## Italian Army 1 March 1943

Commando do Gruppo Armate Asse: General Messe 131st "Centauro" Armored Division: General Calvi di Bergolo German 164th Light Afrika Division German 90th Light Afrika Division Ramke Fallschirmjäger Brigade Elements of the RCTL Elements of Free Libya 1st MVSN della Libia Legion 5th Battalion 6th Battalion 570th CCNN Battalion 10th "M" Battalion XX Corps: General Orlando 45th "Bersaglieri di Africa" Division: General Sozzani 101st "Trieste" (mot) Division: General La Ferla XXI Corps: General Berardi 16th "Pistoia" Division: General Falugi German 15th Panzer Division 80th "La Spezia" Division: General Pizzaolato German 5th Army: German 21st Panzer Division German 10th Panzer Division German 334th Infantry Division German Manteuffel Infantry Division German Herman Göring Infantry Division XXX Corps: General Songno 1st "Superga" Division: General Gelich L Special Brigade: General Imporiali Italian Supreme Command in Greece Com. Sup.FF.AA. Grecia: General Geolso 51st "Siena" Division: General Carta LI Infantry Brigade: General Chatrian 19th CCNN Battalion 141st CCNN Battalion III Corps: General Rossi (Volo, Greece) 11th "Brennero" Division: General Princivalle 24th "Pinerolo" Division: General Benelli 36th "Forli" Division: no commander assigned 35th CCNN Battalion L'Aquila CCNN Group 120th CCNN Battalion 130th CCNN Battalion 230th Armi Accompagnamento CCNN Battalion VIII Corps: General Marghinotti (Xilokastron, Greece) 29th "Piemonte" Division: General Naldi 59th "Cagliari" Division: General Angioy 28th CCNN Battalion Etna CCNN Legion 166th CCNN Battalion 167th CCNN Battalion

266th Armi Accompagnamento CCNN Battalion XXVI Corps: General Dalla Bona (Janina, Greece) 33rd "Acqui" Division: General Chiminello 37th "Modena" Division: General Caracciolo 56th "Casale" Division: General Maggiani 36th CCNN Battalion Po CCNN Group 20th CCNN Battalion 23rd CCNN Battalion 223rd Armi Accompagnamento CCNN Battalion Italian Supreme Command in Albania Com. Sup.FF.AA. Albania: General Dalmazzo CCNN: Csg. Italo Di Pasquale 115th CCNN Battalion 92nd CCNN Legion 92nd CCNN Battalion 95th CCNN Battalion 109th CCNN Battalion 80th CCNN Legion 26th CCNN Battalion 67th CCNN Battalion 8th "M" Battalion 29th "M" Battalion IV Corps: General Spatocco (Durazzo, Albania) 38th "Pulgie" Division: General d'Arle 41st "Firenze" Division: General Azzi XXV Corps: General Mondino 49th "Parma" Division: General Podio 53rd "Arezzo" Division: General d'Arminio Italian Supreme Command of the Italian Islands in the Aegean Com. Sup.FF.AA. Delle Isole Italiane dell'Egeo: General Campioni 6th "Cuneo" Division: General Soldarelli 50th "Regina" Division: General Scaroina 24th CCNN Legion 24th CCNN Battalion 25th CCNN Battalion 201st CCNN Legion 201st CCNN Battalion 301st CCNN Battalion Italian Supreme Command Dalmatia/Slovania (2nd Army) Com. Sup.FF.AA. Dalmatia/Slovenia: General Robotti V Corps: General Gloria (Cirquenizza, Croatia) 13th "Rè" Division: General Pelligra 57th "Lombardia" Division: General Zatti XIV Coastal Brigade: General Amato Italo 137th CCNN Legion 134th CCNN Battalion 137th CCNN Battalion 75th CCNN Legion 75th CCNN Battalion 76th CCNN Battalion 33rd CCNN Battalion 54th CCNN Battalion 58th CCNN Battalion 81st CCNN Battalion

16th "M" Battalion VI Corps: General Piazzoni (Ragusa, Croatia) 32nd "Marche" Division: Amico 18th "Messina" Division: General Spicacci 154th "Murge" Division: General Negri Paride 155th "Emili" Division: General G. Romano 108th CCNN Legion 102nd CCNN Battalion 108th CCNN Battalion 49th CCNN Legion 40th CCNN Battalion 49th CCNN Battalion XI Corps: General Gambara (Lubiana, Slovenia) 14th "Isonzo" Division: General Marccario 22nd "Cacciatori della Alpi" Division: General V. Ruggero 153rd "Macerata" Division: General Quarra 98th CCNN Legion 98th CCNN Battalion 117th CCNN Battalion 105th CCNN Legion 104th CCNN Battalion 105th CCNN Battalion 71st CCNN Battalion 85th "M" Battalion XVIII Corps: General Spigo (Spalato, Dalmatia) 12th "Sassari" Division: General Zani 15th "Bergamo" Division: General Becuzzi 158th "Zara" Division: General Viale 1st Celere "Eugenio di Savoia" Division: General Lomaglio XVII Coastal Brigade: General Cigala Fulgosi 73rd CCNN Legion 73rd CCNN Battalion 44th CCNN Battalion 89th CCNN Legion 89th CCNN Battalion 97th CCNN Battalion Raggruppamento CC.NN. XXI Aprile: Cos/te Ltg. Ronzo Montagna 2nd CCNN Legion 1st CCNN Battalion 2nd CCNN Battalion 4th CCNN Battalion Independent <u>CCNN</u> <u>Battalions</u> Confinario "M" CCNN Battalion 83rd Squadristi CCNN Battalion (at disposition of the Fiume Prefectura

## Italian Troop Command in Montenegro

<u>Commando Truppe Montenegro/XIV Corps</u>: General Mentasti (Podgorica, Montenegro) 19th "Venezia" Division: General Bonini 23rd "Ferrara" Division: General Ceriana Mayneri 151st "Perugli" Division: General Pentimalli

1st "Taurienese" Alpini Division: General Vivalda 10th CCNN Legion 53rd CCNN Battalion 162nd CCNN Battalion 86th CCNN Legion 86th CCNN Battalion 94th CCNN Battalion 72nd CCNN Legion 72nd CCNN Battalion 111th CCNN Battalion 144th CCNN Battalion Operational in Russia<sup>1</sup> 8th Army: General Gariboldi (Russia) II <u>Corps</u>: Unassigned 2nd "Sforzesca" Division: General Pellegrini 3rd "Ravenna" Division: General Dupont 5th "Cosseria" Division: General Grazzale "23 Marzo" CCNN Raggruppamento Valle Scrivia CCNN Group 5th CCNN Battalion 34th CCNN Battalion 41st CCNN Battalion Leonessa CCNN Group 14th CCNN Battalion 15th CCNN Battalion 38th CCNN Battalion XXXV Corps: General Zingales 9th "Pasubio" Division: no commander assigned 52nd "Torino" Division: no commander assigned 3rd Celere "Prinicipe Amendeo, Duca d'Aosta" Division: Gen. de Blasio "3rd Gennaio" CCNN Raggruppamento Tagliamento CCNN Group 63rd CCNN Battalion 79th CCNN Battalion Montebello CCNN Group 30th CCNN Battalion 6th CCNN Battalion 12th CCNN Battalion Alpine Army Corps: General Narsci 156th "Vicenza" Division: no commander assigned 2nd "Tridentina" Alpini Division: General Reverberi 3rd "Julia" Alpini Division: no commander assigned 4th "Cunsense" Alpini Division: no commander assigned

## Army Group South

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Italian units in Italy were effectively destroyed by the Russian offensives in February and March 1943. The Italian document indicates that "a residue" remains. That is a very accurate representation of the strength of these divisions.

Gruppo Armate Sud: Marshal Umberto di Savoia <u>5th</u> <u>Army</u>: General Caracedolo 184th "Nembo" Division: General Ronco Ercole VII Corps: General Carboni (Bastia Corsica) 20th "Friuli" Division: General Cotronei 44th "Cremona" Division: General Solinas 225th Coastal Division: no commander assigned 226th Coastal Division: no commander assigned 90th CCNN Legion 90th CCNN Battalion 143rd CCNN Battalion 55th CCNN Legion 55th CCNN Battalion 80th CCNN Battalion 88th CCNN Legion 88th CCNN Battalion 96th CCNN Battalion 43rd "M" da sabrco Battalion 60th "M" da sabrco Battalion XIII Corps: General Basso (Cagliari) 30th "Sabauda" Division: General Zenati 31st "Calabria" Division: General Castagna 47th "Bari" Division: General Ferone 204th Coastal Division: General Mora 205th Coastal Division: General Manildo IV Coastal Brigade: General Balbo Berteno XIII Coastal Brigade: General Provanzano 177th CCNN Legion 177th CCNN Battalion 178th CCNN Battalion 176th CCNN Legion 175th CCNN Battalion 176th CCNN Battalion 152nd CCNN Legion 152nd CCNN Battalion 155th CCNN Battalion 30th CCNN Raggruppamento 195th CCNN Legion 3rd CCNN Battalion 61st CCNN Battalion XVII Corps: General Barbieri (Rome) 10th "Piave" Division: General Tabellini 21st "Granatieri di Sardegna" Division: General G. Ruggiero 220th Coastal Division: General Sant'Andrea 221st Coastal Division: General Minaja 62nd CCNN Battalion 6th Army: General Roatta 4th "Livorno" Division: General Chirieleison XVIII Coastal Brigade: General Mariscalco 17th CCNN Legion 17th CCNN Battalion 18th CCNN Battalion XII Corps: General Arisio (Corleone)

26th "Assietta" Division: General Papini 28th "Aosta" Division: General Manzi 202nd Coastal Division: General Sibillo 207th Coastal Division: General Scheriber 208th Coastal Division: General Binacchi 171st CCNN Legion 168th CCNN Battalion 171st CCNN Battalion XVI Corps: General C. Rossi (Piazza Armerina) 54th "Napoli" Division: General Gotti Porcinari 206th Coastal Division: General D'Havet 213th Coastal Division: General Tosi 173rd CCNN Legion 169th CCNN Battalion 173rd CCNN Battalion 7th Army: General Adalbergo di Savoia Duca di Bergamo IX Corps: General Armellini (Bari, Italy) 152nd "Piceno" Division: General Coronati 210th Coastal Division: General Colonna IX Coastal Brigade: General Amato Luigi 93rd CCNN Battalion 146th CCNN Battalion XXXI Corps: General Mercalli (Catanzaro) 104th "Mantova" Division: General Bologna 211th Coastal Division: General Gonnella 212th Coastal Division: General Medari XI Coastal Brigade: General Pellegrini 95th CCNN Legion 9th CCNN Battalion 163rd CCNN Battalion Difter Naples 222nd Coastal Division: General Antoniazzi Occupation of France <u>4th</u> <u>Army</u>: General Vercellino (France) 5th "Pusteria" Alpini Division: General de Castiglioni LII Special Brigade: General Carasi C Infantry Brigade: General Peroglio CX Artillery Brigade: General Froio <u>I</u> <u>Corps</u>: General Romero (Grasse, France) 58th "Legnano" Division: General Olmi 2nd Celere "Eugenio Filiberto" Division: General Badino Rossi 224th Coastal Division: General Mazzini XV Corps: General Bancale (Carcare, Italy) 103rd "Piacenza" Division: General C. Rossi 105th "Rovigo" Division: General Rovida 6th "Alpi Graie" Alpini Division: General Girotti 201st Coastal Division: General Salvi XXII Corps: General Ollearo (Hyères, France) 7th "Lupi di Roscana" Division: General Reisoli 48th "Taro" Division: General Pedrazzoli 223rd Coastal Division: General De Cia 42nd "M" de sbarco Battalion 50th "M" de sbarco Battalion

Independent Corps:

XIX <u>Corps</u>: unassigned (Bolzano) "8e di Marcia" Division: General E. Conti XXIII <u>Corps</u>: General Ferrero (Triest) 157th "Novara" Division: General Paolini 159th "Veneto" Division: General Krall

## <u>Difter</u> <u>Firenza</u>:

XV Coastal Brigade: General Gritti XVI Coastal Brigade: General Maestrelli

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