

SPIDER QUAKE™

for Atari® 400/800/1200XL Computer (16K)

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GAME PLAY

You begin the game with three spiders (two in reserve). Eddie Eight Legs must move through the openings in the wall along the highway and crawl between the cars and trucks without getting hit. Once he is safely across the highway he enters the earthquake zone. Here he must avoid contact with the shaking trash cans or they will topple him. The next obstacle is a fast-flowing river which Eddie must cross without falling in. After he reaches the mountains he must crawl up to, and enter, the cave in the mountain.

At any point along his journey Eddie may eat the flies buzzing around him and score extra points. And beware — if Eddie remains in any section of his journey for too long, his life will be endangered by the BIG Vulture! As your score increases you will advance to higher levels of difficulty. The Richter Scale begins at 2 and will increase to 6 at higher levels. Also, at higher levels the openings in the walls along the highway become smaller.

TO START

Connect a joystick to controller jack #1 on your computer.

Diskette — Turn off your computer and remove all cartridges. Turn on the power to your video monitor and disk drive #1. Wait for the red "drive busy" light to turn off. Insert the diskette and close the drive door. Now turn on the computer.

Cassette — Turn off your computer and remove all cartridges. Insert the cassette into your tape player and press PLAY. (Note: rewind tape if previously played.) Hold down the START key (on computer) and turn on your computer. When you hear the "buzzer," press RETURN.

SELECT	level of difficulty (Richter Scale 2-6)
START	begin game with music
joystick button	begin game without music

Joystick Control

← left, → right, ↑ forward, ↓ backward

For more accurate control push the joystick in a diagonal direction.

Other Keys

SYSTEM
RESET abort game, return to title page

SCORING

safely traveling	
through each section	200
flies	50
entering Spider Mountain	100
total scores of 2,000	
21,000, and 29,000	one extra spider

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