

List of North African airfields during World War II

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This is a partial list of British **Landing Grounds** (LG) In North Africa, used during World War II. There are over 250 known however some coordinates may be incorrect. It should also be noted that not all of these were active airfields, some were depots, some were repair stations, and of course the ever popular decoy. Some are still in use, and some were moved and upgraded by Americans to handle heavy bombers. (It should also be noted that LG-176 through LG-186 were also numbered LG 1 through 10).

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LG's

Image	LG-number	Name	Coordinate	German name	Coordinate	Notes
	LG-001	Buq Buq	31°29'0"N 25°24'0"E			
	LG-002	Sidi Barrani	31°35'05"N 25°57'0"E			
	LG-003	Sidi Barrani Satellite	31°34'0"N 25°56'0"E			
	LG-004	Sidi Barrani West	31°34'0"N 25°53'0"E			
	LG-005	X-LG	31°32'05"N 26°01'0"E			
	LG-006	Y-LG	31°23'0"N 26°37'0"E			
	LG-007	Z-LG	31°20'0"N 26°51'0"E	Bir El Astas	31°20'0"N 26°51'0"E	[1]
	LG-008	Mersah Matruh	31°20'0"N 27°12'05"E			
	LG-009	Bir Koriayim	30°58'0"N 28°12'0"E			
	LG-010	Gerawala	31°11'0"N 27°21'0"E			
	LG-011	Qasaba	31°10'05"N 27°27'0"E			

LG-034	Aboukir	31°18'0"N 30°04'0"E			
LG-035	Bir Hooker	30°22'0"N 30°26'0"E	Bir Hooker	30°25'30"N 30°21'0"E	
LG-036	Khatbara	30°21'0"N 30°47'0"E			
LG-037	El Hamman South	30°47'0"N 29°27'0"E			
LG-038	El Hamman East	30°48'0"N 29°30'0"E			
LG-039	Burgh El Arab South	30°51'5"N 29°33'0"E			
LG-040	Bahig South	30°53'0"N 29°37'0"E			
LG-041	Bahig East	30°55'0"N 29°40'0"E			
LG-042	El Naheidat	Unknown			
LG-043	Bir Kenayis	31°01'0"N 26°48'0"E			
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LG-053	Landing Ground 53	30°40'0"N 27°55'0"E			
LG-054	Landing Ground 54	30°40'0"N 27°51'0"E			
LG-055	Landing Ground 55	30°36'0"N 27°50'0"E			
LG-056	Landing Ground 56	30°41'0"N 27°49'0"E			

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LG-058	Landing Ground 58	30°43'0"N 27°46'0"E			
LG-059	Landing Ground 59	30°41'0"N 27°43'0"E			
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LG-065	Landing Ground 65	30°46'0"N 27°25'0"E			
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LG-067	Siwa Town	29°11'0"N 25°31'0"E			
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LG-075	Landing Ground 75	31°12'0"N 26°04'0"E			
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LG-082	Landing Ground 82	30°28'0"N 30°16'0"E			
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LG-098	Landing Ground 98	30°47'5"N 29°55'5"E			
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LG-100	Wadi Natrun	30°26'0"N 30°21'0"E	Wadi El Natrun	30°27'30"N 30°17'0"E	
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LG-101	101	27°31'0"E	Quasaba west	27°31'10"E	
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LG-106	Landing Ground 106	30°58'0"N 28°39'0"E			
LG-107	Giarabub	29°46'0"N 24°32'0"E			
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LG-127	Landing Ground 127	30°58'0"N 25°10'0"E			
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LG-134	Landing Ground 134	31°06'5"N 24°28'5"E			
LG-135	Landing Ground 135	31°07'0"N 24°17'5"E			
LG-136	Landing Ground 136	31°04'5"N 24°14'5"E			
LG-137	Landing Ground 137	31°06'5"N 24°10'5"E			
LG-138	Landing Ground 138	30°52'0"N 25°12'0"E			
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LG-141	Gasr el Arid	31°45'07"N 24°33'7"E			
LG-144	El Adem No. 1	31°52'0"N 23°55'5"E			
LG-145	Tobruk No. 2/El Gubbi East	32°02'7"N 23°57'3"E			
LG-146	Tobruk No. 3/El Gubbi West	32°02'8"N 23°54'3"E			
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LG-150	Gazala No.2	32°08'5"N 23°25'4"E			
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LG-212	Kasfareet	30°15'5"N 32°25'0"E			
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LG-214	Shandur	30°11'0"N 32°32'0"E	Shallufa	30°11'10"N 32°32'30"E	
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LG-220	Khanka	30°10'0"N 31°22'0"E			
LG-221	Helwan	29°50'0"N 31°19'0"E			
LG-222	Fayoum RoadKilo 17	29°51'0"N 31°04'0"E			
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LG-230	Ras Gharib	28°19'5"N 33°06'0"E			
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				El Arish	31°04'0"N 33°50'0"E				
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				Abu Zenima South	28°58'5"N 33°13'0"E				
				Zafarana	29°06'0"N 32°39'0"E				
				Landing ground 242	29°19'0"N 31°05'0"E				
				Samalut	28°18'0"N 30°36'0"E				
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