

# MISSION 5: BOMB THE BLOCKS





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As CAG promenaded at the lectin in front of the men, he couldn't contain his excitement when explaining that yesterday's coordinated attacks had totally denied our enemy of all his SAM ground to air defences.

He was equally animated when telling us that today he was launching a massive, coordinated air to ground attack taking out all their key military assets.

CAG then went on to explain that our allies had now established a military satellite at Tbilisi airport. He had sent out a team and supplies which had set up in the parking area to act as a servicing point for our aircraft. As we were in ground bombing mode now, as the air defences had been destroyed, this would allow us to take heavy bomb loads to kill as many targets as possible each sortie. We could then refuel and rearming at Tbilisi without worrying about returning to the Stennis.

Things were not going well for "Snake" now, things had changed, and we had changed them.

It was 19.55 in the evening and the weather was good. Once again there were hardly any clouds and a 12-knot wind from the South. (25 knots at 1,600 feet and 32 knots at 6,600 feet)



As the coordinated ground attacks begin you have been selected to take out a series of road blocks the enemy have established along the road structure.

You have been designated 6 roadblocks located at the way points set out below. Caution was required however as each roadblock is protected with various numbers of anti-aircraft guns. As you progress you will lose your element of surprise and the guns at the later targets are likely to be readier for you.

To pass this mission you need to follow the flight plan and any instructions you may be given to vary it, you must destroy all 6 roadblocks and land safely at Tbilisi airport parking at the military satellite unit for refuelling and rearming.

Today your ride is cold and dark so you will need to bring her into life and set your weapons to drop one bomb at a time. As usual you are on hold whilst "Python", "Reaper" and "Cutlass" lurch into the air destined to their various designated targets. This time "Reaper" and "Cutlass" will be joining you on the way, until it is time for them to veer off for their targets. You await your taxi clearance.

Tonight, you are spending on land at Tbilisi, you wonder if you will sleep as well without the movement of the Stennis you have become accustomed to.

WP1 First turn

WP2 Kutaisi Air Base

WP3 to 8 The six enemy roadblock targets.

WP11 via 9 and 10 Tbilisi Airport and military satellite unit

### TIPS

The winds will mean a good crosswind from the right, be prepared when landing at Tbilisi.

### NOTES

1 You will not have to operate the radio on this mission as all communications are trigger based.

2 Set up and use your SA page when available for better situational awareness.

3 The design of the mission is trigger based and so it is important that you follow the route and/or the instructions to realise all the content and pass the mission.

Good luck and enjoy!