

# Crusade in Spain

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*La Guerra Civil Española*

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## Background

In 1936 after many political tensions, a coalition of lefty parties democratically won the elections, and formed government. Was the government of the People's Front (Frente Popular), a new time for Spain had arrived. Many social changes were planned, but in the shadows, some high generals aided by the main financial people of the country and by some politicians started to plan an uprising against the legal government. They wanted to restore the traditional Spanish order, against separatists, red wings, and anti-church movements, which were striking all Spain.

Again, a coup was to be made in Spain, the society were undoubtedly divided in only two groups, and Spain, unfortunately was going to be divided in two sides.

Was the beginning of the worst conflict suffered in Spain. A 3 years war which destroyed all the country, and still now has consequences in the country. Were the people against the army, popular untrained battalions against the elite troops of Morocco. Are you ready to restore the order, the peace, and the glorious past of your motherland Spain?.

**Note:** I don't support any kind of political movement or ideology. This campaign only tries to represent the civil war in the wargame Panzer General 2.

## The campaign

Crusade in Spain is an historical campaign, and tries to show some elements of the Spanish Civil War in Panzer General 2. All the scenarios have the historical order of battle by place and by date, and other elements included, like losses, air superiority, size of the units in the making at the start

In this campaign you will fight all the main battles of war, and if you are success defeating the Republican Forces, maybe the Generalísimo will honor you with some other special operations for the greatness of Spain...

### *Campaign scenario table.*

Scenario Name	Date	Map	Map Author	
• Alcazar de Toledo	26-Sep-1936	Alcazar	Santiago Fuertes	
• Marcha hacia Madrid		28-Sep-1936	Alcazar	Santiago Fuertes
• Batalla de Madrid	13-Nov-1936	Madrid Center	Santiago Fuertes	
• Ofensiva del Jarama		16-Feb-1937	Madrid SE	Santiago Fuertes
• Ofensiva de Guadalajara		8-Mar-1937	Madrid	SSI
• Selección	30-Mar-1937	Spain Strategic Map	Santiago Fuertes	
• Batalla de Brunete	6-Jul-1937	Brunete	Santiago Fuertes	
• Batalla de Belchite		24-Ago-1937	Aragon	Santiago Fuertes
• Ofensiva de Vizcaya		12-May-1937	Bilbao	Santiago Fuertes
• Ofensiva de Asturias		17-Oct-1937	Asturias	Santiago Fuertes
• Batalla de Teruel	15-Dic-1937	Teruel	Santiago Fuertes	
• Batalla del Ebro	20-Aug-1938	Ebro	Santiago Fuertes	
• Batalla del Segre	6-Nov-1936	Segre	Santiago Fuertes	
• Asalto a Gibraltar	12-Sep-1940	Gibraltar+	Not mine	

## Setup

Unzip the file English\_Campaign.zip into your main scenarios folder, usually c:\panzer2\scenario, and then unzip the file LG3.1.zip into the main Panzer General 2 folder, usually c:\panzer2. The efile version of LG that uses this campaign is the 3.1 or higher, and it s the version included with the campaign.

### *Requeriments*

✚ **Patch PG2 2.10.** This patch is needed for efiles with more than 2000 units. That patch it s available at <http://es.geocities.com/latingenerals/> into the downloads y tutoriales section, also you can find it on; <http://go.to/panzergeneral2> .

✚ **The newest Soundup, (2005).** The SoundUp of 2005 (by Pablo Schlegel) is required, you can fid it on the next site;

<http://es.geocities.com/latinegenerals/utilidades.htm>

✚ **The newest Datup.** It's really easy to install. Unzip the Datup into your main PG2 folder, usually c:\panzer2. You can find the latest Datup in the next link at the equipment section (see NewPanzer2.dat); <http://www.adlerkorps.com>

✚ **Maps;** The campaign needs the next maps, which can be found on the next link; <http://go.to/panzergeneral2> or also here <http://www.stahlhelm.prv.pl/>

The maps needed are ;

TOLEDO, MADRID CENTER, MADRID SE, GUADALAJARA (SSI), SPANISH STRATEGICAL MAP, BRUNETE, ARAGON, TERUEL, EBRO, SEGRE, GIBRALTAR+

1° Unzip the map files file which is included into the zip package of this campaign.

2° Unzip each .shp zip file into a folder named MAP into the main PG2 game folder; c:\panzer2\map.

✚ **Smacks;** Drag Dasan has made 4 smacks for this campaign. In order to install the smacks you need to make a folder named smack into your main pg2 folder, for example;

C:\panzer2\smack

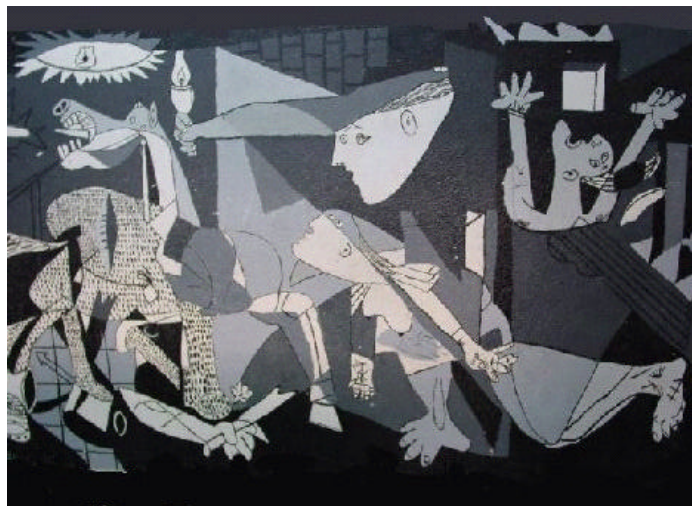
And then, unzip all the smacks there. The smacks titles are the next;

NatIntro, NatBV, NatLose, NatEnd

Get the smacks from the next links!

<http://www.adlerkorps.com/>

Glossary of terms and abbreviations.



**Columna;** Column , ad-hoc or irregular militar formations used in Spain in both sides. The rebel columns

sometimes were like an entire army corps, and later in the war, they formed divisions. The 13 Infantry Division of the Nationalist side was like a classical army corp, formed from a column.

**BI; *Brigada Internacional*.** International Brigade. The foreign volunteers for the Spanish Republic were organized into International Brigades , most of times grouped by their common language.

**BM; *Brigada Mixta*.** Mixed Brigade. Standard unit of the Spanish People s Army.

**FARE; *Fuerzas Aereas Republicanas Españolas*.** Spanish Republican Air Forces.

**Bon; *Batallón*.** Battalion.

**Tab; *Tabor*.** Moroccan kind of battalion.

**Ban; *Bandera*,** Flag . Spanish kind of battalion. Standard organization in the Spanish Legion, also used by the Falange units.

**CTV; *Corpo di Truppe Volontaire* ,** (Volunteer Corp Troops). Were the troops sent by Mussolini. They were up to 4 full motorised divisions, consisting on mainly black shirts, and also regular Italian army units.

**Div.;** Division.

**FAE or FA; *Fuerzas Aéreas Españolas* , *Fuerzas Aéreas* .**

**CEM; *Cuerpo de Ejército Marroquí* ,** Moroccan Army Corps.

**CNT/FAI; *Confederación Nacional de Trabajadores/Federación Anarquista Ibérica*.**

**UGT; *Unión General de Trabajadores*.** (Both, trade unions with recruited volunteers to face the nationalist advance).

## History Updates

1.1 I have forgotten to add the NatEnd Smack made by Drag Dasan. Sorry Drag!.

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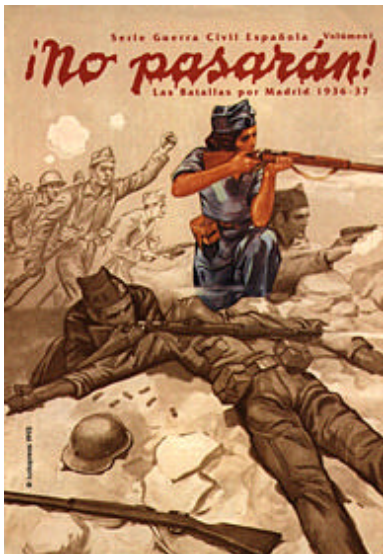
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Want to learn more about the Spanish Civil War?



✚ I have used the next links for get info;

[http://www.ogqn.com/odb\\_gce/](http://www.ogqn.com/odb_gce/)

<http://www.sbhac.net/Republica/Republica.htm>

[<http://www.balagan.org.uk/war/index.htm>](http://www.balagan.org.uk/war/index.htm)



Also I have used the next Spanishs books;

- Guerra y Revolución en España (1936 - 1939) - Georges Soria (1978). ISBN: 84-253-0980-8
- Batalla de Madrid - Jorge M. Reverte (2004). ISBN 84-674-2201-7
- Batalla del Ebro - Jorge M. Reverte (2003). ISBN 84-674-1472-3

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Also we would like to see your posts on our forum;

[<http://p090.ezboard.com/fjpspanzersfrm125>](http://p090.ezboard.com/fjpspanzersfrm125)

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