

Using the Statis Pro Baseball Module
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Overview

This module lets you play the Statis Pro Baseball game, published by Avalon Hill in 1971. Currently, only the teams from the 1920 season are included. More will become available as time permits.

Installing the Module

The Statis Pro Module (.vmod file) contains the Game Board, Score Sheet, Blank Rosters, and Blank Lineup sheets for both the Home and Visitor Managers. The Extension file (.vmdx file) contains the Player Cards for the 1920 season.

To load the module, select Open Module from the File Menu in the Vassal Module Manager. After the module opens, close it. Then Right Click the Statis Pro Baseball module that just appeared in the Module Library and select 'Add Extension' from the drop down menu. Choose the 1920_Teams.vmdx file to load this extension. Now double click the 'Statis Pro Baseball' entry in the Module Library to start the game.

Prepare for Play

Once you choose Home or Visitor sides, open the Ball Field and Scoresheet by pressing F1 and F4 respectively. You may need to resize these screens depending on your system. Press the button marked '1920' to open a screen that contains the teams of the 1920 season. Choose a team to play and right-click on its name. Choose 'Draw Multiple Cards' from the menu and enter '50' in the input box and hit 'ok'. Drag the name icon of your team and the cards for that team will appear. (Note: Most teams have about 25 cards in them.) You can move these cards to your Work Space (F7 or F10). You will probably want to duplicate the deck since you will use the cards in multiple places. Highlight all of the cards in you deck. Right click and choose 'Clone' from the drop down menu. You now have another copy of the cards.

Ball Field (F1)

Place the Pitcher and Batter in their respective boxes. Flip them to their 'game card' side by selecting 'Flip' from their right-click menus. Draw Fast Action Cards (FAC) from the Draw pile in the bottom left corner and discard them in the bottom right corner. Keep track of outs, base runners, pitcher stats, and infield positioning using the markers on the board.

Charts (F3)

Contains the charts to play the game.

Scoresheet (F4)

Record your game using the Score Sheet. The markers are in the Pieces Palette (F2).

Roster Chart (F5 + F8)

Use the Roster chart to set your lineup.

Fielding Chart (F6 + F9)

Use the Fielding chart to keep track of who is playing which position

Hot Keys

Here is a list of the Hot Keys and their actions.

<u>Key</u>	<u>Action</u>
F1	Open the Ball Field
F2	Open the Pieces Palette
F3	Charts
F4	Scoresheet
F5	Home Roster Chart
F6	Home Fielding Chart
F7	Home Work Space
F8	Visitor Roster Chart
F9	Visitor Fielding Chart
F10	Visitor Work Space
Ctrl - C	Clone Card
Ctrl - D	Delete Card
Ctrl - F	Flip Card