **thirty (30) days** you must register the program or discontinue use of the program.   Registration can be accomplished by submitting the order form included in this document along with the registration fee to **PSD**.

Registration of **The Fastest Mouse** gives you the legal right to use the program beyond the **thirty (30) day** evaluation period.   It may also entitle you to certain other benefits.   See the **PSD** policies for current benefits derived through registration of this product.

The Fastest Mouse is protected by the United States copyright law.   You must treat this software like a book.   You may copy this software onto a computer to be used and you may make back-up copies of the software for the sole purpose of protecting the software from loss.

You may also distribute this software to others provided that:

1) All file components are intact and in their original unmodified condition.
Original files, sizes and dates can be ascertained by selecting File Info from the menu
while running the program.

2) For individuals who do not receive remuneration for distribution, no fee is charged, except for a nominal fee, not to exceed **US$5.00**, to cover handling and media costs.

3) You obtain prior approval from **Pyramid Software Development** if you are a shareware distributor or vendor who distributes shareware for remuneration.   See the Shareware Distributors topic for further information regarding distribution by distributors and vendors.

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CompuServe Registration

This program is available for registration through CompuServe's automatic shareware registration database.   Its **Registration ID is 845**.

Please note that **20% discounts are not available when registering through CompuServe.**   You will, however, be eligible for future discounts when registering other products through Pyramid Software Development.

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