



Will you be the first Earthling to win a place among the Elite?

Acornsoft are issuing a nationwide challenge to all Acorn electron and BBC Micro Users.

It's the challenge to join a new and exclusive group of computer games players: The Elite.

With 3-dimensional graphics, Elite is a game which is light years ahead of any other.

It strictly defines the rank of each and every player.

As your prowess improves, you move into higher ranks.

But make no mistake, to reach the top rank, your performance must become exceptional.

Then and only then, will you qualify to call yourself the member of the Elite.

From harmless, you must become lethal.

In Elite all players start as equals.

With the initial rank of "Harmless" you will

embark upon an experience unlike any that you have known before.

You will be a space trader who roams the universe, making your living from buying and selling cargo in your Cobra space craft.

On your travels, you will encounter aggressors who are eager to put an end to your dealings.

Only the fittest will survive.

As you establish yourself as a survivor, you will win the right to a higher rank.

In all, there are nine, from "Harmless" to "Elite". And your computer will continually tell you where you stand.

Trade with 2,000 planets in eight galaxies

Besides survival, your success also depends on the rewards you reap from the cargo that you carry

That cargo can be anything from foodstuffs to contraband. If you decide to trade in contraband, the rewards will certainly be higher. But so will the risks you take.

To ply your trade, you can dock at any of 2,000 planets in eight galaxies.

However, before you dock, you must use your wits to assess the planet's political climate and the perils which may be waiting for you.

Also, in any of the eight galaxies, you may find yourself being asked to perform acts of considerable heroism and selfless courage. Although these will bring you into danger, they can bring considerable rewards too.

We're waiting to recognize your skills

Achieving higher status in elite will tax your skills to the limit. Which is why you must down-

load your game onto cassette or disc each time you take a break from play.

When you reach the rank of "Competent" or higher, you should send us the secret code number revealed to you by your computer.

We will send you in return a special document which certifies your achievement. And you stand to win a valuable prize

Are you ready to accept the challenge?

Elite is available on both disc and cassette for the BBC micro and on cassette for the Acorn Electron



With either, you will get "Elite: The Dark Wheel", a compelling novel which sets the whole mood of your adventure. You'll also get a flight training manual which will get you fit to roar into the unknown in your Cobra spacecraft.

Your Acornsoft dealer now has the entire package at £14.95 on cassette, or £17.65 on disc (for the BBC micro) and £12.95 for the Electron (for the address of your local stockist, call 01-200 0200). Credit card holders can simply telephone 0933 79300 during office hours.

Alternatively, you can order by post from: Acornsoft, c/o Vector Marketing, Denington Estate, Wellingborough, Northants NN8 2RL.

You can also get a free Elite poster by ringing 0933 79300



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