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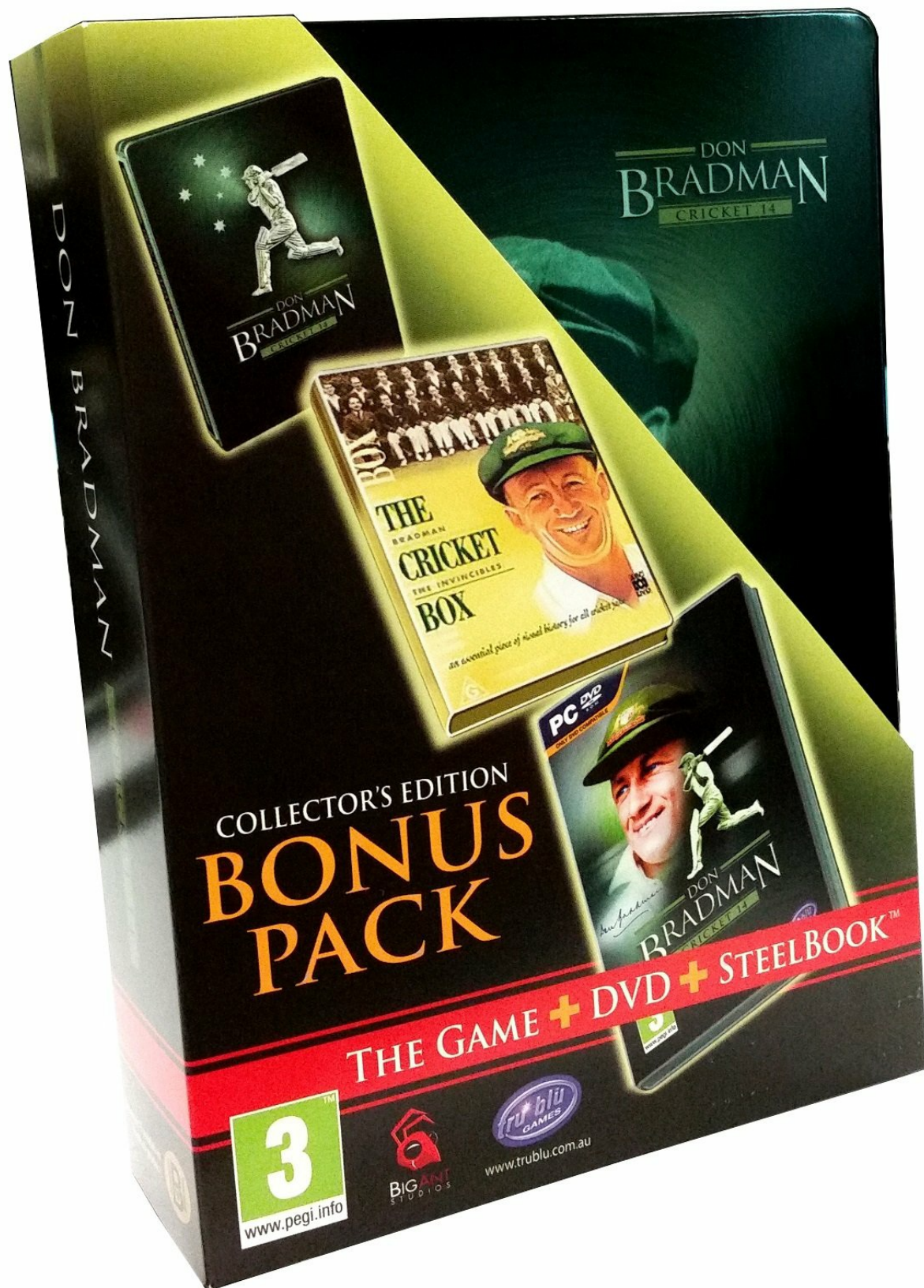
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Don Bradman Cricket 14 Collector's Edition

OFFICIAL INSTRUCTION MANUAL

1. Setup and Installation

This section guides you through the initial setup and installation process for Don Bradman Cricket 14 Collector's Edition on your PC.



This image displays the front cover of the Don Bradman Cricket 14 Collector's Edition PC game, featuring game branding and cricket-related imagery.

System Requirements:

- PC with DVD drive
- Internet connection for Steam installation and updates
- Dedicated gaming-style graphics card (as noted by users, standard integrated graphics may not be sufficient)

- Controller required for gameplay (keyboard/mouse not supported for primary control)

Installation Steps:

1. **Insert the Game DVD:** Place the Don Bradman Cricket 14 game DVD into your PC's DVD drive.
2. **Install Steam:** If you do not have Steam installed on your PC, please install it before proceeding. The game requires Steam for installation and updates. Installing Steam beforehand can prevent potential DLL file errors during setup.
3. **Launch Setup:** Follow the on-screen prompts to launch the game setup from the DVD.
4. **Follow Installation Wizard:** Complete the installation process by following the instructions provided by the setup wizard.
5. **Connect Controller:** Ensure your PC controller is connected and properly configured before launching the game. This game is designed to be played with a controller and does not support keyboard input for gameplay.

2. Operating the Game

Don Bradman Cricket 14 offers a comprehensive cricket simulation experience. Familiarize yourself with the key features and gameplay mechanics.

Key Game Features:

- **Unique Batting and Bowling Controls:** Experience full 360-degree shot control for batting and precise line and length delivery for bowling. Intuitive controls allow for realistic shot execution and bowling without pitch markers.
- **20 Years Career Mode:** Embark on a journey with a 16-year-old aspiring cricketer, guiding them through the ranks to achieve international glory.
- **Fully Featured Fielding System:** Engage in dynamic fielding actions, including running down the ball, sliding to prevent boundaries, catching high balls near the boundary rope, and executing vital run-outs.
- **Manual Appeal and Electronic Review System:** For the first time, challenge umpire decisions using a manual appeal system and electronic reviews.
- **Dynamic Environment:** The game features a dynamic time of day, weather system, and pitch degradation, all based on real-world data, influencing gameplay conditions.
- **Don Bradman Academy:** Utilize the Academy to create, edit, and share players, teams, competitions, tours, and umpires online. You can also download content created by other users.
- **Online Save System:** Continue your online matches at your convenience with the online save system.
- **Practice Modes:** Hone your skills in practice nets or match practice sessions before competing in full matches.
- **Realistic Ball Physics:** Experience highly realistic ball physics, including thin edges, bat-pad catches, and intimidating bouncers.
- **Complete Player Physics System:** Players are rendered with individual attributes, including weight, height, identity, appearance, and specific fielding/batting kits.

Game Modes:

- Single Player
- Multi Player

3. Maintenance

Proper care of your game disc and PC system will ensure optimal performance and longevity of your game.

Disc Care:

- Store the game DVD in its original case when not in use to prevent scratches and damage.
- Handle the disc by its edges to avoid fingerprints on the playing surface.
- Clean the disc with a soft, lint-free cloth, wiping from the center outwards if necessary.

PC System Maintenance:

- Ensure your operating system and graphics drivers are regularly updated to the latest versions.
- Keep your PC free from unnecessary background applications to maximize game performance.
- Regularly check for game updates via Steam to benefit from performance improvements and bug fixes.

4. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues while installing or playing Don Bradman Cricket 14, refer to the solutions below.

Common Issues and Solutions:

- **Issue:** Game displays a 'DLL file error' during installation.
Solution: This often occurs if Steam is not installed or properly configured before launching the game setup from the disc. Ensure Steam is fully installed and updated on your PC before attempting to install Don Bradman Cricket 14.
- **Issue:** Unable to play the game with keyboard and mouse.
Solution: Don Bradman Cricket 14 requires a controller for gameplay. The game is designed around controller input, and keyboard/mouse controls are not supported for primary gameplay. Ensure a compatible PC controller is connected and recognized by your system.
- **Issue:** Game performance is poor or the game does not launch due to graphics issues.
Solution: This game requires a dedicated gaming-style graphics card. Laptops or PCs with integrated graphics may not meet the minimum requirements for smooth gameplay. Ensure your graphics drivers are up to date. If issues persist, your system's graphics hardware may not be sufficient.
- **Issue:** Online features or updates are not working.
Solution: Verify your internet connection is active and stable. Ensure Steam is running and connected to the internet. Check for any firewall or antivirus software that might be blocking the game's connection to Steam servers.

5. Specifications

Detailed product specifications for Don Bradman Cricket 14 Collector's Edition.

Attribute	Detail
Item Model Number	DONPC00
Rated	Ages 3 & Over
Package Dimensions	19 x 13.8 x 4.8 cm
Item Weight	422 g
Release Date	2 July 2014
Manufacturer	Tru Blu Entertainment

Country of Origin	India
ASIN	B00L4X5SEA

6. Warranty and Support

For information regarding product warranty or technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your game package or visit the official Tru Blu Entertainment website. Contact details for support are typically provided by the manufacturer.

Please retain your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.