



**2084**: It's been five years since the clans survived, against all odds, in their subterranean shelters. Recently, strange collector robots have been seen in the area. The daring

Conrad Bordage took it upon himself to discover where they were coming from. Imagine his surprise in discovering a group of scientists that had been living in an underwater base all this time, in complete secrecy!

The technology these scientists could offer would be an undeniable asset for them to be chosen by the Convoy. But now all the clans are interested in his discovery. As this new chapter in History opens, only the clan who makes the best use of the underwater base will maximize its chances of survival.



1 main board

1 Vegetable token



1 Leader card

Your Underwater expansion also contains the components to play Outlive solo (see SOLO MODE, p. 6).



1 Horde board



8 Horde cards

4 Equipment tiles

4 Robot meeples



2 Room tiles



24 Scientist tokens

Your expansion contains a pair of alternative Rooms with a different cutout, to allow you to insert miniatures. Play with this pair of Rooms if you have the Kickstarter version of Outlive with miniatures. Otherwise, use the other pair of Rooms provided with this expansion. For the best game balance, do not play with both of these pairs of Rooms at the same time.



# ADDING THE NEW CONTENTS

Replace the main board from the base game with the one from Underwater. Add all of the other components from Underwater to the contents of the base game. In case you wish to sort out the components later, there is a little **a** symbol on the Underwater components.



Set up as usual according to the Outlive rulebook. Then, place the Robot meeples on their locations on the main board (use only the colors of players in the game; return the unused colors to the box).

Place the Vegetable token on its location.

Create a reserve of Scientist tokens beside the board.





Example of a 3-player setup.

## UNDERWATER BASE

Underwater adds a new Location to the main board: the Underwater Base. This is connected by a path to each of the 2 cities on the board: Silent Peak and Blackwood. Although the Base comprises 5 green frames, the entire Submarine Base counts as a single Location. When a Hero goes there, place it in the hexagonal central frame. The usual movement rules apply to moving to or from this Location.





**Example:** On her turn, Ariane chooses to move her Strength-4 Hero from the Forest to the Underwater Base.



Due to the instability of these locations, the clans have agreed to a tacit truce in this Location. Therefore, Pressure never applies in the Underwater Base, regardless of Equipment or Room special abilities.

This location offers a large selection of collection actions. You can spend a number of Collection Points here equal to the Strength of your Hero on this Location. You can spend the Collection Points on the actions described below.

**Remember:** Munitions only serve to reduce the Endurance of Wild Game, and to defend against Pressure. You cannot use Munitions to increase your Collection Points.



You can only use this action if the (X) space is empty. Spend 2 Collection Points to place your Hero on the (X) space. This enables you to reduce your Radioactivity gauge 1 step, then increase each opponent's gauge 1 step. You can continue to spend your Collection Points on this action, if you have any left, but you cannot place your Hero on another (X) spaces this turn.



You can only use this action if the (X) space is empty. Spend 4 Collection Points to place your Hero on the (X) space. This enables you to reduce your Radioactivity gauge 1 step, then increase each opponent's gauge 2 steps. You can continue to spend your Collection Points on this action, if you have any left, but you cannot place your Hero on another (X) spaces this turn.



You can only use this action if the Vegetable token is present on the board. Spend 2 Collection Points to claim the Vegetable token. You can use this token in step 2 of the Night phase to completely feed one Room, or in step 4 to recruit 1 Survivor. In each Dawn phase, the Vegetable token must return to the board, whether it was used or not.



**Example:** Benoit must feed the Survivors in his Airlock and in 2 Rooms. He discards 1 (a) for the Airlock, 1 (a) and 1 or or the Room on the left, and the **Vegetable** to feed all the Survivors in the Room on the right.





Spend 1 Collection Point to make your Robot take a Collect ation on its current location, with a Strength of 1. You can only use this action if your Robot is already Activated (standing). You cannot reuse this action this turn.





Spend 1 Collection Point to collect a Scientist token. Immediately place this Scientist token on a free space of your Airlock or one of your Built Rooms. You cannot reuse this action this turn. The Scientists are considered Survivors. As such, each one is worth 1 SP at the end of the game. In addition, each Scientist can double the point earned by 1 complete Equipment symbol at the end of the game. Simply count your Scientists, and count the number of Equipment symbols you completed; add the smaller value to your final score.

**Example**: At the end of the game, Christopher has 4 Scientists, and his Equipment has allowed him to form 2 complete Symbols. His Scientists are considered Survivors, thus earning him 4 SP according to the usual rules. The Scientists' ability adds 2 SP (the smaller of 4 and 2) to his final score.

## EXPLANATIONS



Once repaired, this Equipment grants 1 additional Collection Point to your Hero in the Underwater Base.

Once repaired, this Equipment lets you collect a free on when one of your Heroes is in the Underwater Base.





Spend 3 Collection Points. Immediately repair a broken Equipment in your possession without paying its repair cost. You cannot reuse this action this turn.



During setup, place your Heroes on the Dam, Silent Peak, and the Fairgrounds. You start the game with a Scientist, which you place in your Airlock or your Built Room, in addition to your usual 4 Survivors. Also collect a and the **Toolbox** Equipment (broken).

As soon as this Room is completely filled with Survivors and/or Scientists, your Robot has a Strength of 3, instead of 2 (from now on, it can be placed on the Cargo Ship, without needing to use the **Grappling Hook** Equipment).







Look at the Wild Game tiles visible atop the 3 stacks; remove the one with the highest Endurance. If several are tied, the first player chooses which of them is removed.

At the end of Phase 1: Dawn, remove 1 from the Dam Location, and flip the Anti-Radiation Algae token to its unavailable side.



## solo mode

In the Great Outdoors lives a group of strange survivors: the Horde. These are survivors that are very different from the others. They are some of those rare people whose genes have mutated. This allows them to live in the open air, without any fear of radiation. They have strength and endurance superior to other humans, but their caloric needs are lower. Despite this, nobody wants them. What little humanity and empathy we still have seems to dry up around them. So we keep our distance from the Horde, and avoid crossing their path...

When you play in Solo mode, you play against the Horde. The rules below will show you how to manage them and calculate their Survival Points.

The Horde does not need Shelter: They live in their camp in the Great Outdoors. They are, however, terrified of the water, and can never visit the Underwater Base. At the beginning of each of their turns, they draw a Horde card that indicates in which Location one of their Idle Heroes will try to go. If this move is not possible, the card indicates other Locations in decreasing priority. So, you will never know where the Horde will be next. Therefore, you should focus on your own priorities so you never run out of Resources, or find succumb to the Pressure of the Horde.

As a human player, you follow the normal rules of the game.

#### SETUP

The Horde starts the game with **4 Survivors**, **2 Water**, **1 Munition and 3 random Equipment** (broken). Place the Survivors and Resources on the Horde board in the corresponding spaces, and the broken Equipment face up to the left of the Horde board.

The Horde has Heroes of the following Strengths, depending on the difficulty level you choose:

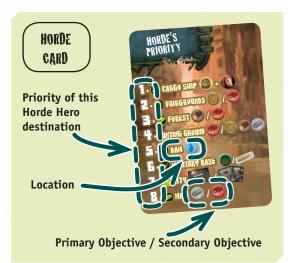


NORMAL: 3/3/4/5 Difficult: 3/4/4/5 Nightmare: 3/4/5/5

For the Horde's Hero pawns, simply use Heroes that are not your color.

Do not place the Horde's Heroes on the main board during setup. They will arrive during the first turn, on the Locations indicated by the Horde card they draw. For subsequent turns, the Horde will move from Location to Location according the normal movement rules.

Shuffle the 8 Horde cards to form a face-down deck in front of you.



As a human player, do the normal setup for yourself.

The game can commence. Like a normal game, it lasts 6 turns, during each of which you alternate between your Heroes and the Horde's Heroes.



### PHASE 1: DAWN

Replenish the board as if it were a normal 2-player game.

### PHASE 2: DAY

#### The Horde always goes first.

Each time the Horde must move a Hero, **draw a Horde card**. Whenever the Horde deck is empty (at the start of turns 3 and 5), reshuffle the 8 discarded Horde cards to form a new deck.

Move an Idle Hero to the first Location indicated on the card, respecting the movement rules.

If there are several possible Locations and/or several Heroes that can reach them, choose the weakest Hero capable of taking the action, and move it to the nearest accessible corresponding Location.

If the Location is inaccessible (to far, or already occupied by a Horde Hero) or if there are no no longer any of the Primary Objective or Secondary Objective, move on to the next accessible Location, following the Priority Order on the card.

#### The 4 Basic Rules of the Horde

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**Example:** It is the Horde's turn to move. You draw a Horde card, and it indicates the Forest as the 1<sup>st</sup> choice; but the Forest is too far for the Horde's Idle Heroes. The 2<sup>nd</sup> choice indicates a Hunting Location, but the only one accessible (the Mine) is already occupied by a Hero. The 3<sup>rd</sup> choice indicates the Dam, and this is the first move actually possible. The Horde thus moves its Idle Hero 4 to the Dam. If there had been no Water at the Dam, you would have needed to look at the next choice on the Horde card.

When it arrives in a Location, the Horde Hero **applies Pressure** to your Hero (if there is one there) according to the normal rules.

Then, **it receives** the Resource, Equipment, or Wild Game it seeks, like a normal player, even using any Repaired Equipment Bonuses the Horde has (remember: the Bonus is only applicable once per turn).

The Hero always collects the Primary Objective if it can, and to the maximum of its Actions. It collects the Secondary Objective if/when there are no more Primary Objectives left, using the rest of its Actions.

#### **Clarifications on the Horde actions**

- The Location is the priority for the move. Even if the Primary Objective is exhausted, as long as the Secondary Objective is still available, the Hero moves to the Location.
- A Horde Hero always uses as many of its Actions as it can. If it has any Actions remaining after collecting its Primary Objective, and it can collect any of its Secondary Objective, it does.
- If the Horde must choose between the two Cities, they choose the one that provides broken Equipment that has symbols that would complete the symbols on their repaired or broken Objects. If the Hero arrives at a City, and there is no more Equipment available there, or the Horde already has its maximum of 4 broken Objects, or it still has actions left after collecting Equipment, it takes as many Search tiles as it can with the rest of its actions.
- If the Horde must choose between several Hunting Locations, they move their weakest Hero to the Location with the highest-Endurance Wild Game that it can hunt, using any or all of their Munitions.

The Horde functions differently than the other clans, and here are the 4 immutable rules that govern it:

- 1/ The Horde never pays the activation cost of the Dam (radioactive Water is no problem for them).
- 2/ The Horde immediately exchanges the Algae from the Military Base and each anti-radiation pill found in the Cities for a new Survivor (the pills allow the Horde to keep its newborns alive).
- 3/ The Horde can never have more than 4 broken Equipment. As soon as the limit of 4 is reached, the Horde will favor Search tiles over Equipment tiles in the Cities.
- 4/ The Horde never suffers from Pressure, but they will apply Pressure to you.

### PHASE 3: NIGHT

The Horde has a different Night phase from you. During this phase, they perform the following steps in order (they always do everything to the maximum of their abilities):

1/ **Overcome Events:** They always favor the one worth the most points. The Horde is always the 1<sup>st</sup> player.

2/ **Feed Survivors:** They discard 1 Supply per 2 Survivors, rounded down. If they do not have enough Supplies, they discard 1 Survivor token per missing Supply.

3/ **Recruit New Survivors:** They discard 1 Supply to recruit 1 new Survivor. They repeat this operation until they are out of Supplies or they have 7 new Survivors, whichever comes first.

4/ Repair Equipment: They favor reconstructing the symbols.

Unlike you, the Horde can store unlimited Supplies.

At the end of the 6<sup>th</sup> turn, the game ends, and the clan who obtained the most Survival Points is declared the victor. Your point scale is the same as for a normal game.



The Horde has their own point scale. They obtain Survival Points according to:

- Events they have overcome: Count their points normally.
- Equipment repaired: Count their points normally.
- Equipment Symbols reconstructed: Count their points normally.
- Survivors present in their camp: Each Survivor is worth 2 Survival Points.

Will you be able to defeat the Horde?



Because the Horde is always 1<sup>st</sup> player, they always have initiative to overcome Events. Keep an eye on the Events you wish to overcome, and deprive the Horde of as many of the Resources required for those as you can.

The Horde will score many points from their Survivors. Try to deprive them of as many Supplies as you can, so as to minimize their ability to recruit new Survivors.

