

Bf 109 losses in France

Partial Loss Listing for May-June 1940 Jagdwaffe operations. The following listing is merely a sample of the known Jagdwaffe losses from the May campaign; this table is provided to offer a wider choice of subjects when deciding to build a 109 from this theatre of operations. As there are only 40 entries, the list has been sorted alphabetically for easier searching. Responsibility for any transcription or data errors lies solely with the author.

Date	Type	WNR	Pilot	Unit	Code	Reason	Location	Damage
1/6/40	Bf 109E-3	Unk.	Beese, Uffz. Artur	9./JG 26	yellow 2 +	POW during transfer flight, shot down by Morane 406. Later released	Lille area	100%
19/5/40	Bf 109E-3	677	Bertram, Oblt. Otto	1./JG 2	white 1 +	Stkp. Undercarriage damage on landing after combat with Morane 406	near Cambrai	10%
31/5/40	Bf 109E-4	Unk.	Bethke, Oblt. Siegfried	2./JG 2	red 7 +	FSA due to Flak	Béthune	100%
28/5/40	Bf 109E-1	Unk.	Biegert, Fw. Ernst	2./JG 26	red 13 +	WIA in combat with Spitfires. FSA, DOW	St. Pol-sur-Mer, NW of Calais	100%
7/6/40	Bf 109E-3	Unk.	Daig, Ltn. Erwin	5./JG 27	black 13 + -	Injured, ramming a Bf 109E from I./JG 1 during take-off	Fl.Pi. Guise-Nord	100%
15/5/40	Bf 109E	Unk.	Führung, Oblt. Karl	Stab I./JG 77	black 15 +	Crash landing. Nosed over	Sourbrodt	5%
28/5/40	Bf 109E-3	Unk.	Gath, Oblt. Wilhelm	8./JG 3	black 1 + (?)	Stkp. POW after combat with Spitfires. Returned 6.6	Nieuport/Ostende area	100%
10/6/40	Bf 109E-3	707	Goetting, Uffz. Werner	1.(J)/LG 2	white 11 +	Crash landing	Liegescourt	20%
25/5/40	Bf 109E-3	Unk.	Griener, Uffz. Albert	5./JG 52	black 13 + -	Emergency landing due to engine trouble	Rehlingen	35%
30/5/40	Bf 109E-1	3247	Hager, Uffz. Robert	1./JG 76	white 6 +	POW after becoming lost during test flight and landing at French airbase. Returned?	Fl.Pi. Orconte, west of St. Dizier	100%
29/5/40	Bf 109E-1	3471	Hausmann, Oblt. Richard	2./JG 21	black 9 +	Emergency landing	Near redux	10%
22/11/39	Bf 109E-3	1304	Hier, Ofw. Paul	1./JG 76	white 1 +	POW due to crash landing after combat with Morane 406. Released	near Goesdorf	100%
Note: RLM 70/71 finish								
1/6/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Hintze, Oblt. Otto	4./JGr. 186	white 15 +	Emergency landing after combat with Spitfire	near Furnes	65%
16/5/40	Bf 109E-3	unk.	Hotzelmann, Uffz. Fritz	1./JG 54	white 10 +	POW after ground attack. FSA. Returned	Fl.Pi. Luxeuil	100%
7/6/40	Bf 109E-3	1541	Iberle, Uffz. Rudolf	4./JG 26	white 13 + -	KIA in combat with Hurricane. Collision	SE of Dieppe	100%
24/5/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Jürgens, Uffz. Hermann	2./JG 21	black 4 +	Flak. Safe landing		10%
23/5/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Keller, Ltn. Fritz	2./JG 27	black 4 +	Emergency landing after combat	near Hirson	30%
22/11/39	Bf 109E-3	1215	Kloimüller, Ofw. Herfried	2./JG 51	red 14 +	POW due to emergency landing after becoming lost	Bienwald near Strasbourg-Neuhoff	100%
19/5/40	Bf 109E-3	1542	Knüppel, Hptm. Herwig	Stab II./JG 26	black << + - (?)	Kdr. KIA in combat with Hurricane from	near Lille	100%
Note: Tophat, Schlageter badge								
31/5/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Kolbow, Ltn. Hans	3./JG 20	yellow 2 +	Belly landing after combat with Defiants NW of Dunkirk	near Calais	75%
27/5/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Kornatz, Ofw. Hans	2./JG 53	red 5 + (?)	WIA in combat with Potez. Hit in cabin		5%
5/6/40	Bf 109E-3	unk.	Leisse, Uffz. Paul	4./JG 26	white 9 + -	KIA in combat with Curtisses	near Chièvres	100%
11/5/40	Bf 109E	unk.	Meimberg, Ltn. Julius	4./JG 2	white 1 + -	Overturned on landing	Hamminkeln	b
21/5/40	Bf 109E-3	1526	Mix, Major Erich	Stab III./JG 2	black outline << + ^ ^	Kdr. Reported lost due to emergency landing after combat. Returned WIA 23.5	near Charleville	b
Note: R badge; high RLM65 line								
5/6/40	Bf 109E-4	unk.	Mölders, Hptm. Werner	Stab III./JG 53	black << +	Kdr. POW after combat with Dewoitine. FSA	Loe, La Selve, west of Compiègne	100%
Note: Pik As badge on cowl, tiny triangle in chevron, 18 white kill markings on fin, swastika in early location								
28/9/39	Bf 109E-1	3326	Pavenzinger, Uffz. Georg	2./JG 51	red 9 +	POW after becoming lost. Landed OK, aircraft captured	near Brumath	100%
29/5/40	Bf 109E-1	1399	Perthes, Ltn. Hasso von	3.(J)/LG 2	brown 13 +	Photographed after first kill, a Hurricane	Mont St. Ecouvez	
19/5/40	Bf 109E-1	4072	Priebe, Oblt. Ekkehard	2./JG 77	red 1 +	Stkp. WIA in combat	Le Quesnay area	b
Note: I/JG77 badge								
16/6/40	Bf 109E-4	5294	Redlich, Oblt. Wolfgang	1./JG 27	white 1 +	Stkp. His plane rammed by a landing Do 17	Auxerre	70%
3/6/40	Bf 109E-1	unk.	Schade, Ltn. Kurt	JG 29./	yellow 8 + ^ ^	WIA due to combat. FSA.	East of Eprenay	100%
19/5/40	Bf 109E-3	unk.	Schäfer, Oblt. Hans-Christian	5./JG 27	black 1 + -	Stkp. POW after combat with Hurricanes. Returned after surrender	Lille area	100%
24/5/40	Bf 109E-3	unk.	Scheuermann, Uffz. Karl	8./JG 2	black 3 + ^ ^	Injured in crash while landing	Signy-le-Petit	100%
22/11/39	Bf 109E-3	1251	Schulz, Ltn. Heinz	3./JG 76	yellow 11 +	POW due to crash landing after combat with Morane 406	near Puttelange, west of Metz	100%
17/3/41	Bf 109E-8	1237	Seidl, Uffz. Alfred	2.Erg/JG 53	black 15 +	Emergency landing due to engine damage.	Fontenet	75%
14/5/40	Bf 109E-4	unk.	Stark, Fw. Alfred	1./JG 53	white 3 +	KIA in combat with Blenheims. Collided with shot down Blenheim	Sedan area	100%
19/5/40	Bf 109E-1	unk.	Strobl, Ltn. Helmut	5./JG 27	black 2 + -	Reported lost after combat with Hurricanes. Crash landing. Returned	East of Lille	100%
18/5/40	Bf 109E-3	unk.	Wilcke, Oblt. Wolf-Dietrich	7./JG 53	white 1 + (?)	Stkp. POW after combat with P-36s. FSA, returned later	west of Rethel	100%
14/5/40	Bf 109E-1	unk.	Ziehl, Ltn. Dieter	3./JG 76	yellow 2 +	Injured, overturned on landing	Trier-Euten	70%
20/5/40	Bf 109E-1	unk.	unknown	1./JG 1	white 13 +	Emergency landing due to fuel shortage	Namur	35%
22/5/40	Bf 109E	720	unknown	9./JG 3	yellow 8 +	Photographed on this date	Probably Gosselies	0%