

Japanese Forces
Battle of Northern Burma-Western Yunnan
Early April 1944

Burma Front Army: Shozo Kawabe

28th Corps: Shozo Sakuri (southwest Burma)

2nd Division: (Transferred in July to 33rd Corps)

3rd Brigade:

4th Infantry Regiment
29th Infantry Regiment

15th Brigade:

16th Infantry Regiment
30th Infantry Regiment

Other:

2nd Cavalry Regiment
2nd Artillery Regiment
2nd Engineer Regiment
2nd Transportation Regiment

54th Division:

111th Infantry Regiment
121st Infantry Regiment
154th Infantry Regiment
54th Reconnaissance Regiment
54th Artillery Regiment (24-75mm guns & 12-105mm how)
54th Engineer Regiment
54th Signal Unit
54th Transport Regiment

55th Division:

55th Infantry Group
112th Infantry Regiment
143rd Infantry Regiment
144th Infantry Regiment
55th Cavalry Regiment
55th Mountain Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
55th Engineer Regiment
55th Signal Unit
55th Transport Regiment

15th Corps: Reinya Mudokuch

15th Division: (Central Burma)

51st Infantry Regiment
60th Infantry Regiment
67th Infantry Regiment
21st Artillery Regiment (36-75mm guns)
15th Engineer Regiment
15th Signal Unit
15th Transport Regiment

31st Division: (Central Burma)

58th Infantry Regiment
124th Infantry Regiment
158th Infantry Regiment
31st Mountain Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
31st Engineer Regiment
31st Signal Unit

31st Transport Regiment
33rd Division: Genichi Yanagida (Central Burma)
 213th Infantry Regiment
 214th Infantry Regiment
 215th Infantry Regiment
 33rd Mountain Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
 33rd Engineer Regiment
 33rd Signal Unit
 33rd Transport Regiment
33rd Corps: Zaiichi Kitamasa
18th Division: Shinichi Tanaka (northern Burma)
 55th Infantry Regiment
 56th Infantry Regiment
 114th Infantry Regiment
 18th Mountain Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
 12th Engineer Regiment
 18th Signal Unit
 12th Transport Regiment
53rd Division:
 119th Infantry Regiment
 128th Infantry Regiment
 151st Infantry Regiment
 53rd Reconnaissance Regiment
 53rd Artillery Regiment (24-75mm guns & 12-105mm how)
 53rd Engineer Regiment
 53rd Signal Unit
 53rd Transport Regiment
56th Division:
 115th Infantry Regiment
 146th Infantry Regiment
 148th Infantry Regiment
 56th Reconnaissance Regiment
 56th Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
 56th Engineer Regiment
 56th Signal Unit
 56th Transport Regiment
24th Separate Brigade:
 138th Independent Infantry Battalion
 139th Independent Infantry Battalion
 140th Independent Infantry Battalion
 141st Independent Infantry Battalion
 24th Independent Mixed Brigade Artillery Unit
 24th Independent Mixed Brigade Engineer Unit
 24th Independent Mixed Brigade Signal Unit
49th Division:
 168th Infantry Regiment (only unit assigned)

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