

COMPANY COMMANDER

TRANSPORT

TACTICAL BRIEFING ON TRANSPORT

In Company Commander, transport units are vital. Although most Infantry class units can march, their fighting endurance will be severely limited by the amount of combat supplies that the force has with them, and the fatigue incurred by a long approach march. Units can only carry enough supplies for a brief period of action, before they must be resupplied. Without having the extra carrying capacity that is needed, they will be forced to disengage. Also, transport is vital for getting commodities to ports and border warehouses. All goods are sold from these strategic places, so if there is not a steady flow from the commodity rich inland villages, your cash flow and your unit availability will soon dry up. The most lowly of transport units is also the most vital. The extremely difficult terrain in the area means that motor vehicles are restricted to operating on the road network. Mule trains have no such limitations, and should be considered a vital unit in keeping your forces supplied and mobile. Indeed some units such as the Oto Malera Pak Howitzer are included in the game, so that they may be used in conjunction with mules to allow for artillery support in seemingly impossible terrain. Transport vehicles are the unsung heroes of Company Commander. Without a large number of them, you don't stand a chance.

Company Commander Transport Units

MAN 8x8 High Mobility Heavy Truck

Country	Germany		
Base Price	220		
Base TTC	120		
Crew	2		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	22400		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	5	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	4	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	56	Travel Range (Miles)	500
Combat Supply (Pts)	7	Unit Weight (Lbs):	

1 Reconditioned MAN 8x8 High Mobility Heavy Truck. This unit is a robust and reliable heavy lift truck. It carries a large payload over a long distance making this a strategically important unit. Breakdown is rare.

Pinzgauer Ambulance

Country	Austria		
Base Price	50		
Base TTC	60		
Crew	2		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	0		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	0	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	2	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	62	Travel Range (Miles)	249
Combat Supply (Pts)	4	Unit Weight (Lbs):	4000

1 reconditioned Pinzgauer Ambulance. This unit has superb off road capabilities and can carry as many as 10 casualties back to a field hospital. The unit is light and very mobile and has been fitted with stretchers and medical equipment. It has no armour and is not amphibious. A very good unit to have with you in a fight as it will assist with morale.

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BAV-485

Country	Russia		
Base Price	105		
Base TTC	70		
Crew	2		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	5500		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	2.5	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	1	Amphibious	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	35	Travel Range (Miles)	298
Combat Supply (Pts)	5	Unit Weight (Lbs):	15760

One reconditioned BAV-485 Amphibious Cargo Carrier. This unit is a Post War copy of the American DUKW. It does however have some improvement. Namely the rear loading ramp and a heavier payload. A useful reffy for troops and supplies between larger vessels the shore and beyond.

PTS

Country	Russia		
Base Price	240		
Base TTC	177		
Crew	2		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	21952		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	7	Defence Strength	2
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	4	Amphibious	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	26	Travel Range (Miles)	186
Combat Supply (Pts)	11	Unit Weight (Lbs):	49940

One reconditioned PTS Amphibious Cargo Carrier. The PTS is a very large box like vehicle with a loading ramp at the rear. This gives it the ability to carry a vehicle or artillery piece. Although it is un-armoured the PTS can carry a lot of troops and cargo across large stretches of water. This comes at a high price but the tactical flexibility offered is great.

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LARC-5

Country	USA		
Base Price	130		
Base TTC	110		
Crew	3		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	11200		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	2	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	1	Amphibious	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	40	Travel Range (Miles)	250
Combat Supply (Pts)	7	Unit Weight (Lbs):	20160

One reconditioned LARC-5 Amphibious cargo carrier. The LARC has a proven track record of service with amphibious operations. It is not armoured so not an assault vehicle but its cargo carrying capacity has been used to resupply and reinforce beachheads successfully. It is a fair weather traveller but should be able to negotiate between islands.

ATMP

Country	UK		
Base Price	20		
Base TTC	30		
Crew	1		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	3530		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	0	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	0	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	40	Travel Range (Miles)	530
Combat Supply (Pts)	4	Unit Weight (Lbs):	1850

One reconditioned All Terrain Mobile Platform vehicle. This unit has served in many roles across the world and is a proven workhorse. It has a reasonable cargo load and the unit itself is very light and can be carried by helicopters and aircraft to give mobility to forces once they have been inserted either by parachute or naval landing prior to heavy trucks arriving. It gives forces more flexibility once deployed and should be considered by any commander.

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Trailer

Country	Local		
Base Price	12		
Base TTC	0		
Crew	0		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	700		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	0	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	0	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	0	Travel Range (Miles)	0
Combat Supply (Pts)	0	Unit Weight (Lbs):	1100

One reconditioned trailer. This unit can be towed by any vehicle, increasing the cargo carrying capability of the unit. Useful for small operations, or where further trucks are unavailable, and can extend the duration of vehicle patrols. Cannot be used to cross rivers, as it has no amphibious capability.

Mule Train

Country	Local		
Base Price	1		
Base TTC	0		
Crew	1		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	1200		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	0	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	0	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	0	Travel Range (Miles)	20
Combat Supply (Pts)	1	Unit Weight (Lbs):	5000

5 Pack Mules This Unit can be loaded with heavy weapons and supplies for missions in terrain that other transport units cannot enter. They have requirements for food and water, and care, so supplies are needed for them. They are vulnerable to fire of any sort, and should not be exposed to enemy action.

*Although this unit has a cargo rating, it cannot be used to carry Commodities.

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Ural 375 Heavy Truck

Country	Russia		
Base Price	100		
Base TTC	100		
Crew	2		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	8000		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	3	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	4	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	56	Travel Range (Miles)	380
Combat Supply (Pts)	5	Unit Weight (Lbs):	11020

One reconditioned Ural-375 heavy truck. Although expensive, this truck is far better built than the ZIL, carries more cargo, and is less prone to breakdown. This will be the truck of choice, but availability will always be a problem. Due to its size and value, it is usually used for behind the lines transport where losses will be fewer.

ZIL Medium Truck

Country	Russia		
Base Price	65		
Base TTC	0		
Crew	1		
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	5000		
Cargo Cap (Squads)	2	Defence Strength	1
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	2	Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Road Speed (mph)	40	Travel Range (Miles)	370
Combat Supply (Pts)	4	Unit Weight (Lbs):	14770

One reconditioned ZIL medium truck. These trucks are of Soviet design, dating from the 1950s. Many thousand have been exported, and they are another popular feature of military life in the Third World. The load carried is not large, and this unit has some reliability problems, however, this is a vital unit in any army, despite its drawbacks.

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Landrover

Country	UK
Base Price	30
Base TTC	0
Crew	1
Cargo Capacity (Lbs)	1000
Cargo Cap (Squads)	0.5
Casualty Capacity (Sect)	0
Road Speed (mph)	65
Combat Supply (Pts)	2

Defence Strength	1
Amphibious	<input type="checkbox"/>
Travel Range (Miles)	351
Unit Weight (Lbs):	6003

1 reconditioned Land Rover. This is a rugged, reliable vehicle with a small payload, often used to transport officers or commanders. It can tow a trailer to supplement its cargo load.