

Aragon Offensive

In August 1937 a Republican offensive was launched in Aragon, aimed at capturing the town of Saragossa and diverting Franco's attention away from his northern campaign. Republican forces moved on the town of Quinto, a strongpoint near Saragossa, on August 24th and Belchite three days later. Belchite was finally captured on September 6th.

The Aragon offensive ended in October 1937 with an over-ambitious, and disastrous, operation against Fuentes de Ebro, within sight of Saragossa.

More information: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aragon_Offensive