

## Meniealorratus



Each Player will assume the mantle of a king during the Middle Ages. The prosperity of any territory will depend on the player's capacity to defeat the other kingdoms with their audacity and inventiveness.


3Shuffle the Events Deck, draw 12 Cards from it and place them on the Game Board's Current Events Panel.

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Next, draw 6 more Cards from said Deck and place them on the Game Board's Future Events Panel.

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Put the rest of the Event Cards on the Warehouse (Deck Place).

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Every Player must select a Realm (Player's Action Board), and a Defensive Wall (Player's Screen).

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Randomly, decide the turn order of each player. The player who places their Round Token on the Round Order Track's square number 1 will be considered the initial player.

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Divide all eligible Resources into several piles: Goods (\$), Science ( (\%) , Culture ( 1 ) ( ), Gold ( ), Raw Materials Battle Point Tokens ( $\boldsymbol{\uparrow} \boldsymbol{p}$ ).

## Starting Capital of each Player

The following Resources must be distributed to every Player:


The following Realm Leaders must be distributed to every PLAYER:

In a 2-Player Game:

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While $\mathbf{4}$ Mayors will be used to produce Resources throughout the Game as in the $\mathbf{3}$ то 5-Player Games, the other $\mathbf{2}$ will contribute to warfare strategies in a special way. Check THE ROUND section).
This two Mayors Combat Value is $+\mathbf{2}$ each.

In 3-Player, 4-Player and 5-Player Games

Some extra Resource Tokens will be awarded to every Realm's Manor by the Player's choosing in inverse Turn Order in the following way:

- The last Player on the Turn Order Track gets to choose whichever two DIFFERENT Resource Tokens and store them in their Manor
This way, a Player can never pick two Resources of the same kind.
The second to last Player on the Turn Order Track gets to choose whichever two DIFFERENT Resource Tokens and store them in their Manor
It must be pointed out that this new pair of Resources must be DIFFERENT from the one chosen by their Opponent and must also be made up by two DIFFERENT Tokens.
- Next, the third from last Player on the Turn Order Track gets to choose two Resource Tokens as explained before, followed by the second and/or first Player.

This way, every Player's two extra set of Resources MUST BE unique, but one of the elements of a Player's pair of extra Resources can coincide with any of their Opponents'.

## EXAMPLE: In A 4-PLAYER GAME...

Michael is chosen the Initial Player and places his Token on square number 1 from the TURN Order Track.
Valerie places her Token on square number $\mathbf{2}$ from the Turn Order Track.
Claire places her Token on square number $\mathbf{3}$ from the Turn Order Track.
James places his Token on square number 4 from the Turn Order Track.

This way, the two extra токеNS from each of their MANORS will be taken into account as follows:
James goes first and picks 1 Culture token and 1 Battle token.
Claire goes second and picks 1 Goods token and 1 Raw Material token.
Valerie goes next and picks 1 Religion token and 1 Culture token
Michael goes last and picks 1 Science token and 1 Gold token.

The Game contains different elements, like one Game Board, 5 Player Boards, also called Realms, and several kinds of cards. Here is a list of these elements and their description:


Game Board

4
Warehouse
Place the Event Cards Deck here

2Current Event Card' Prices The first row cost 1 Goods Token (\%) The second row costs 2 Goods Tokens (\%). The third row costs 3 Goods tokens (\%).


Current Events Panei All purchasable Current Events are displayed here.

4Future Events Panel t includes those Event Cards that will fill the empty squares from the Current Events Panel at the end of any Round.

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Round Track
The place where the Rounds will be tracked.
Discard Pile $\lambda$
The place where any discarded Card must be put.

## Victory Points Track

The place where Victory Points will be counted.
Every time a Player reaches or surpasses a square multiple of 5 (for example; 5, 10, 15...) they will be awarded one extra Token of their choosing. However, these Rewards will not trigger trough Victory Points acheaved by End-of-Game Effects
Player Board (Realm)

1) Manor
a place where a Realm's Resources get stored.

## 2 MANAGMENT ZONE

 produced.3 Realm's Map
(als military fight for (Generals ( $\infty$ ) and Admirals (o-d)) fight for extra resources

8 Turn Track Order The place where the Players' Turn Orders are taken into consideration.


## Event Cards and Symbols

1Costs and Colours
This icon specifies the prices that Plavers have to pay to get the Card into play, as well as the Cards' Colours

## 2 Effects

It represents the Actions that happen when the Cards get into play. They are divided into four different effects:

## a. Immediate Effect ( ) <br> b. End-of-Game Effect (

c. Repetitive Effect (○)
d. Repetitive Production Effect ()

3 CARD TYPE
It represents which Card Type it is

## Immediate Effect

Players trigger this Effect right when they get the Card into Play.

End-of-the-Game Effect
Players trigger this Effect when the 8Th Round finishes.

Repetitive Effect
This Effect gets triggered every time a Card of a specified Colour is played.

- Repetitive Production Effect

This Effect gets triggered every Round after all Players withdraw their Defensive Walls and generate Resources.

## - Hole Card

If it gets activated from the Current
Events Panel, the Players get it into their Hand.

1Majority Card
If it gets activated from the Current Events Panel, it gets into the Hand of the Player with the most Resources of the kind that is shown on the costs of the Card.


Auction Card
Players have to bid on this Card.
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Great Person


It represents the Cards.

Special Effects can be triggered, if a Card with the specified Colour gets played.
$\neg$ Get a card
Players choose a Card from the Current Events Panel and put it into their Hand.

1 Different Coloured Cards t represents every different type of Co oured Card a Player owns.

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Victory Points
It shows how many Victory Points the Players get awarded.

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Victory Points (Battie Points)
Players get awarded with as many
Victory points as the sum of their Military Leaders' (Admirals ( $\underset{=}{ }$ ) and Generals ( $(\rho)$ ) Combat Values.
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Players can choose which Resource Tokens they get. But they can only get one type of Tokens.

The Round

## Each Round consists of the following steps

11Hide behind the Defensive Wall All Players must use their Defensive

Walls to hide their Realms. Remembe hat their Realm's Resources need to remain in front of it and will not be hidden from their Opponents.


Place the Leader Tokens All Players simultaneously and secretively place their Leaders on their Realm:

In 3-player, 4-player and 5-player games. Mayors ( ) will be placed on the Management Zone. That is to say, the squares from the left half of their Realm.

They will award 1 Resource each.
Players can pair as many Mayors ( )as they want with any Resource Square, so any of them will provide 1 Token for said Resource.


Example:
By placing 2 Mayors ( ) on the Science square (©), 1 Mayor ( ) on the Gold square ( $($ ) and 1 Mayor ( ) on the Goods square (中), a player gets:

Generals ( 0 ) and Admirals ( $\xlongequal{\circ}$ ) will be placed on the lands from their Realm's Mar.
That is to say, the fields from the right half of their


In a 2-player game..
4 Mayors ( ) will be placed on the
Management Zone. That is to say, the squares from the left half of their Realm. They will award 1 Resource each.
Players can pair as many Mayors ( ) as they want with any resource square, so any of them will provide 1 token for said resource.
2 Mayors ( ) will be placed on the lands from their Realm's Map. That is to say, the squares from the right half of their Realm. These $\mathbf{2}$ Mayors Combat Value is $+\mathbf{2}$

Their distinctive features are.
They can ONLY be placed on those lands unoccupied by the Player's own Military Leaders.
Their mission consists of serving as buffers so the Player's Opponent is unable to gain control over said lands and claim their rewards (extra Resources) Unlike Generals ( $\boldsymbol{C O}_{0}$ ) and Admirals ( $\stackrel{\text { ( }}{\boldsymbol{O}}$ ), they DO NOT get awarded the extra Resources paired with the lands.

## Combat Value <br> Each Admiral's ( Each General's ( $\mathbf{( 0 )}$ Combat Value is 2

Generals ( $\boldsymbol{C}_{5}$ ) and Admirals ( on the lands from their Realm's Map. That is to say, the squares from the right half of their Realm.

Remember that lands number $\mathbf{9}$ and number $\mathbf{1 0}$ are only available for the $\mathbf{5}$ PLayer Game!

3Get Resources Once all the Players have placed their Leaders on the Management Zone and the Realm's Map, they must withdraw their Defensive Walls. They will get awarded every Resource produced by their Leaders (Admiral ( ( ) alike) and their active Cards.

Moreover, once every Defensive Wall is down the Players will challenge one another with their
Military Leaders (Generals ( $\boldsymbol{O}_{0}$ ) and Admirals (
All Players must check the Realm's Map. Every time a Player's Military Forces overpower their Opponents', at least by 1, in a determined Land of the Map (that is to say, a square), they will gain control of said Land and therefore will be awarded the Resources attached to it.
In case there is a tie between two or more Players, none of them will obtain the extra Resource Token.

## EXAMPLE 2 PLAYER GAME:

During a 2-Player Game, a round's military warfare strategies are:

Rachel: Her General is placed on Land 5, her Admiral is placed on Land 3 and her $\mathbf{2}$ "buffer" mayors are placed on LAND 6.
Wyatt: His General is placed on Land 2, his
Admiral
is placed on LAND 1 and his $\mathbf{2}$ "buffer" mayors are placed on Lands 5 and $\mathbf{4}$ respectively.

The result of said challenge, therefore, is: Rachel: Gains control over Lands 3, and gets its reward. Given the fact that her General's Combat Value on Land 5 is $\mathbf{+ 2}$ and Wyatt's "buffer"
Mayor Combat Value on Land 5 is also +2 , she doesn't get to claim its reward. Her "buffer" Mayors on Land 6 have no ultimately effect because Wyatt didn't place any Military Leader on his map's LAND 6.
Wyatt: On one hand, he gains control over Lands 1 and $\mathbf{2}$, and therefore gets their rewards.
On the other hand, he stops Rachel from getting control over LAND 5 by putting one of his "buffer" Mayors on his map's Land 5.
His "buffer" Mayor on LAND 4 has no ultimately effect because Rachel didn't place any Military Leader on her map's Land 4.


4Extra Goods Tokens All Players get awarded 2 extra Goods Tokens (\%).

5Initial Player
Determining the new Initial Player. The Determining the new Initial Player. The
ayer with the most Goods Tokens (\$) will be assigned the Initial Player Token
After that, they place their token on square number 1 from the Turn OrderTrack
In case there is a tie, they who are seated closer from the previous Initial Player, clock-wise, will be assigned said Token.

Their Opponents' Turns will go on taking their respective stored Good Tokens (\%) into consideration, and so they will place their Tokens on those squares from the Turn Order Track.


At the end of step 4 in the 4-player game
James (Green) owns 5 Good tokens (\$).
Claire (Violett) owns 2 Good tokens (\$).
Michael (Blue) owns 5 Good tokens (\$).
Valerie (Yellow) owns 6 Good tokens ( $\%$ ).
This way, Valerie is awarded with the Initial Player Token and places her TOKEN on square number 1 from the Turn Order Track.

## After that..

James puts his Toкen on square number $\mathbf{2}$ from the

## Turn Order Track

The reason why is the fact that James is seated closer (clock-wise) to the new Initial Player Michael puts his TOKEN on square number $\mathbf{3}$ from the Turn Order Track
Claire puts her Toкen on square number $\mathbf{4}$ from the Turn Order Track

## Actions

All Players, beginning by the Initial Player and following the Turn Order Track, will execute one of the following Actions:

## 1. Activate a CARD from the Current Events Panel <br> 2. Bring a Card from their Hand into Plar <br> 3. Passing

Once a Player has executed one of the aforementioned Actions, the next Player according to the Turn Order Track will execute theirs and so on until every Player has passed.

Action 1 - Activating Cards form the Current Events Panel
There are $\mathbf{3}$ different types of Cards in Medieval Realms:
(7) Hole Cards

Every time a Player activates a Hole
Card, they must purchase it using Goods Tokens T). Their price is indicated on top of the squares from the Current Events Panel


1 Goods token - Hole cards from squares 1 to 4 2 Goods tokens - Hole cards from squares 5 to 8 3 Goods tokens-Hole cards from squares 9 to 12

Hole cards can be activated even if the Player does not have enough Specific Resource Tokens to bring them into play.
Next, the Player must place it in their Hand of Cards.


All Player's Hands of Cards must be visible to their Opponents, so they must be placed at the top of their Realms.
Any Hand of Cards will consist of up to 4 Cards, and it will never be made up of Cards by the same Stamp Colour.

A Player cannot activate a Hole Card under these circumstances:

1. They already have 4 Cards in Hand
2. They have insufficient Goods Tokens (T)
3. They have a CARD by the same Colour in Hand.

(3)MAJority card Every time a Player activates a Majoritr CARD, they must purchase it using Goods Tokens ( $\uparrow$ ). Their price is indicated on top of the squares from the Current Events Panel.

These Cards indicate the kind of Resource which is taken into consideration. This way, they will be awarded to the Player with the most Specific Resources in their Realm


It must be remembered that Majority Cards will not be acquired if a Player's Hand already consist in 4 CARDS of if they already have a CARD with the same Stamp Colour
This way, Players with less Specific Resources in their Realm than the Opponent who "was meant to acquire it" can get Majority Cards.

In case there is a tie, the Player who activated the Majority Card in play will place it in their Hand. If they already have 4 Cards in their Hand, it will be acquired by the tied Player seated closer to the Initial Player following the Turn Order Track.

If no Player can acquire them, that Majority Card must be discarded


Auction cards
These are the only CARDs that do not require Goods Tokens ( $T$ ) to be activated.

The Player who activates this kind of CARD gets to initially bid for it using the type of Resource indicate it.

Clock-wise, the rest of
the Players can either bid higher or pass. Players will keep bidding until all of them but one have passed.
Said Player wins the auction and pays as many Resources as they bid, by placing those Resources on the Resource Pile.
Next they must place this Auction Card beside their Realm (on its right) and activate the Immediate Effects implied by the Card ( ).

## It must be remembered that:

A Player can only bid with the Resources stored in their Realm.
Once a Player has Passed on auctioning, they can not bid again for the same Auction Card. Only the Player who wins the Auction needs to pay the Resources.

Resources are limitless, if during a Game any kind of them runs out, Players can use any other Token to replace them.

Action 2 - Bring a Card from their Hand into PLAY
Players can do this by paying as many Resources as indicated by the Card of their choice. Next they must place this Card beside their Realm (on its right) and activate the Immediate Effects implied by it ( )

It must be kept in mind that a CARD from one's Hand cannot be Discarded

## Action 3 - Passing

Players can pass whenever they do not want to keep making more Actions during the current ROUND.

This way, when a Player passes, they must wait until the next Round to make a move again The only exception to this is the Bid for an Auction or a Majority Card activated by another Player.

Once a Player has executed one of the aforemen tioned Actions, the next Player according to the Turn Order will execute theirs, and so on until every Player has passed.Ending the Round
Ending the Round, once all Players have Passed. Next, they must

Withdraw the Cards from the Board' Current Events Panel. Depending on the number of Players, Players must discard...


Refill the other squares using the Cards from the Future Events Panel
Then, they must fill the empty spaces on both the Current and Future Events Panels with Cards from the Events Deck.


Move the Round Token forward one square. The next Round begins!

## A Quick Round Overview

All Players place the Defensive Wall before their Realms, so that their Manors are the only visible parts from them2
All Players must put their Mayors ( ) on the Management Zone and their Military


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All Players withdraw their Defensive Walls. They get several Resources depending on the placement of their Mayors ( ) and their Military Leaders (Generals ( $\hat{O}_{0}$ ) and Admirals ( on their Realms' Map.
They also get awarded the Resources paired with those Cards in their Realm which include a "Repeti tive production Effect"

All Players get awarded 2 Goods Tokens (\$)
5. The Player with the most Goods Tokens (\$) in their Manor gets to be the Initial Player

6 All Players, beginning by the Initial Player and following the Turn Order Track, will execute one of the following Actions

## Actions

1. Activate a Card from the Current Events Panel.
2. Bring a Card from their Hand into Play
3. Passing

Ending the Round, once all Players have Passed.
End of the Game
The Game finishes at the end of the $7^{\text {th }}$ Round.
Once the Last Round comes to an End, Players will have to follow several steps:

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End of Game Effects
Activate every End of Game Effect ( ) from their Cards.

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Bonus Victory Points Get awarded 1 extra Victory Point for every 2 stored Resources from their MANORS always rounding down.

The Player with the most Victory Points will win the Game.
In case there is a tie, some criteria will be taken into consideration to rule out the WINNER, in descending order of importance.

3Great Person Points Get awarded some extra Victory Points depending on a Player's amount of Great Person CARDS:
1 Great Person card - 1 extra victory point 2 Great Person cards - 3 extra victory points 3 Great Person cards - 6 extra victory points 4 Great Person cards - 10 extra victory points 5 or more Great Persons - 15 extra Victory Points

## If there is a tie:

1. The Realm with the most Cards wins 2. The Realm with the most Castle Cards wins. 3. The Realm with the most Leaders wins. 4. The Initial Player or the one who is seated closer to them, following the Turn Order Track


Castle Cards, Orange Stamp, Majority Card They Cost 6 Raw Material Tokens (\$). End-of-the-came Effect: At the End of the Game, the Player gets awarded as many Victory Points as the sum of their Military Leaders' Combat Values. Production Repetion Effect:The Player gets awarded 1 Battle Point Token $(\mid \boldsymbol{p})$

market Cards, Red Stamp, Hole Card
They cost 6 Goods Tokens (\$).
End-of-the-game Effect: The Player gets one Victory Point for each different Card Colour they own.


Realm Leader Cards, Yellow Stamp, Auction Card
They cost as many Gold Tokens ( ) as the bid price that was set by a Player. Immidiate Effect: Said Player instantly gets an extra Mayor ( ), an extra Admiral (ed) or an extra General ( $\boldsymbol{(})$ ), depending on the Card.


City Cards, Green Stamp, Hole Card
They costs 5 Raw Material Tokens ( ).
End-of-the-Game Effect: At the End of the Game, the Player gets awarded one Victory Point for each Mayor ( ) in their Realm.
Repetitive Production Effect: Every time a Player gets into play another Card with the Colour that is shown, they get awarded $\mathbf{1}$ specified Resource Token and 1 Victory Point.


Territory Cards, Grey Stamp, Auction Card
They cost as many Battle Point Token ( $(\boldsymbol{\dagger})$ as the bid price that was set by a

## Player.

Immidiate effect: Said Player gets awarded 5 Tokens of the specified Resource.


Island Cards, Turquoise Stamp, Hole Card
They cost 1 Admiral Token (
Immidate effect: The Player gets 2 Victory Points.
End-of-the-Game Effect: The Player gets awarded 3 Victory Points if they fulfill the mentioned condition.

If a Player wants to activate a second Island Card, they must have 2 Admiral Tokens ( $\Leftrightarrow$ ) to do so.
A third Island Card requires 3 Admiral Tokens (


War Cards, black Stamp, Majority Card They cost several Battle Point Tokens ( $\mid \boldsymbol{|})$, depending on the number of Players.
During a 5-Player Game, 5 Battle Point tokens $(\boldsymbol{p})$ are needed During a 4-Player Game, 6 Battle Point tokens $(-\mid$ ) are needed During a 2-Player Game and a 3-Player Game, 7 Battle Point tokens $(\boldsymbol{q})$ are needed.
Immidiate Effect: The Player gets awarded 6 Victory Points.


Great Person Cards, Majority Card
there are $\mathbf{3}$ different kinds of them..
Artists (Violet Stamp): They cost 5 Culture Tokens (in).
Missionaries (White Stamp): They cost 5 Religion Tokens ( ).
Scientists (Blue Stamp): They cost 5 Science Tokens (©).
Immidiate Effect: The Player gets awarded 2 Victory Points.
End-of-the-game Effect: The Player gets awarded 1 Victory Point for each Card of the specified Colour they own.


Scientific Development Cards, Blue Stamp, Hole Card
They cost 5 Science Tokens (©)
Immidiate Effect: The Player gets awarded 2 Victory Points
Production Repetion Effect: The Player gets awarded 1 extra Token (the kind of which is specified by every Card) for every Mayor ( ) they have.

Art Gallery, Violet Stamp / Cathedral Cards, White Stamp, Majority Card They costs 5 of the shown Resources
immidiate Effect: The Player gets 5 Victory Points


Tithe Cards, White Stamp, Hole Card

## They costs 5 ( ).

Immidiate Effect: The Player gets awarded 2 Victory Points. Futhermore, they choose one kind of the specified Resources (accept of get awarded with 4 of them.


Inquisitions, White Stamp, Hole Card
They costs 4 Reticion Token ( ).
Immidiate Effect: The Player get 1 General (©) Token

Gunpowder, University and Docking bay Cards, Blue Stamp, Hole Card They costs 4 Science Tokens (©).
immidiate Effect: The Player instantly gets an extra Mayor ( ), an extra Admiral ( $\xlongequal[=]{\leftrightharpoons})$ or an extra General ( () ), depending on the card.
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## Round Overview

1 All Players place the Defensive Wall before their Realms.
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4 All Players get awarded with 2 Goods Tokens (T). The Player with the most Goods Tokens ( $\uparrow$ ) get the Initial Player Token.

All Players, beginning by the Initial Player and following the Turn Order Track, will execute one of the following Actions:

## Actions

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Ending the Round, once all Players have Passed.
Card Symbol Overview
Immediate Effect
End of the Game
Repetitive Effect
Production Repetitive Effect
Hole Card Person
Auction Card
Majority Card

Resources and Leader Tokens
(T) Goods Token

Science Token
Culture Token

