

WWII SHIPS OF THE YUGOSLAVIAN NAVY



DELUXE SHIP LOGS FOR GENERAL QUARTERS III
by Mal Wright



3.5" (Ger) Dalmacija CS -- Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 430 AA 1 (2) Rudder RFC na Sonar 1 1 BR DOT 1 1 20 15 10 4 VP 2½	5.5" (Br) 3" (Br) Dubrovnik DD Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 220 AA 1 (1½) Rudder RFC na Sonar = 1 1 BR DOT 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 37 33 30 24 17 11 6 ★ 50 mines	4.7" (It) Zagreb DD Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 145 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar = 1 1 BR DOT 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 38 32 25 17 11 6 ★ 30 mines
4.7" (It) Beograd DD Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 145 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar = 1 1 BR DOT 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 38 32 25 17 11 6 ★ 30 mines	4.7" (It) Ljubljana DD Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 145 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar = 1 1 BR DOT 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 38 32 25 17 11 6 ★ 30 mines	4.7" (It) Galeb MS Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 38 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar na 1 BR 1 DC 17 14 10 8 3 one ER VP ½
3.5" (Ger) Jastreb MS Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 38 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar na 1 BR 1 DC 17 14 10 8 3 one ER VP ½	3.5" (Ger) Kobac MS Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 38 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar na 1 BR 1 DC 17 14 10 8 3 one ER VP ½	3.5" (Ger) Orao MS Bulkhead / Bulkhead C 38 AA ½ (1) Rudder RFC na Sonar na 1 BR 1 DC 17 14 10 8 3 one ER VP ½
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3.5" (Ger)						Zamaj						AV						Jastreb						TB						4" (Br)						Nada						PC																	
Bulkhead / Bulkhead						Rudder						C 130						AA 1 (1)						Bulkhead / Bulkhead						Rudder						C 60						AA ¼ (1)																	
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15 13 10 7 5 2						Zamaj class 1939-41 (can service up to 10 seaplanes)						VP 2½						17 14 10 8 3						one ER						Royal Yacht, armed with light AA weapons only						16 13 10 7 3						one ER						Flower class 1944-45 (ex HMS Mallow)											
4" (Br)						Hrabri						SS						3.9" (Fr)						Smeli						SS																													
Bulkhead						Diveplanes						Rudder						C 46						AA ½ (½)						Bulkhead						Diveplanes						Rudder						C 45						AA ½ (½)					
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Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Hrabri class 1940-41						Osvetnik class 1940-41											
3.9" (Fr)						Osvetnik						SS						3.9" (Fr)						Dalmacija																																			
Bulkhead						Diveplanes						Rudder						C 45						AA ¾ (½)						Bulkhead						Diveplanes						Rudder						C 60						AA ¼ (1)					
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The largest ship in the Royal Yugoslav Navy, Dalmacija began life as the pre WWI German cruiser Niobe. Purchased by Yugoslavia in the 1920's, her original 4.1" guns were replaced by 3.5" guns. Captured by the Italians in 1941 during the occupation of Yugoslavia, she was renamed Cattaro and put into training and patrol work. Upon the fall of Italy in September 1943, she was then seized by the Germans and handed over to the Croats and became their flagship and renamed Znaim. She was subsequently returned to the Germans when the Croats could not maintain her. The Germans then commissioned her into the Kriegsmarine under her original name, Niobe. After a long career with 4 different navys and as many names, she was sunk by two RN MTBs on December 22, 1943.