

# Napoleon Against Russia

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Tinted items are updated in the NAR Update Kit

## 25.18 Russian Armies, Units

Lebedev is the Smolensk Militia (SMO).

**25.24:** Replace the second paragraph and the bullets after that paragraph with this:

All Baggage Trains set-up within [7] hexes of any unit in their respective formation or enter as reinforcements, unless otherwise specified. French and Coalition corps generally have their own dedicated baggage trains.

- If a train is mentioned in the reinforcement schedule it enters as specified.
- If an entire formation is listed as a reinforcement on a single turn, the baggage and pontoon trains arrive after all combat units.
- If a formation arrives over several turns, the trains arrive at the owner's choice of time.
- If part of the formation sets up on map and part arrives later as a reinforcement, trains set up or arrive with either group at owner's choice.

**26.31 EXCEPTION:** Change this to read:

The total number of VPs from exiting units may not exceed the total number of enemy combat units PEU and UAR.

**27.33** The March Order is for the Day of Battle (not the Approach), and doesn't apply to forces in Smolensk; only to the troops under Bagration on the road to Dorogobuzh. This doesn't mean Bagration arrives automatically, just that if he does arrive (as an ALT), he has a March Order.

## 27.5 Smolensk AtB

Mode Cards are played and take effect at 6 AM turn.

## 27.52 Mode Cards at Start

Reduce draw to 2 cards for each side.

Reinstate the Road Column Card Nr. 1 in the Russian deck.

**27.54 (add):** The Russian Player gets his regular free March Order (25.6).

**28.31 (change):** Place the I.P. in 2208, not 2522E.

**29.37 c)** Change "7 September" to "6 September."

## 30.2 Borodino Alternate Reinforcements

FRENCH The following units were en route to join the army, arriving just after the battle. But there are no Russian ALT Reinf. to balance these. If you wish, add 3 ALT Cards (No. 29) to the French deck.

- #1. Brigade Guyon/IV
- #2. Division Pino/IV
- #3. Division Delaborde/YG

**30.37 (add):** Consider the units of the French 1st and 3rd Divisions of the I Corps to be part of the IV Corps for command, but not supply, purposes, in this battle.

## 31.16 Maloyaroslavets First Player (change):

The Russian Player is first player.

## 31.2 Maloyaroslavets ALT Reinforcements

FRENCH

- #1. 1st Div/I
- #2. 2nd and 4th Div/I
- #3. PONIATOWSKI, 16th Div/V
- #4. NEY, III Corps

RUSSIAN

- #1. MILORADOV, Depreradovich-m/V, Duka-m/V
- #2. KONSTANTINE/V Corps
- #3. and #4. (no change).

## 31.32 March Orders at Start (change):

PLATOV has a March Order for Maloyaroslavets.

## 31.34 Russian Units in Road March (add):

Russian units of 4 SPs or less may move adjacent to each other in Road March, even on the same road. (EXCEPTION to 7.53, 3rd bullet.)

**32.22 ALT reinforcements (change)** the reference to 27.2 should say 27.53 (2 places).

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**33.31 Undeclared Truce Days (add):** Set up any reinforcements due to arrive during Sept. 6th in their historical positions for the 7th or as near as possible outside EZOCs.

## 34.21 Grand Campaign Force Structure

Some units are changed-out when moving from Smolensk to Shevardino:

FRENCH ARMY

- The three Württemberg Brigades in III Corps (Hugel, Koch, Bruselle) are removed and replaced by Scheeler's Division unit.

RUSSIAN ARMY

## (25.34) Units First Appearing at Shevardino

- 1A and 2A artillery corps. They contained guns redistributed from the other corps. Use of the artillery corps is optional, but if you do you must remove the line artillery units as shown on the Borodino Initial set up. The (weaker) yellow version of some artillery units (Schulman-b/VII, Bogoslavsky-b/VIII, Goulewicz-b/IV) came about because some of their batteries were transferred to the Artillery Reserve. If you take the option not to create the Artillery Reserve then you would not use the substitutes Goulewicz-b, Bogoslavsky-b and Schulman-b.

- The individual cavalry regiments attached to each Infantry Corps were taken into the four Cavalry Corps at Borodino. Remove the regiment units when making up the Borodino counter mix: **Elizabeth Hus, Gd Cossacks, Izyum, Sumy, and Akhtyrka Hus.**

**Counter Mix:** The Weather Marker is not needed.  
(*change*): Russian VI Corps officer Dochturov's revised initiative is (4), not (2).

**Card Deck: No. 6** Formation Scattered (*change text*): raise it 6 inches (not 12") for all surfaces.

**Card No. 90** has incorrect number 91—no effect.

**Card 11 (French), Release the Guard:** Change results 1-2 to read "No effect—Treat card as inapplicable."

**Card 14, Grand Battery:** A grand battery does not have to be disbanded after the two turns that it's automatically In Command.

**Card 23 (French), French Cav:** If a "degraded" LC is eliminated during a recon in which this card is played, the LC unit still reorganizes like an LC unit, not as a Vedette.

#### **Maloyaroslavets Remove from Deck** (*add*):

1 Russian Card No.6, 1 French Card No. 25, and all cards No. 26 from French and Russian decks.

#### **Turn Record Track, Maloyaroslavets**

Use the *NEW Revised TRC REV 5/4/15*

Delete Chastel-m from the 10 AM turn.

#### **Turn Record Track, Smolensk**

- 16 August, 5 PM (*add*): Girardin, Bordessoule, 1, 7 HArt/I
- 17 August, AM (all): French Guard units arrive at 0147W
- 17 August, 12 Noon (*add*): 1st YG Div/YG at 1301W
- 17 August, 1 PM (*add*): JUNOT at 0147W
- 17 August, 4 PM (*clarification*): Italians/IV—GR Div *only*

#### **Turn Record Track, Shevardino**

- 5 Sept., 12 Noon (*add for French*): Mongenet/IV at 0114.
- 5 Sept., 2 PM (*add for French*): Italian GR Div/IV at 0121.  
They may be given a March Order.
- 5 Sept., 8 PM (*add for French*): Foucher/III at 0121.
- 6 Sept., 11 AM: Remove the French/Bavarian units arriving at 0114. They're already listed as part of the Cav Div/IV on 5 Sept., 12 Noon.

**Russian Initial Set-up, SmoAtB** (*change*): Devell arrives with the rest of the 7th Division at 3 PM.

**Russian Initial Set-up, SmoDoB** (*change*): Bagration sets-up at 1419 East (not West).

**Russian Initial Set-up, SmoAtB, SmoDoB, & Val**  
(*change*): Remove the entries in the IIC Corps for Klebev and Panchulidzev II.

**French Set-up Cards:** The card lists Guyon as having an initiative of 3 and belonging to the 13/IV Division. The counter shows the unit has having an initiative of 4 and belonging to C/IV. The counter is correct.

**French Set-up Cards:** Not all units that arrive as reinforcements are indicated by "Reinf" on the cards, especially for the Smolensk scenarios. Use the Turn Record Tracks to determine which units are reinforcements for a battle.

#### **French Initial Set-up, SmoAtB** (*change*):

GC	Bessieres	1208W
	St. Sulpice	1208W
	Guyot	1208W
Attached	7th Lancers	1208W
	1, 3 HArt	1208W

#### **French Initial Set-up, SmoDoB** (*change*):

Delaborde	Berthezene	1207W
	Lanusse	1205W
	Nourry	1304W

Delaborde's 1st YG division was detached from the rest of the guard and placed under Eugene's orders (IV Corps).

- Girardin's I Corps LC units should be marked as Reinforcements for the Smolensk AtB.

- Leader Davout should be marked as a Reinforcement for the Valutino battle.

#### **French Casualty Record Track**

In the Shev-Borodino column, remove the entry for 4/I in row 8. The entry for it in row 5 is correct.

#### **6.31 Officer Initiative Checks**

HOUSE RULE: If the officer who fails his Initiative Die Roll is within 3 hexes of an enemy unit, the leader and all his units within his Command Range may move **one** and only one **hex**, but remain out of command.