## Agricola Expansion: Improved Farming/Disasters

This expansion contains 21 Occupations, 23 Minor Improvements, 23 Disaster cards, 18 start cards, 10 new types of tiles, and 1 Fog Marker for Agricola. It was designed by Mike Young. Go to http://www.intink.com for more free games.

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## To Prepare

Print out the cards at the bottom of this document onto cardstock. Ideally, you should print or glue the normal card backs onto these cards. You are on your own to obtain card backs to print out. Cut them out so they are the same shape and/or size as the normal cards in the game.
You will also want to make the tiles presented below into tiles for the game. You can use heavier cardstock for that. Likewise, cut and glue the fog marker onto heavier cardstock

## New Concepts

This expansion introduces several new concepts. This expansion is kinda like two different expansions rolled into one. This expansion is designed to be played with Farmers of the Moor. If you are not playing with Farmers of the Moor, then do not include anything involving gravel tiles.

Gravel: Spaces with a gravel tile are considered used and you may not build other things in those spaces. However, you lose 1 point at the end of the game for every space with a gravel tile in your farm. You may Clear Gravel by taking a Special Action to Slash and Burn, Cut Peat, or Fell Trees. Instead of doing that action, you may remove 1 Gravel Tile from your farmyard instead. This is a Clear Gravel action.
Some Start Cards show gravel tiles with a resource on them. Place said resource on the gravel tile at the start of the game. You may move that resource into your supply when you Clear Gravel on that tile.

Water: Water tiles cannot be removed from your farmyard. Spaces with a water tile are considered used and you may not build other things in those spaces. You gain 1 additional food when you use the Fishing Action Space for each water tile on your farmyard.
Other New Tiles: Some of the new minor improvements have you add new tiles to your farmyard. These tiles may not be placed in used spaces, including inside pastures. Spaces with these new tiles are considered used and you may not build other things in those spaces.

Disasters: Players now have the option to add Disaster cards to the game. Deal each player 1 fewer Minor Improvements and 1 Disaster card. Players may play a Disaster card whenever they could normally play a Minor Improvement instead of playing said Minor Improvement. Disasters are not actually Improvements though, and do not count toward the number of Improvements a player might have in play.

Disasters cause all sorts of mayhem when they are played and a played Disaster is worth 1 point at the end of the game. You can always choose not to play your Disaster, but then you lose 1 point at the end of the game. Let me say that again: Unplayed Disasters are worth -1 points at the end of the game.
Sometimes disasters will force you to remove things from your farmyard. In general when this happens, you may move fences around to close up a pasture around a lost space. You also move 1 resource planted on a lost
field back to your supply. You may cook animals you would otherwise no longer have room for due to the loss due to the disaster (you need to have a means of cooking those animals, of course).

Note that a number of disasters can only be played in certain rounds. Read the disaster card text closely and be careful.

New Start Cards: This expansion introduces 16 new start cards. Shuffle them in with the original start cards. Note that you might now start with a clay hut, or a field, or a water tile, or some gravel. We have been playing that the person who is dealt the highest start card goes first. In case of a numerical tie, go alphabetical, so 9B always goes first, then $9 A$, then 9 and so forth.


Some cards are to be used in games with 4 or fewer, or 3 or fewer players. Only used those cards when you have the correct number of players.

## New Cards

Since we have so many new cards, I'm only going to add the ones here that may require extra explanation.


## Chief's Brother

The Chief's Brother counts as a member of the Chief's family for cards that care about that sort of thing.


## Philosopher

Cards that you have in play that have the ability to give you bonus points but do not actually do so do not count toward Philosopher.


## Disaster Manager

You must have a Wood in your supply to play this. Disasters that do not directly affect players, like Raiders, are not affected by Disaster Manager. Remove this card from the game if you aren't using Disasters.

## Prophet

Remove this card from the game if you aren't using Disasters.

## Traveler

Only the top card of the deck is available to the traveler.

## Llama, Llama, Duck

If you are not playing with the Legen*Dairy Forest Deck, discard this card at the start of the game and draw a replacement improvement.


## Porch

The porch counts as a room in your house not only for base scoring, but also for cards that give you bonus points due to the number of rooms in your house. It does not count as a room for any other purpose.


## Devaluation

As of this writing, this affects: Fields, Pastures, Sheep, Wild Boars, Cows, Grain, Vegetables, and Stables.


## Fog

Spaces still accumulate resources even if they have the fog marker on them.


## Vermin

Players may keep up to 1 Grain and 1 Vegetable.


## Pestilence

Animals which are cards, such as the House Goat or the Chief's Dog do not count and may not be lost due to Pestilence.


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Fog Token:


