



Fall 1939: In the East, the Axis player is attacking Poland, with units ending their movement phase as follows: four armor (attack factor=3) in Poznan, an artillery in Krakow (attack factor = 2), and four infantry in East Prussia ( attack factor = 1, + artillery involved in same attack increases attack factor of one infantry from 1 to 2). Germany allocates five air factors based in Breslau to fly a ground support mission. Germany intends to attack with 24 factors (19 ground + 5 air). Poland is defending with 8 factors (four infantry at 2 defense factors each). Such an attack would be at 3-1 odds.

Poland allocates its two air factors to a defensive air support (DAS) mission. Germany has two unused air factors in reserve, and decides to intercept the DAS before it reaches the battlefield. During air combat, Poland's two air factors are destroyed, and Germany must lose one air factor. The original Axis attack goes as planned at 3-1 odds, the dice are rolled, and the defender is eliminated with no losses to the attacker.

Poland falls, and Warsaw is occupied by the four infantry from E Prussia.