

STATIC ROCKET LAUNCHERS

Other divisions in Normandy and on the Eastern Front can also field the Static Rocket Launchers as used by the Festungskompanie in *Earth & Steel*. Grenadierkompanies and Fallschirmjägerkompanies from *Fortress Europe* and *Grey Wolf* can field a Static Rocket Launcher Battery instead of a Divisional Support Rocket Launcher Battery (page 53 of *Fortress Europe* and page 169 of *Grey Wolf*).

STATIC ROCKET LAUNCHER BATTERY

BUNKER

4 28cm sWG41 Nest 3 28cm sWG41 Nest 2 28cm sWG41 Nest

1 28cm sWG41 Nest

160 points120 points80 points40 points

OPTIONS

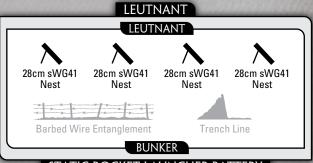
- Add Trench Line for +5 points.
- Add Barbed Wire Entanglement for +10 points.

These rocket launchers are not the mobile Nebelwerfer launchers of most rocket artillery units, but static 28cm schweres Wurfgerät 41 heavy rocket launchers like those fitted to the Panzerpionier Sd Kfz 251 'Stuka zu Fuss' half-tracks.

Unlike their vehicle mounted cousins though, there are only four rockets on each launcher, potentially lessening the impact. These weapons use the Static Rocket Launcher rules below.

A company containing a Static Rocket Launcher Battery as its only fortifications is not a Fortified Company.

A Static Rocket Launcher Battery follows the Fortification Placement rules on page 262 of the rulebook.



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An entire heavy rocket battery was emplaced behind Omaha Beach, sited to fire on the troops as they landed.

28cm sWG41 Nests use the Stuka zu Fuss special rule (page 245 of the rulebook), but have only four rockets instead of six. As a result, they only have four attempts to range in. Treat them as Trained troops when rolling To Hit after ranging in. Once fired, the entire team is removed from the game.

Static rocket launchers are Nests and not part of any platoon. They may use any Command team as a Spotter, provided that the Command team has not moved since the start of the game. As none of these teams are trained artillery observers, they receive the same +1 penalty to Range In as a Company Command team.

FORTIFICATIONS

BUNKERS AND PILLBOXES

Weapon	Mobility	Range	ROF	Anti-tank	Firepower	Notes
28cm sWG41 Nest	Immobile	40"/100cm		3	1+	Static Rocket Launcher.

