

**German 54th Corps  
Russian Campaign  
16 August 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
- 173rd (tmot) Pioneer Battalion
  - 173rd (mot) Brüko T
  - (mot) Panzer Bridging Column
  - (mot) Panzer Pioneer Company
  - Pioneer Platoon
- 2/430th Brüko B
- 3.(H)/13 Luftwaffe Artillery Observation Squadron
- 1/47th Flak Regiment (*presumed organization*)
  - 2 (mot) Flak Batteries (12 20mm guns ea)
  - 3 (mot) Flak Batteries (4 88mm guns ea)

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)
- 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
  - 1st & 2nd Pioneer Companies (9 LMGs ea)
  - 3rd (mot) Pioneer Company (9 LMGs)
  - 668th (mot) Brüko B
  - 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:

20th ARKO

29th (mot) Observation Battalion  
 737th (mot) Artillery Battalion  
     1 (mot) Signals Platoon  
     1 (mot) Calibration Platoon  
     3 (mot) Batteries (4-150mm (t) howitzers ea)  
 47th Rumanian Heavy Artillery Battalion  
72nd Infantry Division:  
 172nd (mot) Mapping Detachment  
 172nd Motorcycle Company (9 LMGs, 2 HMGs & 3 50mm mortars)  
 1/,2/,3/105th Infantry Regiment  
     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:

1/77th (mot) Artillery Battalion  
620th Brüko B  
1 Assault Boat Platoon

73rd Infantry Division:

173rd (mot) Mapping Detachment  
173rd Motorcycle Messenger Platoon  
1/,2/,3/170th Infantry Regiment  
1 Pioneer Platoon (3 LMGs)  
1 Signals Platoon  
1 Regimental Band  
1 Cavalry Reconnaissance Platoon  
Each battalion:  
3 Rifle Companies (12 LMGS, 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/,3/186th Infantry Regiment  
same as 170th Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,3/213th Infantry Regiment  
same as 170th Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,3/173rd 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)  
4/173rd Artillery Regiment  
1 Calibration Detachment  
1 Signals Platoon  
3 Batteries (4 150mm sFH & 2 LMGs ea)  
173rd Panzer Abwehr Battalion  
1 (mot) Signals Platoon  
3 (mot) Companies (12 37mm PAK 36 & 6 LMGs ea)  
173rd Reconnaissance (motorcycle) Company (9 LMGs, 2 HMGs &  
3 50mm mortars)  
173rd (tmot) Pioneer Battalion  
2 Pioneer Companies (9 LMGs ea)  
1 (mot) Pioneer Company (9 LMGs)  
Brüko T  
1 Light Pioneer Supply Column  
173rd (tmot) Signals Battalion  
1 (tmot) Telephone Company

1 (mot) Radio Company  
1 (mot) Signals Supply Column  
173rd Supply Troop  
173rd (mot) Maintenance Platoon  
173rd Supply Company  
1/,2/,3/173rd (mot) Light Supply Columns  
4/,5,6/,7/,8/,9/,10/173rd Light Supply Column  
7/173rd (mot) Light Fuel Column  
173rd Divisional Administration  
173rd (mot) Butcher Company  
173rd (mot) Field Bakery  
1/173rd Medical Company  
2/173rd (mot) Medical Company  
1/,2/173rd (mot) Ambulances  
173rd Veterinary Company  
173rd (tmot) Military Police Troop  
173rd (mot) Field Post Office

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