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OPERATION SANDSTORM

LOCATION: North Africa

DATE: April 4, 1941

LOCAL TIME: 1700

WEATHER: Clear

WIND: Strong, southwesterly

SITREP

We have begun to push back the Axis advance. The town of Bardia is now within our grasp. Our ground forces are pushing through German lines to the south while our resupply at Sidi Barrani is well underway. An amphibious assault has now begun at the beaches just north of Bardia and our forces are already pushing south in a pincer movement. We hope to secure the town of Bardia before dawn.

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FIGHTER ORDERS

Provide cover for our attack and bomber aircraft. Protect our amphibious assault and our resupply from German and Italian aircraft.

ROE: Green/Yellow:
Identify ground forces before firing upon.

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ATTACK / BOMBER ORDERS

Total target points = 8.

Needed to win = 5.

- Axis supply and ammo depot, Tobruk (1 point)
- Axis water treatment plant, Bi'r al Hakim (1 point)
- Axis Naval supply convoy, north of Gambut (2 points)
- Almiah Alkhafia airfield (1 point)
- Axis fuel convoy, heading east, north east from Almiah Alkhafia to Ghawat al Arnab (1 point)
- Axis AAA convoy, heading west from Tobruk to Fort Beddud (1 point)
- Radar installations reported near Gambut, Sidi Rezegh, and Bir el Gubi (1 point)

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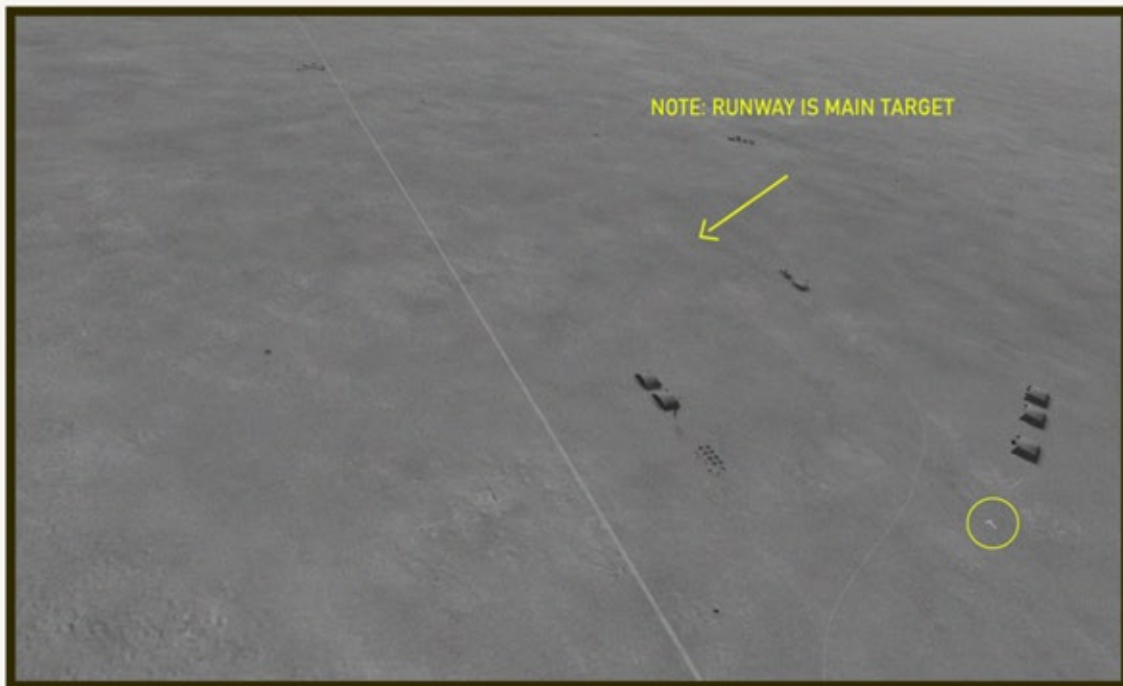
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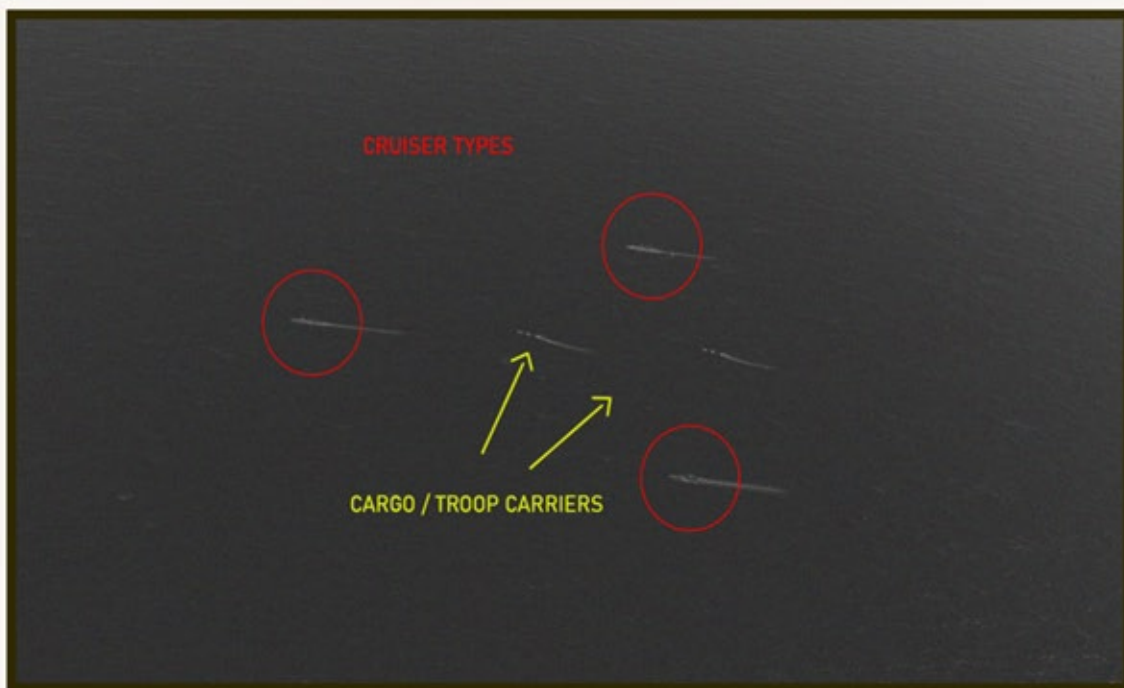


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