

Russian Army of Caucasus  
March 1877

Commanding Officer: Generallieutenant Loris Melikov  
Chief of Staff: Generalmajor Donkhovskoi  
Artillery Cmdr: Generalmajor Gubski

Caucasus Grenadier Division: Generallieutenant Tarkhan-Mouravov

1st Brigade: (In Tiflis)

Erivan Leib Grenadier Regiment #13 (Czar)  
Georgia Grenadier Regiment #14 (Grand Duke Constantin  
Nicolaievich)

2nd Brigade: (In Tiflis)

Tiflis Grenadier Regiment #15  
(Grand Duke Constantin Constantinovich)  
Mingrelia Grenadier Regiment #16  
(Grand Duke Dmitri Constanovich)

Artillery:

Caucasus Grenadier Artillery Brigade (Grand Duke  
Michel Nicolaievich)

19 th Division: Generalmajor Komarov II

1st Brigade: (In Staravopol)

Crimea Infantry Regiment #73 (Grand Duke Alexander  
Mikhailovich)  
Stavropol Infantry Regiment #74

1st Brigade:

Sebastopol Infantry Regiment #75  
Kuban Infantry Regiment #76

19th Artillery Brigade:

39th Division: Generallieutenant Devel

1st Brigade: (In Tiflis)

Baku Infantry Regiment #153  
(Grand Duke Serge Mikhailovich)  
Derbent Infantry Regiment #154

1st Brigade: (In Akhaltsykh)

Kouba Infantry Regiment #155  
Elisavetpol Infantry Regiment #156

39th Artillery Brigade:

41st Division: Generallieutenant Oklobjio

1st Brigade: (in Koutais)

Alexandropol Infantry Regiment #161  
(Grand Duke Alexis Mikhailovich)  
Akhaltsykh Infantry Regiment #162

1st Brigade: (in Khan-Kendy Camp)

Lenkoran Infantry Regiment #163  
Zakatala Infantry Regiment #164

41st Artillery Brigade:

Caucasus Cavalry Division: Generallieutenant Count de  
Toulouse-Lautrec

1st Brigade: (In Tiflis)

Tver Dragoon Regiment #15  
(Grand Duke Nicolas Nicolaievich)  
Nijni-Novgorod Dragoon Regiment #16  
(König von Württemberg)

2nd Brigade: (In Piatigorsk)

Sieversk Dragoon Regiment #17 (König von Danmark)  
Pereiaslaw Dragoon Regiment #18 (Grand Duke)

Local and Sedentary Troops

Alexandropol Fortress Infantry (3 bns)  
Local detachments (2 bns & 47 detachments)  
Cadres (1 bn & 12 detachments)

Irregular Troops

Mixed Caucasus Cossack Division: Generalmajor Scheremetiev

Kuban Cossack Regiment  
Caucasus Cossack Regiment  
1st Yeisk Cossack Regiment  
1st Gorsko-Mozdok Cossack Regiment

Irregular Troops without divisional assignments

Kuban Cossack Regiments

1st Tamane Cossack Regiment  
2nd Tamane Cossack Regiment  
Poltava Cossack Regiment  
1st Ekaterinodar Cossack Regiment  
2nd Ekaterinodar Cossack Regiment  
1st Oumane Cossack Regiment  
2nd Oumane Cossack Regiment  
Ouroupa Cossack Regiment  
1st Laba Cossack Regiment  
2nd Laba Cossack Regiment  
1st Khoper Cossack Regiment  
2nd Khoper Cossack Regiment  
2nd Yeisk Cossack Regiment  
5 Cossack Horse Batteries with 4 guns each  
(8 each in time of war)  
2 Cossack Scout Battalions, 5 sotnias each

Terek Cossacks

1st Volga Cossack Regiment  
2nd Volga Cossack Regiment  
1st Kislar-Grebenski Cossack Regiment  
2nd Kislar-Grebenski Cossack Regiment  
2nd Vladivkavkaz Cossack Regiment  
1st Sounja Cossack Regiment  
2nd Sounja Cossack Regiment  
2nd Gorsko-Mozdok Cossack Regiment  
2 Cossack Horse Batteries with 4 guns each  
(8 each in time of war)

Outside of the aforementioned troops which were designated to act in Armenia, the Russian forces in the Caucasus also contained the following forces which were held in reserve:

20th Division: Generallieutenant Heimann

1st Brigade: (In Groznyl)

Tenguinsk Infantry Regiment #77 (Grand Duke Alexis Alexandrovich)

Navaguinsk Infantry Regiment #78

2nd Brigade: (In Groznyl)

Kourin Infantry Regiment #79

(Grand Duke Paul Alexandrovich)

Kabarda Infantry Regiment #80

(Fieldmarshal Prince Bariatinsky)

80th Artillery Brigade:

21st Division: Generallieutenant Petrov

1st Brigade:

Apcheron Infantry Regiment #81

(Grand Duke George Mikhailovich)

Daghestan Infantry Regiment #82

(Grand Duke Nicolas Mikhailovich)

1st Brigade:

Samoura Infantry Regiment #83

(Grand Duke Vladimir Alexandrovich)

Shirvan Infantry Regiment #84

(Grand Duke Nicolas Constantinovich)

21st Artillery Brigade: (Grand Duchess Olga Fedorovna)

Division: Generallieutenant Tergoukasov

1st Brigade:

Black Sea Infantry Regiment #149

(Grand Duke Michael Nicolaievich)

Taman Infantry Regiment #150

1st Brigade:

Piatigorsk Infantry Regiment #151

Vladikavkaz Infantry Regiment #152

38th Artillery Brigade:

Caucasus Frontier Battalions

1st Battalion (In Toupase)

2nd Battalion (in Sotchi)

3rd Battalion (in Soukhoun)

4th Battalion (in Soukhoun)

5th Battalion (in Schatoevskoe)

6th Battalion (in Fort Gounib)

7th Battalion (in Fort Khounzakh)

Instructional and Indigenious Troops:

Cossack Horse Artillery Instruction Platoon

Kuban Instruction Squadrons (2)

Daghestan Irregular Regiment

Koutais Irregular Regiment

Daghestan Standing Militia

Kuban Standing Militia

Terek Standing Militia

Georgia Droujina

Gouria Foot Sotnia

Total Strength:

	Men	Horses	Guns
Active Troops	159,689	21,003	336
Local & Sedentary	47,855	-	-
Irregular Troops	49,433	46,458	56

Le Faure, A., Histoire de la Guerre d'Orient (1877), Garnier Frères, Paris, 1878.