# **TERRAIN FEATURES**

Symbol	Terrain	Movement	Effect on Attacking:		Effect on Defending:	
			Infantry	Support	Infantry	Support
	Road	Very Fast	Weaker	Stronger	Normal	Normal
作	Crossroad	Very Fast	Weaker	Stronger	Normal	Normal
	Clear	Fast	Weaker	Stronger	Normal	Normal
X	Bridge	Fast	Weaker	Stronger	Normal	Normal
14	Village	Fast	Weaker	Stronger	Normal	Normal
4	Town	Fast	Normal	Normal	Very Strong	Stronger
	Fort	Fast	Normal	Normal	Very Strong	Stronger
¢	River	Slow	Normal	Weaker	Stronger	Weaker
ጥ	Light Forest	Slow	Normal	Weaker	Stronger	Weaker
*	Rice Paddy	Slow	Normal	Weaker	Stronger	Weaker
	Plantation	Slow	Normal	Weaker	Stronger	Weaker
¢Ë.	Jungle	Very Slow	Normal	Weaker	Very Strong	Weaker
s≝ –	Swamp	Very Slow	Normal	Weaker	Very Strong	Weaker
ħ.	Mountain	Very Slow	Normal	Weaker	Very Strong	Weaker
	US Sanctuary	Fast	Normal	Normal	Very Strong	Very Strong
	NVA Sanctuary	Fast	Normal	Normal	Very Strong	Very Strong

### **UNIT TYPES: DIEN BIEN PHU, 1954**

Nationality	Icon	Symbol	Тгоор Туре	Mobility	Range	Supply
French	A		Fortress Garrison	Gnd	1 mi	Gnd
French	*	$\times$	Infantry Battalion	Gnd	1 mi	Gnd
French	*	$\times$	Main Garrison	Gnd	6 mi	Gnd
French	4	Ħ	Armor Squadron	Gnd	1 mi	Gnd
French	x		Artillery Battery	Gnd	2 mi	Gnd
French	P	Ha	Brigade Headquarters	Gnd	1 mi	Gnd
French	+	$\odot$	Fighter Squadron	none	62 mi	Air
US	4	$\odot$	Bomber Wing	none	28 mi	Air
Viet Minh Viet Minh	ŧ	$\times$	Infantry Battalion Infantry Regiment	Gnd Gnd	1 mi 1 mi	Gnd Gnd
Viet Minh	-	•	Mortar Regiment	Gnd	2 mi	Gnd
Viet Minh	~		Artillery Regiment	Gnd	6 mi	Gnd
Viet Minh	P	Η	Division Headquarters	Gnd	1 mi	Gnd

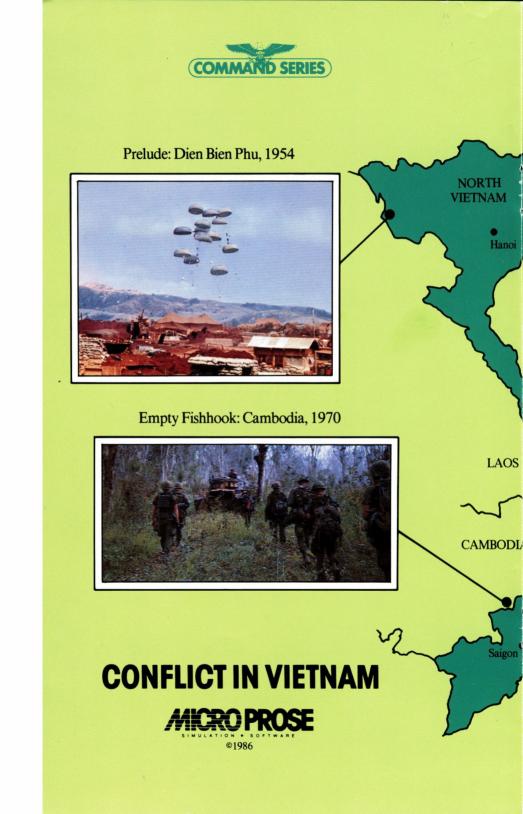
### **KEY:**

US = United States military forces

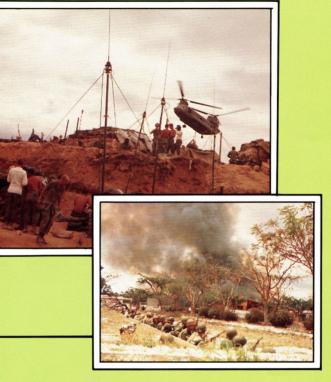
Gnd = ground movement or supply

Air = high-speed air movement, or air transported supplies

mi = miles distance, one hex (map position) is one mile



### The Tide Turns: Khe Sanh, 1968



First Cracks: Quang Tri, 1972



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SOUTH VIETNAM

Into the Valley: Ia Drang, 1965

## SUMMARY OF COMMANDS

### **CURSOR CONTROL**

**C-64/C-128 Keyboard:** CRSR keys and SHIFT + CRSR keys (for faster movement use "<" up, ", " down, ">" left, "." right).

Apple IIe/c Keyboard: Cursor arrow keys.

Apple II+ Keyboard: Left and right arrow keys, "P" upwards, ":" downwards.

IBM PC Keyboard: Four-direction arrow keys (with SHIFT for faster movement).

Atari 800/XL/XE Keyboard: White-framed arrow keys (with CONTROL for faster movement).

Joystick: On any machine this also controls cursor movement.

W = Who is reporting: Moves cursor onto the unit that sent the message.

### **INFORMATION**

Fire Button/Space Bar = Unit Information: Gives information about the unit at the cursor.

G = General commanding the unit: Gives information about the general commanding that unit. Not available for Atari 800/XL/XE.

**C** = **City & VP information:** Gives name of locale (if any) and victory point value of the hex.

#### **COMMANDS**

A = Attack: Commands the unit under the cursor to attack.

**D** = **Defend:** Commands the unit under the cursor to defend.

**M** = **Move:** Commands the unit under the cursor to move.

**R** = **Reserve:** Commands the unit under the cursor to go into reserve.

**H** = **Here:** May be used after an Attack, Defend, Move or Reserve order to specify an objective.

### UTILITIES

**F** = **Freeze the clock:** Freezes the game action, press "F" again to restart.

T = Terrain toggle: Removes units and displays terrain underneath, press again to restore.

U = Unit icons/symbols toggle: Changes unit display from symbols to icons, and back.

? = Casualty and victory status: Displays game status so far, including casualties, and victory level.

**B** = **Flash-Back:** Go to flash-back mode to review the last few "days" of game play.

 $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{Change player roles:}$  Used to change sides in a two-player game. Then press "T" (terrain toggle) to show troops.

>(+ on C64/C128) = Faster Realtime: Increases the speed of play.

<(- on C64/C128) = Slower Realtime: Slows down the speed of play.

S = Save game: Saves the current game situation to a disk. C64/C128 and Atari 800/XL/XE versions require a formatted disk already available. During the save game procedure you enter a save-game file name of 1-8 characters.

L = Load game: Reloads a game previously saved. You must first start a game with the same parameters, press L, then enter the proper file name when prompted.

V = Sound off: IBM only.

O = Change background color: C-64 and IBM with CGA

E = Change cursor color: IBM with CGA only