A Route for MML1 Any% Easy:

Also consider looking at BlueMetal's tutorial.

Focuses on the high points and overarching route, and less so the minutia, micro-optimizations, boss strategies, etc. It is mostly focused around what I personally do, so there might be slight differences from the "usual" route Blue and others use in the tutorial.

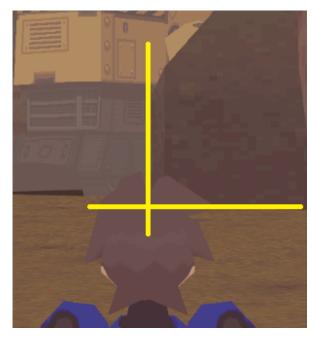
Difficulties at JP title screen: (load an Easy file and return to menu to get the options)

<u>Difficulty</u>	<u>Japanese</u>	Color (Most Ports / PC)
Easy	かんたん	orange / blue
Normal	ふつう	pink / purple
Hard	むずかしい	green / green

Abbreviated Route Description:

- Ocean Tower:
 - Equip Skates and Buster Max, then jump forward.
 - Complete dungeon as usual.
- **Portal 1:** Perform Mine Skip here.
- Buy Energy Canteen (650 Z) on the way to Downtown if wanted.
- Downtown:
 - o **Blumebears:** Immediately circle and fire on the blue one.
 - o Feldynaught: Walk up & left a few steps and fire on the broken leg.
- City Hall:
 - o Turn left and kill the blue flyer.
 - Turn around and kill the pink flyer.
 - o Turn around and approach the yellow tank as you kill it.
 - o Turn around and, if it approaches you, kill the orange flyer.
 - o Kill the other tanks, and then the orange flyer if needed.
 - Kill Bon (stand-and-fire for a bit, then go forward or circle around)
- Skate to Marlwolf.
 - Fire at hatch from ground level.
 - Use Mega Man's hair prior to shooting for visual cue.
 - Aim a bit up from here:



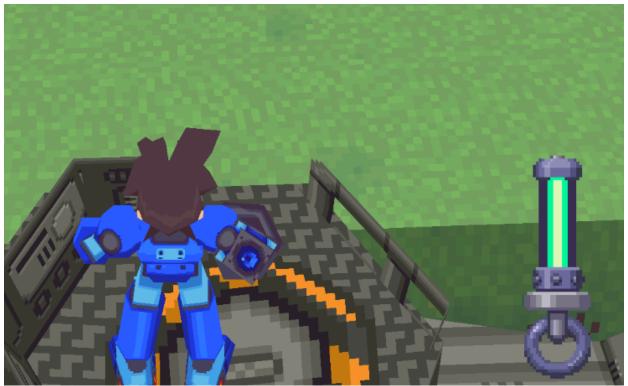


Cardon Sub-Gate:

- o City Hall: Exit, get in the van, and warp to Cardon.
- o Cardon: Approach the southern cave, skip the cutscene, and enter Portal 2.
- o **Portal 2:** Skate through the corner in the wall, and go straight into Cardon.
- o Cardon Sub-Gate: Complete as usual; get the Jump Springs.

• Lake Jyun Sub-Gate:

- o Cardon: Enter the van. Invent stuff, and go to Downtown.
- o **Downtown:** Go left a bit, turn around, and skate into Uptown.
- o **Uptown:** Equip Springs, call Roll, exit, repair the boat, and start the autoscroller.
- Autoscroller: 0-cycle visual cues. Fully zoomed in (not the default zoom).





- Lake Jyun Sub-Gate: Get the keys and refractor as usual.
- Dorito King Skip: You want to have turned <u>just</u> enough so that the doors can open, and then skate diagonally up+right/up+left (parallel to your wall). Then exit as normal.

• Clozer Woods Sub-Gate:

- Uptown: Enter the van.
- Flutter: Leave Roll's room. Talk to Gramps (decline twice), and get the Bomb Schematic from his room. Invent & equip it (scroll up). Go to Clozer.
- Clozer: Equip the Grand Grenade from the menu at some point, and complete it as usual.
- **Bashes:** The line in front of the door is where you want to stand to avoid getting hit. Hit them with 2 grenades, then 1 after they fall.

Air Battles:

- Draches: Go forward, look up, throw a grenade as they're about to line up, then Buster the rest.
- o **Gesellschaft:** Shoot the wings and hull until they explode.
- Skull: Get to the edge of the Flutter, look all the way up, and throw a grenade at it as the
 eyes disappear from the screen. Then Buster it.
- o Fokkerwolf: Free-aim and lead your shots in front of it heavily.

• Main Gate & Bruno:

- Flutter: Leave Mega Man's room, talk to Gramps, and call Roll. Go to Main Gate.
- Main Gate: Skate down the spiral, go into the second door, activate the Sub-Cities. Exit and start the Bruno fight.
- Bruno: Shoot for a second, then run-and-dodge-roll to the Sub-City entrance. After the second laser, jump up and Buster Bruno's spine. Blow up the corner of the fence with a grenade as he dies.

Sub-Cities:

- \circ Do Old City \rightarrow Downtown \rightarrow Uptown.
- Each is fairly straightforward.

• Main Gate 2 & Juno:

- o After Uptown, fast travel to the Main Gate. Skate down and get to Juno.
- Don't bother with grenades.
- o Invincibility trick is generally not worth it.