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LOCATION: Mai Pha, French Indo-China

DATE: 24 September 1940

The 23 naked morning, the land of aviation of Langson is bombards and given back inutilisable. To the East of mentions it, the village of Loc Binh must be evacuated under the hostile pressure. To the west, an important column of infantry and chariots passed the crossroads of Dong Dang and commit full south. Several counterattacks are undertaken. Among these, the 1/1th Regiment of Skirmishers Tonkinois tempts to interfere between Langsons and Japanese who take down the course of the Song Ky Kong since Loc Binh. Unfortunately, this battalion, manoeuvrant in difficult land, loses all contact with the commandement and let this flank discovered. To block this access known sudest, the Illeme Company of the III/9th Regiment of Colonial Infanterie, parked has Langson takes position before the village of May Pha the 24 in the afternoon.

FRENCH Sets Up First	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	END
JAPANESE Moves First											

PTO Rules apply with Light Jungle.


The Rice Paddies are Irrigated.

Place the following Overlays: **1** in 38N8-N9, **3** in 35T2-Tl, **TAC RR4** in 35K1-K2, and **TAC RR5** in 35K10-38W10.










Use the *Tactiques* Railroads - they are considered EmRR (B32.12).

The Japanese win if at game end they control all Huts on Overlay 1 or if they succeed in exiting ≥ 15 VPs off the west edge (of which ≥ 8 VPs must be infantry).

1 The Japanese receive a battery of 70mm OBA with HE only, directed by an off board observer at level 3 on the east edge, secretly determined before the French set up.
2 The French ATR has a B #11 [Note 4].
3 Bore Sighting is NA.









11th Company, III/9th Colonial Infantry Regiment set on on/west of hex row 38Y-35I.
Balance: Japanese reinforcements enter on GT4.











 1 4-5-7	 1 2-3-7	 9-1	 8-0	 MMG 4PP 2 4-11	 LMG 1PP 811 2-5	 ATR 1PP 1-12	 MTR 5PP 3 60*[3-42]	 ? 7 Morale
10	3							6

ELR: 3
SAN: 3


Elements of the Detachment Motorised of the 9th R. I. C.
 enter on GT4 between 38A10 and 38Q1

 1 4-5-7	 7-0	 24 1 M9 3PP 37*	 5 1 FT-17c 1 CMG -/4	 5 1 FT-17m 1
2		2	2	


Elements of the 5th Infantry Division, Army of Canton enter on GT1 on the east edge.
Balance: Japanese reinforcements enter on GT2.

 1 4-4-7	 2-2-8	 10-1	 9-0	 8-0	 MMG 3PP B11 4-11	 LMG 1PP B11 2-6	 MTR 2PP 2-6	 Type 97B TE-HE 37	 16 3 0
12					2	2	2		

Elements of the 5th Infantry Division enter on GT3 on the east edge:

 10 Type 89B CHI-HO 57* 2-R2
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