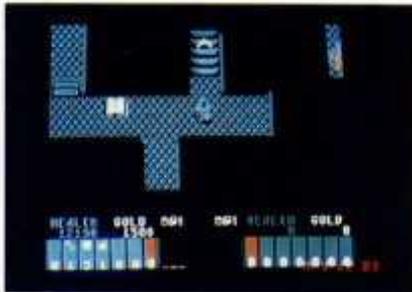




Cosmos



Slots & Cards



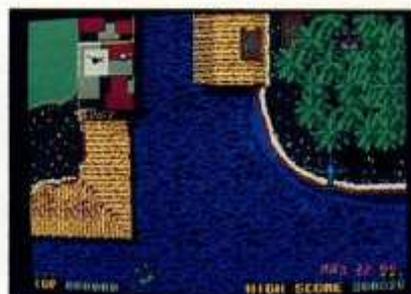
Fire King



Silpheed



Space Quest III



Sky Shark

reting out clues from a variety of unusual suspects will keep players moving. Resist the temptation to shoot everything that moves. (How refreshing!) IBM (\$49.95). Circle Reader Service # 6.

Ishi Press

1400 N. Shoreline Blvd.
Building A-7
Mountain View, CA 94043

COSMOS: Players test their skill against the computer in this version of GO. The computer comes with 100 levels of play, offers online hints and move explanations, and the board can be set up from 7x7 to a standard 19x19 matrix. The game can be learned easily on the smaller board and then the player can tackle larger boards as his level of play increases. The game also features automatic replay, move recall, option to play black or white, and plays at a 15 Kyu level. If Chess is a battle, GO is a war. IBM (\$39.95). Circle Reader Service #7.

Microdeal

576 S. Telegraph
Pontiac, MI 48053

SLOTS & CARDS: Pack your money belts and get ready for another trip to Vegas. This package provides five slot machines (multipliers, Sevens Wild, Multi-Bar, & Fruit Multi-Bar), four video card games (Blackjack, High/Low, & two types of Video Poker), and Keno. The game was designed with the aid of a slot mechanic from one of the major Vegas Strip hotels, so the odds and reel loadings have been figured just as they are done in the casinos. (That means you'll probably win just enough to keep playing till you lose!) IBM (pictured), Amiga and Atari ST (\$39.95). Circle Reader Service # 8.

Strategic Studies Group
1747 Orleans Ct.
Walnut Creek, CA 94598

FIRE KING: A magical beast and its evil hordes have descended upon the land, killing the Fire Lord and holing up in the catacombs below the city. The mayor has elected you to confront the beast and restore order to the land. One

or two players lead selected heroes on this quest which spans across forests, deserts, temples, and multiple dungeon levels. The 3-D, overhead graphics and play system bear close resemblance to the arcade hit, *Gauntlet*. C-64 version to be released later this year. Circle Reader Service #9.

Sierra On-Line

P.O. Box 485

Coarsegold, CA 93614

SILPHEED: Intergalactic terrorists threaten the harmony established by the Milky Way Union, and it's up to the pilot of the experimental Silpheed fighter to set things straight. Pilots face multiple levels of 3-D enemies on their way to the ultimate conflict with the battleship *Glore*. Nice graphics and tremendous sound, but an arcade game system we've seen many times before. IBM (\$34.95). Circle Reader Service #10.

SPACE QUEST III: The wacky exploits of Roger Wilco continue in part three of the Space Quest series. Roger's latest task: rescuing The Two Guys from Andromeda. The Two Guys have been kidnapped by the Pirates of Pestulon and are being forced to create second rate games for the disreputable publisher, ScumSoft. Sierra takes their unique brand of adventuring to new heights with detailed, animated sequences, a wonderfully silly storyline, and a sound track so stunning, it may justify the purchase of a soundboard. IBM (\$59.95). Circle Reader Service #11.

Taito

267 W. Esplanade
North Vancouver, B.C.,
Canada, V7M1A5

SKY SHARK: Taito ports another arcade hit to the PC market. In this one, players pilot their P-40 fighter through a host of enemy units including fighters, tanks, and battleships, in an attempt to rescue POW's from a highly guarded enemy base. A joystick jockey's delight! IBM (pictured) (\$34.95) & C-64 (\$29.95). Circle Reader Service #12.

Conversions Received

Action Fighter (Mindscape) ST
Baal (Psygnosis) Amiga
Bubble Bobble (Taito) Amiga, ST
Deja Vu II (Mindscape) Amiga, IIGS
The Duel (Accolade) C-64
The Games (Epyx) ST
Gauntlet (Mindscape) Mac
World Karate Championship (Epyx) ST, C-64
Mind Roll (Epyx) Amiga
Modern Wars (EA) IBM
Operation Wolf (Taito) Amiga
Renegade (Taito) IBM, Amiga, ST
Steel Thunder (Accolade) IBM
Tangled Tales (Origin) C-64
Where in World is Carmen San Diego (Broderbund) Amiga
Where in USA is Carmen San Diego (Broderbund) Mac