

How To Replace The Standard Bitmaps In The 1939 Storm Over Europe Campaign

This process has been specially prepared for anyone who needs to replace the standard Bitmaps for a specific reason. In this case, it's to facilitate PBEM games where you are not forcing your opponent to download any Mods. This way, players can independently use whatever Bitmaps they feel comfortable using.

It is not recommended doing this unless you absolutely must. A future patch release may not expect to find these new files here and the results may be unpredictable. That's when you have to restore your backup bitmap folder and try the patch again. Or worst case scenario, you may need to re-install the game.

Before beginning I suggest that you make a backup of the original Bitmaps folder. Browse to where the game is installed and locate the **Campaigns_1939 Storm over Europe** Folder. In my case it's:

C:\Games\Strategic Command WWII - War in Europe\Campaigns_1939 Storm over Europe

Your location may vary and will probably look something more like this:

C:\Program Files (x86)\Matirx Games\Strategic Command WWII - War in Europe\Campaigns_1939 Storm over Europe

Once you have found the correct folder, Right click on the Bitmaps folder contained there and select Copy.

Then browse to your documents folder and create a new folder called SC3-Mods. Open that folder and create another folder called **1939 Storm Over Europe Campaign Backup**. Open that folder, right click and select paste. This is your backup Bitmaps folder.

After downloading the latest Hybrid Counters Mod, extract the zip file to the SC3-Mods folder which you created above. (For your sanity I suggest extracting any other Counter mode to this same SC3-Mods folder. This way you know where they all are.) Once done, you should have at least two subfolders in the SC3-Mods folder

Hybrid Counters 2.0 and
1939 Storm Over Europe Campaign Backup

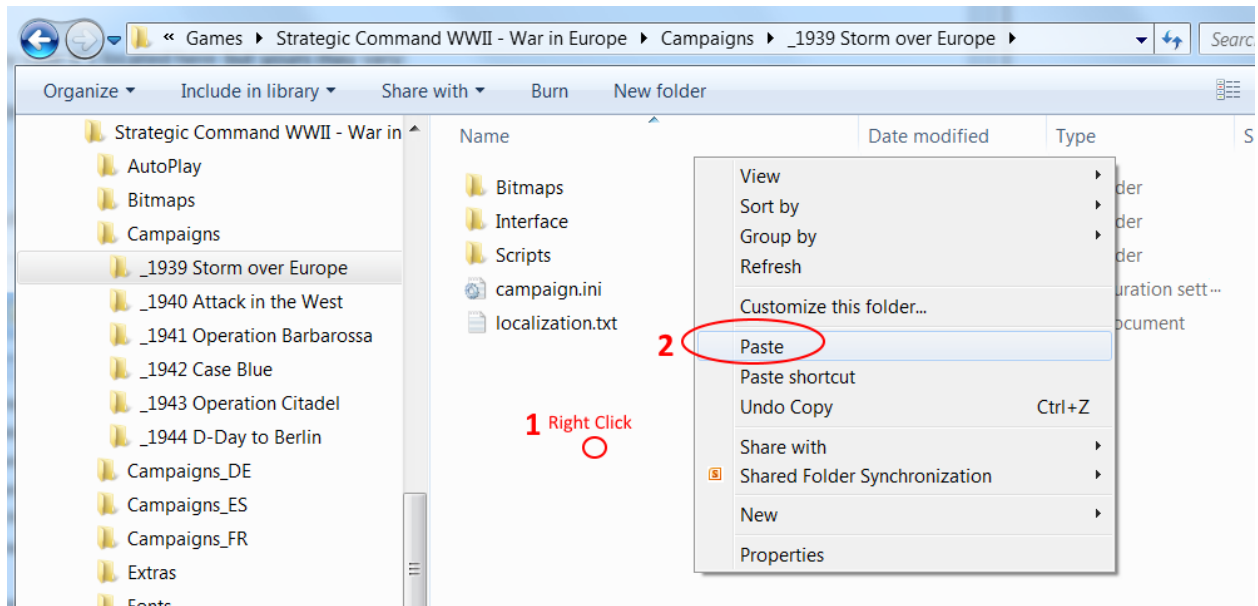
Open the latest Hybrid Counters folder, in this case Hybrid Counters 2.0, and Right click on the Bitmaps folder. Then select copy.

Then browse to the location where your SC3 Game is installed and locate the **Campaigns_1939 Storm over Europe** folder

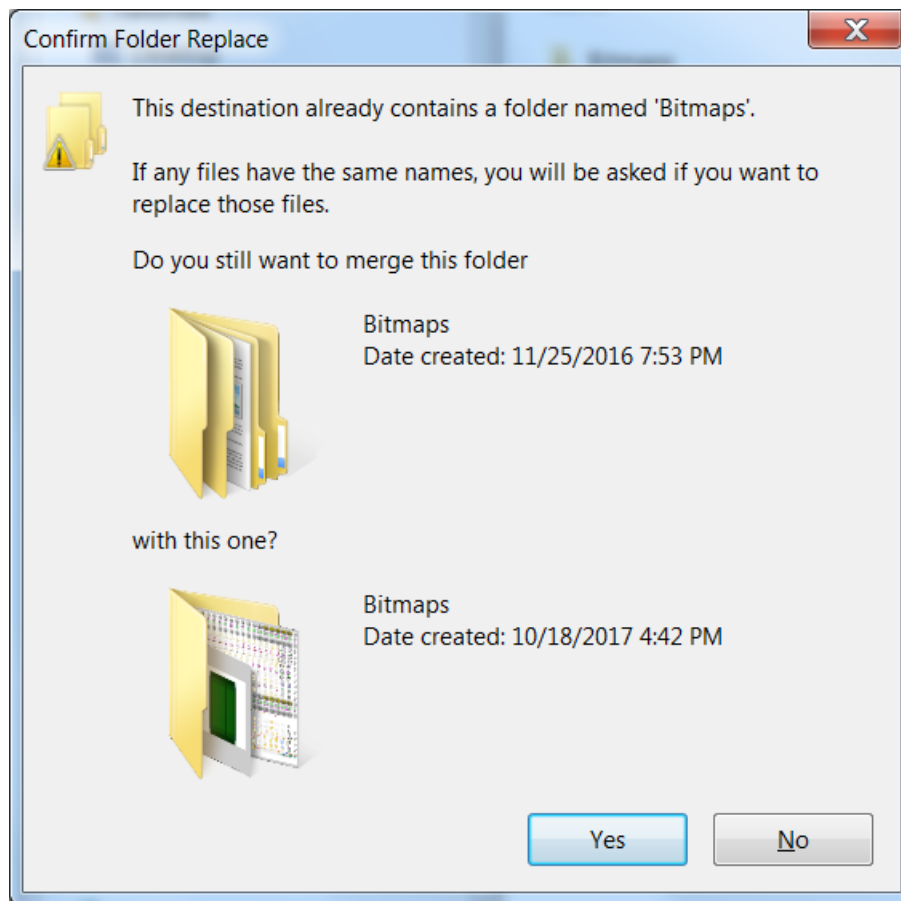
Again, in my case it's located here but yours may vary:

C:\Games\Strategic Command WWII - War in Europe\Campaigns_1939 Storm over Europe

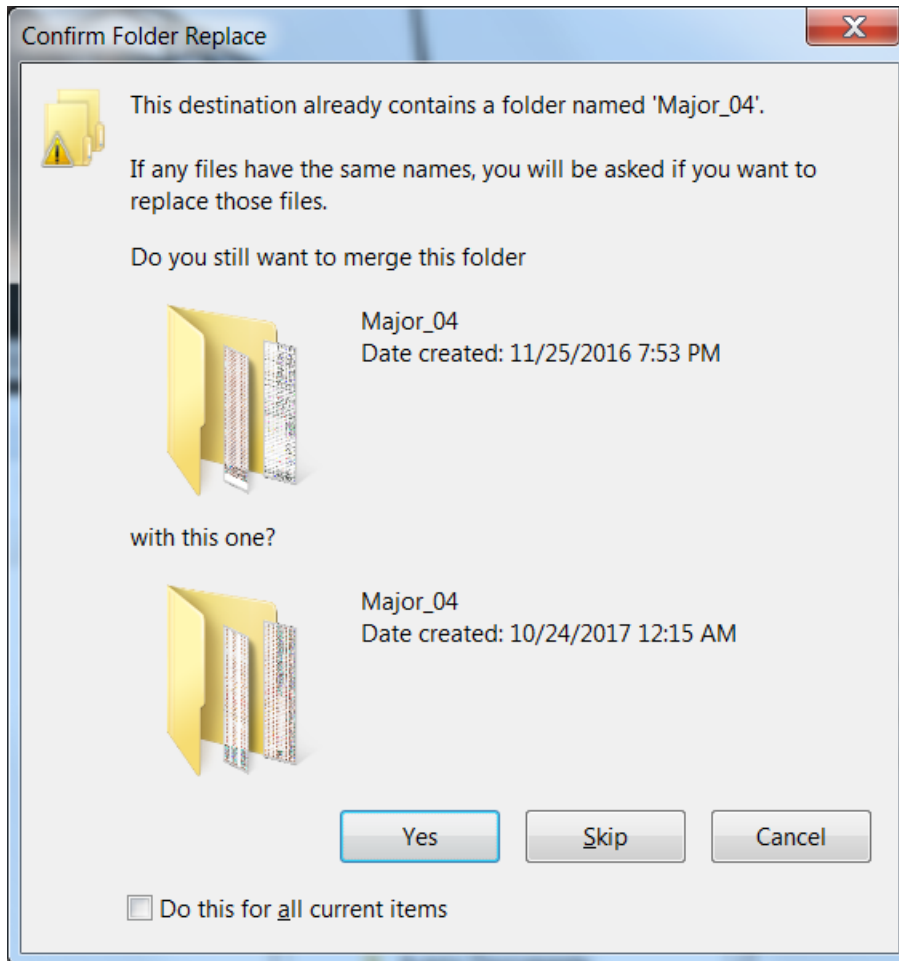
Then right click in a blank area in the right window and select paste.



You will then be prompted to confirm the folder Bitmap folder merge. Select Yes

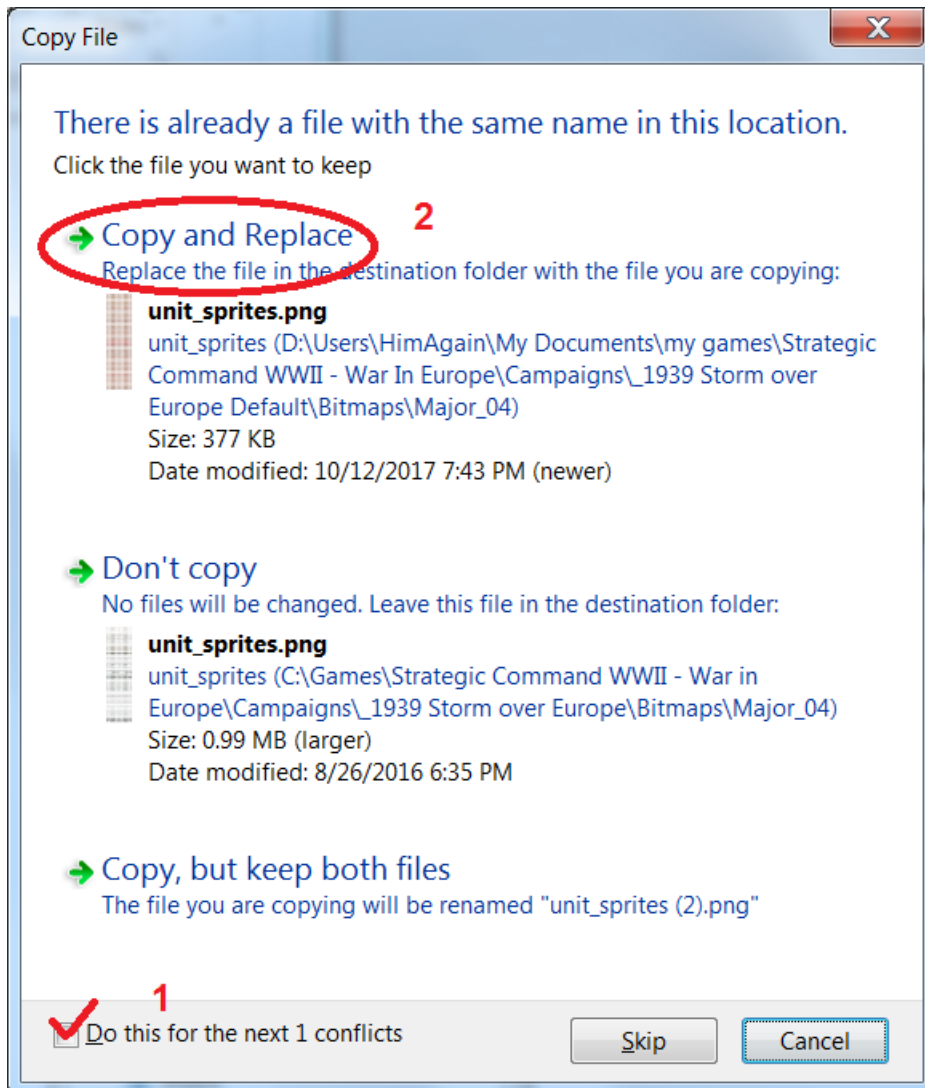


And then select yes again



Then check off, Do This for the next 1 conflicts.

Then select Copy and Replace.



If you've already been in here changing things before or you are updating a previous Mod, you may see more prompts. If you do, just keep selecting Copy and Replace

That should do it. There is no need to replace any other bitmaps folder.

From now on every time you start the 1939 Storm over Europe campaign it will have the Hybrid Counter Mod even if your PBEM counterpart is using the stock counters.

I hope you enjoy the Mod.