

## EDITORIAL

GHQ's LA VIVANDIERE Magazine has arrived.

La Vivandiere's purpose is to give people interested in war as a concept an opportunity to become interested in wargaming as a concept and by this means enable them to learn more about war.

This first issue is an introduction comprised predominantly of the 1973 GHQ Catalog and related articles. Future issues will announce new additions to the GHQ micro-armour and Mapoleonic lines as well as other manufacturer's products.

Realism in table top wargaming is the objective. It is GHQ's intention to provide new approaches and rule concepts for wargaming. Concentration will not only be on playability, but also realistic performance of man and vehicle, actual historically accurate scenarios and wider scope in equipment used in table top battles.

Information services will include complete catalog information on GMQ products, new additions to the GMQ line, vehicle profiles, organizational charts and occasional detailed conversion articles will be featured. Vivandiere will therefore be a constant source of useful wargaming data.

The 1:285 scale of GHQ micro-armour is a breakthrough in table top wargaming. By use of the micro scale, macro battles can now be staged with much more equipment on a smaller playing surface area. Vehicle and figure detail are important to GHQ and we are dedicated to producing quality miniatures.

Future issues will introduce novel innovations in wargaming rules with realism stressed, a constant update on catalog data and many interesting informative articles. The visual nature and color of many miniatures make table top wargaming the most exciting of the military hobbies. Vivandlere hopes to act as a catalyst for new ideas, greater realism and playability in wargaming. GHQ hopes you will subscribe to Vivandlere Magazine.

EDITORIAL SUBMISSIONS POLICY

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Cover: German Grasshopper from La Vivandiere collection.

### PANZERBLITZ IS NUMBER ONE!

Hummel from La Vivandiere photo collection.



MINIATURES VS BOARDGAMES

The war game with the greatest acceptance according to a poll published in SPI's Strategy and Tactics Magazine (Issue nr. 36) is an Avalon Hill Co. game called Panzerblitz. In fact over 71% of S & T readers have played

Why has this game, a relative late comer in board games, shown so much commercial success over all other rivals? The answer is simple. Panzer Blitz is a board game attempt to capture the flavor, essence, and simulation of miniature table top wargaming. The larger pieces with tank silhouettes and other vehicle profiles, the concept of range and armor and cavalry vs the slow moving infantry - all these things are attempts to capture the esthetics of miniature wargaming.

The attempt has many flaws, but by giving the illusion of miniatures and 3D in a board game, Panzer Blitz has cleaned up on the market and may well continue to do so. This is good in one way because it shows the vitality and continuing popularity of the style and color involved in miniatures, but it is unfortunate that Panzer Blitz is the game that so dramatically demonstrates this interest.

Panzer Blitz is a slick packaged board game with many psychological ploys such as grey and brown pieces, the tank silhouettes etc., but as a representative of miniature wargaming it is definitely inadequate. The game cuts across too many levels and tries to do too much in some areas thus ignoring others.

The tanks lose individuality in the game, the rules are such that a cardboard counter game of hide and seek usually occurs for five or ten turns and draws are very likely. The use of infantry is slow and trying on one's patience and there is a definite flaw in the way you can't see a Hummel hiding in the little clump of trees to the side of the road.

The solution to this is simple. Use miniatures for miniature wargaming and not only do you have the 3D effect <u>Panzer Blitz</u> tries to portray, but also the satisfaction of participating in the art of miniature painting, seeing your own work used and enjoyed, building a fine collection and participating in a therefore more personalized hobby.

Painting in the moustache and black tie of a German Officer, or the white uniforms of a winterized unit, or the individual treads of a tank track, may take longer than breaking out the pieces to a board game, but the entire operation is your own individual one and the satisfaction is more fully realized.

Miniatures remain the most colorful military hobby. Not only for WMII tank warfare, but for Napoleonics and all other periods as well. Look over the GHQ Catalog and examine a few of the rarer tanks in the line. Make your collection a personal asset by giving it your personal touch. Games are games. Miniature wargaming is also an art.

# TANK PROFILE

#### PzKw VI Tiger I (SdKfz 181)



Tiger I from La Vivandiere photo collection.

The famous "Tiger I" produced by Henschel & Sohn Company was the direct result of the lessons the Germans learned on the Russian front in 1941. It took no great intellect on the part of the German High Command to see the effectiveness of the Russian T-34 and KV vs. the inadequacies of the Pzkfw III & IV's, with their short 50mm and 75mm guns.

It did take an effort to convince Hitler to concentrate on production of the Henschel Tiger, however. Among the obstacles were Hitler's fantasy weapon - the 'Mauschen or Mouse' - a 100 ton monster which threatened the production of the Tiger, the Porsche Ferdinand another version of the Tiger without a machine gun and the Ram-Tiger. These distractions were finally ruled out by the High Command and mass production of the Henschel Tiger was decided on in 1942.

Unfortunately, the first Tigers to see action were employed on bad tank terrain in the Leningrad area and suffered high losses with little gain. Thus, the Germans had revealed the secret of the Tiger prematurely and the Russians were better prepared to defend against it in the future.

Major General F. W. von Mellenthin stated: "...the Tiger was the most successful tank in the world until 1945...". He rated it higher than the Russian Stalin tanks. The data given here covers some of the more important statistics on the Panzerkampfwagen VI "Tiger I" Ausfuhrung E. The Tiger I is available from GHQ micro-armour at \$2.45 for a box of

		.8cm KwK 36, L/56 + 2 MG 34
	Front100mm	
		Upper sides80mm
		Lower sides60mm
		Rear80mm
		Roof & floor.26mm
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lidth of Track		Country, 100 km on Streets
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Produced	1942-	1011

GHQ micro-armour \$2.45 @ Box of Five

#### 1940 Armour Comparison

In 1940, The Allied Armies had more tanks than the German Wehrmacht. Because of poor deployment, piecemeal usage and lack of modern tank tactics the French armoured units fared very poorly in the 1940 campaign and, as a result, their tanks were quickly forgotten.

In reality many of the French tanks were superior to the German Panzers and had they been employed correctly the deep penetration of the Germans from Sedan might not have been possible. The effect of this poor performance on miniature development has been significant. Few models of the French and early British tanks are available for purchase, the HO size models seem hard pressed to produce the Sherman and anything on the Allied side earlier than the Sherman has been seemingly ignored.

GHQ micro-armour produces the Somua, Renault and Char Bl Bis for anyone interested in French tanks. To clear the air on 1940 armour, <u>Vivandiere</u> Magazine has collected the following quotation and statistical data so you can make your own comparisons of 1940 Armour!

Some difference of opinion exists on what the ratio of tank strength in 1940 was. GHQ has included the following quotes for your examination.

"The German Army was actually inferior to the Allied Armies, not only in numbers of divisions, but particularly in numbers of tanks. While combined Franco-British forces had about 4,000 tanks, the German Army could field only 2,800. Nor did we have any real advantage in quality...But the decisive factor was...the breakthrough between Sedan and Namur we had massed seven of our ten panzer divisions...By dispersing their armour along the whole front ...the French High Command played into our hands and have only themselves to blame for the catastrophe which was to follow."

Major General F. W. von Mellenthin in Panzer Battles

"Hitler was...in position to deliver his onslaught on France with...the whole of the immense armour weapon of ten Panzer divisions, comprising nearly three thousand armoured vehicles, of which a thousand at least were heavy tanks...To meet such modern forms of war the French deployed about 2300 tanks, mostly light."
Winston S. Churchill in Their Finest Hour

"There was...approximate equality in numbers of armoured fighting vehicles...In general the French tanks were superior to the enemmy's (German) in ruggedness and fire power, but this advantage was offset by limitations of range which resrticted thier mobility."

Basil Collier in The Second World War: A Military History

#### FRENCH DIVISIONS

Name & Number / Tanks:

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Division									
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3rd D.C.R.		90			66				
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Mecaniques		
Ist D.L.M.	87	87
2nd D.L.M.	87	87
3rd D.L.M.	147	87

Division
De Cavalerie
Ist - 5th D.L.C. 110

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9th Army	90						63			
8th Army	90						126			
7th Army	90									
5th Army	135						63			
4th Army	90						63			
3rd Army	180					6	126			
2nd Army	45		90			-	200000			
1st Army	90	90								
FRENCH TANKS ATT (Battalion size	units)									

Notes: The French D.L.M. divisions had an establishment strength of 400 officers and 10,000 other ranks with 475 tracked and 1,200 wheeled vehicles also 1,500 motorcycles.

\*The D.C.R. (Armoured Divisions) came into existence in January 1940. The 1st and 2nd D.C.R. divisions formed on January 16, 1940, the 3rd D.C.R. on March 14 and the 4th D.C.R. was a scratch formation commanded by Colonel De Gaulle. It was formed between May 16 - 28 and did not follow normal official establishment. The strength of the D.C.R. division was 310 officers and 6,200 other ranks, with 1,400 vehicles of which 550 were tracked.

The French also used obsolete tanks to guard airfields. The 70 ton "C" tanks were caught on a railway in June and destroyed. The FT had a maximum speed of 8kph and the Hotchkiss and B.1 bis had a radius of only 5 1/2 hours so these facts should be considered when comparing the various orders of battle.

#### Allied & German Tank Comparison Statistics-1940

Nation & Type	Weight (in tons)	Armour (thickest MM)	Speed (in kph)	Crew	Armament
French AFV's AMD Panhard	8	18	30	2	1-25mm
Armoured Car					1-MG
D.1	11	30	40	2	1 - 47mm
D.2	22	30	20	3	2 - MG 1 - 47mm
					2-MG
FCM	12	40	24	3	1-37mm (1916) 1-MG
Renault 35	11	14	18	2	1-37mm (1916) 1-MG
Hotchkiss 35	12	15-18	15	2	1-25mm or 37m
§ 39			40	2	1-MG
Somua	. 20	40	40	3	1 - 4 7mm 1 - MG
B.1	33	40-80	40	4-5	1-75mm
	5.5			31/95%	1-47mm
					1-MG
British AFV's					
Light	4-5	12-14	48	3	1-LMG 1-MG
Cruiser	12-14	14-30	40	4-5	1-2pdr
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Infantry	11	60	13	2	1-7.9MG
Heavy	25	78	24	4	1-7.9MG
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German Panzers	& Czech Skoda				
Pzkfw I	5.7	14	51	2	2-LMG
Pzkfw II	9	15	44	3	1-LMG
			1.1		1-20mm
Pzkfw III	18-20	30	44	3-4	1-3.7cm 2-LMG
Pzkfw IV	22	43	49	5	1-7.5cm
				,	2-LMG
Skoda	11.5	25	35	3	1-3.7cm



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#### PANZER DIVISIONS

(Establishment Strengths) 1940

Division & Commander / Tanks:

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8.	Kuntzen	10	40	36		132	218
7.	Romme 1	10	40	36	*	132	218
6.	Kempff	10	40	36	-	1 32	218
5.	von Hartlieb	140	110	50	24	-	324
4.	Stever	140	110	50	24	-	324
3.	Stumpff	140	110	50	24	=	324
2.	Veiel	30	100	90	56	=	276
1.	Kirschner	30	100	90	56	-	276
		Mark I	Mark II	Mark III	Mark IV	Skoda	Total

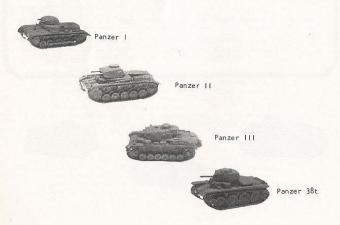
Notes: Each division also had 56 wheeled armoured cars.

All ten German Panzer divisions were concentrated on the Northern Front. With some 2,683 tanks the Germans faced 1,520 French tanks scattered from Northern Belgium to Sedan and the piecemeal deployment of some 600 various AFV's the B.E.F. eventually committed.

The decisive blow was dealt by Panzer Group Kleist which comprised two Panzer Korps with the lst, 2nd, 6th, 8th,  $\epsilon$  10th Panzer Divisions. These 5 panzer divisions were the spearhead units which broke through French lines at Sedan and made the dash across France cutting the Allied forces in two, but more importantly, demoralized and confused the Allies.

The German Panzer Divisions were better organized, trained and concentrated. The Germans also had a definite speed advantage over the slower Allied tanks.

The British deployed the 1st Armoured Tank Brigade before May 10 and later added the 2nd Armoured Brigade and 3rd Armoured Brigade. Thick armour of the British Matilda proved to be the only positive aspect of the British AFV participation. The inability of the German tanks to penetrate the thick armor of the Matilda was the only main shortcoming of the Panzers in 1940.



The table top battle is set. One side has amassed ten JSIII Stalins, five Shermans, and five M48's. Against this powerful array of Allied armor, ten Jagd Tigers, five Panthers and five Tiger I's are lined up <a href="nearly: Several">nearly: Several</a> rugged wargamers assume their places at the battle table and temporarily abandon eating their Snickers to take turns moving their tanks.

No one, of course, dares to mention the fact that the opposing sides possess very un-representative tank types, no infantry and not a single non-tank vehicle. No one participating dares to mention that the game battle is unrealistic and lacking any degree of sophisticated adult wargaming tech-niques.

Finally, the first blow is struck as one former Snicker eater has rolled a 2, 4 or 6 with the die representing his Sherman and has thus knocked out a Jagd Tiger. He makes a muffled noise with his mouth similar to someone clearing his throat then puffing air to simulate the sound of an anti-tank shell being fired from a muzzled barrel. The battle goes on...

The satire above points out one glaring shortcoming of table top wargaming-the over concentration on tanks especially rare ones (i.e. Jago Tigers). The average American armored division has 269 tanks true, but also  $4,000^{-5},000$  other vehicles. Trucks, half tracks, jeeps, cars, self-propelled guns and infantry were also used in World War II.

Undiscerning toy buyers occasionally penetrate the ranks of table top wargamers, but they are quickly discovered because their collections are top heavy in "glamorous" tank types and exclude anything resembling a balanced collection.

With the fantastic growth of wargaming both miniature and board variety, the time has come to progress and mature. Playability is always desirable, but a much higher standard is easily possible. It only takes a little imagination to use five Renaults, Matildas or PzKfw's II 81II instead of the Stalins, Jagd Tigers and Panthers commonly seen in miniature battles.

The wider variety in your collection the more scenarios you can try in your table top battles. Instead of Battle of the Bulge and 1945 equipment why not try 7th Panzer Division vs. the British Matilda in 1940 or the KV against the Pzkfw III and a German 100mm gun battery like Greece with tough tank terrain making it a challenge to use tanks tactically not simply as a piece represented by a die roll.

Table top battles have an unlimited area to explore, by employing many more factors such as armor penetration, speed, range, terrain, tactics as a few examples. Simultaneous movement also comes to mind, but without the "I won't move until you do," hangups. The movement method in Diplomacy is a good working example of simultaneous movement. It's quick and no lengthy arguments occur.

GHQ and <u>Vivandiere</u> advocate realism in wargaming and will provide ideas and products that hopefully will be a catalyst for better miniature wargaming. Next time you line up those tanks, have a few supply trucks, half tracks, infantry squads and jeeps cluttering the board and if you're extremely radical let one side have a bazooka man or two!

# GIIQ 1973 PRICE LIST

## 1:285 SCALE MICRO-ARMOUR

Micro Scale means Macro Battles!

All items in the GHQ micro-armour line are unpainted metal castings of the highest quality. They are all in a constant 1/285 scale designed specifically for wargaming. The line is sold in  $\underline{5}$  packs only, 5 of each type in a box. New Items are continually being added to the GHQ line including tanks and other vehicles from all nationalities. Ultimately, to allow a balanced collection, the line will include soft skins and support vehicles from all theaters of operation in WW II.

In the last ten years the number of military models, miniatures, and hobby products placed on the market has grown tremendously. Few of these products, however, are designed for wargaming usage, few are dedicated to quality detail and even fewer still have been designed at the outset to be a diffinitive series of miniatures for use in battlefield wargaming.

GHQ micro-armour in the 1:285 scale meets the demands of quality, product diversity and size necessary for efficient employment in armoured conflict simulation battles.

The 1:285 scale is large enough to enable you to recognize the sub-type of vehicle you are using, yet it gives you 9 times the scale area on your present wargaming table - much more than the smallest plastic models. Thus extremely accurate tank battles can be fought without covering the table with ponderously sized pieces.

The GHQ catalog provides price and statistical data on each piece in the GHQ line. GHQ micro-armour has a reputation for excellence in detail and accuracy. The 1973 catalog will hopefully allow you to diversify and improve your miniature collections. All prices in the catalog are for five pieces, and unlike other military miniatures, GHQ prices have remained constant since 1970 and we do not anticipate any price increases in the near future.

GHQ micro-armour can be obtained from your local hobby store through William K. Walther's Company, Inc. or Coulter-Bennett, Ltd. and by mail through Scale Models International, Inc., or directly through GHQ micro-armour 2634 Bryant Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55408 USA.



GHQ Stuart and infantry in comparison to a paper matchbook match.



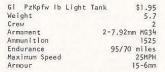
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Weigh	ıt				10
Crew					3
Main	Armame	ent			n KWK38
Secor	idary A	Armam	ent	1-7.92	nm MG34
	Ammun i				180
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	num Spe	ed			30MPH
Armou					15-10mm



al	Tank \$2.20
G4 PzKpfw III/F-G Med	
Weight	20
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-5cm KWK42
Secondary Armament	2-7.92mm MG34
Main Ammunition	99
Secondary Ammunition	2000
Endurance	108/60 miles
Maximum Speed	24MPH
Armour	30-10mm



G6	PzKpfw	Tiger	I,E H	H Tank	\$2.4
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G3 PzKpfw IIIE Med Ta	ank \$2.20
Weight	20
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-37mm KWK45
Secondary Armament	2-7.92mm MG34
Main Ammunition	150
Secondary Ammunition	4500
Endurance	108/60 miles
Maximum Speed	24MPH
Armour	30-10mm



G5 PzKpfw IVD Med Tan	k \$2.20
Weight	20
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-75mm KWK 24
Secondary Armament	1-7.92mm MG34
Main Ammunition	80
Secondary Ammunition	2700
Endurance	125/80 miles
Maximum Speed	26MPH
Armour	30-10mm

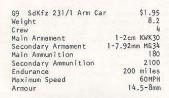


G7 PzKpfw 38t Med	Tank \$1.95
Weight	10
Crew	4
Main Armament	1-37mm KWK(A7)
Secondary Armament	2-7.92mm (T)
Main Ammunition	90
Secondary Ammunitio	n 2700
Endurance	200 miles
Maximum Speed	26MPH
Armour	25mm



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G8 SdKfz 251/1 APC	\$1.95
Weight	8.5
Crew	12
Armament lor 2 7.92mm MG34	or 42
Ammunition	2010
Endurance	190
Maximum Speed	33MPH
Armour	14.5-8mm







GIO PzJag IB	SPAT		\$1.95
Weight			6.5
Crew		San Calledon March	3
Armament Ammunition		1-4.7cm	PAK(t)
Endurance		90/60	
Maximum Speed	1	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	25MPH
Armour			1 3mm









G13 150mm How Model 18 \$1.95 Type Medium Artillery Muzzle Velocity 520m/s Rate of Fire 4 Range 13,325m

G14 88mm FLAK 18-36 \$2.20
Type AA and AT Gun
Muzzle Velocity 770m/s
Rate of Fire 15-20
Range 14,680m

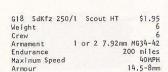




G15 SdKfz 222 Arm Car	\$1.95
Weight	5
Crew	3
Main Armament	1-2cm KWK38
Secondary Armament	1-7.92mm MG34
Main Ammunition	180
Secondary Ammunition	1050
Endurance	220 miles
Maximum Speed	50MPH
Armour	14.5-8mm











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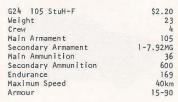
G21 GW.LR.S 150mm	\$1.95
Weight	8.36
Crew	4
Main Armament	150mm L/17
Main Ammunition	8
Maximum Speed	21 MPH
Armour	10-5mm

G22 PzIV/F2	\$2,45
Weight	23.6
Crew	5
Main Armament	75mm KWK40
Secondary Armament	2-7.92mmMG
Main Ammunition	87
Secondary Ammunition	3150
Endurance	200
Armour	80-10mm





G23 75 StuG-F	\$2.20
Weight	22
Crew	4
Main Armament	75
Secondary Armament	1-7.92MG
Main Ammunition	44
Secondary Ammunition	600
Endurance	164
Maximum Speed	40km
Armour	15-90





G25 3T Ope1	Blitz	\$2.45
Weight		1.75
Crew		2-3
Endurance		250
Speed		53MPH





G26 Jagdpanther	\$2.45
Weight	45.5
Crew	5
Main Armament	188mm PAK43/3
Secondary Armament	17.92MG
Main Ammunition	60
Secondary Ammunition	600
Endurance	140
Maximum Speed	30MPH
Armour	80 - 17mm

G27 PZIIIM	\$2.20
Weight	22.3
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-5cm. KWK39
Secondary Armament	2-7.92MG
Main Ammunition	98
Secondary Ammunition	2550
Endurance	93
Maximum Speed	25MPH
Armour	90-14mm





G28 PziliN	\$2.20
Weight	22.3
Crew	5
Main Armament	7.5 KWK24
Secondary Armament	2-7.92MG
Main Ammunition	64
Secondary Ammunition	3450
Endurance	93
Maximum Speed	25MPH
Armour	90-14mm

G29 Flamm PzIII	\$2.20
Weight	22.3
Crew	5
Main Armament	Flamethrower
Secondary Armament	2-7.92MG
Main Ammunition	1000 litres
Secondary Ammunition	3450
Endurance	93
Maximum Speed	23
Armour	90-14mm





G30 Marder III 76	\$1.95
Weight	10.8
Crew	4
Main Armament	1-76mm
Secondary Armament	1-7.92
Main Ammunition	30
Secondary Ammunition	1500
Endurance	113
Maximum Speed	26MPH
Armour	52-8mm
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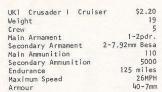
G31 \$2.45 German Infantry 50+

ITI M13/40 Med Tank	\$1.95
Weight	14
Crew	4
Main Armament	1-4.7cm
Secondary Armament	3-8mm Breda
Main Ammunition	87
Secondary Ammunition	3048
Endurance	125 miles
Maximum Speed	19MPH
Armour	40 - 14 mm





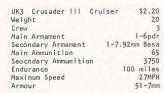
IT2 M11/39	\$2.20
Weight	10.8
Crew	3
Main Armament	1-37mm
Secondary Armament	2-8mm MG
Ammunition	84
Secondary Ammunition	2800
Endurance	124.3
Maximum Speed	20.51MPH
Armour	30-6mm







UK2 Crusader II	Cruiser \$2.20
Weight	19
Crew	4
Main Armament	1-2pdr.
Secondary Armament	1-7.92mm Besa
Main Ammunition	110
Secondary Ammuniti	on 5000
Endurance	100 miles
Maximum Speed	26MPH
Armour	40 - 7mm





 UK4 Matilda III Inf Tank
 1.95

 Weight
 27

 Crew
 4

 Main Armament
 1-2pdr

 Secondary Armament
 1-303in.

 Main Ammunition
 93

 Secondary Ammunition
 2925

 Endurance
 70 miles

 Maximum Speed
 15MPH

 Srmour
 78-20mm





UK5 Daimler Armoured	Car \$1.95
Weight	8.5
Crew	3
Main Armament	1-2pdr
Secondary Armament	1-7.92mm Besa
Main Ammunition	52
Secondary Ammunition	2700
Endurance	252/144 miles
Maximum Speed	50MPH
Armour	16-14mm

UK6 5.5 in. Gun/How \$1.95 Type Medium Artillery Muzzle Velocity  $510m_{\odot}^{\rm X}$  Rate of Fire 2 Range 16.630m





UK7 M3 Grant Med Tank	
Weight	28.5
Crew	6
Main Armament	1-75mm+1-37mm
Secondary Armament	130 in
Main Ammuntion	65+139
Seocndary Ammunition	4000
Endurance	144 miles
Maximum Speed	26MPH
Armour	57-13mm

UK8 25#Gun/How Type Muzzle Velocity Rate of Fire Range \$1.95 Field Artillery 450m/s 5 12.253m





UK10 Churchill III "I"Tank \$2.45 Weight 39 Crew Main Armament 1-6pdr Secondary Armament 2-7.92mm Besa 84 Main Ammunition Secondary Ammunition 9450 Endurance 120 miles 16MPH Maximum Speed 88-16mm Armour



UK9 17# AT Gun

Muzzle Velocity

Rate of Fire

UK11 Honey

Ammunition

Endurance

Armour

76-12mm

Maximum Speed

Secondary Armament

US2 M3 Lee Med Tank

Secondary Armament

Secondary Ammunition

Main Ammunition

Weight Crew

Main Armament

Maximum Speed

Endurance

Armour

Secondary Ammunition

Weight Crew Main Armament

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Range

\$1.95

950m/s

10.520m

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1-37mm

103

8270

36MPH

\$2.20 31

8000

22MPH

50-13mm

1-75mm+1-37mm

4-.30inMG 41+179

146 miles

43-16mm

70

3-30 in MG

20

Anti-tank Gun



\$2.20 US1 M4 Sherman Med Tank 30 Weight Crew 1-75mm Main Armament 2-.30 in Secondary Armament 97 Main Ammunition 4750 Secondary Ammunition 85 Endurance 24MPH Maximum Speed





\$1.95 US3 M3 Half Track APC Weight 13 Crew 1-.30 in MG 4000 Armament Ammunition 215/180 miles Endurance 45MPH 13-6mm Maximum Speed Armour



US4 M3 Stuart Light Tank \$1.95 Weight 12.5 Crew Main Armament 1-37mm Secondary Armment 2-.30 in Main Ammunition 103 8270 Secondary Ammuniiton Endurance 70 miles Maximum Speed **36MPH** Armour 38-12mm



FRI Char BI Bis H Tank \$2.20 Weight Crew Main Armament 1-75mm+1-47mm Secondary Armament Main Ammunition 1-7.5mm MG 77+50 Secondary Ammunition 280(?) Endurance 18MPH Maximum Speed 60-20mm Armour



Armoured Personnel Carrier and

Munitions Supply Wagon, Unarmed

FR2 Lorr.Ch.38L

Weight

Armour

Endurance

Maximum Speed



\$1.95 FR3 H-39 Weight Crew Main Armament 1-37mm Maximum Speed 22 Armour 45mm







US5 M7 Priest AP A	rtillery \$2.20
Weight	25
Crew	7
Main Armament	1-105mm How.
Secondary Armament	150in MG
Main Ammunition	69
Secondary Ammunition	n 300
Endurance	150 miles
Maximum Speed	22MPH
Armour	12.5mm



FR4 S-35 Somua \$2.20 Weight 22.1 Crew 1-47mm Main Armament Secondary Armament Ammunition 1-7.5mm 118 1250 Secondary Ammunition Endurance 161/80 Maximum Speed 23MPH 55-14mm Armour

Armour

\$1.95

22MPH

6mm

170 miles

5.5



R2 T34/85	\$2.45
Weight	31.5
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-85mm L51.5
Secondary Armament	2-7.62mm MG
Main Ammunition	55
Secondary Ammunition	2394
Endurance	220
Maximum Speed	31
Armour	60-15mm







R3 KV1	\$2.45
Weight	46.35
Crew	5
Main Armament	1-76.2mm L24
Secondary Armment	2-7.62mm MG
Main Ammunition	111
Secondary Ammunition	3024
Endurance	140
Maximum Speed	22
Armour	106-30





# SHALLAM!

These items are so new there are no pictures yet--next issue-but they  $\underline{\text{are}}$  available.

G32	Tiger II	heavy tank	\$2.45
	SdKfz 251/10	halftrack	1.95
	SdKfz 250/8	HT-AC	1.95
G35	Humme 1	SP howitzer	2.45
R5	JS 11	heavy tank	2.45
R6	SU 85	TD-SP gun	2.45
R7	KV 85	heavy tank	2.45

# DIVERSE SUBJECTS

The next issue of La Vivandiere will include photos of the new items in the G.H.Q. line, a special profile on a rare vehicle, and an article on painting and detailing among others.

The newest military miniatures shop to open in the G.H.Q. home area is Dick Winther's La Belle Alliance, St. Louis Park, Minnesota. Located in the R.W. Music Store, La Belle Alliance carries a complete range of wargame and collectors miniatures.

Note: Sci-Fi articles should be submitted to Fanzines(Yuck!), La Vivandiere will not accept them because they are too... warped!

La Vivandiere is interested in publishing any a.f.v. photos you might have to offer from your own private collections. Letters of reaction or comment from the readers are encouraged and may well be read.

As always, requests for new vehicles are the basis for new additions to the line.

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G2 PzKnfw IIB	Light tank	1.95
G3 PzKpfw IIIE	Medium tank	2.20
G4 PzKpfw III/F-G	Medium tank	2.20
G5 PzKpfw IVD	Medium tank	2.20
G6 PzKpfw Tiger I.E	Heavy tank	2.45
G7 Pzkpfw 38t	Medium tank	1.95
G8 SdKfz 251/1	Half track APC	1.95
G9 SdKfz 231/1	Heavy armoured car	1.95
610 PzJag IB	SP anti-tank gun	1.95
Cll PzJag Elefant	Tank destroyer	2.45
G12 105mm Gun Model 18	Medium artillery piece	1.95
G13 150mm How Model 18	Medium artillery piece	1.95
G14 88mm FLAK 18-36	AA and AT gun	2.20
G15 SdKfz 222	Light armoured car	1.95
G16 Marder II PAK 49	SP anti-tank nun	1.95
G17 StuG IIID	SP artillery assault gum	2.20
G18 SdKfz 250/1	Light Half track APC	1.05
G19 Panther G	Heavy tank	2.45
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G21 Gw.Lr.S. 150mm	SP light artillery	1.95
	Medium tank	2,45
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