Both CGW’s overall Game of the Year, “Empire,” and Adventure Game of the Year, “Wasteland,” strengthened their position at the top of their respective ratings lists by slightly improving their score. In the only real movement in the Action/Adventure Top Ten, “Stealth Fighter” and “Falcon” looped around each other in their continuing dogfight over fifth position.

Except for the continual downward slide of older titles, the Strategy list seems firmly entrenched. “Rommel: Battles for North Africa” is the only fresh title in the top 20, but that could change when “Red Storm Rising” is rated and “Battles of Napoleon” is finally released.