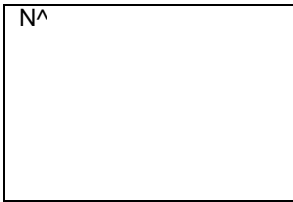


REVENGE

0039 16 May 1945

Background: As the Japanese defense perimeter shrunk under relentless Allied pressure, the Japanese tried to evacuate their troops from their far-flung and isolated outposts. In May of 1945, cruiser Haguro and destroyer-transport Kamikaze were ordered to resupply troops in the Adaman and Nicobar islands. British forces in the Indian Ocean hastened to intercept the Japanese ships in the Straits of Malacca, before they could return to their base at Singapore.

Nihon Kaigun Vice-Admiral Hashimoto Goto	Division 1	Haguro Kamikaze	(Myoko -- flag) (Kamikaze)
Royal Navy Captain Manley Power	Division 1	Saumarez Verulam	("S" Class -- flag) ("V" Class -- flag)
	Division 2	Vigilant Venus Virago	("V" Class) ("V" Class) ("V" Class)



The west edge is the friendly edge for the Royal Navy forces. The east edge is the friendly edge for the ships of Nihon Kaigun.

The Japanese formation is steaming on a course of 90 degrees (due east), 20 inches from the north edge and 50 inches from the east edge.

The Royal Navy ships are steaming in parallel on a course of 0 degrees (due north), with the flagship 40 inches from the north edge and 40 inches from the east edge and the other ships eastward at 2 inch

intervals in the order listed above.

Victory Conditions:

- a) 4 points per cruiser sunk,
- b) 2 points per cruiser left DIW,
- c) 1 point per destroyer sunk.

Special Rules:

1. The British destroyer all have Type 271 search radars, Type 284 fire control radars and CICs. Due to freak radar conditions, add 15 inches to the ranges of 271 radars.
2. The Haguro has 22 ~~66~~ centimetric radar, but she did not use effectively. Before the start of the scenario, the Japanese player secretly elects whether to use this radar. If it is used, treat it as SG radar with no CIC and double all victory points scored by the British player.
3. The Japanese thought that the British destroyers might be Japanese. The Japanese player may not fire on a British ship unless (a) a British ship fired guns in a previous turn, (b) a Japanese ship was torpedoed in a previous turn, or (c) the Japanese have sighted a British ship visually at a range of 9 inches or less. These restrictions apply only to firing weapons; the Japanese player may maneuver his ships freely upon sighting any British ship at any range.
4. In the actual battle, the Japanese ships were carrying no torpedoes due to their supply mission. Before the start of the scenario, the Japanese player secretly elects whether his ships are carrying torpedoes. If they are, halve all victory points scored by the Japanese player. The Japanese player can place torpedo markers regardless of whether his ships are carrying torpedoes.
5. The visibility base is **3 plus 2 D6** (rolled each turn) and the level is **-4** – variable weather.
6. Powers's ships had practiced a tactic of maneuvering to make torpedo attacks from multiple directions around their targets. Use the following table for British ships maneuvering outside of formation.

Independent Movement Table (2D10)

2	Turn left 180 deg.	5-17	Move as plotted	18	Move straight		
3	Turn left 90 deg.					19	Turn right 90 deg.
4	Move straight						

Roll 2D10 for each ship not moving in a formation with a flagship and not a flagship itself. Apply the results to the table.

Outcome: American forces had born the brunt of the naval war against Japan, but now the Royal Navy took a hand. In a night action in the Straits of Malacca, the British destroyers sank Haguro in a torpedo pincers attack – a measure of revenge for her role in the Java Sea battles. Haguro damaged Saumarez, and Kamikaze escaped.

“O/P/Q/R/S/T/U/V” Classes

<u>Navy Class</u>	Royal Navy Destroyer	<u>Date</u>	1941		
<u>Surface Armament</u>		<u>Ranges</u>	<u>Directors</u>		
Main Battery:	4 inch guns in 4 single mounts [4.7 inch guns in 4 single mounts]	17 inches 18 inches	Fore Fore]		
Torpedoes:	21 inch torpedoes in 2 quadruple mounts	13 inches at 4.25"	Port and starboard		
Maximum Value:	9	16 inches at 2.75"			
<u>Gun:</u>	5" 10" 15" 18"	Power	Relia		
4 inch single	A/10 8/6 2/1 1/-2	3	B		
4.7 inch single	A/10 8/6 2/2 1/-1	4	B		
<u>Speed</u>	4.50 2 boilers 2 engines	<u>Torpedo Hits</u>	17.7"-18": ±1	20.5"-22.5": ±3	24": ±5
<u>Flotation</u>	Total: 27 DIW: 14 Sinking: 18				

Armament Arrangement



Notes

- Seventy-one units in classes O through W.
- Some of units of the O and P classes had 4 4.7" guns. The 4.7" gun-armed Os and Ps gave up the aft set of torpedo tubes for a 4" AA gun. The gun cannot engage surface targets. Oribi, Onslow, Onslaught and Offa had 4.7s.
- The Qs through Vs (except Savage) all had 4 4.7s and no 4" gun. Their 4.7s could elevate to 55 degrees, giving them a measure of main battery antiaircraft capability.
- GR space is the Gearing Room. Treat hits on it as Engine Room hits, although it floods separately.

Hits

	Fuel Oil 1	11-14	Forward Void
	Fuel Oil 1	15	Main A
Forward Main Magazine		16-21	Main A
Forward Main Magazine		22-23	Main B
	Fuel Oil 1	24	Main B
	Fuel Oil 1	25	AAMGs
	Fuel Oil 1	26	Bridge
	Fuel Oil 1	31	Bridge
Boiler Room 1		32	Main Director
Boiler Room 1		33	Search Radar
Boiler Room 1		34	Funnel
Boiler Room 2		35-36	Funnel
Boiler Room 2		41	AAMGs
Engine Room		42-44	Torpedo A
Engine Room		45	Torpedo B
Gearing Room		46-51	Torpedo B
	Fuel Oil 2	52	Searchlight
	Fuel Oil 2	53	AAMGs
	Fuel Oil 2	54-55	Main X
Aft Main Magazine		55	Main X
Aft Main Magazine		56	Main X
Aft Main Magazine		61-62	Main Y
Propshaft 1 or 2		63-64	Void
Steering		65-66	Steering

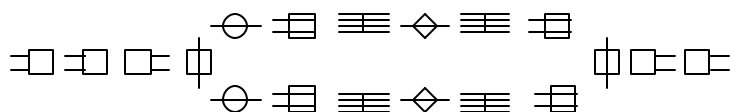
Internal Diagram

VO1	FM	FO1	BR1	BR2	ER	GR	FO2	AM	ST
1FP	A&B 1FP	2FP	B1 5FP	B3 5FP	E1 E2 6FP	3FP	2FP	X&Y 1FP	1FP

Myoko

<u>Navy</u>	Imperial Japanese Navy				<u>Date</u>	1940, as reconstructed				
<u>Class</u>	Heavy cruiser									
<u>Surface Armament</u>					<u>Ranges</u>			<u>Directors</u>		
Main Battery:	8 inch guns in 5 twin turrets				32 inches			Fore and aft		
Secondary Battery:	5 inch guns in 4 twin mounts				15 inches			Port and starboard		
Torpedoes:	24 inch torpedoes in 4 quadruple mounts				22 inches at 6.00"			Port and starboard		
	8 reloads				35 inches at 5.00"					
Maximum Value:	9				44 inches at 4.50"					
<u>Gun:</u>	5"	10"	15"	20"	25"	30"	35"	Power	Relia	
8 inch twin	A/10	8/9	6/7	4/5	3/0	2/0	1/0	6	B	
5 inch twin	A/12	8/8	2/4	1/0				4	B	
<u>Speed</u>	4.25"	12 boilers	4 engines	<u>Torpedo Hits</u>	17.7"-18": ±1	20.5"-22.5": ±2	24": ±3			
<u>Flotation</u>	Total: 66	DIW: 33	Sinking: 44	<u>Bulge</u>	-1 to torpedo hits in way of locations 21-54					

Armament Arrangement



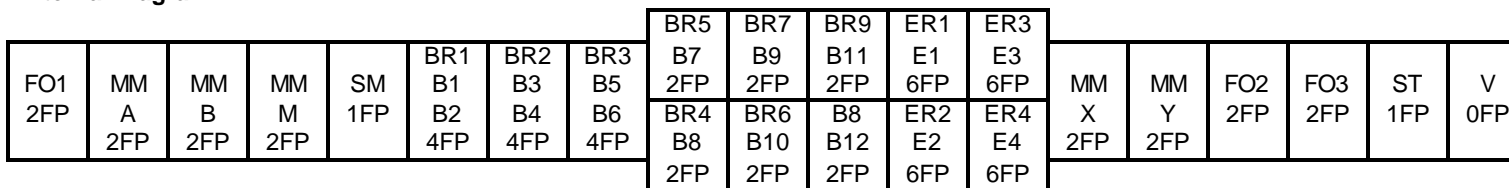
Notes

- Class included Myoko, Nachi, Haguro and Ashigara.

Hits

	Fuel Oil 1	11-15	Officers Berths
	Main Magazine A	16-21	Main A
	Main Magazine B	22-23	Main B
	Main Magazine M	24-25	Main M
	Secondary Magazine	26	Bridge
	Boiler Room 1	31	Bridge, Port or Starboard Secondary Director, AAMGs,
	Boiler Room 2	32	Forward Main Director, Funnel, Bridge
	Boiler Room 3	33	Secondary 1 or 2, Searchlight 1 or 2, Torpedo Director
	Boiler Room 4 or 5	34	Funnel
	Boiler Room 6 or 7	35	AAMGs
	Boiler Room 6 or 7	36	Searchlight 3 or 4
	Boiler Room 8 or 9	41	Secondary 3 or 4, Funnel
	Boiler Room 8 or 9	42	AAMGs
	Engine Room 1 or 2	43	Torpedo 1 or 2, Aft Main Director
	Engine Room 1 or 2	44	Port or Starboard Catapult Aircraft
	Engine Room 1 or 2	45	Port or Starboard Catapult, Aircraft
	Engine Room 3 or 4	46	Torpedo 3 or 4
	Engine Room 3 or 4	51	Aircraft
	Main Magazine X	52-53	Main X
	Main Magazine Y	54-55	Main Y
	Fuel Oil 2	56-62	Crew Berths
	Fuel Oil 3, Propshaft 1 or 2	63	Crew Berths
	Fuel Oil 3, Propshaft 3 or 4	64	Crew Berths
	Steering	65	Steering
	Aft Void	66	Aft Void

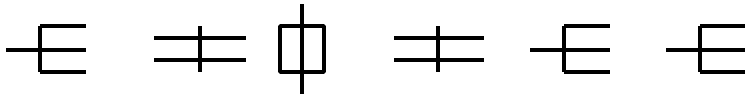
Internal Diagram



Kamikaze

<u>Navy</u>	Imperial Japanese Navy			<u>Date</u>	1942, as converted		
<u>Class</u>	Destroyer-transport			<u>Armor</u>	None		
<u>Surface Armament</u>				<u>Ranges</u>		<u>Directors</u>	
Main Battery:	4.7 inch guns in 3 single mounts			18 inches		Fore	
Torpedoes:	21 inch torpedoes in 2 twin mounts			8 inches at 4.25"		Aft	
Maximum Value:	9			16 inches at 3.25"			
<u>Gun:</u>	5"	10"	15"	18"	Power	Relia	
4.7 inch single	A/9	8/5	2/2	1/-2	4	B	
<u>Speed</u>	4.25	4 boilers	2 engines	<u>Torpedo Hits</u>	17.7"-18": ±1	20.5"-22.5": ±3	24": ±5
<u>Flotation</u>	Total: 27	DIW: 14	Sinking: 18				

Armament Arrangement



Notes

- Nine Kamikazes were converted to this role.

Hits

Fuel Oil 1	11-13	Forward Void
Forward Magazine	14-16	Mount A
Crew Spaces	21-23	Torpedo A
Fuel Oil 2	24	Bridge
Boiler Room 1	25	Bridge, Main Director
Boiler Room 1	26-31	Funnel
Boiler Room 1	32	AAMGs, Supply Area
Boiler Room 2	33-35	AAMGs, Supply Area
Boiler Room 2	36	Funnel
Engine Room 1	41	Searchlight
Engine Room 1	42-44	AAMGs, Supply Area
Engine Room 2	45	AAMGs, Supply Area
Engine Room 2	46-52	Torpedo B
Aft Magazine	53-54	Main M
Aft Magazine	55-56	Main X
Fuel Oil 3, Propshaft 1 or 2	61-64	Aft Void
Steering	65-66	Steering

Internal Diagram

FO1 1FP	PM A 1FP	V 2FP	FO2 FO 2FP	BR1 B1 B2 4FP	BR2 B3 B4 4FP	ER2 E1 4FP	ER2 E2 4FP	PM MY 2FP	FO3 2FP	ST 1FP
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