Weekly Strength Report 4th Panzer Army 20 December 1942

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<u>336th Infantry Division: (28/216/1,033)<sup>1</sup></u>
      9 weak and 3 foughtout infantry battalions
      5 105mm lFH batteries (total 20 guns)
      1 150mm sFH battery (3 guns)
      1 nebelwerfer battery (8 launchers)
      4 75mm PAK 40 (motorized)
      10 50mm PAK 38 (7 motorized & 3 horse drawn)
      Pioneer Battalion in Stalingrad
<u>384th Infantry Division: (64/320/1420)</u>
      3 strong infantry battalions
      3 medium strength infantry battalions
      2 cut up infantry battalions
      7 weak infantry battalions
      1 fought out infantry battalion
      1 lFH battery (3 guns)
      2 sFH batteries (total 5 guns)
      1 Nebelwerfer battery (3 launchers
      1 heavy flak battery (4 88mm & 2 20mm guns) (100% mobile)
      2 75mm PAK 40
      7 50mm PAK 40
      2 47mm Russian AT guns
      1 37mm AT/Flak gun
      1 weak pioneer battalion
7th Luftwaffe Field Division: (22/332/1,223)
      2 strong jäger battalions
      1 mediujm strength jäger battalion
      2 light btrys (6 total guns)
      1 assault gun battery (3-75mm langrohr stugs)
      1 heavy flak battery (2 88mm guns)
      2 light flak batteries (19 20mm guns)
      10 50mm PAK 38 AT guns
      8 75mm PAK 40 AT guns
      1 pioneer company
11th Panzer Division:
      1 medium strength panzer grenadier battalion
      2 cut up panzer grenadier battalions
      1 fought out panzer grenadier battalion
      6 light battery (20 105mm guns)
      1 heavy battery (3 150mm guns)
      2 heavy flak batteries (6 88mm & 6 20mm guns)
      4 light flak batteries (37 20mm guns & 4 guad 20mm)
      7 75mm infantry guns
      2 150mm infantry guns
      18 50mm PAK 38 AT guns
     3 Panzer Mk III short
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¹ strength figures are officers, NCOs and men as of 12/19/42.

18 Panzer Mk III long 2 Panzer Mk IV (long) 2 Command tanks 1 cut up pioneer battalion Stumpffeld Group: (29/191/988) 1 medium strength infantry battalions 1 cut up infantry battalion 3 weak infantry battalions 1 105mm lFH 18 howitzers 2 88mm flak guns 2 20mm flak guns 3 75mm PAK 40 2 50mm PAK 38 3 37mm PAK 36 Gurgstaller Group: (4/33/112) organization unknown, apparently only an infantry company sized unit. <u>16th (mot)</u> Infantry Division: 1/60th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (500 men)(52% mobile) 2/60th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (643) (65%) 3/60th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (570) (42%) 1/156th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (410) (40%) 2/156th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (570) (27%) 3/156th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (450) (10% 65th Motorcycle Battalion (653) (without one armored car company) (armored car company (63 men)25% mobile) Strong pioneer battalion (40% mobile) 450th Turkish Battalion (845) 782nd Turkish Battalion (642) 811th Turkish Battalion (609) 3 105mm lFH batteries (4 guns ea) 3 105mm lFH batteries (5 guns ea, only 4 mobile) 1 105mm lFH battery (4 guns, only 3 mobile) 1 100mm K18 (gun) battery (4 guns) 1 150mm sFH battery (1 mobile gun) 2 heavy flak batteries (2 mobile 88mm guns ea) 1 light flak battery (10 20mm guns) 6 76.2mm PAK 38 (r) self propelled AT guns 4 75mm PAK 97/38 AT guns 11 50mm PAK 38 AT guns 675th Pioneer Batatlion (421 men) <u>23rd Panzer Division</u> (3,686 men as of 12/20/42) 1/126th (GPW) Panzer Grenadier Regiment (medium strength) (65% mobile) 1/128th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (strong) (100% mobile) 2/128th Panzer Grenadier Regiment (cut up) (100% mobile) 2/126th Panzer Grenadier Regiment 51st Pioneer Battalion (2 companies, 40-45 men ea) 23rd Motorcycle Battalion (disbanded) 1/,2/,3/201st Panzer Regiment 2 Panzer II 2 Panzer III (short) 6 Panzer III (long) 4 Panzer III (75mm short)

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6 Panzer IV (long
            1 Command Tank
     1/,2/,3/128th Artillery Regiment
            3 light batteries (4 105mm lFH 18 ea)
            2 light batteries (3 105mm lFH 18 ea)
            1 light battery (2 105mm lFH 18)
            2 heavy batteries (3 150mm sFH 18 ea)
            1 heavy battery (3 100mm 18K guns)
      128th Panzerjäger Battalion
            4 75mm PAK (mot) AT guns
            7 PAK 40 Self Propelled (as of 12/21/42)
6th Panzer Division: (7,800 men as of 12/20/42)
      4 strong panzer grenadier battalions, fully mobile
      1 strong pioneer battalion, fully mobile
      1 strong motorcycle battalion, fully mobile
     8 Panzer II
    25 Panzer III (long)
    13 Panzer III (short)
    5 Panzer IV (long)
     4 Command tanks
      4 light field howitzer batteries (4 105mm lFH 18 ea)
      2 light field howitzer batteries (3 105mm lFH 18 ea)
      1 heavy field howitzer battery (4 150mm sFH 18)
      1 heavy field howitzer battery (1 150mm sFH 18)
      1 heavy field howitzer battery (3 150mm sFH 18)
      8 PAK 36 (self propelled)
      9 PAK 40 (motorized)
11th Panzer Division: (as of 12/21/42)
      2 cut up panzer grenadier battalions (100% mobile)
      1 weak panzer grenadier battalion (100% mobile)
      1 fought out panzer grenadier battalion (100% mobile)
      1 cut up pioneer battalion (100% mobile)
      1 medium strength motorcycle battalion (100% mobile)
      6 light batteries (total 20 guns) (100% mobile)
      2 heavy batteries (total 7 guns) (100% mobile)
      2 heavy flak batteries (total 6 88mm guns) (100% mobile)
      4 light flak batteries (total 39 20mm guns) (100% mobile)
    18 50mm PAK 38 AT guns
    18 Panzer III (long)
     3 Panzer III (short)
     2 Panzer IV (short)
     2 Panzer IV (long)
17th Panzer Division: (organizatoin as of 12/21/42) (4,180 men
            under arms on 12/20/42)
      3 medium panzer grenadier battalions (80% mobile)
      1 cut up panzer grenadier battalion (80% mobile)
      1 strong motorcycle battalion (75% mobile)
      1 weak pioneer battalion (70% mobile)
      6 light batteries (total 16 guns) (100% mobile)
      3 heavy batteries (total 7 guns) (100% mobile)
     5 75mm PAK 41 AT guns (note, not the PAK 40, but the PAK 41)
     5 76.2mm PAK 38(r) AT guns
    18 Panzer III (long)
     3 Panzer III (short)
     9 Panzer IV (short)
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3 Panzer IV (long) 3 Command tanks

Key: Strong over 400 men Medium over 300 men Cut up over 200 men Weak under 200 men

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