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THE FIRST TSAR: IVAN THE TERRIBLE



GAME OVERVIEW

In this board game you will lead boyar families competing for power and honor in the 16th-century Tsardom of Russia.

GAMEPLAY

The aim of the game is to score victory points over 4 rounds that represent decades of Ivan the Terrible's rule. The player with the most VPs wins. Each of the 4 rounds consists of **3 phases**:

- 1 Plan your actions** by sending boyars to Kremlin Chambers. Each round you can choose only 3 actions and spend extra coins to outbid your opponents for 2 bonus actions. Chambers are resolved in order of bids, and the player with the highest bid can choose to get a Chamber's bonus action.

- 2 Resolve Chambers' actions.**

CHAMBERS' ACTIONS:

- Production – receive local goods & coins from cities
- Maneuver – place your warriors and move your warriors and boyars between cities
- Project – take and complete Project cards to immediately score VPs and receive effects
- Exchange – gain foreign goods and exchange your goods and coins
- Reward – take Title and Estate cards

Free actions: at any point of your turn you can resolve any actions from your Player's Pad and Estates.

- 3 End of round** – gain VPs or rewards for your influence in the regions and prepare for the next round.

TSAR'S FAVOR

Tsar's Favor track is an ultimate tie breaker in the game, and it is also a way to score VPs at the end of the 2nd and 4th rounds.



basic
action

bonus
action

+1 point

+2 point
each

KEY SELLING POINTS

- ▶ Deep and diverse strategy board game set in one of the most dramatic periods of Russian history
- ▶ Historically correct illustrations and clever visual design based on the documents of the time and scientific reconstructions
- ▶ A thematic sequel to the popular board game Rurik: Dawn of Kiev that rethinks and develops the game mechanics of the predecessor

PRACTICAL INFO

CONTENTS

Game board, 66 cards,
181 wooden pieces,
102 tokens, 4 player pads,
Game Rules

MOQ: 1000

MSRP: \$50

RELEASE: available

BOX:

Size: 316×226×72 mm

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