Never work with children or animals – not only in real life, but in

console



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too! If the animals
are anything like
the ones in this
game, they'll drive
you insane!

uess what programming team has come up with this little cracker? AM3, believe it or not! Once they'd finished Sega Rally they turned

their attention to a manic arcade game called Baku Baku Animal on the Sega Titan arcade board. As you know, this board has the same chip-set as the Sega Saturn so a conversion to the console was a simple task.

And here it is!

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Contact: The Video Game Centre

Arcade perfect and absolutely mad! It's got all the options you could want including one player challenges against all kinds of weird creatures and a brilliant two-player versus mode with five levels of speed and difficulty.

The basic idea is to match up the animal heads with their food. Monkeys need bananas, pandas chomp on eucalyptus leaves, rabbits on carrots and dogs gnaw

bones. If you manage to match them up they scoff any food that is linked together and send more icons falling down on the opposition's side of the screen.

It's quite simple to match up the odd head and food icon, but the way to win is to set up spectacular chain reactions. If you

manage to get two or three in a row you'll hear a cry and your competitor's screen will fill up with odd icons! The end of the game is marked by a giant lion's head that chomps down on the screen!



• Arrggh! The lion has chomped down on player-two so it must be game over!



 That fat pig is one of the easiest opponents to choose. He couldn't play to save his life!

Words just can't describe the madness AM3 have managed to pack into the game. It's highly addictive, great to play with friends and a scream. Check it out at the importer now, an official release is unlikely!

Nick Roberts



 Playing Baku Baku Animal makes you feel really hungry. If you're a rabbit!







• The dogs are coming, the dogs are coming! Run for cover!



If you've got any idea what this intro has to do with the game, then you're better than us. I tell you what, we'll come and sit in your house, reading Sega Pro and you can come to the offices and write the magazine. How about that then?









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