

**German 54th Corps  
in Russia  
15 June 1941**

Corps Troops:

20th Arko  
737th (mot) Artillery Battalion  
    1 (mot) Signals Platoon  
    1 (mot) Calibration Platoon  
    3 (mot) Batteries (4-150mm (t) howitzers ea)  
901st Artillery Battalion  
    1 Signals Platoon  
    1 Calibration Platoon  
    3 Batteries (6-155mm guns ea)  
803rd Artillery Battalion  
    1 Signals Platoon  
    1 Calibration Platoon  
    3 Batteries (4 100mm (t) guns ea)  
806th Artillery Battalion  
    1 Signals Platoon  
    1 Calibration Platoon  
    3 Batteries (6-155mm guns ea)  
29th (mot) Observation Battalion  
    1 (mot) Staff Battery  
    1 (mot) Survey Battery  
    1 (mot) Flash Ranging Battery  
    1 (mot) Sound Ranging Battery  
454th (mot) Signals Battalion  
    2 (mot) Telephone Intercept Companies  
    1 (mot) Telephone Company  
    1 (mot) Radio Company  
    1 (mot) Signals Platoon  
903rd Assault Boat Kommando  
737th (mot) Supply Battalion  
    791st (mot) Light Supply Column  
    872nd (mot) Light Supply Column  
316th Military Police Troop  
2/430th Brüko B  
3. (H)/13 Luftwaffe Artillery Observation Squadron  
1/43rd Flak Regiment  
    2 (mot) Flak Batteries (12 20mm guns ea)  
    3 (mot) Flak Batteries (4 88mm guns ea)

5th Rumanian Infantry Division: General Vladescu

    5th Divisional Staff (32/13/127/3/1/12/105/1)<sup>1</sup>  
    5th Survey and Weather Battery (3/2/77/76/16/0/75/0)  
    5th Military Police Squadron (2 LMGs) (4/13/186/3/0/295/0)  
    46th Mortar Company (12 81mm mortars)  
    5th Signals Platoon (5/4/20040/14/3/217/3)  
8th Infantry Regiment (87/46/3100/789/166/0/2387/0)  
    2 Battalions, each with:  
        3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGs & 3 60mm mortars)

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<sup>1</sup> Numbers are officers, NCOs, men, horses, cars, trucks, rifles, and motorcycles.

1 Machine Gun Company (16 HMGs)  
 1 Engineer Company (3 LMGs)  
 1 Infantry Gun Platoon (2 75mm guns)  
 1 Anti-Tank Company (6 37mm PAK 36 guns)  
 9th Infantry Regiment (84/62/3149/924/213/0/2387/0)  
 same as 8th Regiment  
 32nd Infantry Regiment (76/44/2917/952/198/0/2387/0)  
 same as 8th Regiment  
 5th Reconnaissance Squadron (12 LMGs, 2 HMGs & 2 37mm PAK 36)  
 Anti-Tank Troops (5/3/273/108/36/0/229/0)  
 5th Anti-Tank Company  
 3 Platoons (4 37mm PAK 36)  
 1 Platoon (4 LMGs)  
 20th Anti-Tank Company  
 1 (mot) Platoon (6 37mm PAK 36)  
 1 Platoon (6 37mm PAK 36)  
 7th Artillery Regiment (51/36/1561/1762/188/0/1342/0)  
 2 Battalions, each with  
 3 Batteries (4 75mm Schneider guns & 1 LMG ea)  
 1 Battalion  
 3 Batteries (4 100mm Skoda howitzers & 1 LMG ea)  
 28th Artillery Regiment (43/32/983/1147/122/0/886/0)  
 1 Battalion  
 3 Batteries (4 75mm guns & 1 LMG ea)  
 1 Battalion  
 3 Batteries (4 100mm howitzers & 1 LMG ea)  
 5th Anti-Aircraft Company (4/1/107/0/0/10/65/0)  
 3 Platoons (equipped with HMGs)  
 5th Engineer Battalion (18/10/699/149/40/2/571/0)  
 3 Engineer Companies (9 LMGs)  
 5th Divisional Supply Troop  
 5th (horse drawn) Ambulance (3/4/47/0/0/40/44)<sup>2</sup>  
 5th (mot) Ambulance (12/4/222/32/16/0/0)  
 5th Veterinary Column (1/1/17/17/5/0/8)  
 5th (mot) Supply Column (0/1/6/0/0/8/6)  
 5th Engineer Column (1/1/40/96/32/0/0/0/)  
 5th Transportation Column (1/1/277/567/189/0/247/0)<sup>3</sup>  
 5th Bakery (2/56/253/79/41/12/80/72)  
 5th Divisional Administration (3/4/85/0/0/0/40/0)  
 5th Worker Company (3 LMGs) (2/2/70/0/0/0/111/0)  
 5th Munitions Column (2/2/34/2/0/0/34/0)

50th Infantry Division

150th (mot) Mapping Detachment  
 150th Motorcycle Messenger Platoon  
 1/,2/,3/121st Infantry Regiment  
 1 Regimental Band  
 1 Signals Platoon  
 Each battalion:  
 3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGS, 3 HMGs,  
 3 50mm mortars ea)

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<sup>2</sup> Numbers are officers, NCOs, men, horses, cars, trucks, and rifles)

<sup>3</sup> Numbers are officers, NCOs, men, horses, bakery ovens, trucks, rifles, and oxen.

- 1 Machine Gun Company (12 HMGs & 6 80mm mortars)
- 1 Infantry Gun Company (2 150mm sIG & 6 75mm leIG)
- 1 (mot) Panzer Abwehr Company (12 37mm PAK 36 & 4 LMGs)
- 1 Pioneer Platoon (3 LMGs)
- 1 Cavalry Reconnaissance Platoon
- 1/,2/,3/122nd Infantry Regiment
  - same as 121st Infantry Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/123rd Infantry Regiment
  - same as 121st Infantry Regiment
- 1/,2/,3/150th Artillery Battalion<sup>4</sup>
  - 1 (mot) Weather Detachment
  - 1 Signals Platoon
  - 3 Battalions, each with:
    - 1 Calibration Detachment
    - 1 Signals Platoon
    - 3 Batteries ( 4 105mm leFH & 2 LMGs ea)
- 4/150th Artillery Battalion
  - 1 Calibration Detachment
  - 1 Signals Platoon
  - 3 Batteries (4 150mm sFH & 2 LMGs ea)
- 150th Panzerjäger Battalion
  - 3 (mot) Companies (12 37mm PAK 36 & LMGs ea)
- 150th Reconnaissance Battalion
  - 1st & 2nd Motorcycle Companies (9 LMGs, 2 HMGs & 3 50mm mortars ea)
  - 1 (mot) Panzer Abwehr Platoon (3 37mm PAK 36 & 1 LMG)
  - 1 (mot) Infantry Gun Platoon (2 75mm leIG)
- 71st Pioneer Battalion (detached to 170th ID)
  - 1st & 2nd Pioneer Companies (9 LMGs ea)
  - 3rd (mot) Pioneer Company (9 LMGs)
  - 668th (mot) Brüko B (detached to 170th ID)
  - 1 (mot) Pioneer Supply Column
- 71st Signals Battalion
  - 1 (tmot) Telephone Company
  - 1 (mot) Radio Company
  - 1 (mot) Signals Supply Column
- 354th Supply Troop
  - 1/,2/,3/150th (mot) Light Supply Column
  - 4/,5/,6/150th Light Supply Column
  - 7/150th (mot) Light Fuel Column
  - 150th (mot) Maintenance Company
  - 150th (mot) Supply Company
- 150th (mot) Divisional Administration
- 150th (mot) Butcher Company
- 150th (mot) Field Bakery
- 1/150th Medical Company
- 2/150th (mot) Medical Company
- 150th (mot) Field Hospital
- 1/,2/150th (mot) Ambulances
- 150th (tmot) Veterinary Company
- 150th (mot) Military Police Troop

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<sup>4</sup> All but one battalion attached to 170th Infantry Division.

150th (mot) Field Post Office  
170th Infantry Division: Major general Wittig  
 240th (mot) Mapping Detachment  
 240th Motorcycle Messenger Platoon  
 1/,2/,3/391st Infantry Regiment  
   1 Pioneer Platoon  
   1 Signals Platoon  
   1 Cavalry Reconnaissance Platoon  
 Each battalion:  
   3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGS, 3 50mm mortars ea)<sup>5</sup>  
   1 Machine Gun Company (12 HMGs & 6 80mm mortars)  
   1 Infantry Gun Company (2 150mm sIG & 6 75mm leIG)  
   1 (mot) Panzer Abwehr Company (12 37mm PAK 36 & 4 LMGS)  
 1/,2/,3/399th Infantry Regiment  
   same as 391st Infantry Regiment  
 1/,2/,3/401st Infantry Regiment  
   same as 391st Infantry Regiment  
 1/,2/,3/240th Artillery Regiment  
   1 (mot) Weather Detachment  
   1 Signals Platoon  
   3 Battalions, each with:  
     1 Calibration Detachment  
     1 Signals Platoon  
     3 Batteries ( 4 105mm leFH & 2 LMGS ea)  
 4/240th Artillery Regiment  
   1 Calibration Detachment  
   1 Signals Platoon  
   3 Batteries (4 150mm sFH & 2 LMGS ea)  
 240th Panzer Abwehr Battalion  
   2 (mot) Companies (12 37mm PAK 36 & 6 LMGS ea)  
   1 (mot) Company (8 37mm PAK 36, 4 28mm sPzBu41 & 6 LMGS)  
 240th Reconnaissance (motorcycle) Company (9 LMGS)  
 240th (tmot) Pioneer Battalion  
   2 Pioneer Companies (9 LMGS ea)  
   1 Pioneer (bicycle) Company (9 LMGS)  
   2/405th Brüko B  
   1 Light Pioneer Supply Column  
 240th Feldersatz Battalion  
   3 Companies (no heavy weapons)  
 240th (tmot) Signals Battalion  
   1 (tmot) Telephone Company  
   1 (mot) Radio Company  
   1 (mot) Signals Supply Column  
 240th Supply Troop  
   240th (mot) Maintenance Platoon  
   240th Supply Company  
   1/,2/240th (mot) Light Supply Columns  
   3/240th Light Supply Column  
   4/,5/,6/,8/240th Heavy Supply Column  
   9/,10/,11/240th Light Supply Column  
 240th Divisional Administration

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<sup>5</sup> One company in one battalion was equipped with bicycles.

240th (mot) Butcher Company  
615th Field Bakery  
1/,2/240th Medical Companies  
1/,2/240th (mot) Ambulances  
240th Veterinary Company  
240th (tmot) Military Police Troop  
240th (mot) Field Post Office

Attached:

150th Artillery Regiment (less 1 bn) (from 71st ID)  
71st Pioneer Battalion (from 71st ID)  
668th (mot) Brüko B (from 71st ID)  
20th ARKO (from Corps)  
29th Observation Battalion (from Corps)  
737th Heavy (mot) Artillery Regiment (from Corps)  
2/430th Brüko B (from Corps)

13th Rumanian Infantry Division

7th Infantry Regiment  
2 Battalions, each with:  
    3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGs & 3 60mm mortars)  
    1 Machine Gun Company (16 HMGs)  
1 Engineer Company (3 LMGs)  
1 Infantry Gun Platoon (2 75mm guns)  
1 Anti-Tank Company (6 37mm PAK 36 guns)  
22nd Infantry Regiment  
same as 7th Infantry Regiment  
89th Infantry Regiment  
same as 7th Infantry Regiment  
19th Field Artillery Regiment  
2 Battalions, each with  
    3 Batteries (4 75mm Schneider guns & 1 LMG ea)  
1 Battalion  
    3 Batteries (4 100mm Skoda howitzers & 1 LMG ea)  
41st Field Artillery Regiment  
1 Battalion  
    3 Batteries (4 75mm guns & 1 LMG ea)  
1 Battalion  
    3 Batteries (4 100mm howitzers & 1 LMG ea)  
13th Reconnaissance Company  
6th Flak Battery  
18th Anti-Tank Company  
13th Signals Company  
13th Engineer Company  
13th Supply Battalion  
13th Military Police Detachment

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