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Introduction

In 1650 and 2950 modules of Middle-earth, as a player you choose which position to play from the twenty-five nations. In Fourth Age, however, you have greater freedom in that you can create your own nation, with its own leaders, abilities and lands. This document, then, covers the rules which govern this creation of an empire.

Twenty three of the nations are created freely, or at least, within the confines of the rules regarding nation generation, whilst two nations, the North and South Kingdom, are rather more fixed. There are still choices to be made and a certain amount of freedom, but factors such as location of population centres and of course their names, are pre-determined. On the other hand, both the North and South Kingdoms are considerably more powerful than any of the others, with unique advantages and abilities, which more than makes up for the restrictions placed upon them. The restrictions and advantages relating to nation creation for the Kingdoms are covered at the end of this section. The Kingdoms are popular choices of nations, and we inevitably receive more requests to play them than is possible to cater for. If, then, you submit a Kingdom set-up, please also send in an alternate set-up sheet for a normal nation giving at least two regions (see region section below).

Nation Design Sheets are found at the end of this document, provide space for all the information needed, and can filled in and returned to us. Alternatively, simply put all the appropriate information in an email or letter, and send that to us instead.

The process of nation creation on your part, and in putting the game together on our part, requires you to submit up to two set-ups to us. In the first, you must submit your Regional Placements, Alliances, and Allegiance, and it is helpful if you also submit SNAs, Characters, Armies and Population Centre details, though you may then modify these in the second set-up. Once we have these initial set-ups from all players, we will contact you with your finalised Region and Allegiance, after which you have one week to submit a second, modified set-up if you so desire. (All these aspects are covered below.)

The following sections correspond to information required in the nation design sheets. At the start of each section is the appropriate part of the design sheet, so that you can see exactly what needs to be completed.

When naming characters and population centres, please try and remain true to the flavour of Tolkien's world. If you wish, we will create names for you – simply leave the name fields blank. We also reserve the right to rename any potentially offensive names used.

Nation Creation

Name

Nation/Realm Name:	(The)
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This can be between 5 and 17 characters long.

Allegiance and Race

Allegiance:	
Race:	

As with other modules, there are three allegiances: good, neutral, and evil. If you start as good or evil, you cannot change this later in the game. Neutral nations, on the other hand, have the choice of changing allegiance but can also, if they wish, remain Neutral for the duration of the game. And, unlike the 1650 and 2950 modules, the Neutrals can form a side of their own and win. (See section 3 – Differences To 1650 rules for more details on this.)

Each allegiance has a variety of races available to it, as follows:

Good nations can be Men, Dwarves, or Elves Evil nations can be Non Humans (a combination of orcs, goblins and trolls) or Men Neutral nations can only be Men

When choosing an allegiance and race for your nation, bear in mind the following points:

Neutral nations cannot start with population centres in mountain sectors, though they can build there as usual during the game.

Certain special abilities (covered later on in this section) can only be chosen by certain allegiances and/or races

Each race has different advantages when creating characters (covered later on in this section)

Regional Placements

Region	Region Name	Allegiance (FP, DS, Neutral, Neutral Team, Any, Kingdom)
1		
2		
3		
4		

Each player must either choose at least 3 regions from the following list, in order of preference, or choose 'any region', which means you do not have a preference. If you choose 'any region', you gain 8,000 gold for your nation's treasury.

You cannot choose regions that members of your team have chosen (your team being people you have discussed the game with and/or joined with).

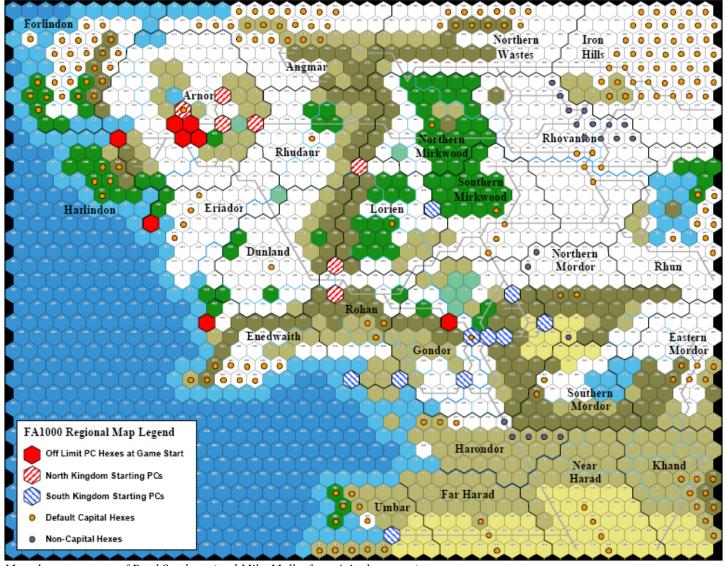
Regions

Angmar	Forlindon	Near Harad	Rhun
Dunland	Harlindon	North Mirkwood	Rohan
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Eastern Mordor Harondor Northern Mordor South Mirkwood
Enedwaith Iron Hills Northern Wastes Southern Mordor
Eriador Khand Rhovanion Umbar

Eriador Khand Rhovanion
Far Harad Lorien Rhudaur

In addition to these are the regions of Arnor and Gondor. These regions can only be chosen by the appropriate Kingdom (North Kingdom or South Kingdom).



Map shown courtesy of Brad Stephens (and Mike Mulka for original concept)

We will assign nations to regions. There can be a maximum of one player of each allegiance in any region. Neutrals count as an allegiance.

- ❖ If you get your 1st choice of region, you lose 5,000 gold from your nation's treasury.
- ❖ If you get your 2nd choice, you don't gain or lose any gold.
- ❖ If you get your 3rd choice, you gain 3,000 gold.
- ❖ If we are unable to assign you any of your three choices, we will contact you to agree a 4th choice. In this instance, you will gain 7,000 gold.

Example 1

I send in a Free People set-up. I stipulate Rohan, South Harad and South Mordor as my 3 starting regions. Rohan already has a Free People nation, so I am given South Harad, my second choice. As it's my second choice I don't gain or lose any gold from my treasury. I can then send in my set-up with population centres in that region.

Example 2

I send in Any Region as my choice. This gains me 8,000 gold. I am assigned the Rhun region, and can then send in my set-up with population centres in that region.

Special Nation Abilities, Artifacts, War Machines, Ships, and Hidden Population Centres

Item	Information	Description	Cost
SNA (number)			
Artifacts (quantity)		Each is selected at random and hidden at your capital. (3,000 each; if two or	
		more selected, one is free!)	
Transports (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
Warships (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
War Machines (quantity)		Will appear in your army, if possible. (200 each.)	
Hidden Population		6,000 to hide one and only one population centre.	
Centre (#1-4)			
Individual Victory		Victory condition #1-7 (This selection is optional and without cost.)	0
Condition (#1-7)			
Total Cost	-	20,000 + northerly location bonus of [] limit:	

Your choice of special nation abilities is one of the most important to be made, as it will affect the way in which you play the nation. There are 34 abilities, and a nation can have up to four of these. Each has a points cost, and you have up to 20,000 points to allocate on not only special abilities, but also artifacts, war machines, warships, transport ships, and hidden population centres.

Any points not allocated are converted to gold on a one-for-one basis, and added to your nation's starting reserves.

Special abilities are not cumulative or additive, but rather, where two abilities have the same effect, the better of the two is applied. For example, ability #33 means all warships have a strength of 4, and ability #34 gives warships a strength of 5, so if both are chosen, then, warships have a strength of 5, not 9. And where ability #1 allows scouting and recon orders to be issued as if the character has double their skill rank, and ability #2 allows those same orders to be issued as if the character has +20 to their skill rank, if both are chosen, only one will affect a character issuing the order. (If the character has less than 20 skill rank then ability #2 will take affect, and if they have more than 20, ability #1 will take affect.)

Nations located in the north gain an additional bonus to spend on SNAs, artifacts, war machines, ships and hidden population centres. This bonus is as follows:

Lorien, Harlindon and Dunland

500 gold bonus.

Eraidor, North Mirkwood, South Mirkwood, Forlindon, Rhudaur and Rhun

1000 gold bonus.

* Rhovanian, Iron Hills, Nothern Wastes, Angmar

1500 gold bonus.

Note regarding special ability 31 (+20 to kidnap and assassinate): If a nation on either the Free Peoples or Dark Servants allegiance chooses this ability, we will contact the other side to offer them the chance to pick it as well. Only one nation per allegiance can choose this ability, and so if more than one player picks it, it will be randomly determined which get the ability.

The special abilities and their costs are as follows:

Ability	Cost	Description
1	9000	The following scouting and recon orders issued work as if the character has double the relevant skill rank: 905 – Scout Army 910 – Scout Area 915 – Scout Hex 920 – Scout Population Centre 925 – Recon Area 930 – Scout For Characters

Ability	Cost	Description
2	4000	The following scouting and recon orders issued work as if the character has +20 to their relevant skill rank: 905 – Scout Army 910 – Scout Area 915 – Scout Hex 920 – Scout Population Centre 925 – Recon Area 930 – Scout For Characters
3	3000	The following scouting and recon orders issued work as if the character has a relevant skill rank of 50 (or better if they have the appropriate skill rank at higher than 50): 905 – Scout Army 910 – Scout Area 915 – Scout Hex 920 – Scout Population Centre 925 – Recon Area 930 – Scout For Characters This ability can be chosen by Dwarves only
4	2000	New characters have a greater chance of gaining a bonus to their challenge rank.
5	8000	New characters have a greater chance of gaining a bonus to their stealth rank.
6	1000	Armies lose no morale for force marching.
7	1000	Armies with food only lose 1-2 morale if force-marching Armies without food gain 1-2 morale when stationary, only lose 1-2 morale if marching, and only lose 2-5 if force-marching.
8	8000	The nation can buy from the market at 20% less than the given buy price, and sell to the market at 20% greater than the given sell price.
9	7000	New emissaries can start with an emissary skill rank of up to 40 when created using the order 734 – Name Emissary.
10	3000	New mages can start with a mage skill rank of up to 40 when created using the order 737 – Name Mage.
11	8000	New agents can start with an agent skill rank of up to 40 when created using the order 731 – Name Agent.
12	3000	New commanders can start with a command skill rank of up to 40 when created using the order 728 – Name Commander.
13	1000	All new troop recruits start with training 20.
14	1000	All new troop recruits start with training 25. This ability can be chosen by Elves only.
15	1000	All new heavy infantry recruits start with training 30. This ability can be chosen by Dwarves only.
16	100	All new men-at-arms recruits start with training 25.
17	1000	The nation can build ships at 1/2 the usual timber cost.
18	2000	The nation can build ships at 1/3 the usual timber cost. This ability can be chosen by Elves only.

Ability	Cost	Description
19	3000	The nation may build fortifications at 1/2 the usual timber cost.
20	2000	New armies start with a morale of 40.
21	8000	New armies may be hired at no cost.
22	100	All characters may issue the order 585 – Uncover secrets as if they have an emissary skill rank of 40 (or higher if they have an emissary skill rank of greater than 40).
23	4000	Mages can learn the lost spell 502 – Weakness.
24	8000	Mages can learn the lost spell 508 – Conjure Mounts.
25	2000	Mages can learn the lost spell 510 – Conjure Food.
26	3000	Mages can learn the lost spell 512 - Conjure Hordes. This ability can be chosen by Dark Servants only.
27	100	Mages can learn the lost spell 244 – Fearful Hearts. <i>This ability can be chosen by Dark Servants only</i> .
28	100	Mages can learn the lost spell 248 – Fanaticism. This ability can be chosen by Dark Servants only.
29	2000	Mages can learn the lost spell 246 – Summon storms. This ability can be chosen by Dark Servants only.
30	4000	Mages can learn the lost spell 314 – Teleport.
31	20000	Orders 615 – Assassinate Character and 620 – Kidnap Character issued work as if the character has + 20 to their agent skill rank. <i>This ability can be chosen by Dark Servants or Free Peoples only. Only one nation per allegiance can choose this ability.</i>
32	100	Navies can travel in open sea sectors without fear of storms or becoming lost
33	1000	Navy warships have a strength of 4
34	2000	Navy warships have a strength at 5

Other costs are as follows:

Artifacts	3000	Selected at random amongst those usable by your allegiance, and secreted at the nation's capital. If you purchase artifacts, one will be free. (So if you purchase two, they will cost a total of 3000.)
Transport Ships	250	These will appear anchored at your capital if possible, or at another population centre if the capital has no port or harbour. They will anchor at ports in preference to harbours. If they cannot be anchored at any of your nation's population centres, they are lost.
Warships	250	These will appear anchored at your capital if possible, or at another population centre if the capital has no port or harbour. They will anchor at ports in preference to harbours. If they cannot be anchored at any of your nation's population centres, they are lost.
War Machines	200	These will appear in your army. If you start without an army, the war machines will be lost.
Hidden Population Centre	6000	One population centre may be hidden. You must specify which of your first four population centres (see details on population centres later in this section) is to be hidden.

Army Commanded by Character #	(Must have Command Skil	<i>l!)</i>

Troop Type	Cost for 100 Troops	Quantity	Cost
Heavy Cavalry	3000		
Light Cavalry	1500		
Heavy Infantry	2000		
Light Infantry	1000		
Archers	1000		
Men-at-Arms	500		
Total Cost	-	(12,000 limit):	-

You may start with one army, which is allocated to a character with command skill of your choice. You have 12,000 points available with which to buy troop types, and each troop type has a different points cost as detailed below. Troops can only be purchased in increments of 100. Any points not allocated are converted to gold on a one-for-one basis, and added to your nation's starting reserves. If you do not wish to start with an army, simply leave this section blank and all 12,000 points will be converted to gold. Morale, training, and weapon and armour ranks of the army are either 30 or equal to the highest commander's command skill rank, whichever is greater. The army will also start with an amount of food which is inversely proportional to the number of troops: approximately 6000 food divided by the number of 100 troop increments in the army. For example, if you have 400 heavy cavalry you will have 1500 food.

Troop type costs

Troop Type	Cost for 100 troops
Heavy Cavalry	3000
Light Cavalry	1500
Heavy Infantry	2000
Light Infantry	1000
Archers	1000
Men-at-Arms	500

Population Centres

#	Population	Name	1 st Hex	2^{nd} Hex	3 rd Hex	4 th Hex	Upgrade	Fortify	Port/	Gold
	Centre	(5-17 characters)					to	with	Harbour	Cost
1	Capital									
2	Major Town									
3	Town									
4	Village									
5	Camp									
?	Optional Camp									
?	Optional Camp									
	Total Cost			-	-	-		(8,000 lin	mit):	

Name

Names for population centres must fit the game setting else a random choice for the name will be made.

Number of, and Statistics

You will start with at least five population centres: two Major Towns (one of which is your capital), a Town, a Village and a Camp. One of these (of your choice) gets a free fort: you are still able to upgrade this population centre further, but if you upgrade from a fort to a castle or keep you gain no discount.

By spending points you can create up to two more, improve (by one level) population centre sizes that you can, or add fortifications, ports or harbours. Port/Harbours must comply with minimum population centre levels (see Orders #530-535).

You have 8,000 points to spend on these improvements/upgrades; unused points will be added to your nation's starting gold reserves. In addition, if your set-up fulfils various criteria, you may gain bonuses – see below for details.

Cost	Description
3000	New Camp
4000	Improve Camp to Village
5000	Improve Village to Town
7000	Improve Town to Major Town
8000	Improve Major Town to City
1000	Tower
3000	Fort
8000	Castle
free	Harbour
2000	Port

Examples

To improve your Major Town (capital) to a City would cost 8000.

To improve your Village to a Town (5000) and put a Tower at both Towns (1000 each) would cost 7000;

To add a Camp (3000) and put a Fort at your Town (3000) would cost 6000.

In addition, if your set-up is placed in the following regions you gain a further population centre as follows:

Rhovanion, Iron Hills, Northern Wastes, Angmar:

Eriador, North Mirkwood, South Mirkwood, Forlindon, Rhudaur, Rhun:

Lorien, Harlindon, Dunland:

Enedwaith, Rohan:

1 Major Town
1 Town
1 Village
1 Camp

Finally, the following bonuses can be gained if your set-up fulfils certain criteria:

- ❖ If all your towns, major towns and cities are placed on a road you may upgrade any village on a road to a town, or a camp to a village, and gain an optional tower on that population centre.
- ❖ If all your towns, major towns and cities are placed on a on a non-mountain hex you may upgrade any village on a non-mountain hex to a town, or a camp to a village, and gain an optional tower on that population centre
- ❖ If you have one or more harbours then gain 1,000 points to spend on Population Centre improvements, and 1,000 points to spend on the purchase of Ships and Navy-related SNAs. You only gain this bonus once, regardless of how many Harbours you have.*
- ❖ If you have one or more ports then gain 3,000 points to spend on Population Centre improvements, and 2,000 points to spend on the purchase of Ships and Navy-related SNAs. You only gain this bonus once, regardless of how many Harbours you have.*

With the exception of your capital (whose loyalty will be 75), loyalty will be equal to the highest Emissary rank (minimum 30) of the characters created.

^{*} These bonuses are additive.I.e. you can gain a maximum of 4k to PC improvements and 3k to Ships and Navy SNAs if you have 1+ Ports and 1+ Harbours at game start.

Location

Select your choices for the locations of your population centres within your region. You must choose three choices of location for each population centre. The fourth capital location choice must be one of the default capital hexes (marked in orange on the map). Secondary and Tertiary choices will be used in instances of capital population location conflicts and invalid capital selections. Each of your three capital's location choices must end up *at least* four (4) hexes from any other nation's capital.

The following restrictions must be met:

- All population centres belonging to a nation must be no more than three hexes away from the capital.
- All populations must be at least six hexes away from the North and South Kingdom's capitals (#1108 and #2924).
- ❖ All population centres must be in the same Region as your Regional choice.
- No population centres may be placed on any of the following hexes, either because they are the locations of North and South Kingdom starting population centres, or because they are not available for building on at game start:

#0710	#1209	#1609	#2227	#2927
#0916	#1210	#1828	#2438	#3024
#1108	#1323	#2119	#2527	#3124
#1109	#1407	#2121	#2715	#3221
#1110	#1409	#2212	#2924	#3423

❖ If none of your location choices are available, or they are invalid, or none are provided, then a random selection will be made close to your capital.

Characters

#	Name (5-17 characters)	Gender (m or f)	Command Rank	Agent Rank	Emissary Rank	Mage Rank	List of spells by spell number if mage rank is 10+	Stealth Rank	Gold Cost
	(3-17 Characters)	(m or j)	Kank	Kank	Kank	Nank	number if mage rank is 10+	Nank	Cosi
1K									
2P									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
Total	Total Cost (6,000 limit):								

You start the game with eight characters, two of whom are considered nobility – the 'King' (K) and 'Prince' (P) characters. Each of these must be given a name and gender, and skill ranks which are purchased with points. You have 6,000 points to spend, with any points not allocated are converted to gold on a one-for-one basis and added to your nation's starting reserves.

- ❖ Each character must have a minimum of 30 total skill ranks.
- Stealth does not count as a skill rank, and can be a maximum of 10.
- ❖ At least one character must have command rank.
- Assignment of command rank and emissary rank could affect other aspects of your nation (armies and population centres).
- For every 10 points of mage skill rank purchased for a character, you may also select 1 spell. All spell prerequisites must be adhered to, and no lost list spells can be chosen unless you have also purchased the appropriate special nation ability. If you do not choose spells, or a spell is invalid, random choices will be made.
- All characters will start at your capital.
- The first character listed will be considered your 'primary' character
- One character at random will start with a random Character Special Ability.
- Names must have unique character IDs (their first 5 digits), and be between 5 and 17 characters long.

There are 3 steps in assigning skill ranks to characters: purchasing skill ranks, royalty bonuses, and racial modifiers.

Step 1: Purchasing skill ranks

Rank	Cost accordin	Cost according to skill type						
	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	Stealth			
10	200	400	300	100	600			
20	300	500	400	200	Not available			
30	400	600	500	300	Not available			
40	600	800	700	500	Not available			
50	1100	1400	1300	1000	Not available			
60	1700	Not available	1900	1600	Not available			

- ❖ Dwarves can purchase their 1st Command 60 rank for 1100 points.
- Lives can purchase their 1st Mage 60 rank for 1000 points.
- Non-humans can purchase their 1st Agent 50 rank for 800 points.
- ❖ Men can purchase their 1st Emissary 60 rank for 1300 points.

Step 2: Royalty

Character number 1 is your nation's King or Queen, and character 2 your Prince or Princess. You get an *additional* 1300 points to spend on your King character, and 800 points to spend on your Prince character. This must be spent on a single or multiple skills (including stealth) that they haven't already purchased.

Step 3: Racial Modifiers

Finally, you can select a single character to receive an additional bonus as follows, depending on your nation's race and allegiance:

Good

Dwarf One character without command rank gains 10 command skill, *or* one character without agent rank gains 20 agent skill.

Human One character without command rank gains 10 Command skill. **Elven** One character without mage rank gains 30 mage skill and 3 spells.

Evil

Human One character without emissary rank gains 30 emissary skill, *or* any character gains 10 command skill **Non-Human** One character without agent rank gains 20 Agent skill.

Neutral

Human One character without emissary rank gains 30 Emissary skill, *or* any character gains 10 Command skill.

Example

Step 1: Purchasing skill ranks

#	Name	Gender	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	Stealth	Total Gold Cost
		(M or F)	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	
1K	Aragorn		40					600
2P	Arwen	F	30					400
3	Elrond				40			700
4	Celeborn					60		1000
5	Galadriel	F				60		1600
6	Legolas			40				800
7	Amroth					30		300
8	Cirdan		40					600
Total	Cost					(6,00	0 limit):	6000

Step	o 2: Royalty							
#	Name	Gender	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	Stealth	Total Gold Cost
		(M or F)	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	
1K	Aragorn		40		50 (K)			600 (+K1300)
2P	Arwen	F	30	40 (P)				400 (+P800)
3	Elrond				40			700
4	Celeborn					60		1000
5	Galadriel	F				60		1600
6	Legolas			40				800
7	Amroth					30		300
8	Cirdan		40					600
Total	Total Cost (6,000 limit): 6000							

Step 3: Racial Modifiers

#	Name	Gender	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	Stealth	Total Gold Cost
		(M or F)	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	
1K	Aragorn		40		50 (K)			600 (+K1300)
2P	Arwen	F	30	40 (P)				400 (+P800)
3	Elrond				40			700
4	Celeborn					60		1000
5	Galadriel	F				60		1600
6	Legolas			40				800
7	Amroth					30		300
8	Cirdan		40			30 (r)		600 (r for free)
Total	Cost					(6,00	0 limit):	6000

Fixed Starting Details

Your nation's starting tax rate will be set to 40%

Your nation will start with 25,000 gold, plus any extra gained from converted points not allocated to special abilities, armies, characters and population centres.

Any artifacts hidden at your capital are considered to have been hidden by your nation's leader, which is to say character number #1 on the nation design sheet. This is important, as it means that this character will be able to pick them up more easily than the other characters.

Special rules for Starting Neutral Teams

If some of the neutral nations wish to play as a team from the start, these players should make this known when submitting set-ups. Only one nation of such a team can be a Kingdom. In addition to such a team, two neutral players can then join as normal neutral nations (able to change allegiance), in addition to the Kingdoms (one or both, depending on whether one is in the neutral team).

If this occurs, the division of nations between allegiances and non-team neutral nations will be altered to ensure a balanced game.

Special Rules for North and South Kingdom

The following rules apply to the North and South Kingdom when designing their nations:

Name

The North and South Kingdom have no choice in the name of their nation!

Allegiance and Race

The North and South Kingdom must be neutral, and human.

Regions

If you hope to play a Kingdom you must still select two other region choices, and will gain or lose gold appropriately depending on what choice you receive.

Special Nation Abilities, Artifacts, War Machines, Ships, and Hidden Population Centres

Both the North and South Kingdom must choose special ability #19, but get this ability for free.

Both the North and South Kingdom start with 5 artifacts. Additional artifacts may be purchased, but each will cost 4,000 points (which is to say that the Kingdoms do not get a free artifact if purchasing 2 or more). The North Kingdom starts with 3 palantirs, one assigned to their leader, one at #1609 and one at #2119, the Silver Rod of Anduni at #1108, and a random evil artifact. The South Kingdom starts with the Ring of Barahir and Anduril at #2924, one Palantir assigned to their leader, and two random evil artifacts.

Each Kingdom may choose to hide any one, but only one, of their first 7 population centres, at the normal cost of 6000 points.

Armies

Both the North and South Kingdom have 40,000 points to spend on armies, and must spend at least 25,000 points

Troop costs for both the North and South Kingdom are doubled, as follows:

Тгоор Туре	Cost for 100 troops
Heavy Cavalry	6000
Light Cavalry	3000
Heavy Infantry	4000
Light Infantry	2000
Archers	2000
Men-at-Arms	1000

Population Centres

Both the North and South Kingdom have 15,000 points to spend on population centres.

Before any improvement, the North Kingdom's population centres are as follows:

- A major-town with keep (the capital), three towns, three villages, and three camps. Therefore, before any improvements, there is a keep at the capital at 1108, and towers at 1407, 1409, 1609, 2212, 2119, and 2112.
- ❖ The capital must be located at #1108.
- Six of the other population centres must be allocated to the following sectors: #1407, #1409, #1609, #2119, #2121, #2212.
- The final population centres can be allocated to any other sectors following the usual restrictions, except for #1109, #1209, #1110, and #1210, which are not available to be built on at game start.
- North Kingdom gets an additional upgrade of any Town to a Major Town/Fort.
- ❖ 1609, 2119, 2121 and 2212 are Strategic Population Centres (relevant to achieving victory in the game).

Before any improvement, the South Kingdom's population centres are as follows:

- ❖ A major-town with keep (the capital), three towns with towers, three villages with towers, and three camps with towers.
- ❖ The capital must be located at #2924.
- The other population centres must be allocated to the following sectors: #2227, #2438, #2527, #2715, #2927, #3024, #3124, #3221, #3423.
- 2715, 3124 and 3423 are Strategic Population Centres (relevant to achieving victory in the game).

Ports/Harbours

If you have one or more Harbours then gain 1,000 gold to spend on PC improvements to your set-up and gain 1,000 gold to spend on start-up for the purchase of Navy related SNAs and Ships.

If you have one or more Ports you get 3,000 gold to spend on PC improvements and gain 2,000 gold to spend on start-up for the purchase of Navy related SNAs and Ships.

Nation Design Sheet

Player Information

Your Full Name:				
Account Number:				
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Names and Account N	umbers of Players you wish to jo	oin with:		

Name

Nation/Realm Name:	(The)
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Allegiance and Race

Allegiance:	
Race:	

Regional Placements

Region	Region Name	Allegiance (FP, DS, Neutral, Neutral Team, Any, Kingdom)
1		
2		
3		
4		

Special Nation Abilities, Artifacts, War Machines, Ships, and Hidden Population Centres

Item	Information	Description	Cost
SNA (number)			
Artifacts (quantity)		Each is selected at random and hidden at your capital. (3,000 each; if two or more selected, one is free!)	
Transports (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
Warships (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
War Machines (quantity)		Will appear in your army, if possible. (200 each.)	
Hidden Population		6,000 to hide one and only one population centre.	
Centre (#1-4)			
Individual Victory		Victory condition #1-7 (This selection is optional and without cost.)	0
Condition (#1-7)			
Total Cost		20,000 + northerly location bonus of [] limit:	

Army Commanded by Character #		(Must have Command Skill!)
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Troop Type	Cost for 100 Troops	Quantity	Cost
Heavy Cavalry	3000		
Light Cavalry	1500		
Heavy Infantry	2000		
Light Infantry	1000		
Archers	1000		
Men-at-Arms	500		
Total Cost		(12,000 limit):	

Population Centres

#	Population	Name	1 st Hex	2^{nd} Hex	3^{rd} Hex	4 th Hex	Upgrade	Fortify	Port/	Gold
	Centre	(5-17 characters)					to	with	Harbour	Cost
1	Capital									
2	Major Town									
3	Town									
4	Village									
5	Camp									
?	Optional Camp									
?	Optional Camp					·				
	Total Cost							(8,000 lii	mit):	

Characters

#	Name (5-17 characters)	Gender (m or f)	Command Rank	Agent Rank	Emissary Rank	Mage Rank	List of spells by spell number if mage rank is 10+	Stealth Rank	Gold Cost
	(3-17 Characters)	(m or j)	Kank	Kunk	Kank	Kank	number if mage rank is 10+	Nank	Cost
1K									
2P									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
Total	Total Cost (6,000 limit):								

North Kingdom Design Sheet

Player Information

Account Number:	Your Full Name:		
	Account Number:		

Names and Account Numbers of Players you wish to join with:	

Name

Nation/Realm Name:	(The) North Kingdom

Allegiance and Race

Allegiance:	Neutral
Race:	Men

Regional Placements

Region	Region Name	Allegiance (FP, DS, Neutral, Neutral Team, Any, Kingdom)
1	North Kingdom	Kingdom

Special Nation Abilities, Artifacts, War Machines, Ships, and Hidden Population Centres

Item	Information	Description	Cost
SNA (number)	19	Build fortifications at half timber cost	
SNA (number)			
SNA (number)			
SNA (number)			
Artifacts (quantity)		Each is selected at random and hidden at your capital. (4,000 each; if two or	
		more selected, one is free!)	
Transports (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
Warships (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)	
War Machines (quantity)		Will appear in your army, if possible. (200 each.)	
Hidden Population		6,000 to hide one and only one population centre.	
Centre (#1-4)			
Individual Victory		Victory condition #1-7 (This selection is optional and without cost.)	0
Condition (#1-7)			
Total Cost		(20,000 limit):	

Army Commanded by Character #	(Must have Command Skill!)

Troop Type	Cost for 100 Troops	Quantity	Cost	
Heavy Cavalry	6000			
Light Cavalry	3000			
Heavy Infantry	4000			
Light Infantry	2000			
Archers	2000			
Men-at-Arms	1000			
Total Cost (40,000 limit, minimum 25,000):				

Population Centres

#	Population	Name	1 st Hex	2^{nd} Hex	3 rd Hex	4 th Hex	Upgrade	Fortify	Port/	Gold
	Centre	(5-17 characters)					to	with	Harbour	Cost
1	Capital		1108					Keep		
2	Town									
3	Town									
4	Town									
5	Village									
6	Village									
7	Village									
8	Camp									
9	Camp									
10	Camp									
	Total Cost	-			=			(15,000 l	limit):	

Characters

#	Name	Gender	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	List of spells by spell	Stealth	Gold
	(5-17 characters)	$(m \ or f)$	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	number if mage rank is 10+	Rank	Cost
1K									
2P									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
Total	Cost				(6,000 limi	(t):			_

South Kingdom Design Sheet

Player Information

Your Full Name:	
Account Number:	

Names and Account Numbers of Players you wish to join with:						

Name

Nation/Realm Name:	(The) South Kingdom
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Allegiance and Race

Allegiance:	Neutral
Race:	Men

Regional Placements

Region	Region Name	Allegiance (FP, DS, Neutral, Neutral Team, Any, Kingdom)
1	North Kingdom	Kingdom

Special Nation Abilities, Artifacts, War Machines, Ships, and Hidden Population Centres

Item	Information	Description	Cost		
SNA (number)	19	Build fortifications at half timber cost			
SNA (number)					
SNA (number)					
SNA (number)					
Artifacts (quantity)		Each is selected at random and hidden at your capital. (4,000 each; if two or more selected, one is free!)			
Transports (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)			
Warships (quantity)		Each will appear anchored at the capital, if possible. (250 each.)			
War Machines (quantity)		Will appear in your army, if possible. (200 each.)			
Hidden Population Centre (#1-4)		6,000 to hide one and only one population centre.			
Individual Victory Condition (#1-7)		Victory condition #1-7 (This selection is optional and without cost.)	0		
Total Cost		(20,000 limit):			

Army Commanded by Character #		(Must have Command Skill!)
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Troop Type	Cost for 100 Troops	Quantity	Cost				
Heavy Cavalry	6000						
Light Cavalry	3000						
Heavy Infantry	4000						
Light Infantry	2000						
Archers	2000						
Men-at-Arms	1000						
Total Cost (40,000 limit, minimum 25,000):							

Population Centres Population Centres

#	Population	Name	1 st Hex	2^{nd} Hex	3 rd Hex	4 th Hex	Upgrade	Fortify	Port/	Gold
	Centre	(5-17 characters)					to	with	Harbour	Cost
1	Capital		2924					Keep		
2	Town									
3	Town									
4	Town									
5	Village									
6	Village									
7	Village									
8	Camp									
9	Camp									
10	Camp									
	Total Cost (15,000 limit):								_	

Characters

#	Name	Gender	Command	Agent	Emissary	Mage	List of spells by spell	Stealth	Gold
	(5-17 characters)	$(m \ or f)$	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	number if mage rank is 10+	Rank	Cost
1K									
2P									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
Total Cost (6,000 limit):									

Adanedhel, Adelard Took, Adorn, Adrahil captain to Ondoher, Adrahil father of Imrahil, Aduial, Adûnaic, Adûnakhôr, Adurant, Aeglos, Aeglos, Aegnor, Aelin-uial, Aeluin, Aerandir, Aerin, Afterborn, Aftercomers, Afterlithe, Afteryule, Agarwaen, Aghan, Aglarond, Aglon, Aiglos, Ailinel, Ainulindale, Ainur, Music of the Ainur, Aiwendil, Akallabèth, Akallabèth, Akallabèth, Akallabèth, Akallabèth, Akallabèth, Alatar, Alatarical, Alacarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Alcarin, Aldarion, Aldarion, Aldaron, Annon Cher, Amon Che Back Roders, Biack Seppent, Biack Snadow, Biack Speech, Biack Sword, Biackroof, Biackroo Brown Lands, Brownlock, Grunnen, Forta of Brunnen, Brytta Leora, Bucca of the Marians, Buck Hill, Buckland, Master of Bucklanders, Buckland Lands, Buckland La Celepharn, Celon, Celon, Cerni Amroth, Cerniia, Chamber of Mazarbul, Chamber of Records, Chetwood, Chica Chubb, Chief, Chiefain of the North, Children of Alufb, Children of Hurin, Tale of the Children of Hurin, Tale of the Children of C Dragons, Green Dragon, Dragons, Dragons Easthailing 1700p; Easthoin, East-gaile of Nordin, Easthailing of Smither Lasthailing of Nordin (Easthailing 1700p); Easthailing 1700p; Easthailin Elves, Wood-elves, Elves of Belerand, Elves of Dornath, Elves of Lergon, Elves of Landon, Elves of Landon, Elves of Lornen, Elves of Middle-earth, Elves of Mirkwood, Elves of Nargodirond, Elves of Usariand, Elves of Usariand, Elves of Usariand, Elves of Usariand, Elves of Wallon, Elves of Mirkwood, Elves of Mirkwood, Elves of Nargodirond, Elves of Wallon, Elves of Wallon, Elves of Lornen, Elves of Mirkwood, Elves of Mirkwood, Elves of Nargodirond, Elves of Usariand, Elves of Lómin, Ered Luin, Ered Mithrin, Ered Mithrin, Ereg Mithrin, Ergegion, Erginon, Elves of Eregion, Lerdino, Ereinion, Ereinion, Erichia, Stephia, Erellont, Erendis, White House of Erendis, Eressea, Elves of Eressea, Erestor, Eriador, Erkenbern, Erubnia, Erubnia, Expayern, Esparala, Took, Este, Estella Bolger, Estellon, Estolad, Elbir, Ethria dengrin, Lorinoor, Henito I nation; Fonces or Tanoor, Feophe of Fanour, Fanour or Octobioly, and Canages, Fanour, Fanour or Health, Halleshrim, Halfras Gamgee, Half-ete, Helven, Half-etven, Half-etven, Elrond and Elros, Halflings, Land of the Halflings, Halflings Leaf, Half-ores, Halfred Gampee, Halfred Greenhand, Halflinfrien, Halimath, Hall of Fire, Hallacar, Hallacar, Hallacar, Hallacar, Halfradoutel, Hardbottel, Har High-captain of Angband, Highday, High-cup, Hidden King, Finden King, Tinden King, Hugo Bracegride, Hunter (Creature of Morgolth), Hunter (11te), Hunting of the Wolf, Huntisman of the Valar, Huor, Huorn, Hurin I, Khamul, Khand, Khazad-Gun, Dwarves of Khazad-Gun, King of Rhazad-Gun, King of Rhazad-Gun, Khang of Lagles, King of Gondoin, Chiy of the Kings, King of Gondoin of Arab, King of Margon, City of the Kings, King of Gondoin of Arab, King of Kings of King of King of Kings, Kings of Kings, Kings Lenwe, Ledo, Leofa, Lhin Gulf of, Lhūn River, Lidless Eye, Lieutenant of the Tower of Barad-dūr, Lighel-leves, Lilies, Water-lilies, Lily Baggins, Lily Baggins, Lily Baggins, Lindan, Limely, Lindon, Elves of Lindon, Ered Lindon, Lindória, Lindórinand, Line of Elros, Linhir, Lithe, Lithlad, Little Delving, Little Folk, Little Gelion, Little People, Loa, Lobelia Sackville-Baggins, Lockholes, Loeg Ningloron, Loëndë, Lömion, Lond Daer, Lone-lands, Lonely Mountain, Ming under the Mountain, King under the Mountain, King under the Mountain, Long Gleeve, Diamond of Long Cleeve, Long Horn Cotton, Long Lake, Long Wilter, Longbeards, Longbeards, Longbottom, Leafs, Longbottom, Leafs, Longbottom, Leafs, Lord of Barad-dūr, Lord of Dol Amroth, Lord of Dol-lómin, Lord of Eagles, Lord of Emyn Arnen, Lord of Freests, Lord of Gifts, Lord of Gonor, Lord of Lórien, Lord of Lorien, Lord of Company, Lord of Englos, Lord of Emyn Arnen, Lord of Freests, Lord of Gifts, Lord of Gonor, Lord of Lórien, Lord of Lorien, Lord of Englos, Lord of Emyn Arnen, Lord of Freests, Lord of Gifts, Lord of Gonor, Lord of Lórien, Lord of Lorien, Lord of Lorien, Lord of Englos, Lord of Emyn Arnen, Lord of Englos, Lord of Sifts, Lord of Gonor, Lord of Lórien, Lord of Lorien, Lord of Lori Lossarnach, Lord of Minas Tirith, Lord of Mordor, Lord of Morgul, Lord of Morgul, Lord of Morgul, Lord of Morgul, Lord of the Nargul, Lord of the Nargul, Lord of Rohan, Lord of the Breath of Arda, Lord of the Éothéod, Lord of the Glittering Caves, Lord of the Mark, Lord of the Nargul, Lord of the Nine Riders, Lord of the Rings, Lord of the Rings, Lord of the West, Lord of Waters, Lords of the Valar, Lords of the West, Lórellin, Lorgan, Lórien in Middle-earth, Elves of Lórien, King of Lórien, Lord of Lórien, Lord of Lórien, Lords of Lórien, Lord

Lórindol, Losgar, Lossarnach, Lord of Lossarnach, Morwen of Lossarnach, Lossoth, Lótessé, Lothfriel, Lóthlann, Lothlórien, Lotho Sackville-Baggins, Lothron, Loudwater, Luckwearer, Lugbúrz, Lugdush, Luinil, Lumpkin, Lune, Lúthien Tinúviel, Lúva, Mablung of Ithilien, Mablung of the Heavy Hand, Mad Baggins, Maedhros, Union of Maedhros, Maeglin, Maglor, Maglor's Gap, Magnificent, Magor, Mahal, Máhanaxar, Mahtan, Maia, Maiar, Malach Aradan, Malantur, Mableth the Seer, Madduin, Maglaald, Mallor, Mallors, Mallors, Markey Headstrong, Markey Marvendil, Mamy Colours, Marche, Marcho, Ma Mayor of the Sure, Marazroui, Book of Mazaroui, Camber of Mazaroui, Mearlas, Meetious fanding, Amelior Brandyouck, Melkor, Mellor Brandyouck, Melkor, Mellor Brandyouck, Mellor, Menor of Neine, Mellor, Menor Brandyouck, Menor of Neine, Menor Brandyouck, Meres of Twilight, Mereth Age), Men of the Vorth (Third Age), Men of the Vales of Anduin, Men of the West, Men of Westernesse, Menegroth, Menel, Meneldin, Meneldor, Meneldur, Menelmacar, Meneltarma, Menelvangor, Men-i-Naugrim, Mentha Brandybuck, Merres of Twilight, Mereth Agethad, Merradoc Brandybuck, Merrimas Brandybuck, Merry Brandybuck, Me Minas Trith, White Tree of Minas Trith, Minastan, Minastir, Mindeo, Mindolluin, Mindon Eldaléva, Mirhwood, Mirro of Galabriel, Mirromere, Mirrow, Nisty Mountains of Mirkwood, Mirrow of Galabriel, Mirromere, Mirrow, Nisty Mountains, Mitheithel, Mithingha, Mithrand, Mithrandin, Mithr Naties, Angis in Fowler, Rings in Fowler Amandi, Tar-Anárion, Tar-Ancalime, Tar-Ancalimo, Tara-Ancalimo, T

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