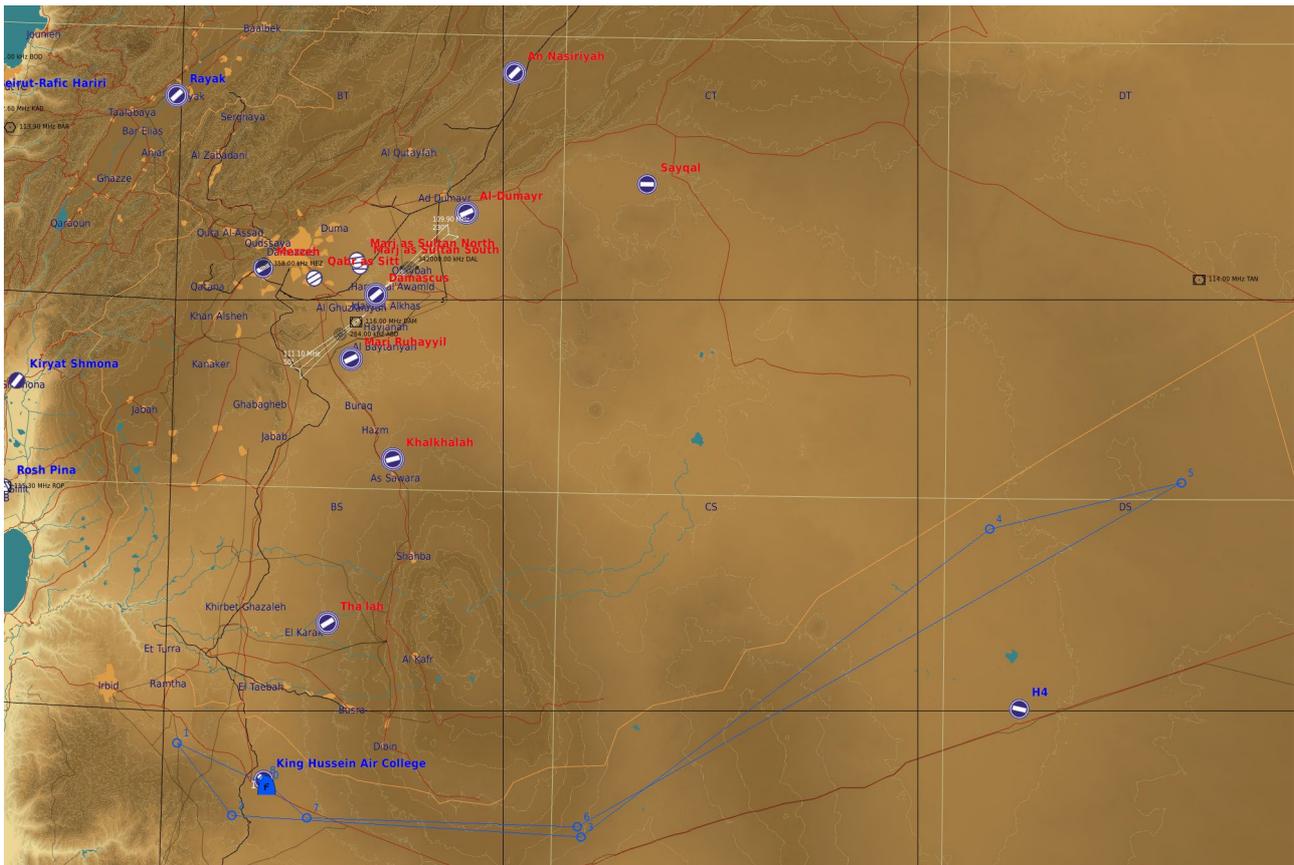


## Mission 8, Surprise training

50mn

30th of March 1993

Mafrag Air Base hosts a Jordanian F-5 squadron. So taking advantage of a lull in Lebanese activities, you have planned some BFM trainings with the F-5 squadron leader for his team and yours. Today it's your turn to confront the F-5 in a 1vs1 fight.



## Briefing

Royal Jordanian Air Force has a training zone in the east of the country. Codenamed Tiger, the F-5 will take off before you, wait near Mafrag then follow you to the training zone. The Jordanian pilot will remind you of the rules by approaching the zone. WP2-WP4 leg will be the opportunity to watch the border together.

Mirage 2000 is definitely more potent than F-5. But don't underestimate it. This kind of light fighter can be surprising in dogfight.

Mission starting at **11:00 am**

- WP1-2** 350 kt / 8 000 ft
- WP3** 350 kt / 12 000 ft
- WP4** 450 kt / 20 000 ft, patrol along the border
- WP5** 450 kt / 20 000 ft, training zone
- WP6** 450 kt / 20 000 ft
- WP7** 300 kt / 5 000 ft
- WP8** Mafrag Air Base

## Radio frequencies

Mafrag Tower 118.30 Green Radio Channel 1

Magic (AWACS)	253.00	Green Radio Channel 2
Shell (Tanker) / TACAN 31X	255.00	Green Radio Channel 3
Ground units	257.00	Green Radio Channel 4
Mission (Brennos & Tiger)	251.00	Red Radio Channel 1

For approach and landing, use the standard F5 ATC radio menu !

This is a **hot** start.

To complete this mission you will need to takeoff, follow Brennos instructions, listen carefully Tiger then land at Mafrag Air Base and park your plane to the assigned location (**29**).

### **Advice**

No need to go in and out Lebanon for this mission but as usual respect the borders.

### **References**

In 70s, Royal Jordanian Air Force acquired F-5s. The latest aircrafts still in service were decommissioned in 2015. Before that, several of them were sold to Greece, Brazil, Kenya and Philippines.

(Kneeboard available in flight)

**Airfield**

Mafrag Air Base          Radio 118.30

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**Package**

Codename	Aircraft	Country	Role	Ordnance
Colt 1-1	M2000C -> Me	Fr	BFM	R550 Magic II x 2
Tiger 1-1	F-5E	Jord	BFM	AIM-9 Sidewinder x 2
Magic	E-3 Sentry	NATO	AWACS	
Shell	KC-135	NATO	Tanker	

**Flight plan**

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**Notes**

Assigned location at Mafrag Air Base -> 29!