

Turn 5



Spad 1 got his angle of attack all wrong and so he pulls hard to the right as Ltn Höhn flashes past.

Pfalzs 1 and 3 dive onto the balloon as it become clear that the Spads are going to overshoot.

Spad 2 realising that he is travelling too fast to turn onto Pfalz 2 or 3 pulls a 5G turn and lines up on Ltn Höhn.

Pfalz 2 has to reverse his roll but now has the option of turning in behind the Spad or going for the balloon.

Scenario 41 – Höhn's Rampage – Part 2

Aircraft	Location	Heading	Altitude	Bank	Nose Arc	Speed	Throttle
Pfalz DIII - 1	2122	W	2900	L60u	15 degree dive	7.7(0.5)	F
Pfalz DIII - 2	2925	NW	3150	R60u	60 degree dive	6.4(0.9)	F (1/3 OG)
Pfalz DIII - 3	2224	NW	3000	L30u	15 degree dive	7.1(0.4)	F
Spad XII - 1	2421	SSE	3350	R60u	15 degree dive	8.1(0.6)	F
Spad XII - 2	2625	NNE	3250	L60u	30 degree dive	7.9(0.8)	F
Balloon	2129	-	2750	-	-	-	-

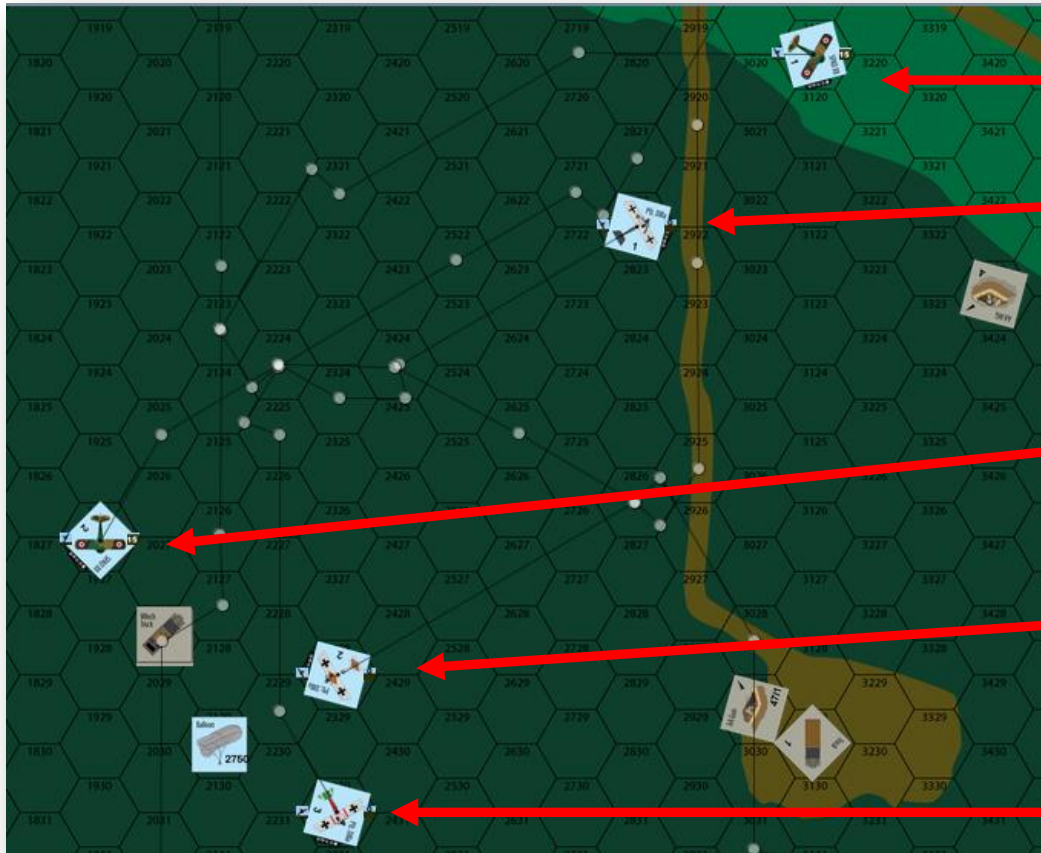
At this point the observer in the balloon decides that things are starting to get dangerous and bails out.



His chute opens and he floats gently towards the ground.



Turn 6



Spad 1 continues to pull hard right.

Pfalz 1 pulls a hard 6G turn to the left to try and come round on Spad 1. Unfortunately the strain causes Lt n Höhn to blackout.

Spad 2 pulls a 5G sustained turn to try and come around behind Pfalz 3 but he also blacks out in the attempt.

Pfalz 2 pulls back hard on the stick and aims for the balloon. He also starts a left skid so that he should slide past after his shot.

Pfalz 3 doesn't want to risk his wing spar damage getting worse and so turns past the balloon with a gentle 3G turn.

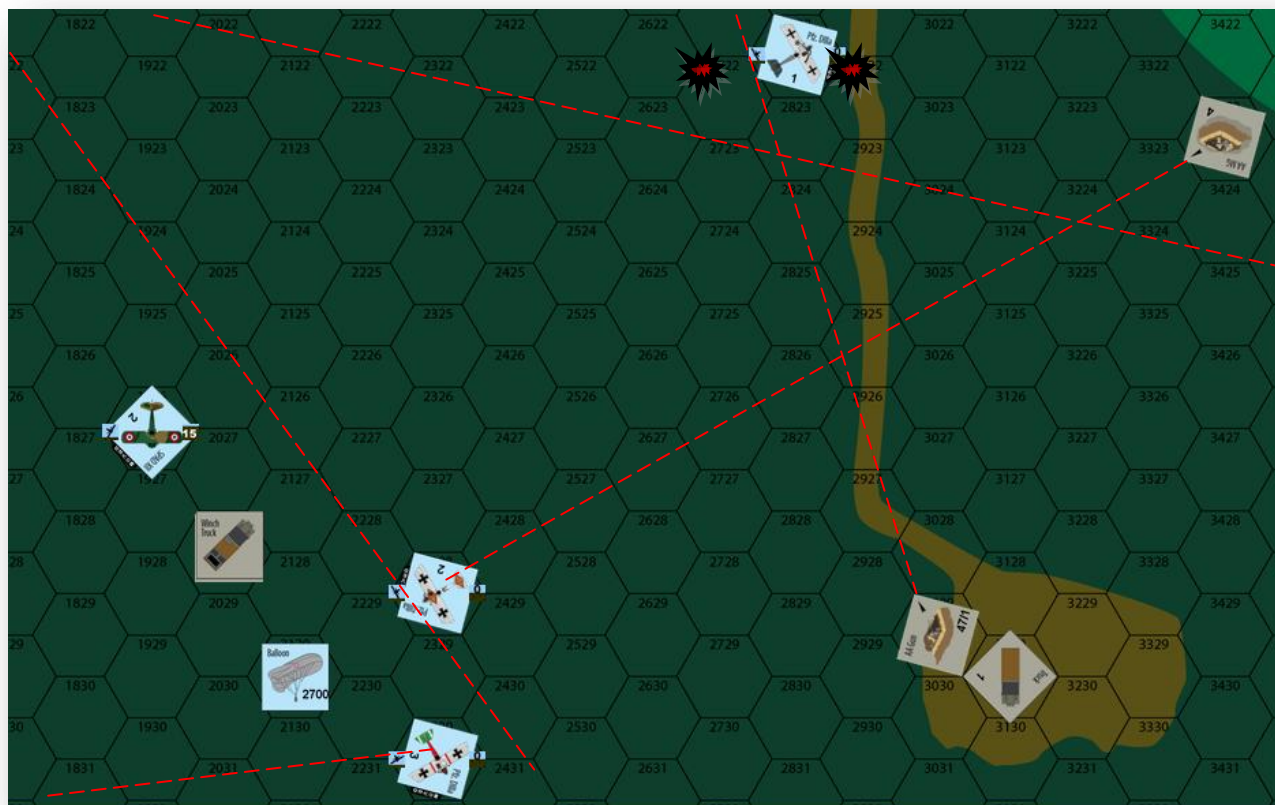
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Pfalz 2 opens fire at close range with a long burst. This causes light damage to the balloon but she still won't burn.



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Archie continues to blaze away at the German aircraft.

Pfalz 3 takes more Damage, this time from machine gun fire

Pfalz 2 is also hit.

Pfalz 1, with the unconscious Lt n Höhn at the controls, is fired on by two machine guns and two 47mm guns but, luckily, not hit

Aircraft	Location	Heading	Altitude	Bank	Nose Arc	Speed	Throttle
Pfalz DIII - 1	2822	SSE	2800	R60u	0	6.5(0.2)	F
Pfalz DIII - 2	2328	NNW	2700	R60u	0	7.3(0.3)	2/3
Pfalz DIII - 3	2330	SW	2900	L30u	15 degree dive	7.0(0.5)	F
Spad XII - 1	3119	SSW	3250	R60u	15 degree dive	7.1(0.7)	Idle
Spad XII - 2	1926	W	2850	L60u	15 degree dive	8.4(0.7)	F
Balloon	2129	-	2700	-	-	-	-

Turn 7



Ltn Höhn's ship continues flying straight although the nose dips slightly.
Inside, the aircraft the Ltn struggles to come to.

Spad 1 slams the throttle on and rolls and turns left in an attempt to get behind the Pfalz. Unfortunately as he pushes the throttle forward there is a loud bang from the engine and white smokes starts to pour out. His engine is now running rough.

Pfalz 2 attempts to get some separation from the balloon so that he can turn for another pass.

Spad 2 continues to turn and dive with an unconscious pilot at the controls.

Pfalz 3, having suffered damage tries to slip away unnoticed.

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Pfalz DIII - 2	1732	NNW	2700	R60u	0	7.3(0.6)	F
Pfalz DIII - 3	2531	W	2800	R30u	15 degree dive	7.1(0.5)	F
Spad XII - 1	3822	S	3000	L60u	15 degree dive	7.8(0.8)	F
Spad XII - 2	2133	SSW	2500	L60u	15 degree dive	8.6(0.1)	F
Balloon	2129	-	2650	-	-	-	-

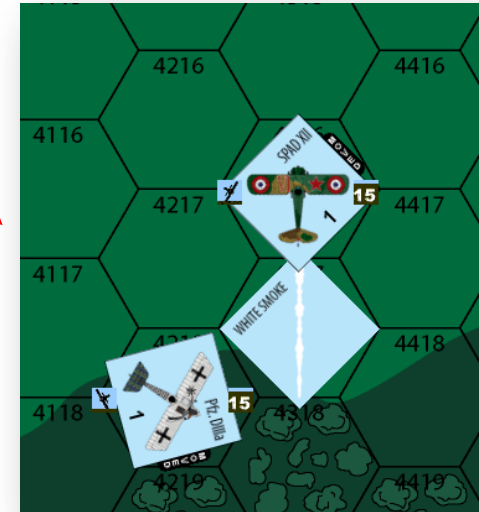
Out of the 5 aircraft, 2 have blacked out pilots, 1 has wing spar damage and 1 has a rough engine and is trailing white smoke. The relatively undamaged Pfalz 2 prepares to circle around for another pass at the balloon.



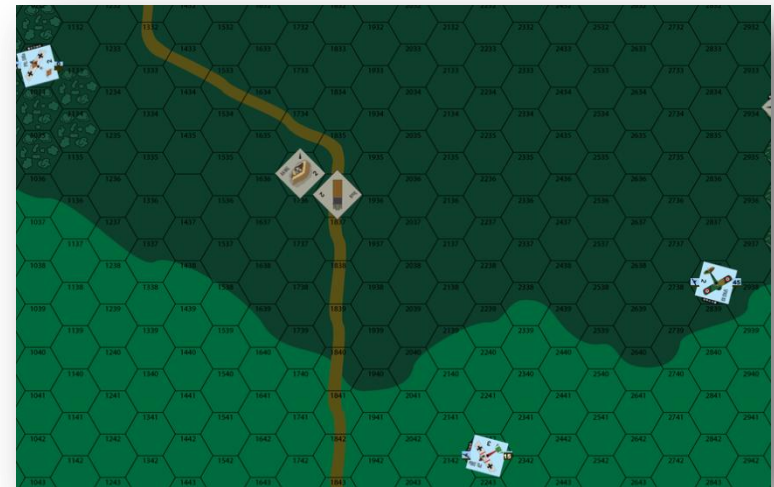
Turn 8



Pfalz 1 and Spad 1



Pfalz 2 and 3 and Spad 2



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I realised at this point that Pfalz 2 is right up against the board edge and will exit the board next turn. This wasn't intentional, I just didn't notice when using the VASSAL module. I shall assume that his courage failed him and he decided to flee.

Pfalz 3 is also looking to escape as he has wing spar damage.

Ltn Höhn? – he hasn't finished yet 😊