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## INSTALLATION

### Installing Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™

To install Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™, follow these simple steps:

- Insert the Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ Installation DVD into your DVD drive. The Autorun Menu should appear. If it does not, browse to your DVD drive and double-click the Autorun.exe file.
  - Click the Install button. The installation wizard will walk you through the setup and installation process for the game.
  - After installing the game, select Ubisoft/Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands/Play The Forgotten Sands from your Start Menu.
- OR-
- Double-click the Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ shortcut on your desktop (if you created one during installation). On Vista/Windows 7, a shortcut is available in the Game Explorer.

Doing either of these starts the game.

### Uninstalling Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™

To uninstall Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™, follow these simple steps:

- Insert the Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ Installation DVD into your DVD drive. The Autorun Menu should appear.
- When the Autorun Menu appears, click the Uninstall button.

## INTRODUCTION

The Prince has travelled across Persia to visit his brother Malik, who has taken command of a contested kingdom at the edge of their father's territory. It is their father's wish that the Prince learn leadership and battle skills from his brother. But when the Prince arrives, the kingdom is about to be overwhelmed by a much stronger enemy force.

Malik releases a legendary magical army that was said to belong to King Solomon. He hopes it will stop the invaders, but instead the army turns against Malik, changing his remaining people to statues and causing a storm that threatens to overwhelm the palace. The Prince is separated from his brother, but he finds help in Razia, a queen of the Djinn who remembers the army's creation and knows how to stop it. With her aid, the Prince must find a way to defeat the army and save the kingdom before sand covers everything.

## CHARACTERS



### The Prince

The Prince is the son of Sharaman, a great Persian king. He was raised as warrior and athlete, but until recently he had no experience in battle. Since his adventures in India, he has become a skilled warrior. Unfortunately, his adventures there have been forgotten by everyone but him and his family still regards him as an untried youth.

The Prince is distrustful of magic, which he realizes often causes more problems than it solves. He is sarcastic, and enjoys commenting on the situations he finds himself in—even when he's the only one around to hear.



### Prince Malik

Malik is the Prince's elder brother and was a mentor to him when they were younger. As adults, the two enjoy teasing one another. The Prince still looks up to Malik and follows his lead, even when he's sure Malik is wrong. For his part, Malik is still protective of the Prince and doesn't think his younger brother understands exactly what good leadership entails.

Malik is a good leader, but stubborn. He has held the kingdom together for years and refuses to give it up now. He will use any means necessary to stop the invading army—including magic he does not fully understand.



### Queen Razia

A queen of one of the tribes of the Djinn, Razia has remained in the city for centuries; her magic protects the reservoir that keeps it an oasis in the desert. She remembers the army—and was there when it was sealed away. When she realizes what has happened, she appears to help the Prince—while partly blaming him for letting Malik release the army in the first place. Razia is regal and stern; she doesn't ask, she commands. The Prince isn't used to being treated as a servant rather than royalty, and resents it.



### Ratash

A Lord among the Ifrit in the time of King Solomon, Ratash rebelled against the compact between Djinn and humans. He used Djinn magic to create an army out of the desert sand but it quickly grew beyond his control. King Solomon and the leaders of the Djinn worked together to imprison Ratash and his army. Now that he has escaped, he is sending his army against humanity again.

## GAME CONTROLS\*

<b>Basic Movement</b>	
Move Forward	W
Move Backward	S
Move Left	A
Move Right	D
Wall Run	Right Mouse Button
Attack	Left Mouse Button
Jump	Space Bar
Kick	E or Mouse Wheel Button
<b>Powers</b>	
Power of Time (Rewind)	Q
Power of Flow (Solidify Water)	Shift
Power of Flight (Dash)	Ctrl
Power of Memory	Alt
Ice Blast	1
Trail of Flame	2
Stone Armor	3
Whirlwind	4
<b>Menus</b>	
Pause Menu	Esc.
Upgrade Menu	Tab

\*To customise your Game Controls select Options from the Main Menu, and then select the Controls tab. Instructions in this manual refer to the default controls.

## Acrobatics Controls



### Jump

To perform a basic Jump, move in the direction you wish to jump and press the Space Bar.



### Wall Run

The Prince can run along, or straight up, walls. To Wall Run, move in the direction you wish to go and press and hold the right mouse button.



### Wall Rebound

The Prince can leap back and forth between two walls that are in close proximity. Simply Wall Run or Jump onto one of the walls, then press the Space Bar. Keep pressing the Space Bar to Jump back and forth and reach the top of the wall. You can combine Wall Rebound with a Wall Run to reach greater heights.



### Climb

Protruding bricks indicate walls that the Prince can Climb. Simply Jump or Wall Run to them and navigate as usual.



### Roll

The Prince will sometimes need to Roll under low walls or traps. Press Ctrl to roll forward; or move in any direction and press Ctrl to roll in that direction.



### Banner Drop

The Prince can use banners to descend walls. Simply Wall Run or Jump to the banner.

## Fight Controls

As the Prince moves through his brother's palace, he will face many enemies. Here are some moves that will come in handy in a fight.

### Basic Attack and Combo

Press the left mouse button to perform a basic Attack. Chain five Attacks together to perform a basic Combo. Each successive hit in a combo causes greater damage.

### Power Attack

To perform a more powerful attack, hold down the left mouse button until your sword flashes, then release it. You can use a Power Attack to increase the damage of any Attack in a basic Combo. The later the Power Attack occurs in the Combo, the more damage it will do (i.e., a Power Attack on the first hit is weakest, while a Power Attack on the fifth hit is strongest).

### Push/Kick

To Push or Kick enemies away, press E, or the mouse wheel button. You will Push enemies that are closer, and Kick enemies that are farther away.

### Jump and Aerial Slash

You can use the Space Bar to Jump on top of an enemy. Press the Space Bar again to Jump to another enemy or press the left mouse button to perform an Aerial Slash on the enemy you've landed on.

### Roll

Move in any direction and press Ctrl to Roll in that direction. This will allow you to move quickly through large groups of enemies and break them up.

### Finishing Lunge

This move will finish off enemies that are on the ground. To perform a Finishing Lunge, approach the grounded enemy and press the left mouse button.

## Powers

Over the course of the game Razia will grant the Prince some of the powers of the Djinn: time, flow, flight, and memory. You can also upgrade the Prince's combat skills by collecting Gold Spheres. For more information on upgrading, see the section Upgrade Menu and Abilities.

### Power of Time

This allows the Prince to undo his movements in the game. To use this power, press Q to undo short stretches of time and hold down Q to undo longer periods. An on-screen timer will show how much time can be reversed. Each time you use this power it will empty one Energy Slot in the HUD. For more information on Energy Slots and the Time Gauge, see the section In-Game Display (HUD).

### Power of Flow

This power allows the Prince to solidify water and use it to move around the palace. To stop water, press and hold Shift. An on-screen timer will count down showing how long the water will remain solid. The water will start flowing again when the timer runs out, or when you release Shift. The timer will refill as soon as you release Shift.

### Power of Flight

This allows the Prince to leap across great distances when there is an enemy waiting. To use the Power of Flight, Jump in the direction of an enemy and press Ctrl. The Prince will leap across the gap and attack the enemy on the other side.

### Power of Memory

This power allows the Prince to see parts of the city that have crumbled. To use the Power of Memory, face a faded piece of the palace and press Alt. It will remain solid until you press Alt again. You can only restore one piece of the city at a time.

### Ice Blast

Your attacks will create a wave of ice that damages enemies. To activate Ice Blast, press 1. As long as the power is active, you will release a wave of ice each time you attack. Activating this power will empty one Energy Slot in the HUD.

### Trail of Flame

Create a trail of fire that follows you, causing damage to enemies it touches. You can also Jump on enemies to set them on fire. To activate Trail of Flame, press 2. Activating this power will empty one Energy Slot in the HUD.

### Stone Armor

This surrounds you with armour of stone which protects you from enemy attacks. To surround yourself with Stone Armor, press 3. Activating this power will empty one Energy Slot in the HUD.

### Whirlwind

This creates a Whirlwind that pushes your enemies back. At higher levels, the Whirlwind will also knock down enemies and inflict high damage. To release a Whirlwind attack, press 4. Activating this power will empty one Energy Slot in the HUD.

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## Spheres

Some sand enemies will leave spheres behind when they disintegrate. These can be used to restore the Prince's health or energy, or to upgrade the Prince's powers.

**Red Spheres:** These will restore the Health Bar

**Blue Spheres:** These will restore Energy Slots.

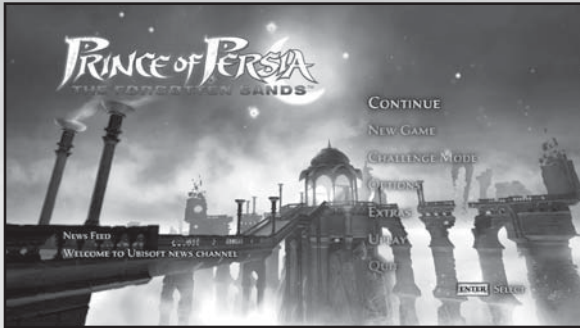
**Gold Spheres:** When you've collected enough Gold Spheres, you will be able to upgrade the Prince's powers. For more information on upgrading, see the section Upgrade Menu and Abilities.

You can find Blue and Red spheres in breakable vases throughout the palace. Gold Spheres can be found in hidden sarcophagi throughout the palace, so keep an eye open for out of the way spaces.



## MENUS

### Main Menu



**New Game:** Begin a new adventure. You will be asked to select a difficulty level (Easy or Normal).

**Continue:** Continue a previously saved game.

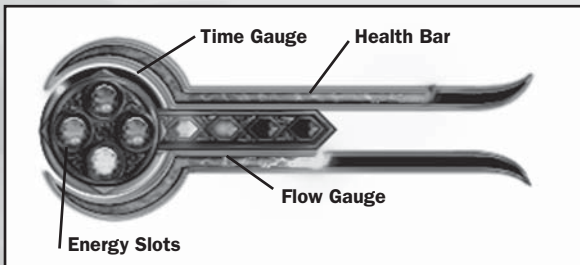
**Challenge Mode:** Complete challenges that will test your skills in various battle arenas.

**Options:** Adjust the sound, video, and other game settings.

**Extras:** Access the game credits and other extras.

**Uplay:** Connect to Ubisoft's Uplay system to earn points toward extras in Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ and other Ubisoft titles.

### In-Game Display (HUD)



The In-Game Display (HUD) includes four elements.

#### Health Bar

The Health Bar appears at the top of the screen in red. It indicates how much health the Prince has left. You will lose health when hit in a fight, or when hit by traps. You can restore your health with Red Spheres.

#### Time Gauge

The Time Gauge appears when the Prince has gained the Power of Time. As you reverse time the gauge will empty. It will refill when you release Q.

#### Flow Gauge

The Flow Gauge appears at the bottom of your HUD once the Prince has gained the Power of Flow. It will gradually empty while water stops flowing. The gauge automatically refills as soon as you release Shift.

#### Energy Slots

The number of Energy Slots you have controls the number of times you can use your powers. Using the Power of Time or any of the four upgrade powers (Ice Blast, Trail of Flame, Whirlwind, or Stone Armor) consumes the energy from one slot. You can restore Energy Slots with Blue Spheres. You can increase the number of Energy Slots in the Upgrade Menu.

### Upgrade Menu and Abilities



A message will appear on the main screen when you can purchase your next upgrade. Press Tab to access the Upgrade Menu. Here you can gain new powers, and upgrade the Prince's skills, health, and energy.

Use the mouse or the arrow keys to navigate the menu. You will see the names and descriptions of each upgrade appear as you move over them. Powers you can purchase have a highlighted border. Powers you have already purchased are indicated by gems.

Click on a power you wish to purchase or upgrade. Press Enter or Esc. to exit the menu. You will be asked to confirm or cancel your changes as you exit.

#### Pause Menu

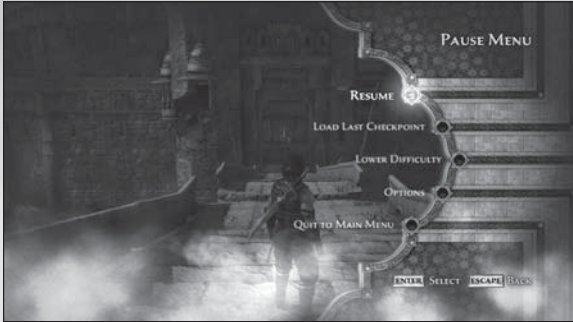
**Resume:** Return to the game as you left it.

**Load Last Checkpoint:** Restart your game from the last checkpoint.

**Lower Difficulty:** Switch from Normal to Easy difficulty. You will lose your progress from the last checkpoint. You cannot switch from Easy to Normal difficulty.

**Options:** Adjust sound, video, and other game settings.

**Quit to Main Menu:** Exit your game and return to the Main Menu.



## What is Uplay?

Uplay is a set of services that give players extra value for their Ubisoft games. With Uplay Win, you earn Units by performing specific actions in Uplay-enabled games. Those Units can be redeemed for rewards or saved for better rewards later across all Uplay-enabled games and across all associated platforms. Basically, the more you play, the more you win exclusive free content for your favourite games. Uplay Help will give you guidance and tips to enjoy Ubisoft games at their best. Imagine being helped by the developers themselves! Also get help from other players, or help other players yourself. Uplay Share will allow you to create content from within the games and share it with your friends and the rest of the community, be it statistics, pictures, videos, or even in-game content such as maps. Uplay Shop will be your destination to browse and buy additional content for your favourite Ubisoft games.

## Uplay Rewards

For Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™, you can gain points by completing the following actions:

- **Memories of Azad (10 Points):** Reach the thick of the battle.
- **Solomon's Army (20 Points):** Release Solomon's Army.
- **Not What It Looks Like (30 Points):** Defeat Ratash.
- **Eye of the Storm (40 Points):** Reach the final fight.

You can use these points to purchase the following rewards:

- **Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ Theme:** A Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ background for your PC. When you redeem this item a new window will pop up. Choose the location where you want to save the .zip file, and then click on Save (details may change depending on your Internet browser). The compressed file contains the same image in different formats.
- **Experience Point Boost:** Gives you enough additional experience for up to two new upgrades. You will see the additional experience points when you open your saved game and access the Upgrade Menu.
- **Ezio Costume:** Play through Prince of Persia The Forgotten Sands™ dressed in Ezio's outfit from Assassin's Creed® 2. You can change into this costume by choosing it in the Extras Menu.
- **Challenge Mode Arena:** Unlock a new arena for Challenge Mode. This arena will be visible the next time you access the Challenge Mode Menu.

## Accessing Uplay

From the Main Menu, select Uplay to access it.

## Uplay Menu

Use the mouse to navigate in this menu. Confirm your selections by left-clicking the appropriate menu actions, or by pressing Enter. Go back by pressing Backspace. Pressing Esc. will exit Uplay and return you to the Game Menu.

### Profile

- **View Profile:** Get an overview of your actions in the games you've played.
- **Change Quote:** Edit your quotation.
- **Change Icon:** Select a new icon.

### Account Settings

- **Email and Password:** Edit your email and password.
- **Personal Information:** Edit your personal information.
- **Notifications:** Edit your preferences for receiving communications from Ubisoft and its partners.

### Uplay Win Menu

Use the mouse to navigate in this menu. Confirm your selections by left-clicking the appropriate menu actions, or by pressing Enter. Go back by pressing Backspace.

- **Actions:** List of all the actions available in the game(s) and how many Units are assigned to each. A ticked box indicates an action has been completed. Left-clicking an action explains how to do it.
- **Rewards:** List of all the available rewards and how many Units are assigned to each. A ticked box indicates a reward has been redeemed. Left-clicking a reward allows you to redeem it, as long as you have enough Units to spend. Redeeming a reward deducts the number of Units associated with it from your balance.
- **Unit Balance:** History of all actions completed and rewards unlocked with a detailed balance of your Units. Left-clicking on an action/reward opens up its description.

# TECHNICAL SUPPORT

If you experience difficulties playing your Ubisoft game, please first contact our 24-hour on-line solution centre at:

[www.ubi.com/uk](http://www.ubi.com/uk).

Our 24-hour automated telephone service is available on **0871 664 1000**.

The Live service option is available from 11 am until 8 pm, Mon-Fri (excluding bank holidays).

Please make sure you are in front of your pc when calling our support team to enable us to troubleshoot your query for you.

## PC Game:

If you experience difficulties running your pc game please contact our support teams first. When calling us, please ensure you are in front of your pc with the game installed, to enable us to troubleshoot for you.

Alternatively, if contacting us by web-mail, please attach your operating system file (dxdiag) to your incident so that we may have your system specifications.

Finding your dxdiag file

Windows XP: To open your DirectX Diagnostic tool go to: Start Menu – Run. Type dxdiag in the window, select OK and save your information.

Windows Vista: enter the Start Menu, type dxdiag in the search bar to locate the file.

## Faulty Game:

If you believe your game is faulty, please contact our support team before returning your product to the retailer. A discrepancy between your operating system and the required game specifications may result in errors during game-play, such as:

your screen returning to desktop or freezing, jerky graphics or error messages.

## Damaged Game:

If your game is damaged when purchased, please return it to your retailer with a valid receipt.

If your receipt has expired and you are within the 90 day warranty period please contact the Ubisoft support team for verification.

Please note that we do not offer hints & tips at our technical support centre.