

**NATO COLLAPSE**  
12 APR 2072  
NATO ALLIANCE COLLAPSES IN FACE OF GROWING NATIONALISM AND UNREST IN EUROPE.

**TERRORIST NUCLEAR ATTACKS**  
12 APR 2075  
NATIONALIST UNREST IN EASTERN EUROPE AND ASIA LEADS TO NUCLEAR ATTACKS BY TERRORISTS.

**SYNAPTIC LINK RESEARCH STARTS**  
12 OCT 2075  
SYNAPTIC LINK RESEARCH BEGINS.

**MONGOLIA ATTACKS CHINA**  
12 APR 2077  
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**KOREA ALLIES WITH MONGOLIA**  
12 APR 2079  
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**SYNAPTIC LINK PATENTED**  
12 APR 2080  
FIRST CYBORG SOLDIERS DEVELOPED

**NASDA FORMED**  
12 OCT 2080  
FEARING ATTACKS BY CHINA, NASDA (NORTH AMERICAN STRATEGIC DEFENSE AGENCY) IS FORMED TO PROTECT NORTH AMERICA FROM NUCLEAR THREATS.

**NASDA BUILD SATELLITE DEFENCE ARRAY**  
12 APR 2081 - 12 SEP 2084  
THE SATELLITE DEFENCE ARRAY CONSISTS OF RECONNAISSANCE SATELLITES, NUCLEAR MISSILE SATELLITES AND LASER SATELLITES.

**THE COLLAPSE**  
3 NOV 2085  
DURING ROUTINE TESTING THE NASDA SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS AND LAUNCHES NUCLEAR STRIKES AGAINST ALL MAJOR CITIES IN THE WORLD. THE TARGET COUNTRIES RESPOND WITH NUCLEAR COUNTER-STRIKES AND NASDA FAILS TO DEFEND AGAINST INCOMING MISSILES. BILLIONS OF PEOPLE ARE KILLED IN THE ATTACKS.

**HAMMOND FAMILY ENTERS BUNKER**  
4 NOV 2085  
JOHN AND HIS PREGNANT WIFE SEEK SHELTER IN A FRIENDS NUCLEAR BUNKER NEAR SEATTLE.

**THE COMMANDER IS BORN**  
25 DEC 2085  
ALTAIR HAMMOND IS BORN.

**NUCLEAR WINTER**  
19 JAN 2086  
NUCLEAR WINTER BEGINS. WIDESPREAD PLAGUES AND FAMINES KILL MILLIONS OF THE REMAINING SURVIVORS. CIVILIZATION ENDS. NASDA SYSTEMS LIE DORMANT FOLLOWING ELECTROMAGNETIC PULSES.

**GLORIOUS DAWN**  
8 MAR 2086  
AFTER MONTHS INSIDE THE BUNKER, RADIATION LEVELS SUBSIDE TO A POINT WHICH ALLOWS SHORT SURFACE EXPEDITIONS TO START.

**LEAVING SEATTLE**  
19 APR 2086  
AS THE ENVIRONMENT IN SEATTLE BECOMES INCREASINGLY HOSTILE, THE HAMMONDS AND THEIR FRIENDS ARE FORCED TO FLEE THE CITY IN SEARCH OF A NEW HOME.

**THE PROJECT IS FORMED**  
12 APR 2092  
JOHN HAMMOND ANNOUNCES HIS VISION FOR THE PROJECT: THE PROJECT IS DEDICATED TO RECOVERING PRE-COLLAPSE TECHNOLOGIES AND REBUILDING THE WORLD.

**MILITARY BASE DISCOVERED**  
3 SEP 2099  
THE PROJECT DISCOVER THE MILITARY BASE IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS. THE DOORS ARE CRACKED OPEN AND THE DEAD BODIES REMOVED. WORK STARTS TO BRING THE BASE BACK ONLINE.

**PROJECT HQ ONLINE**  
8 NOV 2099  
THE PROJECT REACTIVATE THE BASE IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS AND IT BECOMES THEIR OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS: PROJECT HQ.

**CAMPAIGN 1 STARTS**  
4 APR 2100  
THE PROJECT BEGINS ITS SEARCH FOR PRE-COLLAPSE TECHNOLOGIES.

