

**German 54th Corps
in Russia
11 July 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 (detached)
- 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
- 5th Survey and Weather Battery
- 5th Military Police Squadron (2 LMGs)
- 46th Mortar Company (12 81mm mortars)
- 5th Signals Platoon
- 8th 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)

9th Infantry Regiment
 same as 8th Regiment
 32nd Infantry Regiment
 same as 8th Regiment
 5th Reconnaissance Squadron (12 LMGs, 2 HMGs & 2 37mm PAK 36)
 Anti-Tank Troops
 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
 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
 1 Battalion
 3 Batteries (4 75mm guns & 1 LMG ea)
 1 Battalion
 3 Batteries (4 100mm howitzers & 1 LMG ea)
 5th Anti-Aircraft Company
 3 Platoons (equipped with HMGs)
 5th Engineer Battalion
 3 Engineer Companies (9 LMGs)
 5th Divisional Supply Troop
 5th (horse drawn) Ambulance
 5th (mot) Ambulance
 5th Veterinary Column
 5th (mot) Supply Column
 5th Engineer Column
 5th Transportation Column
 5th Bakery
 5th Divisional Administration
 5th Worker Company (3 LMGs)
 5th Munitions Column

50th Infantry Division

150th (mot) Mapping Detachment
 150th Motorcycle Messenger Platoon
 1/,2/,3/121st Infantry Regiment **(Detached to 72nd ID)**
 1 Regimental Band
 1 Signals Platoon
 Each battalion:
 3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGS, 3 HMGs,
 3 50mm mortars ea)
 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
 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**)
 1st & 2nd Pioneer Companies (9 LMGs ea)
 3rd (mot) Pioneer Company (9 LMGs)
 668th (mot) Brüko B (**detached**)
 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
 150th (mot) Field Post Office
Attached:
 29th Observation Battalion (from Corps)
 Det/737th Artillery Battalion (4-150mm (t) howitzers)
72nd Infantry Division:¹
 172nd (mot) Mapping Detachment
 172nd Motorcycle Company (9 LMGs, 2 HMGs & 3 50mm mortars)
 1/,2/,3/105th Infantry Regiment

¹ A note indicates that the infantry regiments lacked 16 LMG 34, 3 80mm Heavy Mortars (sGrW 34), and 15 PzBu 39.

- 1 Pioneer Platoon
- 1 Signals Platoon
- 1 Cavalry Reconnaissance Platoon
- 1 Regimental Band
- Each battalion:
 - 3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGs, 3 HMGs, & 3 50mm mortars ea)
 - 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/,3/124th Infantry Regiment
 - same as 105th Infantry Regiment, except the infantry gun company had two of the 75mm leIG motorized)
- 1/,2/,3/266th Infantry Regiment
 - same as 105th Infantry Regiment, except the cavalry reconnaissance platoon was on bicycles
- 1/,2/,3/172nd 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)
- 4/172nd Artillery Regiment
 - 1 Calibration Detachment
 - 1 Signals Platoon
 - 3 Batteries (4 150mm sFH & 2 LMGs ea)
- 72nd Panzer Abwehr Battalion
 - 2 (mot) Companies (12 37mm PAK 36 & LMGs ea)
 - 1 (mot) Company (8 37mm PAK 36, 3 50mm PAK 38 & 6 LMGs)
- 72nd (tmot) Pioneer Battalion
 - 2 Pioneer Companies (9 LMGs ea)
 - 1 Pioneer (mot) Company (9 LMGs)
 - 624th Brüko B
 - 1 Light Pioneer Supply Column
- 72nd Feldersatz Battalion
 - 3 Companies (no heavy weapons)
- 72nd (tmot) Signals Battalion
 - 1 (tmot) Telephone Company
 - 1 (mot) Radio Company
 - 1 (mot) Signals Supply Column
- 72nd Supply Troop
 - 72nd (mot) Maintenance Platoon
 - 72nd Supply Company
 - 1/,2/,3/72nd (mot) Light Supply Columns
 - 4/,5/,6/,7/,8/72nd Light Supply Column
 - 10/72nd Light (mot) Fuel Column
- 72nd Divisional Administration
- 72nd (mot) Butcher Company
- 72nd Field Bakery
- 1/72nd Medical Company
- 2/72nd (mot) Medical Company
- 1/,2/72nd (mot) Ambulances
- 172nd Veterinary Company
- 172nd (mot) Military Police Troop

172nd (mot) Field Post Office

Attached:

1/,2/,3/121st Infantry Regiment (from 50th ID)

1st Rumanian Armored Division

Staff

- 1 Signals Company
- 1 Motorcycle Messenger Company
- 1 (mot) Military Police Platoon

1 Reconnaissance Group

- 1 Motorcycle Company (12 LMGs)
- 1 Armored Car Company (8 light armored cars)
- 1 (mot) Heavy Company
 - 1 Signals Platoon
 - 1 Engineer Platoon
 - 1 Anti-Tank Platoon (2 guns)

1 Motorcycle Battalion

- 2 Motorcycle Companies (12 LMGs)
- 1 Motorcycle Machine Gun Company (16 HMGs)

3rd Motorized Jager Regiment

- 2 Battalions, each with:
 - 3 (mot) Rifle Companies (12 LMGs ea)
 - 1 (mot) Machine Gun Company (16 HMGs)

4th Motorized Jager Regiment

- 2 Battalions, each with:
 - 3 (mot) Rifle Companies (12 LMGs ea)
 - 1 (mot) Machine Gun Company (16 HMGs)

1 Anti-Tank Company (16 guns)

1 Flak Company (12 guns)

1 Engineer Battalion

- 2 Companies (6 LMGs ea)

1st Armored Regiment (2 Bns - 126 R-2 tanks)

2nd Armored Regiment (2 Bns - 75 R-35 Renault tanks)

1st Motorized Artillery Regiment

- 1 Battalion (12 75mm guns)
- 1 Battalion (12 100mm guns)
- 1 Battalion (12 105mm guns)

Support Services

- 1 (mot) Fuel Column
- 1 Maintenance Column
- 1 Munitions Column
- 1 Medical Column
- 1 Administration Squadron
- 1 Truck Column

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