

Soul Calibur II Yunsung FAQ

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1. Introduction
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Hello and welcome to my guide on Hong Yunsung. If you have played as Hwang in the previous Soul Calibur then Yunsung will be a perfect fit for you. He is an extremely fun character to play as. He uses a single-handed sword and he plays just like Hwang. He has quick moves and he has powerful moves.

I wanted to play as Yunsung because he looked quick and he looked like Hwang. I didn't think I would play as him permanently but I was wrong. Once you start playing as Yunsung, you just want to play as him as much as possible. He's just so awesome.

In this guide, I'll tell you Yunsung's weapons, costumes, moves, profile and everything else you need to know about this fast and furious character.

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2. Why be Yunsung?
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There are a few reasons you might want to play as Yunsung. One is if you liked

Hwang in the previous Soul Calibur, you'll feel right at home with Yunsung. He plays like him and looks like him. Another reason to play as him is if you like speedy characters and you don't want to look cheap (*cough* Kilik) then Yunsung's a great choice. He is also pretty strong.

If you want to get some easy ring outs, Yunsung has some throws that'll help you to get those ring outs you've been wanting. If you like to kick people in the face a lot, Yunsung has a wide variety of kick moves. That's some of the reasons you may want to play as Yunsung but the best reason is that Yunsung is just fun to play as. He has awesome, fast moves.

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3. What's up with Yunsung...
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a. Profile

Hong Yunsung

Age: 18
Birthplace: Chili-san, Lee Dynasty Korea
Height: 5' 9"
Weight: 150 lbs.
Birth Date: April 16
Blood Type: O
Weapon: Chinese Sword
Weapon Name: White Storm
Discipline: Seung Style Long Sword + Natural Footwork

Family: Father/Died from illness
 Mother/whereabouts unknown
 Master/Seung Han Myong

Yunsung was well-known in the dojo for his swordmanship, even by his seniors. Hwang Sung Kyung, whom Yunsung had idolized as a child, was no longer his hero, but a goal to surpass. Yunsung wished to challenge Hwang to a deul.

One day, news reached the Seung Dojo that Hwang was returning from his long journey. Yunsung saw his oppurtunity to force Hwang to acknowledge his fighting skills. He may even prove to be actually stronger than Hwang.

Hwang, however, did not take Yunsung's challenge, for he had other priorities such as rejoining the military to help defend the country from the impending invasion by Japan.

Seung Mina, the master's daughter, saw the brooding young man and handed him a single-handed sword. The weapon she handed to Yunsung was a Seung family heirloom. According to legend, it possessed the ability to reflect the deepest thoughts of those who held the blade.

That night, Yunsung studied the image of himself in the sword and reflected. He eventually understood the foolishness of challenging someone for personal reason when the country was in such peril. But what could Yunsung do to make Hwang acknowledge him? He then relized that if he could obtain the Sword of Salvation that Hwang failed to find, Hwang would be forced to recognize Yunsung's talents and respect him. A challenge against Hwang would have to wait.

Once Yunsung made his decision, he could not stay put for long. He immediately packed his belongings and left the dojo.

b. Stage

Imperial Capital Ayuthaya

The Ayuthaya dynasty witnessed the height of prosperity of the Indonesian Peninsula. This imperial villa is one of the many used by the dynasty to entertain honored guests.

The beautiful white walls of the villa and the abundant nature that can be seen across the river from the garden make visitors feel as though time stands still.

Talim came to this place some time after the start of her journey. Yunsung passed through this place on his way to India a few days before she arrived. Ayuthaya is the place Talim first came to learn that there were others searching for the evil sword.

c. Ending

"I don't care if the sword is evil... I will protect my country with this power!"

Thus he convinced throughout his battles, but as he reached for Soul Edge, he stopped.

Returning quickly to his home, Yunsung toiled feverishly to protect his homeland.

He no longer needed the Sword of Salvation, for he believed in himself.

d. Quotes

Quit now if you want to live!
Just what I wanted!
All right, let's do this!
Watch this!
All right, let's start!
You're going down!
Do you seriously want to fight?
All right, I'm itching for a fight!
Any time you're ready!
All right, let's go!
I can't wait to take you down!
Talk is cheap in battle!
I'm not going to lose to fools like you!
It doesn't matter how many of you there are!
Hear the scream of my sword!
Alright! All's well that ends well.
That was great!
Not quite good enough.
I hardly broke a sweat!

It's a matter of skill!
That's it?
Not too bad.
Come back when you're ready!
Nothing can stop me!
(Laugh 1)
I'm unstoppable!
Still breathing?
That was too easy! No problem!
How's that? Still Breathing?
Man, I'm much better looking than you.
Don't make me waste my time.
(Laugh 2)
That was better than the last time!
What?!!
D*mn...
...I don't believe this.
Oh, come on...
That sword is definetly evil.
I don't care if it's evil. I will protect my country!
Did you feel my true strength?!!
Sorry, but I have to go.
No no, let young people handle it.
I can't handle her. I'm outta here!
(Attack 1-19)
Take this!
Gotcha!
Outta my way!
Die!
Next!
Nice try!
Don't run!
No use!
I see ya!
Sorry!
Gimme a break!
Feel that?
Yeah!
How's that?
(Damage 1-13)
(Death Cry)

e. Movelist

Here are all of the moves for Yunsung. A, B, K and the rest of the letters are button commands like Kick and Vertical attacks. The numbers are directions. I explain it below.

789
456
123

Imagine your Control Stick is 5. If I said do 236, it means push down, rightdown, right.

+(Plus)- Push buttons simultaneously. Example: A+G means push A and G at the same time.

[] (Brackets)- Hold enclosed commmands. Example: [A] means hold A.

() (Parentheses)- Alternate button command. Example: 1(7) means you can use 1 or 7.

kK- Quickly tap the first and button and then push the other. Example: kK means quickly tap K and then push K.

A- horizontal attack

B- vertical attack

K- kick

G- guard

Th- Throw

Misc- Miscellaneous

Sign- Signature Moves

Qk- Quick Attacks

Pow- Powerful Attacks

Horizontal Attacks

Blade Song

AAB

Blade Song(Delay)

AAB

Blade Song~Land Walk

AA4

Talon Destroyer

AAKK

Talon Destroyer(Delay)

AAKK

Lashing Tiger

6AA

Lashing Tiger(Delay)

6AA

Lashing Tiger~Land Walk

6A4

Lashing Tiger(Cancel)

6AAG

Lashing Tiger(Cancel)~Wagging Tail

6AAGB

Burning Ember

66A

Leg Cutter

3A

Twisting Coils

2A

Torso Cutter

1A

Illusion Blade

4A

Jolting Blade

44A

Heaven's Path

A+B

Waving Flame

6A+B

Roaring Flame

66A+B

Forced Divide

4A+B

Forced Divide (Cancel)

4A+BG

Burning Ember

[6]A

Viper's Illusion

[3(9)]AB

Viper's Illusion (Hold)

[3(9)]A[B]

Willow Dance

[2(8)]AB

Willow Dance (Cancel)

[2(8)]ABG

Wild Slash

[1(7)]A

Jolting Blade

[4]A

Rage Fire Blade

While Rising AB

Rage Fire Blade (Cancel)

While Rising ABG

Waving Flame

While Rising A+B

Vertical Attacks

Burning Sky

BB

Burning Sky(Delay)

BB

Burning Sky~Land Walk

BB4

Cyclone Blade Kick

BK

Cyclone Blade Kick(Delay)

BK

Cyclone Blade Kick(Cancel)

BKG

Viper Lunge

B6

Tiger Maul

6BB

Tiger Maul(Delay)

6BB

Tiger Paw

6BA

Shattered Wall~Crane

66B6

Shattered Wall

66BB

Shattered Wall(Delay)

66BB

Shattered Wall~Crane

66B[B]

Wall Dance

66B4B

Wall Dance(Hold)

66B4[B]

Forced Flame Divide

3B

Flame Wave

2BB

Piercing Thrust

1B

Loin Crush

4B

Loin Crush(Hold)

4[B]

Vengeful Thrust
44B

Vengeful Thrust (Cancel)
44BG

Pouncing Claws
9B

Cresting Wave
B+K

Crushing Heel
1B+K

Fire Storm
44B+K

Fire Storm(Cancel)
44B+KG

Shattered Wall
[6]BB

Wall Dance
[6]B4B

Wall Dance (Hold)
[6]B4[B]

Rising Cobra
[3(9)]B

Eclipse Blade
[2(8)]B

Opening Void Thrust
[1(7)]B

Vengeful Thrust
[4]B

Vengeful Thrust (Cancel)
[4]BG

Forced Heaven
While Rising B

Flame Wave
While Crouching BB

Kicks

Shredding Fangs
KK

Shredding Fangs~Crane
K6

Shredding Fangs~Crane
KK6

Cobra Divide
K4A+B

Raging Panther~Crane
6KK6K

Raging Panther
6KKAA

Raging Panther~Land Walk
6KKA4

Raging Panther (Delay)
6KKAA

Raging Panther (Cancel)
6KKAAG

Raging Panther (Cancel)~Wagging Tail
6KKAAGB

Pursuing Cobra Divide
6KK4A+B

Triple Circular Heaven Assault
66KKK

Circular Heaven Kick~Crane
66K6

Double Circular Heaven Kick~Crane
66KK6

Circular Heaven Cutter
66K2 (8)A

Circular Heaven Crush
66K2 (8)B

Circular Heaven Fangs
66K2 (8)KK

Double Circular Heaven Cutter
66KK2 (8)A

Double Circular Heaven Crush
66KK2 (8)B

Double Circular Heaven Fangs
66KK2 (8)KK

Ripping Fang
3K

Viper Sweep
2K

Warrior Dance
1KAB

Warrior Step
1KKB

Warrior Step~Crane
1KK6K

Warrior Divide
1KK4A+B

Double Hawk Kick
4K

Tiger Cannon Kick
44K

Striking Fangs
kgK

Striking Fangs~Crane
kgK6

Raging Talons
[3(9)]K

Roundhouse Kick
[2(8)]K

Leg Sweep
[1(7)]K

Tiger Cannon Kick
[4]K

Rising Hook Heel
While Rising K

Throws

Meteor Throw
Approach enemy A+G

Pinwheel Kick
Approach enemy B+G

Spine Destroyer
Approach enemy from behind A+G or B+G

Burning Cradle
Approach enemy from left A+G or B+G

Drac Slayer
Approach enemy from the right A+G or B+G

Death Blade

Approach enemy B+G4

Miscellaneous

Circling Wing
During Crane A

Circling Wing~Crane
During Crane [A]

Wings of Flight
During Crane B

Talon Kick
During Crane K

Talon Kick (Additional Attack)
During Crane K, during hit, K

Crane Rage
During Crane 2KA

Crane Rage~Land Walk
During Crane 2KA4

Crane Shredder
During Crane 2KK

Crane Shredder~Crane
During Crane 2KK6

Crane Talon
During Crane 2kK

Stone Cleaver
During Crane A+B

Wagging Tail
During Crane 44B

Crane Swoop
During Crane 66

Rage Fire Blade
During Crane Swoop AB

Rage Fire Blade (Cancel)
During Crane Swoop ABG

Rising Crane
During Crane Swoop B

Rising Phoenix Kick
During Crane Swoop K

Land Walk
214

Crane Swoop
During Land Walk 6

Diving Viper
214A

Silent Arc
214B

Lightning Kicks
214KKK

Lightning Kicks (Delay)
214KKK

Coiling Viper Thrust
214B+K

Coiling Viper Thrust (Cancel)
214B+KG

Signature Moves

Shattered Wall
66BB

Double Circular Heaven Fangs
66KK2(8)KK

Forced Divide
4A+B

Raging Panther
6KKAA

Quick Attacks

Blade Song
AAB

Burning Sky~Land Walk
BB4

Shredding Fangs
KK

Viper's Illusion
[3] ([9])AB

Powerful Attacks

Fire Storm
44B+K

Loin Crush(Hold)

4[B]

Roaring Flame

66A+B

Wall Dance(Hold)

66B4[B]

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4. Weapons/Costumes
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1. White Storm

Most familiar and well-balanced weapon for him

Description: The White Storm was given to Yunsung by Seung Mina. The blade itself has a silver-white tone to it. The handle is red and the ends of the handles are colored gold.

Background: A sword passed down as a family treasure in the Korean Seung family, famous for its martial arts. It is said that its blade shows the reflection of the deepest parts of the wielder's heart. After re-examining his own heart, Yunsung decided to go out in search of the Soul Edge. As appropriate for a Seung family treasure, it is an exceedingly well-balanced sword.

How to get it: Default weapon

2. Machete

Penetrates defense, but lacks defense

Description: The machete looks just like... a machete. If you look closely, the blade looks like a pocket knife. The handle is taped and bent.

Background: A type of blade used by the indigenous people in the land beyond the Atlantic Ocean. Most the people encounter are actually replicas made in Europe, but this particular one is a rare and authentic one brought back by sailors. It's heavy blade can cause impact damage even when blocked.

How to get it: Chapter 1/600 Gold

3. Khanjar

Powerful single strikes, but has short reach

Description: The Khanjar has a small and thin blade attached to its purple and gold handle.

Background: Originally created in twelfth century Turkey, it is now widely used everywhere from Persia to India. Its sharp, curved blade which matches its name (meaning "meat cutting knife" in Arabic) makes it easy to attack while knocking aside the enemy's attacks.

How to get it: Chapter 2 and 3/900 Gold

4. Xiao Lian

Long reach, but wielder receives damage

Description: The Xia Lian has a long, glowing blade with a handle that is T shaped and it has a red and silver coloring to it.

Background: One of the three Shang dynasty treasure swords. It is said that during the day, only its shadow can be seen, and during the night, only the light that it radiates allows you to find its location. It is said that the sword can partially change its shape at its wielders will, but it is also said that it is difficult for a normal human body to withsatndthe sword's power.

How to get it: Chapter 3 and 5/1200 Gold

5. Giant Butcher Knife

Good offense, but has a short reach

Description: The Giant Butcher Knife is large compared to a normal butcher

knife but pretty small compared to Yunsung's other blades. The knives handle is red, bronze, and it is squared with a small tail on it.

Background: A simple sword designed for mass production. It was designed expressly for soldiers and was used on the battlefield. It was given the name 'Giant Butcher Knife' by the soldiers, but of course it was not used for cooking. Its heavy blade, designed for killing, has a short reach but packs a punch.

How to get it: Chapter 6/1600 Gold

6. Cheng Ying

Easy to SC, but lacks offense and defense

Description: The Cheng Ying has a spiky blade but its invisible. The handle is unique like its blade. It has three horns that look like a W at the top of the handle. It has a red and blue middle and a small rigid, gold ball at the end.

Background: One of the three Shang dynasty swords. It is said the its blade can only be seen, barely, at dusk and dawn, and even only if the sword is pointed northward. The blade's very existence is unstable, making it difficult for an enemy to block, but likewise, it is difficult to use it to guard against the opponent's attacks as well.

How to get it: Chapter 6, 7, and Subchapter 3/2200 Gold

7. Ramdao

Long reach and absorbs health, but guard is penetrable

Description: The blade is silver and the side of it is red. The blade also has an eyeball drawn on it. The silver handle is not in the middle of the blade the left.

Background: A widely used sacrificial sword from Nepal. It has a characteristic eye-motif decorating at the end of the blade. It has the power to sap the life away from enemies and heal the body of its wielder. As a result of its long reach, the shock when absorbing enemies attacks is increased, making it difficult to guard effectively.

How to get it: Chapter 8, Subchapter 3/3000 Gold

8. Blue Thunder

Powerful single strikes, but lacks offense

Description: It's the US sword! On its handle are the colors red, white, and blue. Coincidence? Anyway, the blade is thin and silver.

Background: A sword that Korean General Lee Sun Shin received in his younger days from his closest friend, Seung Han Myong. When the Korean national hero, Hwang, went out on his second quest for the Sword of Salvation, the admiral himself presented the to him. It does not do too much damage with each hit, but its weight breaks the opponents stance.

How to get it: Chapter 8, 9, 10, and Subchapter 3/4000 Gold

9. Soul Edge (Complete)

Fearsome demonic weapon said to absorb life

Description: This Soul Edge looks just like the other ones, green, pointy, and mutated.

Background: An evil blade with a reputation for devouring souls. This weapon is also known to be a shape shifter -- which form it takes depends on its owner. The forms it has taken are legendary, as are the souls of the renowned warriors it has consumed. Only those with great mental discipline can retain their will while wielding this weapon. It is an evil weapon which saps the strength of the enemy it wounds and rends the soul of the one who holds it.

How to get it: Extra Chapter 1/7800 Gold

10. Han Guang

Legendary weapon. Wield it to discover its true power

Description: This legendary weapon has a wavy and T shaped handle and an invisible blade. Why? Because this thing is huge. Its true power is being

extremely long.

Background: One of the three Shang dynasty treasure swords. Its blade has no physical presence, and it is said that those cut by it do not even realize that they have been hit. It boasts a surprising lightness and long reach, but it saps the life of its wielder with every swing. It is unlikely that any human can handle it.

How to get it: Extra Chapter 2/9800 Gold

11. Child's Sword

And what am I suppose to do with this?

Description: Cool, a plastic sword. Hey, at least it's not a broom. It's plain and plastic.

Background: A sword that Seung Mina once gave to Yunsung. Upon close examination, the words 'For little kids' have been engraved onto an inconspicuous place. In other words, she'd been treating him like a child when she gave it to him. It is completely ineffective as a sword, but perhaps it will cause opponents to let down their guard.

How to get it: Subchapter 2/12500

Costume 1: Yunsung has red hair and is wearing a red, white, blue, and yellow halter top. The top has a circle with three little circles in it on it. His pants are white and have designs on them. He also has a belt on his waist with two long parts hanging on the sides of his legs.

Costume 2: Yunsung looks like he has a t-shirt on that has 3/4 of it cut off. The shirt is red, blue, and green. He has blue pants, brown boots, he has a with fabric hanging off of it.

Other Unlockables:

Profile: Defeat the Arcade mode with Yunsung

Exhibition Theater: Subchapter 1/4000 Gold

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5. Tips for fighting with Yunsung
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- Yunsung's Meteor Throw is a great throw to get ring outs with. Have your opponents back toward the end of the stage and execute the throw. It'll throw you opponent straight out of the stage.
- If your opponent is next to the end of the stage (he/she has his or her side toward the end of the stage) try the Pinwheel Kick throw. It'll easily throw your opponent out of the ring. You can also use the Spine Destroyer but getting your opponent in the back is tough.
- Using Crane and Crane Swoop combos is essential to kicking your opponents crapper! Doing moves like Rising Phoenix Kick give you an enormous opportunity to juggle your opponent crazy. And moves like Rage Fire Blade hurt your opponent a lot and it gets them on the ground.
- When opponents are on the ground, it's time to beat the crap out of your opponent without breaking a sweat. Use strong, and low vertical and kicks.
- Yunsung has some awesome kicks. So use them to your advantage. Double Circular Heaven Fangs inflicts almost 100 damage, gets the opponent on the ground, and your evading while you attack. And you can combine kicks with sword attacks like the Warrior Step. And inflict quick damage with the Double

Hawk kick. Without kicks, Yunsung would be an average character.

- There are a lot of vertical and horizontal attacks you can use. There's the Opening Void Thrust which doesn't look to comfortable, there's the Jolting Blade or you could use a combination of vertical and horizontal attacks and do attacks like the Rage Fire Blade or the Willow Dance.

- Yunsung's best signature move is definitely Raging Panther. Two kicks in the face and when your opponent thinks you're going to do another kick, you do some horizontal attacks and one of them trips your opponent. It's a high, medium and low attack to die for.

- Yunsung's best quick moves are Blade Song for its very quick maneuverings and Vipers Illusion for being quick and deadly.

- All of Yunsung's powerful moves are good but they require timing. For Fire Storm, you have to be far away from your opponent and have them standing still. The best time to do Loin Crush(Hold) is right after someone gets up. While they're getting up, execute the move. Roaring Flame is the same as Loin Crush(Hold). Once they get back on their feet, they'll be off their feet. And for Wall Dance(Hold), just make sure your opponent stands still.

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6. FAQs
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There haven't been any FAQs yet. If you have any, email me them.

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7. Contact Information
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You can email me at Nintendomaster@comcast.net

If you have a question, please make sure that it's not in the guide. And try to include the question in the topic.

If you're going to send me emails with compliments, try to include a question or a trick in the game that'll make the guide better.

Send all the hate letters you want. They're hilarious. By the way, can you not send a virus in your email just to make me mad.

I never look at spam or chain letters so don't send me them.

Don't send me emails that make no sense at all.

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