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(57) Abstract

A main memory (84) stores an operation guidance program for displaying an operation guidance on a display monitor (6) and enabling control members of a manual control input device (2) to emit continuous or flickering light in relation to the operation guidance. Based on a command from the manual control input device (2), a CPU (82) executes the operation guidance program stored in the main memory (84). The operation guidance program enables the control members to emit continuous or flickering light sequentially and displays an operation guidance for at least the control members which are emitting continuous or flickering light on the display monitor. Not only the operation guidance is displayed on the display monitor (6), but also visual sensations are given to the game player by controlling the control members to emit continuous or flickering light on the manual control input device (2).

