

**Organization of German Cavalry Regiment
June 1941**

Division Command

Map Bureau

1st Staff Cavalry Brigade, with
Armored Car Platoon
Motorized Anti-tank Platoon

2nd Staff Cavalry Brigade, with
Motorcycle Messenger Platoon

1st, 2nd & 22nd Cavalry Brigades, each with
Staff Company, with
Signals Platoon
2 Cavalry Battalions, each with
3 Squadrons, each with
12 Light MG's
1 Heavy Squadron, with
8 Heavy MG's
4 Medium Trench Mortars
1 Horse Drawn Anti-Tank Platoon, with
2 Pak 37mm AT guns
1 Close Support Squadron, with
6 Light Infantry Support Guns
1 Motorized Heavy Squadron, with
1 Armored Car Platoon
1 Pioneer Platoon
1 Anti-tank Platoon, with
2 Pak 37mm AT Guns
1 Motorized Light Cavalry Column

21st Cavalry Regiment, with
Staff Company, with
Motorized Signals Platoon
1 Cavalry Battalion, with
3 Squadrons, each with
12 Light MG's
1 Heavy Squadron, with
8 Heavy MG's
4 Medium Trench Mortars
1 Horse Drawn Anti-Tank Platoon, with
2 Pak 37mm AT guns
1 Heavy Squadron
2 Close Support Platoons, each with
4 Light Infantry Support Guns
1 Armored Car Platoon
1 Motorized Anti-tank Platoon, with
2 Pak 37mm AT Guns
1 Horse Drawn Light Cavalry Column

1st Horse Artillery Regiment, with
Staff Company,
Motorized Staff Battery
3 Horse Artillery Batteries, each with
3 Horse Batteries
1 Motorized Battery (105mm LFH 18)

1st Bicycle Battalion
Staff Company,

- Signals Platoon
- Armored Car Platoon
- Motorized Pioneer Platoon
- 3 Bicycle Squadrons, each with
 - 3 Squadrons, each with
 - 9 Light MG's
 - 4 Heavy MG's
 - 3 Light Trench Mortars
 - 1 Heavy Squadron, with
 - 1 Anti-tank Platoon
 - 2 Pak 37mm AT Guns
 - 2 Close Support Platoons, with
 - 2 Light Infantry Support Guns
 - Mortar Platoon, with
 - 6 Medium Trench Mortars
 - 1 Motorized Recoiless Rifle Battery
- 40th Motorized Panzerjäger (Anti-Tank) Battalion, with
 - 3 Anti-tank Companies, each with
 - 12 Pak 37mm AT Guns
- 40th Motorized Pioneer Battalion, with
 - 3 Pioneer Companies
 - 1 Bridging Column "T"
 - 1 Light Pioneer Column
- 86th Motorized Signals Battalion, with
 - 1 Motorized Radio Company
 - 1 Motorized Telephone Company
 - 1 Motorized Light Signals Column
- 40th Quartermaster General Division, with
 - 3 Motorized Columns
 - 5 Horse Drawn Columns
 - 2 Motorized Operations Material Columns
 - 1 Motorized Repair Shop Company
 - 1 Motorized Quartermaster Company
- 40th Administrative Services
 - 1 Motorized Bakery Company
 - 1 Motorized Butcher Company
 - 1 Division Commissary Column
- 40th Medical Service
 - 2 Motorized Medical Companies
 - 3 Ambulance Platoons
- 40th Veterinary Service
 - 2 Veterinaries
 - 2 Motorized Horse Transportation Companies
- Other:
 - 40th Motorized Military Police Troop
 - 40th Field Post Office.

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