

# OPERATION BLUECOAT

## History

On the 30<sup>th</sup> of July 1944, the operation code name BLUE COAT begun with a massive attack from Caumont l'Eventé towards Le Beny-Bocage and Vires. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of August, 1944, south of the river Souleuvre, British Recce units are advancing in the Norman Switzerland. At the same time leading elements of the 9 SS Panzer Division "Hohenstaufen" sent to stop the allied advance, arrive.

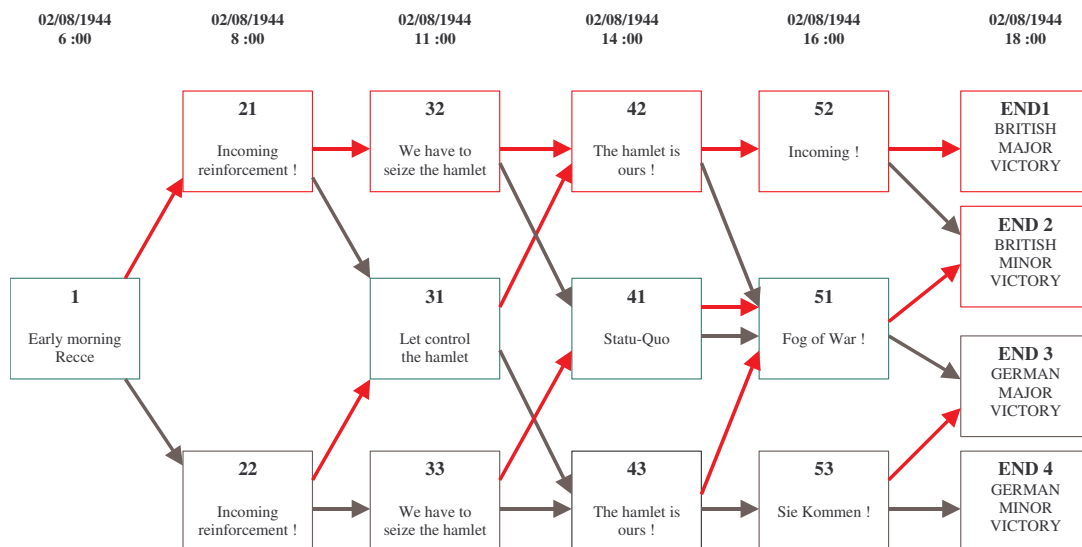
## Locations

200 cm x 200 cm



## Scenarios

*Red arrow : British victory / Grey arrow : German victory*



At the end of each scenario, units with less than 50% casualties are allowed to stay on the field, all the others are removed. Destroyed and abandoned vehicles stay on the field with a smoke marker.

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Scenario	British units	German units	Notes
<b>1</b>	Reconnaissance Troop 15th Scottish Recce Regiment	Kampfgruppe SS Pz Aufklärung Abteilung 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The hamlet is not controlled.</li> </ul>
	2 Humber Armoured Car	1 Sdkfz250/1	
	2 Humber Light Recce Car	1 Sch. Spähtrupp (Sdkfz232 x2)	
	3 Bren Carrier section	1 Spähtrupp ( Skfz250 x 3)	
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<b>21</b>	Assault Reconnaissance Troop 15th Scottish Recce Regiment	Infanterie Zug SS Pz Aufklärung Abteilung 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The hamlet is under control of the British side. The British player deploys the remaining units around the hamlet.</li> <li>The remaining German units are deployed up to 16" of their board's edge.</li> <li>Reinforcements enter the table from the board's edge.</li> </ul>
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	1 Infantry Platoon	4 Pz Grenadiers platoon (OBltitz)	
	1 Cromwell troop (3)	2 Stug III G zug (2)	
<b>32</b>	Infantry 15th Scottish Infantry Regiment	Panzer Kampfgruppe SS Pz Grenadier Regiment H	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The hamlet is under control of the British side. The British player deploys all his units around the hamlet.</li> <li>The remaining German units are deployed up to 10" of their board's edge.</li> </ul>
	1 Infantry Platoon	2 Pz Grenadiers platoon	
	1 Vickers section (2)	1 Stug III G zug (3)	
	1 6 Pdr AC / Carrier		
<b>33</b>	Infantry + Armoured Recce 15th Scottish Infantry Regiment	Panzer Kampfgruppe SS Pz Grenadier Regiment H	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The hamlet is under control of the German side. The German player deploys all his units around the hamlet.</li> <li>The remaining British units are deployed up to 10" of their board's edge.</li> </ul>
	2 Infantry Platoon	1 Pz Grenadiers platoon	
	1 Cromwell troop (3)	1 MG42	
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