



# Tightening the Noose



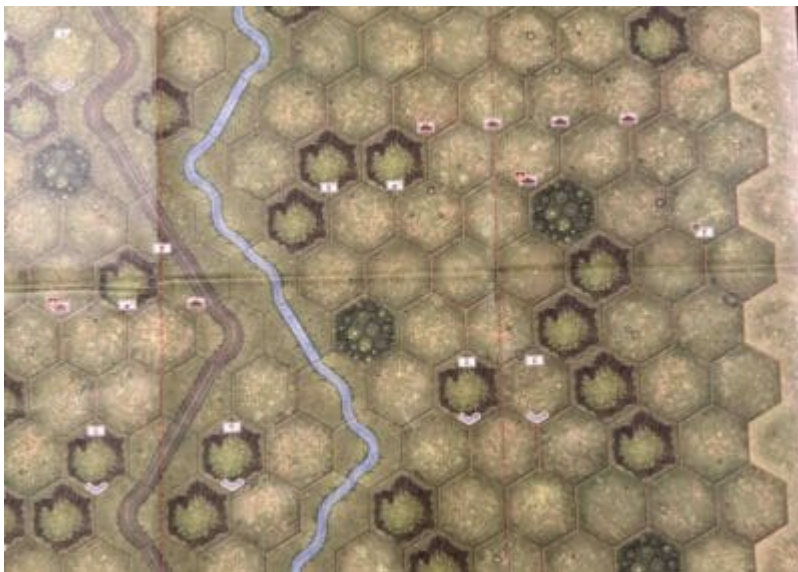
**Tightening-Noose\_whole**



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“Listen up! In August ‘39, the Red Army under that tough son of a gun, Zhukov, went to work along the Khalkhin-Gol River—right on the border of Mongolia and Manchuria. The Japanese wanted to push their luck and bite off a chunk of land, but Zhukov wasn’t about to let that happen.



He took tanks, infantry, artillery, and air power, and he **tightened that noose** like a hangman on payday! Those Japanese 23rd Division boys didn't know what hit 'em—no way out, no way to retreat, just the iron hammer of the Soviets crushing them from every side.

The result? A total victory for Zhukov and his Red Army, driving the Japanese back and showing the world that these Russians could **fight, surround, and destroy** like nobody's business. That's the kind of operation I like, boys—**surround 'em, cut 'em down, and don't stop until the job's done!**"

~~ General Howitzer

**8 VP's**

**Card Balance:**

Allies - 7

Axis - 4

**Complexity:**

**4**

**Conditions:**

Countryside



**Context:**

Historical

**Location:**

Mongolia

**Year:**

1939

**Theater:**

Eastern



**Campaign:**

**Codename:**

**Summary:**

**Objectives:**

8 VP's, plus Territorial Objective Medals for each side

**Battlefield:**

Countryside with a road and a river stretching up and down the battlefield

**Troops:**

Allies (Soviet Union) - 9 Infantry, 9 Armor, 3 Artillery

Axis (Japanese ) - 10 Infantry, 2 Armor, 1 Artillery



**Allied Strategy:**

1.





## Axis Strategy

1.

## Battle Reports

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Allies Won



Axis Won

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