

**Organization of Japanese Raiding Groups  
1939-1945**

1st Raiding Group:

- 1st Raiding (Parachute) Regiment
  - 3 Rifle Companies
  - 1 Heavy Weapons Company
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 2nd Raiding (Parachute) Regiment
  - 3 Rifle Companies
  - 1 Heavy Weapons Company
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 1st Raiding Tank Unit
- 1st Raiding Maintenance Unit

2nd Raiding Group:

- 3rd Raiding (Parachute) Regiment
  - 3 Rifle Companies
  - 1 Heavy Weapons Company
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 4th Raiding (Parachute) Regiment
  - 3 Rifle Companies
  - 1 Heavy Weapons Company
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 1st Glider Infantry Regiment
  - 2 Rifle Companies (27 LMGS & 12 HMGs)
  - 1 Engineer Company
  - 1 Anti-tank Company (6-47mm AT guns)
  - 1 Infantry Gun Company 4-75mm guns)
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 2nd Glider Infantry Regiment
  - 2 Rifle Companies (27 LMGS & 12 HMGs)
  - 1 Engineer Company
  - 1 Anti-tank Company (6-47mm AT guns)
  - 1 Infantry Gun Company 4-75mm guns)
  - 1 Signal Unit
- 1st Raiding Motorcycle Unit
- 1st Raiding Engineer Unit
- 1st Raiding Signal Unit

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