

S.3 The Russian Campaign – Soviet Turn 1

(Optional Rules in Play → OR.1, OR.2, & OR.4)



Administrative Phase

Event Card Draw (New Card Bolded)

- In Hand → Great Patriotic War & **Sturmovik**

Strategic Card Employment (New Employments Bolded)

- **Great Patriotic War**

Initial Supply Check

- The 27th Infantry (Rough hex NE of Koenigsberg) & 8th Infantry are OOS
- All other Soviet Units, Production Centers, and Railyards are in Supply

PP Collection

- Saved PP → N/A
- New PP → N/A
- Total PP → N/A

Reinforcement Entry & PP Expenditure

- Reinforcements → N/A
- Offensive Chit Purchase → N/A
- Resurrections → N/A
- Replenishments → N/A
- Reorganizations → N/A
- Total PP Expenditure → N/A
- Saved PP → N/A

Strategic Movement

- None

Air & Ground Operational Movement

- 7th Infantry moves to North Ladoga
- O Air moves to Kharkov
- 28th Cavalry moves to Yerevan

BLITZ IN THE EAST

LEGENDA

100 km
62 mi

SIBERIA

GERMANY
RUSSIA
ROMANIA
BULGARIA
UKRAINE
ARMENIA
GEORGIA
ABKHAZIA
OSSETIA
INGUSHETIA
DAGESTAN
CHECHENIA
INGUSH
DAGESTANI
CHECHENS
OSSETIANS
ABKHAZS

DESTROYED UNITS

AXIS

SOVIETS

PRODUCTION & VICTORY TRACKER

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

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Ground Movement Phase

Ground Movement

- Od Infantry moves to Odessa
- 9th Infantry moves to hex NE of Odessa
- 2nd Cavalry moves to Dnepropetrovsk
- 8th Cavalry moves to Perekop
- 4th Armor moves to Kiev
- 5th Infantry moves to adjacent SE Open hex
- 21st Infantry moves to Bryansk
- 1st Cavalry moves to Velikie Luki
- 23rd Infantry moves to Leningrad



Attrition Phase

Superiority Determination

- Air → Axis (6:0 ratio → $\geq 2:1$); Armor → Axis (4:0 ratio → $\geq 2:1$)

Attrition Determination

- Soviet Strength → 0
- Axis Strength → 24
- Initial Attrition Table Result → 1 - 1
- Shifts → Axis Air Superiority + Axis Armor Superiority → 2 Columns Downward
- Final Attrition Table Result → 0 - 2
- Axis Hits → 0
- Soviet Hits → 2; Soviet Claimed Attrition Hex Markers → 0

Axis Hit Allocation

- N/A

Soviet Hit Allocation

- 8th Infantry takes two hits and Surrenders → Axis immediately gain Hiwis Bonus of +1 Goods

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SIBERIA

BERLIN, DRESDEN, BRESLAU, KRANOU, LODZ, WARSZAWA, WROCLAW, GATCZYNA, KATYNY, MINSK, VILNIUS, TALLINN, HELSINKI, TAMPERE, JOYBU, RYBNO, VORONEZH, ZAPOROZHYE, STALINGRAD, ROSSTOV, KURSC, ZHYTOMIR, KYIEV, ZAKARPATTA, UZHEN, DABROCA, CERDASZI, BELGRADE, PIEST, BUCHAREST, SOFIA, VALNA, THISSALONIKI, SALONIKA, KARAGI, ASTRAKHAN, GROZNY, TBILISI, BAKU, TABRIZ.

DESTROYED UNITS

3-4, 2-2

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Final Phase

Final Supply Check

- 27th Infantry takes two hits and Surrenders → Axis immediately gain Hiwis Bonus of +1 Goods

Soviet Victory Check

- N/A

Turn Summary

Comrade Stalin has abruptly recovered from his temporary incapacitation and directed a “Great Patriotic War” to repel the Axis invaders. All segments of Soviet society will tenaciously support the war effort, whether it be fighting on the front, producing war munitions, building fortifications, or conducting partisan activities.

Across the front, Soviet forces have retrograded to more defensible terrain and are determined to protect key centers of gravity while rapid mobilization occurs. Abandonment of the 8th and 27th Infantry Armies was an unfortunate trade off.

Given the speed and surprise of the Axis advance, the *NKVD* is uncertain where the next thrusts will occur. Leningrad, Smolensk, Kiev, and Odessa are all potential targets. How will the Axis invasion proceed?