

# Hotwired and Gone

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## Game introduction

Step into the role of a taxi driver who, through some bad decisions, is drawn into a life of crime. Car theft becomes second nature, and you will experience first-hand the hard life in the big city that inevitably comes with the trade. Adrenaline hits and thrills occur all the time, but you'll constantly need to keep an eye over your shoulder – the police are never far behind.

## Minimum system requirements

Windows 98, 2000, ,  
DirectX 8 with latest video driver from your video card vendor  
200 MB free HDD space  
256 MB RAM  
CPU Pentium III 600 MHz  
32 MB 3D video card (GeForce I with T&L capability)

## Configuration & Controls

You control you car and character with the following keys:

**'W','A','S','D' (or cursor key)** – controls movements of car and the lead character

**Mouse movement** – rotate character

**Hold middle mouse button** – rotate camera around lead character or car

**Mouse wheel (or PGUP or PGDN, '+' or '-')** – zoom in/out the third person camera

**'V'** – turn on/off first person view

**'~'** – no weapon

**'1'** - pistol

**'2'** – uzi gun

**'3'** – wrench tool

**Left mouse button** - shot, or if no weapon selected hand combat (together with forward key – leg combat)

**'ENTER'** – different actions. Enters the car, exits the car, removes a wheel, open car door

**'E'** – start/stops the engine

**'E'** – shows alarm scanner when you're on foot

**'I'** – turn on/off head lights when you're in the car

**'H'** – sound the horn

**'M'** – map zoom when you're in the car

**'B'** – give bribe when you're on foot

Please note that the control keys can be changed to your preference through the

game's menu.

## **Missions Description**

### **Mission #1**

You start the game as a taxi driver. You must earn \$350 within 15 minutes. The faster you manage to earn the money, the higher your rating will get. Don't forget to refuel your car before you run out of gas. Watch out for cops at all times!

### **Mission #2**

Returning home from work one day, a well dressed Chinese man approaches you in the street. He offers you a job to work as his driver and bodyguard. The next day you need to pick him up from the cemetery and take him across town to Chinatown.

### **Mission #3**

After saving the life of your mysterious boss, he decides it's time to have a little chat. He lets you in on the little secret that he is one of the biggest crime bosses in town. Since you saved his life he offers you the chance to join him. You decide to accept. Your first job is to install radio trackers on 5 police cars around town. You have to put the markers on police cars while policemen are in the cars. Install the markers on the back of the police cars near the trunk - be very careful not to get caught in the process! After you get the markers installed you'll be able to track the police on your radar.

### **Mission #4**

You soon discover that your mafia friends are involved in a serious car jacking operation. They decide to check out your skills in the fine art of carjacking. Your first task is simple, but you must be careful. You have 15 minutes to steal 16 wheels from any parked cars you find. Use the wrench tool to remove the tyres and then load them into the back of your van. After you finish the job, return to the agreed meeting point.

### **Mission #5**

The mob needs some police cars, fast! You have 15 minutes to steal 3 police cars. Use the lock-pick to break into the cars. If you get caught it's more than likely that your next place of residence will have bars across the windows.

### **Mission #6**

There is a special order for this luxury car. You need to find and steal this car and then return it to the junkyard hideout. It won't be very easy to find her, but this car was last seen in yellow area marked on your map. You only get 20 minutes to complete the task. When you find the car, use your alarm scanner - it will help you open the car quickly and quietly. Avoid the troopers swarming all over town.

### **Mission #7**

As you are cruising in a freshly stolen luxury car you spot a beautiful Chinese woman in a cool looking car – she seems to want to race you. Take on the

challenge, and make sure to win.

#### **Mission #8**

You need to deliver a hot truck to its destination safe and sound. You only have 5 minutes, and there is a very big problem: the cops are on to you and are breathing down your neck at this very moment!

#### **Mission #9**

It is an absolute disaster! The Asian girl was the daughter of your boss, and she has been killed while you were supposed to be protecting her. You are in big trouble now! After a few days of searching you manage to discover who killed her - the boss of a rival gang. To try to clear your name you must to hunt him down and avenge the death of your boss's daughter.

#### **Mission #10**

It's the final stand-off. It's come down to killing, or to be killed. Destroy the entire rival gang before they destroy you. They come in big numbers – rumours suggest there are about 30 of them. If you live through this day you will be richly rewarded by your boss.

#### **Mission #11 Bonus Mission**

Congratulations! You survived, and you've successfully destroyed the enemy gang. Your boss has given you the keys to all the sweetest stolen cars as a reward. Now they are yours to enjoy all over town!

#### **Game play tips**

When pulling into a gas station the gas station menu should appear. If it does not appear immediately please wait couple of seconds

Mission 4. To remove wheels from the car use wrench tool (Key 3), then move close to wheel and hold the ENTER key

Mission 4. When using wrench tool it's important to remember when holding ENTER key removing wheel action has higher priority when entering to the car

#### **Troubleshooting**

If you notice game slowdowns please reduce your screen size and graphics quality in the main menu. Before contacting our support team please make sure that your computer meets minimum system requirements, and that you are using the latest drivers for your hardware, in particular for your graphics card.