

**German Luftwaffe Ground and Fallschirmjäger Organizations  
1939-1945**

1st Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed summer 1942:

- 1st-4th Battalions (16 cos)
- Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion (3 cos)
- Artillery Battalion (3 batteries)
- Flak Battalion (3 batteries)
- Radfahr (bicycle) Company
- Pioneer Company
- Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal) Company

During 1943 the 1st Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment was formed, absorbing the existing artillery battalion as the 3rd - Bn, the Flak Bn as the 4th Bn, and the Panzerjäger (AT) Bn as the 5th Bn.

On 11/1/43 it was renamed as the 1st Field Division (L) and the 4th (Flak) Bn became the 1/40th Flak Regiment.

1st Field (Field) Division (L) Formed 11/1/43.

This was organized when the 1st Luftwaffe Field Division was absorbed into the Army. It had:

- 1/,2/,3/,4/1st (L) Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/1st (L) Artillery Regiment
- 1st (L) Division Service Units

In January 1944 destroyed by Novgorod and the survivors incorporated into the 28th Jäger Division.

2nd Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in September 1942 in Luftgau III from the Gross-Born Training Camp with:

- 1/,2/,3/,4th Battalions (16 cos & no staff)
- Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)
- Artillery Battalion (3 Batteries)
- Flak Battalion (3 Batteries)
- Pioneer Company
- Luftwaffe Signals Company

In 1943 the 2nd Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment was formed. The existing battalion became the 3rd Battalion, the Flak Battalion became the 4th Battalion, the Panzerjäger Battalion became the 5th Battalion. The 5th Bn, however, was soon reestablished as a panzerjäger (AT) battalion. The division was almost totally destroyed at Newel on 10/15/43 and the remainder was disbanded. The 4th (Flak) Battalion/2nd Artillery Regiment became the 1/50th Flak Regiment. The remainder was transferred to the 6th Luftwaffe Field Division. The 2nd Infantry Battalion became the 2/53rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment, the 3/2nd Artillery Regiment became the 4/6th Artillery Regiment.

3rd Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed summer 1942 with:

- 1/,2/,3/,4th Battalions (no regimental staff)
- Panzerjäger Battalion
- Artillery Battalion
- Flak Battalion

Pioneer Company  
Luftwaffe Signals Company  
Division Service Units

In 1943 the division formed the 3rd Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment with the existing battalion becoming the 3rd Battalion, the Flak Battalion as the 4th Battalion and the Panzerjäger Battalion as the 5th Battalion. On 1 November the division was transferred to the army, but on 122/44, after heavy losses near Vitebsk it was disbanded and its troops distributed between the 3rd and 6th Luftwaffe Field Divisions. The Division staff, 1/,2nd Battalions were used to form the 51st Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment of the 6th Luft. Field Div. The 1/3rd Artillery Regiment became the new 3/6th, the 2/3rd became the 3/4th. The 4th (Flak) Battalion was returned to the Luftwaffe and became the 1/43rd Flak Regiment.

4th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed summer 1942 at the Gross Born training camp with:

1/,2/,3/,4th Battalions (no regimental staff, 16 cos))  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)  
Artillery Battalion (3 batteries)  
Flak Battalion (3 batteries)  
Bicycle Company  
Pioneer Company  
Luftwaffe Signals Company  
Division Service Units

In 1943 the 4th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment was formed from the artillery battalion. The 3rd Bn was formed from the Flak Battalion and the Panzerjäger Battalion became the 4th Bn. On 11/1/43 was assigned to the army and became the 4th Field Division (L).

4th Field Division (L): Formed 11/1/43 by Vitebsk by the absorption of the 4th Luftwaffe Field Division into the Army. The division had:

1/,2/49th Jäger Regiment (L) (from Staff 486th Grenadier Regiment & 1/,2/4th  
Luftwaffe Jäger Bn)  
1/,2/50th Jäger Regiment (L)(from Staff 286th Grenadier Regiment & 3/,4/4th  
Luftwaffe Jäger Bn)  
1/,2/51st Jäger Regiment (L)(from a newly formed staff & 1/,2/3rd  
Luftwaffe Jäger Bn)  
4th Füsilier Battalion (L) (from 3rd Bicycle Company, 3<sup>rd</sup> Luftwaffe Field  
Division)  
4th Artillery Regiment (L) (from 4th Lw. Art. Regt., 3rd Bn from 3/3rd  
Art.  
Regt (L), & 4th Bn newly formed).

The division was destroyed in Middle Army Group on 8/3/44.

5th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in October 1942 in the troop training center at Gross-Born with:

1/,2/,3/,4th Battalions (no regimental staff, 16 cos))  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)  
Artillery Battalion (3 batteries)

Flak Battalion (3 batteries)  
Bicycle Company  
Pioneer Company  
Luftwaffe Signals Company  
Division Service Units

It served in the Crimea and Kuban bridgehead. During the summer the division formed an artillery regiment. The 3rd Battalion was new, the 4th was formed from the Flak Battalion and the panzerjäger battalion formed the 5th Battalion. The infantry then formed two regimental staffs and two new battalions. The division had:

1/,2/,3/9th Luftwaffe-Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/10th Luftwaffe-Jäger Regiment  
1/Artillery Regiment (2 artillery batteries)  
3/Artillery Regiment (former Flak battalion - 4 batteries)  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos & a sturmgeschütz battery)  
Pioneer Company  
Luftwaffe Signals Company  
Division Service Units

On 11/1/43 the division was passed to the army and became the 5th Field Division (L). The staff and 3/9th Lw. Jäger Regiment and the 10th Lw. Jäger Regiment were disbanded. The Flak battalion remained with the Luftwaffe as the 1/17th (motorized) Flak Regiment.

5th Field Division (L): Formed 11/1/43 by the absorption of the 5th Luftwaffe Field Division into the Army. The division had:

1/,2/9th Jäger Regiment (L)  
5th Artillery Regiment (L)  
5th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

On May 1944 in Bessarabia it was disbanded and the Jäger Regiment was absorbed into the 76th Infantry Division and other portions were absorbed into the 320th and 335th Infantry Divisions.

6th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed September 1942 with:

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Battalions (no regt'l staff)(16 cos)  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)  
Artillery Battalion (3 btrys)  
Flak Battalion (3 btrys)  
Pioneer Company  
Signals Company  
Divisional Service Units

In 1943 an artillery regiment was formed with artillery battalion becoming the 3rd Bn, the Flak battalion becoming the 4th Bn, and the Panzerjäger Bn becoming the 5th Bn. The staff, 1st and 2nd Bns were newly raised. The Panzerjäger Bn was later made independent. ON 11/1/43 the Division was transferred to the army as the 6th Field Division (L). During the course of the winter it was reinforced with part of the disbanded 2nd and 3rd Luftwaffe Field Divisions. The 4th (Flak) Bn of the artillery regiment remained with the Luftwaffe and became the 1/34th Flak Regiment.

6th Field Division (L): Formed 11/1/43 by the transfer of the 6th Luftwaffe Field Division to the army.

52nd Jäger Regiment (L) (from Staff 471st Gren. Regt &  
3/,4/3rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiments)  
53rd Jäger Regiment (L) (from 1/6th & 2/2nd Luftwaffe  
Jäger Regiments)  
54th Jäger Regiment (L) (from 3/,4/6th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiments)  
6th Fusilier Battalion (L) (newly raised)  
6th Artillery Regiment (L) (from Staff/,2/2nd Luftwaffe Artillery Regt,

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1/,3/6th & 1/3rd Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment

In June 1944 it was destroyed and disbanded on 8/3/44.

7th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in the Fall of 1942 with:

1st, 2nd & 3rd Battalion (no regimental staff)  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)  
Artillery Battalion (3 batteries)  
Flak Battalion (3 batteries)  
Bicycle Company  
Pioneer Company  
Signals Company

After heavy losses in Russia its remains were incorporated into the 15th Luftwaffe Field Division. The Panzerjäger Battalion became the Panzerjäger Battalion of the 15th Luftwaffe Field Division.

8th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed 10/29/42 from the 42nd Fleiger Regiment and contained:

1st 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Battalion (no regimental staff, soon reduced to  
& 2nd Bn)  
Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)  
Artillery Battalion (3 batteries)  
Flak Battalion (3 batteries)  
Pioneer Company  
Signals Company  
Support Troops

The division was sent in December 1942 into the Don bend to support Stalingrad and was destroyed. The survivors were incorporated into the 15th Luftwaffe Field Division.

9th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in October 1942 from the 62nd Fleiger Regiment and other forces into:

1/,2/,3/17th Luftwaffe-Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/18th Luftwaffe-Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/9th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
9th Panzerjäger Battalion Luftwaffe Field Division  
Pioneer company  
Signals Company  
Support Troops

On 11/1/43 the division, standing before Leningrad, formed a 4th (Flak) Artillery Battalion. When the division was absorbed into the army this battalion became the 1/2nd Flak Regiment and remained with the Luftwaffe.

9th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 from the 9th Luftwaffe Field Division when it was incorporated into the Army. It consisted of:

- 1/,2/,3/17th Jäger Regiment (L)
- 1/,2/,3/18th Jäger Regiment (L)
- 9th Fusilier Battalion (L)
- 1/,2/,3/9th Artillery Regiment (L)
- 9th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

On 2/12/44 it was destroyed in the Oranienbaum pocket and the survivors were distributed to the 61st, 225th and 227th Infantry Divisions.

10th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in October 1942 with:

- 1/,2/,3/17th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/18th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/,4/10th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment
- 10th Luftwaffe Field Division Panzerjäger Battalion
- Pioneer Company
- Signals Company
- Support Troops

On 11/1/43 the division was transferred to the army. Only the 4/10th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment (the flak battalion) remained with the Luftwaffe and was redesignated the 2/32nd Flak Regiment.

10th Field Division (L): Formed on 1 November 1943 by the transfer of the 10th Luftwaffe Field Division into the army. It contained:

- 1/,2/,3/19th Jäger Regiment (L)
- 1/,2/,3/20th Jäger Regiment (L)
- 1/,2/,3/10th Artillery Regiment (L)
- 10th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

On 2/3/44 the division was disbanded by the 18th Army. The staff of the artillery regiment became the staff of the 931st Special Detachment, its 1st and 2nd Battalions became the 1003rd and 1004th Army Coastal Artillery Battalions. The remainder of the division was absorbed into the 170th Infantry Division.

11th Luftwaffe Field division: Formed in October 1942 from the 21st Fleieger Regiment.

- 1/,2/,3/21st Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/22nd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/,4/11th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment
- 11th Luftwaffe Field Division Panzerjäger Battalion
- Bicycle Company
- Pioneer Company
- Signals Company
- Support Troops

On 11/1/43, in Greece, the division became the 11th Field Division (L). Only the 4 (Flak)/11th Luftwaffe Field Regiment remained with the Luftwaffe and it became the 1/28th Flak Regiment.

11th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 with the transfer of the 11th Luftwaffe Field Division. The division had:

1/,2/,3/21st Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/22nd Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/11th Artillery Regiment (L)  
11th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
11th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In 1945 the division added the Staff/111th Jäger Regiment, but no new battalions. The 3/21st and 3/22nd Jäger Regiments were placed under it.

12th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed at the end of 1942 from the 12th Fleiger Regiment. It had:

1/,2/,3/23rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/24th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/12th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 12th Luftwaffe Field Division  
12th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Bicycle Company  
Signals Company  
Support Troops

On 11/1/43 the division was converged to the 12th Field Division (L). Only the 4th (Flak) Battalion/12th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment, which became the 2/6th Flak Regiment and remained with the Luftwaffe.

12th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 in northern Russia near Ladoga with:

1/,2/,3/23rd Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/24th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/11th Artillery Regiment (L)  
12th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In April 1944 it was reformed and absorbed the 13th Field Division (L). It then had:

1/,2/23rd Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/24th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/25th Jäger Regiment (L) (from the 1/25th and 1/26th of the 13th Field Division (L).)  
12th Fusilier Battalion (L) (from 1/374th Grenadier Regiment of the 207th Security Division)  
1/,2/,3/11th Artillery Regiment (L)  
12th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In December 1944 the 1/23rd, 2/24th, and 2/25th JR were disbanded. The Lettland Infantry Security Battalion became the 2/23rd JR. Including the 12th Fusilier Battalion (L), the division had only five battalions.

13th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed on 11/15/42 from the 13th Fleiger Regiment:

1/,2/,3/25th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/26th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/13th Artillery Regiment

Panzerjäger Battalion, 13th Luftwaffe Field Division  
13th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Bicycle Company  
Signals Company  
13th Division (Einheiten) Service Units

On 11/1/43 the division was transferred to the army as the 13th Field Division (L). Only the 4/13th Artillery Regiment, the flak battalion, remained part of the Luftwaffe as the 1/54th Flak Regiment.

13th Field Division (L): Formed in northern Russia (Ladoga) from the 13th Luftwaffe Field Division. The division had:

1/,2/25th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/26th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/13th Artillery Regiment (L)  
13th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In April 1944 it was merged with the 12th Field Division (L) to form a new regiment. The 1/25th and 1/26th Jäger Regts were merged to form a new 25th Jäger Regiment.

14th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in the end of 1942 from the 61st Fleiger Regiment. It contained:

1/,2/,3/27th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/28th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/14th Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 14th Luftwaffe Field Division  
14th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Bicycle Company  
Signals Company  
14th Division (Einheiten) Service Units

On 1/11/43 it was transferred to the army, except for the 3/14th Artillery Regiment (the Flak Battalion), which was retained in the Luftwaffe as the 1/15th Flak Regiment.

14th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 in Norway by the absorption of the 14th Luftwaffe Field Division into the army. The division had:

1/,2/,3/27th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,3/28th Jäger Regiment (L)  
14th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/13th Artillery Regiment (L)  
13th (L) Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In 1945 the division formed the 55th Jäger Regiment (L), but it had no staff. The 3/27th and 3/28th Jäger Regiments were used to form this new regiment.

15th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed at the end of 1942 with:

1/,2/,3/29th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/30th Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/15th Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 15th Luftwaffe Field Division  
15th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion

Bicycle Company  
Signals Company  
15th Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In March 1942 the division absorbed the remains of the 7th and 8th Luftwaffe Field Divisions. After heavy casualties the division was absorbed into the 336th Infantry division on 11/1/43. The 4/15th Artillery Regiment, the flak battalion, remained in the Luftwaffe as the 1/46th Flak Regiment.

16th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed on 12/1/43 with:

1/,2/,3/31st Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/32nd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/16th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 16th Luftwaffe Field Division  
16th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Reconnaissance Section  
Signals Company  
Support Troops, 16th Luftwaffe Field Division

On 11/1/43 the division was transferred to the Army. The 3/16th Artillery Regiment remained with the Luftwaffe and became the 1/53rd Flak Regiment.

16th Field Division (L): Formed in November 1943 in Holland with:

1/,2/31st Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/32nd Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/46th Jäger Regiment (L)  
16th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/,3/16th Artillery Regiment (L) (3rd Bn disbanded by June 1944)  
16th Division (Einheiten) Support Troops

In July 1944 the division was destroyed in Normandy. It was officially disbanded on 8/4/44, with its infantry being to the 21st Panzer Division and the remainder going to the 16th Infantry Division (30th Wave).

17th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in the end of 1942 with:

1/,2/,3/33rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/34th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/47th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/17th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 17th Luftwaffe Field Division  
17th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Reconnaissance Company, 17th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 17th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Support Troops, 17th Luftwaffe Field Division

On 11/1/43 it was transferred to the army. The 3/17th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment was retained by the Luftwaffe as the 1/20th Flak Regiment.

17th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 at Le Havre when the 17th Luftwaffe Field Division was transferred to the army. During the winter the 47th Jäger Regiment was reformed. The division had:

1/,2/33rd Jäger Regiment (L)



1/,2/34th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/47th Jäger Regiment (L)  
17th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/17th Artillery Regiment (L)  
17th (L) Division (Einheiten) Support Troops

In May 1944 the 3/34th Jäger Regiment (L) was formed from the 835th Battalion of the North Caucasus Legion. In September 1944 the division was crushed in battles in France and was disbanded on 9/28/44. Its survivors were transferred to the 167th Volks Grenadier Division in Slovakia.

18th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed at the end of 1942 from the 52nd Fleiger Regiment. It had:

1/,2/,3/35th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/36th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/18th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 17th Luftwaffe Field Division  
18th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Reconnaissance Company, 18th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 18th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Support Troops, 18th Luftwaffe Field Division

On 11/1/43 it was transferred to the army and redesignated as the 18th Field Division (L). The 3/18th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment became the 2/52nd Artillery Regiment.

18th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 with:

1/,2/35th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/36th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/37th Jäger Regiment (L)  
18th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/18th Artillery Regiment (L) (3rd Bn formed 9/44)  
18th (L) Division (Einheiten) Troops

In September 1944 the division was destroyed in the Mons (Belgium) Pocket and the remainder was incorporated into the 18th Volks Grenadier Division.

19th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed on 3/1/43 and consisted of:

1/,2/,3/37th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/38th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/19th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 19th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Luftwaffe 19th Pioneer Battalion  
Bicycle Company, 19th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 19th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Support Troops, 19th Luftwaffe Field Division

On 11/1/43 it was transferred to the army and became the 19th Field Division (L). The 4/19th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment, however, remained with the army Luftwaffe became the 1/35th Flak Regiment.

19th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 in the Netherlands from the 19th Luftwaffe Field Division. During the winter of 1943/44 the 45th Jäger Regiment (L) was formed. The division had:

1/,2/37th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/38th Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/,45th Jäger Regiment (L)  
19th Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/,3/19th Artillery Regiment (L)  
19th Division (Einheiten) Support Units (L)

20th Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed on 3/8/43 with the 23rd Fleiger Regiment.

1/,2/,3/39th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/40th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/20th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
20th Panzerjäger Battalion, 20th Luftwaffe Field Division  
20th Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Bicycle Company, 20th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 20th Luftwaffe Field Division  
Division (Einheiten) Support Troops, 20th Luftwaffe Field  
Division

On 11/1/43 the division was transferred to the Army. The 4/20th Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment became the 1/48th Flak Regiment and remained with the Luftwaffe.

20th Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 with the transfer of the 20th Luftwaffe Field Division to the Army. On 11/17/43 it became bicycle troop force. It had:

1/,2/39th Jäger Regiment (L) (Bicycle Regiment)  
1/,2/40th Jäger Regiment (L) (Bicycle Regiment)  
1/,2/,3/20th Artillery Regiment (L)  
20th Division (Einheiten) Support Units (L)

20th Luftwaffe Sturm Division: The division was formed on 6/1/44. In July 1944 it was joined by the remains of the disbanded 19th Luftwaffe Sturm Division (Feldersatz Battalion, Fusilier Battalion, Panzerjäger Battalion, Pioneer Battalion and support troops); 1/19th Artillery Regiment (L) became the 1/20th Artillery Regiment (L). On 8/28/44 the division was disbanded and its infantry sent to the 26th Panzer Division. On 1/3/45 the 39th and 40th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiments became the 1228th and 1229th Feldausbildung Grenadier Regiments; the 20th Feldersatz Battalion became the 1/227th Feldausbildung Grenadier Regiment, the 1/20th Artillery Regiment became the 155th Feldausbildungs Regiment, the 20th Pioneer Battalion became the 155th Feldausbildung Pioneer Battalion and the 20th Support Units became the 155th Support Regiment, 155th Feldausbildung Division; the Staff/,3/20th Artillery Regiment became the Staff/3/650th Artillery Regiment of the 710th ID; the 2/20th Artillery Regiment became the 4/661st Artillery Regiment, 114th Jäger division; the 20th Fusilier Battalion became the 1057th Mountain Reconnaissance Battalion of the 157th Mountain Division; the 20th Panzerjäger Battalion became the 1048th Panzerjäger Battalion of the 148th ID; two batteries (2nd & 3rd Btrys/20th AR) were transferred to the 142nd Artillery Regiment (42nd Jäger Division).

21st Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in December 1942 by Army Group North from the Meindel Luftwaffe Division (1st-5th Field Regiments) and on 12/12/42 took the place of the General Odebrecht Group (Luftwaffe Field). The division had:

1/,2/,3/31st Luftwaffe Jäger regiment  
1/,2/,3/32nd Luftwaffe Jäger regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/21st Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 21st Luftwaffe Field Division  
21st Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Reconnaissance Company, 21st Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 21st Luftwaffe Field Division  
Supply Troop, 21st Luftwaffe Field Division

Later the 1/,2/,3/43rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment was added to the division. On 11/1/43 the division was transferred to the army.

21st Field Division (L): Formed on 11/1/43 by the transfer of the 21st Luftwaffe Field Division into the army. The division had:

1/,2/41st Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/42nd Jäger Regiment (L)  
1/,2/43rd Jäger Regiment (L)  
21st Fusilier Battalion (L)  
1/,2/,3/,4/21st Artillery Regiment (L)  
21st Division (Einheiten) Troops (L)

In November 1944 the division was disbanded. The 1/41st, 1/42nd and 1/43rd were became the 21st Luftwaffe Regimental Group. The 1/,2/21st Artillery Regiment (L) was assigned to the 329th ID. The 2/41st, 2/42nd, 2/43rd Jäger Regiments (L) and the 3/21st Artillery Regiment (L) were disbanded. By mid November only the staff of the division continued to exist.

22nd Luftwaffe Field Division: Formed in 1943 by Army Group North from the Meindl Luftwaffe Division. It was to have:

1/,2/,3/43rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/44th Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/22nd Luftwaffe Artillery Regiment  
Panzerjäger Battalion, 22nd Luftwaffe Field Division  
Luftwaffe Pioneer Battalion  
Reconnaissance Company, 22nd Luftwaffe Field Division  
Signals Company, 22nd Luftwaffe Field Division  
Supply Troops, 22nd Luftwaffe Field Division

The division was not formed. The 43rd Luftwaffe Jäger Regiment was sent to the 21st Luftwaffe Field Division, the panzerjäger battalion was converted into the 88th Motorized Light Flak Battalion, and the pioneer battalion remained with the army. The staff became, in December 1943, the staff of the 23rd Flak Division, the signals company became the 140th Signal Operations Company in the 20th Flak Division. The remainder of the division was disbanded in November 1943.

7th Flieger Division: The origins of this division extend back before the outbreak of the war. It was the first operational parachute formation in the German armed forces and was part of the Luftwaffe. Initially formed of small groups of elite commandos, by 10 May 1940 the division was formed and consisted of:

Divisional Staff  
Reconnaissance Staffel  
Transportation Staffel

7th Artillery Battery  
7th Signals Company  
7th Transportation Company  
7th Medical Company  
106th Light Flak Battery  
Anti-tank Battery  
Motorcycle Platoon  
1/,2/,1/1st Fallschirmjäger Regiment (4 cos per bn)  
1/,2/,1/2nd Fallschirmjäger Regiment (4 cos per bn)

By the time of the Crete operation, 20 May 1941, the division was reinforced and consisted of:

Divisional Staff  
Transportation Staffel  
7th Pioneer Battalion  
7th Artillery Battalion  
7th Machinegun Battalion  
7th Anti-tank Battalion  
Motorcycle Platoon  
1/,2/,1/1st Fallschirmjäger Regiment (4 cos per bn)  
1/,2/,1/2nd Fallschirmjäger Regiment (4 cos per bn)  
1/,2/,1/3rd Fallschirmjäger Regiment (4 cos per bn)

In May 1943 it was reformed into the 1st Fallschirm-Jäger (Parachute) Division.

22nd Luftlandung (Airborne) Division: The 22nd Luftlandung (Airborne) Division was an army formation, not Luftwaffe formation. It was mobilized on 8/18/39 with:

1/,2/,3/16th Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,3/47th Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,3/65th Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,3/22nd Artillery Regiment  
1/58th Artillery Regiment  
22nd Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In the winter of 1940/41 the division received the 22nd Flak Battalion. The regimental support of the 13th, 14th and Staff Companies were formed into 4th Battalions. On 10 May 1940 the division was formed and consisted of:

Divisional Staff  
1/,2/,3/16th Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn, plus 13th & 14th Cos)  
1/,2/,3/47th Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn, plus 13th & 14th Cos)  
1/,2/,3/63rd Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn, plus 13th & 14th Cos)  
1/,2/,3/,4/22nd Artillery Regiment (3 light & 1 heavy bn)  
22nd Reconnaissance Battalion  
22nd Signals Battalion  
22nd Pioneer Battlaion  
22nd Panzerjäger Battalion  
22nd Flak Battalion  
22nd Divisional (Einheiten) Support Units

On 7/29/42 the division was reorganized and renamed "Air Landing Motorized Troop". The 1/58th AR was detached and the 4/207th AR became the 4/22nd AR. The heavy MG and anti-tank battalions were broken into four equal strength companies and distributed by sections to the battalions. On 10/1/42

the division was prepared for the assault on Crete. The 2/22nd AR and 1/47th Grenadier Regiment became Kampfgruppe Buhse and were sent to Africa, where they were destroyed. The 22nd Reconnaissance Battalion became the 122nd Panzer Reconnaissance Battalion. The 4/22nd AR became the 716th Heavy Artillery Battalion. In 1943 the 2/22nd AR and the 1/47th Grenadier Regiment (formed from the 22nd Feldersatzbattalion) were rebuilt. May 1944 shows the division being fully reformed.

1st Fallschirm-Jäger (Parachute) Division: Formed May 1943 with:

- 1/,2/,3/1st Fallschirm-Jäger (Parachute) Regiment
- 2/,3/,4/3rd Fallschirm-Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/4th Fallschirm-Jäger Regiment
- 1st Fallschirm-Jäger Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion  
(6 cos, reduced to 3 in 1943)
- 1/,3/1st Fallschirm-Jäger Artillery Regiment
- 1/,4/1st Fallschirm-Jäger Flak Battalion
- 1st Fallschirm-Jäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 1st Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal)  
Fallschirm-Jäger Division (2 cos)
- 1st Fallschirm-Jäger Division (Einheiten) Service Units

During the winter 43/44 the flak battalion was raised from 4 to 5 batteries. In February 44 the division detached the 3/1st FJ Regiment to the 3rd Fallschirm-Jäger Division. In April 44 the division detached the 3/3rd & 3/4th FJ Regiment to the 5th Fallschirm-Jäger Division. New battalions were raised to replace them. The 4/3rd was renumbered the 1/3rd FJ Regiment. The artillery regiment was raised to a full regiment with three battalions (9 batteries). In December 1944 the 1st Fallschirm-Jäger Feldersatz (replacement) Battalion was raised.

2nd Fallschirm-Jäger (Parachute) Division: Formed February 1943 in France.

- 1/,2/,3/2nd Fallschirm-Jäger (Parachute) Regiment
- 2/,3/,4/6th Fallschirm-Jäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/7th Fallschirm-Jäger Regiment
- 2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion (6 cos)
- 1/2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Artillery Regiment (4 batteries)
- 2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 2nd Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal)  
Fallschirm-Jäger Division (2 cos)
- 2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Division (Einheiten) Service Units
- Raised in Italy in the fall**
- 2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Flak Battalion (5 batteries)
- 2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Machine Gun Battalion (3 cos)  
(formed from the 3/Barenthin Luftwaffe Regiment)

- When sent to Russia, the Division left for Russia the 1/2nd (as the 1/110th) the 2/6th (as 1/11th) and 1/7th (as the 1/Fallschirmjäger Training Battalion) and part of the 1/st Luftlande-Sturm Regiment (as the 1/12nd) were left behind to form the cadre of the newly forming 4th Fallschirmjäger Division in Italy. The 6th Fallschirmjäger Regiment was disbanded during the winter and reformed again in January 1944. The 2nd and 7th Regiment were sent in May to the Wahn Training Camp for refitting and were then rejoined by the newly reorganized 6th Fallschirmjäger Regiment. The artillery regiment was reinforced by the addition of 3 battalions. In place of the 2nd FJ Machine Gun Battalion the Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer (Mortar) Battalion was raised.

By the invasion the reformed 6th FJ regiment was assigned to the 91st Luftwaffelande Division in Normandy. The division was destroyed, along with the 2nd and 7th FJ Regiments by the capitulation of Brest on 9/19/44.

The division was reformed in December 1944 in Holland. On 12/6/44 it was filled out with troops from the Oldenburg, Halle and Berlin Räumen. The 6th FJ Regiment and the 1/2nd FJ Artillery Regiment were replaced by the 23rd FJ Regiment and the newly raised 3/6th FJ Artillery Regiment. The division had:

- 1/,2/,3/2nd Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/7th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/21st Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 2nd Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)
- 1/,2/,3/2nd Fallschirmjäger Artillery
- 2nd Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (5 batteries)
- 2nd Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 2nd Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (3 cos)

- It was destroyed in the Ruhr Pocket in 1945.

3rd Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Division: Formed October 1943 in France, moved to Brittany in February 1944 and in March 1944 the 3/1st Fallschirmjäger Regiment came from Italy.

- 1/,2/,3/5th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/8th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/9th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 3rd Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer (Mortar) Battalion  
(3 cos)(formed early June 1944)
- 3rd Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion
- 3rd Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment (only 1 battalion until June 1944, when 2nd & 3rd Bns were formed)
- 3rd Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 3rd Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal)  
Fallschirmjäger Division (2 cos)
- 3rd Fallschirmjäger Versorgungseinheiten (Service Units)

Destroyed in Normandy, but was rebuilt in Belgium using the 22nd, 51st and 53rd Fleiger Regiment. Destroyed in the Ruhr pocket in 1945, passing into American captivity.

4th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Division: Formed November 1943 in upper Italy with detachments from the 2nd Fallschirmjäger Division.

- 1/,2/,3/10th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/11th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/12th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 4th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion (3 cos)
- 1/4th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment  
(2nd & 3rd Battalions were raised later)
- 4th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (5 batteries)
- 4th Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 4th Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal)  
Fallschirmjäger Division (2 cos)
- 4th Fallschirmjäger Versorgungseinheiten (Service Units)

In June 1944 the division detached the 1/4th FJ Artillery to the newly forming 6th FJ Division and reformed the 1st Artillery Battalion. The 4th

Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion was raised with three companies. The newly restructured artillery regiment was shortly later detached from the division, leaving it with not artillery. The division was taken prisoner between Vicenza and Bozen by the Americans.

5th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Division: Formed 2 March 1944 in Rheims from the Fallschirmjäger School Battalion and the 3/3rd & 4th Fallschirmjäger Regiments. The division had:

- 1/,2/,3/13th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Regiment
- 2/,3/,4/14th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/15th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 5th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger (AT) Battalion  
(3 cos)
- 1/5th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment (2nd & 3rd  
Bns formed in June 1944)
- 5th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (5 batteries)
- 1st Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 1st Luftnachrichten (Communications & Signal)  
Fallschirmjäger Division (2 cos)
- 1st Fallschirmjäger Division (Einheiten) Service Units

In May 1944 the division added the 5th Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion (3 cos). The 15th Regiment absorbed the 1/13th and 1/14th FJ Regiments to reform its 1st & 3rd Battalions as the regiment was rebuilt. The division was taken prisoner by the Americans in the Rhur pocket and Harz Mountains in 1945.

6th Fallschirmjäger (Parachute) Division: Formed in June 1944 near Amiens with:

- 1/,2/,3/16th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/17th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/18th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion (3 cos)
- 1/,2/,3/6th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (5 btrys)
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (2 cos)
- 6th Fallschirmjäger Division (Einheiten) Service Units

When the division was formed the 16th Fallschirmjäger regiment was sent to Wilna (Russia) where it was to join the 3rd Fallschirmjäger Grenadier Regiment of the Fallschirmjäger Panzer Corps Herman Göring.

The rest of the division (a kampfguppe) went to Normandy where most of it was destroyed. Its remnants were used to form the Hübner, Grossmehl, Laytved-Hardegg and Greve Regiments, later the 7th Fallschirmjäger Division (Erdmann). On 15 October 1944 the division was reformed and sent to northern Holland. The division was captured when "Fortress Holland" surrendered to the English.

7th Fallschirmjäger Division Formed on 10/9/44 from the Erdmann Fallschirmjäger Division. The Erdmann Division had been formed from part of the 6th Fallschirmjäger Division and Fallschirmjäger school forces in Germany, the Menzel Regiment, Grossmehl Regiment, Laytved-Hardegg Regiment, the Greve Regiment and the Schäger and Schluckebier Battalions and the Grunwald Panzerjäger Battalion near Bitsch. On 9 September 1944 it was sent

to Arnheim where it was to fight the allied landings. It had:

- 1/,2/,3/19th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/20th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/21st Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)
- 1/,2/,3/7th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (5 btrys)
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion (3 cos)
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (4 cos)
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (2 cos)
- 7th Fallschirmjäger Supply Troop

In early 1945 the artillery was broken up with the 1st Bn becoming the 1/6th, the 2nd Bn becoming the 2/3rd and the 3rd Bn becoming the 1/7th Artillery Regiments. The division was captured near Oldenburg and went into English captivity.

8th Fallschirmjäger Division: Formed on 10/25/44 with:

- 1/,2/,3/22nd Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/24th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 8th Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (2 cos)
- 8th Fallschirmjäger Feldersatz Battalion (5 cos)
- 8th Fallschirmjäger Supply Troops

9th Fallschirmjäger Division: Formed in December 1944 from miscellaneous Luftwaffe troops.

- 1/,2/,3/25th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/26th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/27th Fallschirmjäger Regiment
- 9th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos)
- 1/,2/,3/9th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment
- 1/,2/9th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion
- 9th Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Battalion (3 cos)
- 9th Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (2 cos)
- 9th Fallschirmjäger Supply Troop
- Fallschirmjäger Medical battalion

Shortly later it was joined by the:

- 9th Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion (3 cos)
- 9th Fallschirmjäger Reconnaissance Company

The 1/25th was formed from the 3/2nd FJ, the 1/26th from the Schluckebier FJ Battalion and the 2/26th from the Schäfer FJ, the 2/9th FJ Artillery was formed from the 2/11th FJ Artillery and the 3/9th from the 3/12th. The Feldersatz Battalion was formed from the 56th FJ Battalion. Later the 1/25th FJ became the independent 67th FJ Battalion and the 2/25th FJ became the 3/26th FJ.

10th Fallschirmjäger Division: Formed in March 1945 with forces drawn from the 1st and 4th Fallschirmjäger Divisions then in Italy. It had:



28th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
29th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
30th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
10th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (5 cos)  
1/,2/,3/10th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Regiment  
20th Fallschirmjäger Signals Battalion (2 cos)

The division was taken prisoner by the Russians as the war ended.

20th Fallschirmjäger Division: Formed on 3/20/45 in northern Holland from the Field Ausbildungs Division. The division had:

1/,2/,3/58th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/59th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/,3/60th Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
20th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Battalion (6 btrys)(from 21st Division)  
20th Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion (3 cos) from 21st Division)  
20th Fallschirmjäger Flak Battalion (3 btrys)(from 21st Division)  
20th Fallschirmjäger Granatwerfer Battalion (4 cos)(21st Division)  
1/,2/20th Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Regiment  
20th Fallschirmjäger Kraftfahr Battalion (4 cos)  
20th Fallschirmjäger Medical Battalion (2 cos)

21st Fallschirmjäger Division: Formed on 4/5/45 from the Fallschirmjäger Ersatz and Ausbildungs Division and the Gericke Sturm Brigade. The division had:

1/,2/61st Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/62nd Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/63rd Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
21st Fallschirmjäger Battalion (2 btrys)(from 20th Div)  
21st Fallschirmjäger Pioneer Bn (3 cos)  
Panzerjäger Company (from 20th Fallschirmjäger Division)  
Granatwerfer Company (from 20th Fallschirmjäger Division)  
Signals Company (from 20th Fallschirmjäger Division)

The 61st Regiment was formed from the Schaller Regiment, the 62nd from the Henner Stamm Regiment, and the 63rd from the Heute Regiment.

Erdmann Fallschirm-Jäger Division: formed in September 1944 near Bitsch from Alarm units. On 9/9/44 it went to Holland to defend against the British landings at Arnheim. It contained:

1/,2/Menzel Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/Grossmehl Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/Laytved-Hardegg Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/Greve Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
1/,2/Hübner Fallschirmjäger Regiment  
Grunwald Fallschirmjäger Panzerjäger Battalion

On 10/9/44 the division was reformed into the 7th Fallschirmjäger Division.

Fallschirmjäger Ausbildungs und Ersatz Division: formed on 3/13/45 with:

1st Fallschirm-Jäger Ausbildungs Regiment  
2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Ausbildungs Regiment  
3rd Fallschirm-Jäger Ausbildungs Regiment  
4th Fallschirm-Jäger Ausbildungs Regiment

1st Fallschirm-Jäger Ersatz Battalion  
1st Fallschirm-Jäger Pioneer Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion  
2nd Fallschirm-Jäger Pioneer Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion  
Fallschirm-Jäger Panzer Zerstörer Ausbildungs Battalion  
Fallschirm-Jäger Panzerjäger Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion  
Fallschirm-Jäger Artillery Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion  
Fallschirm-Jäger Granatwerfer Lehr Battalion  
Fallschirm-Jäger Signals Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion

The division was used to form the 20th Fallschirm-Jäger Division on 4/5/45.

Luftwaffe Signals Ersatz Battalion: Formed on 5/24/44 with

1st Luftwaffe Signals Ersatz Regiment  
2nd Luftwaffe Signals Ersatz Regiment  
3rd Luftwaffe Signals Ersatz Regiment

On 9/20/44 it was combined with the Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Division to form the Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs and Ersatz Division.

Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Battalion: Formed in 1942 with:

301st Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment  
302nd Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment  
303rd Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment  
305th Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment

On 9/20/44 it was combined with the Luftwaffe Signals Ersatz Division to form the Luftwaffe Ausbildungs and Ersatz Division.

Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs und Ersatz Battalion: Formed on 9/20/44 with:

1st Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs und Ersatz Regiment  
2nd Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs und Ersatz Regiment  
3rd Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs und Ersatz Regiment  
4th Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment  
5th Luftwaffe Signals Ausbildungs Regiment

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