

# Chapter 29: The Cold War Era and the Emergence of a New Europe

## Section 2: The Khrushchev Era

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- Nikita Khrushchev
  - Became leader of
    - Soviet Union



# Khrushchev's Domestic Policies

- Khrushchev Era
  - 1953-1964



- De-Stalinization
  - Retreat from
    - Stalinism



- *On the Personality Cult and its Consequences*

- 1956
- By Nikita Khrushchev
- Attacked
  - Stalin's policies



# The Three Crisis of 1956



- Suez Intervention
  - 1956
  - Suez Canal
    - Nationalized by
      - Egyptian President
        - Gamal Abdel Nasser



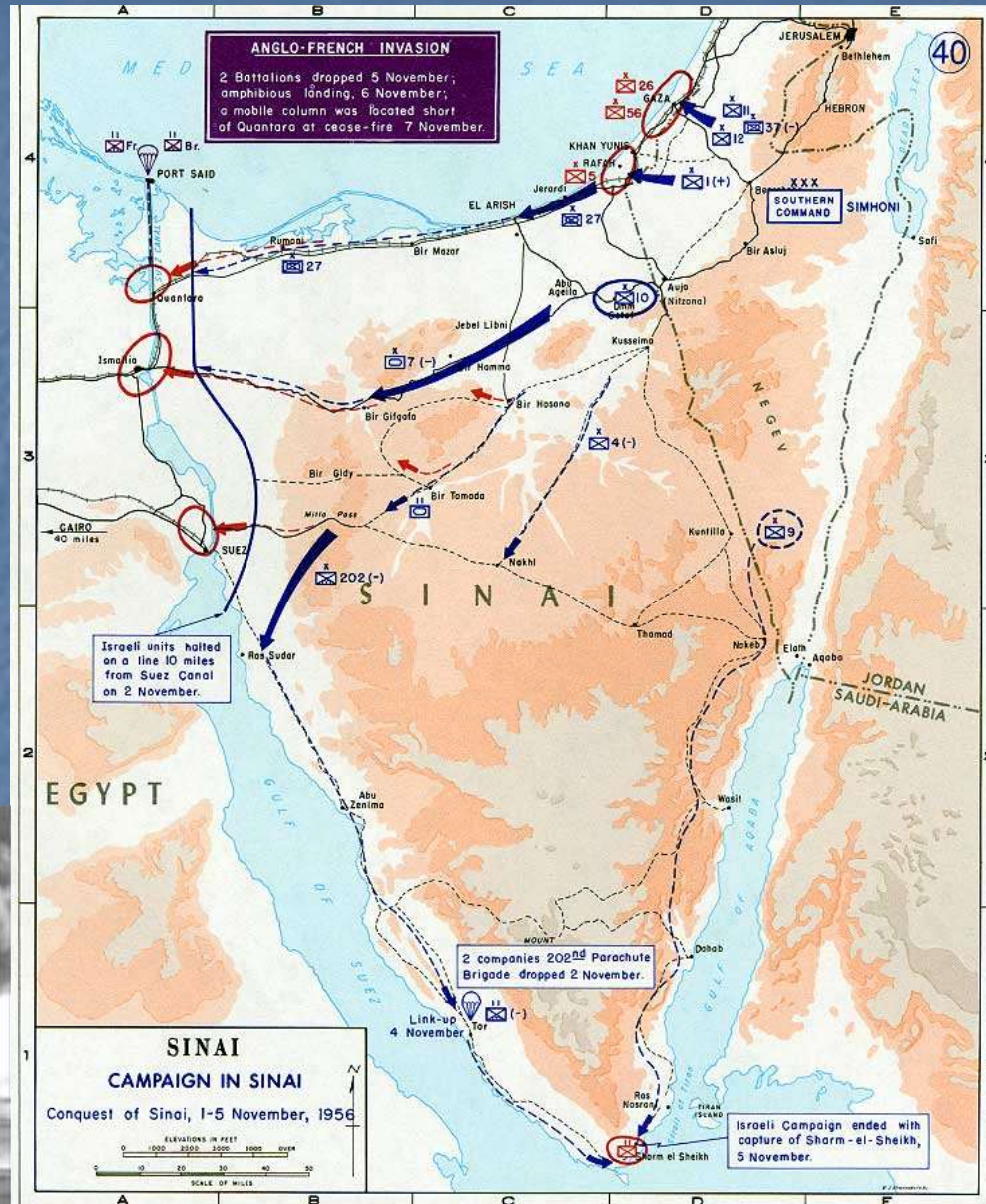
# Suez Crisis

## Egypt attacked by

- Britain
- France

## Results

- Egypt
  - Retained
  - Suez Canal



- Polish Resistance
  - 1956





- Wladyslaw Gomulka
  - Leader of Poland
  - Halted
    - Collectivization



- Imre Nagy
  - Prime Minister of
    - Hungary
  - Sought
    - Hungarian independence



- Hungarian Uprising
  - 1956
  - Overthrew
    - Soviet government



- Soviet Invasion of Hungary
  - 1956



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- Suez intervention
- Polish resistance to
  - Soviet pressure
- Hungarian uprising

