British IX Corps Burma Theater January-July 1944

Commanding Officer: Lieutnant General G.A.P.Scoones Corps Troops: Armor: Brigadier R.L.Scoones HQ 254th Indian Tank Brigade 3rd Carabiniers 7th Cavalry "C" Squadron, 150th Regiment, RAC 401st Field Squadron, IE (less 1 troop) 3/4th Bombay Grenadiers (motorized) (less 1 company) Artillery: Brigadier P.S.Myburgh 8th Medium Regiment, RA 67th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment, RA 28th Light Anti-Aircraft Regiment, RA 78th Light Anti-Aircraft Regiment, RA 15th Punjab Anti-Tank Regiment, RA 2nd Survey Regiment, RA (1 battery) Engineers: Brigadier H.Williams 75th Field Company, IE 424th Field Company, IE 94th (Faridkot) Field Company, IE 305th Field Park Company, IE 854th Bridging Company, IE 16th Battalion, IE 336th Forestry Company, IE 3rd West African Field Company Signals: IV Corps Signals Infantry: 9th Jat Machinegun Battalion 15/11th Sikh Regiment Chin Hills Battalion, Burma Army 3rd AssamRifles 4th Assam Rifles 78th Infantry Company Kalibahadur Regiment (Nepalese) Gwalior Infantry, ISF (1 co) 5th Indian Division: Major General H.R.Briggs¹ 5th Indian Infantry Division: Major General G.C. Evans² Artillery: Brigadier E.C.R.Mansergh 4th Field Regiment, RA 28th Jungle Field Regiment, RA 56th Light Anti-Aircraft/Anti-Tank Regiment, RA 24th Indian Mountain Regiment

¹ under command from 19th March 1944, less 161st Infantry Brigade with XXXIII Corps.

² Division assigned to IV Corps on 19 March.

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Engineers:
          2nd Field Company, IE
          20th Field Company, IE
          74th Field Company, IE
          44th Field Park Company, IE
          1st Bridging Section, IE
     Signals:
          5th Indian Divisional Signals
     <u>Divisional HQ Infantry Battalion:</u>
          3/2nd Punjab Regiment
     9th Indian Infantry Brigade Brigadier G.C. Evans<sup>3</sup>
          2nd West Yorkshire Regiment
          3/9th Jat Regiment
          3/14th Punjab Regiment
     123rd Infantry Brigade: Brigadier T.J.Winterton<sup>4</sup>
          2nd Suffolk Regiment
          2/1st Punjab Regiment
          3/14th Dogra Regiment
     161st Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier D.F.W.Warren<sup>5</sup>
          4th Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment
          1/1st Punjab Regiment
          4/7th Rajput Regiment
     89th Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier W.A.Crowther<sup>6</sup>
          2nd Kings Own Scottish Borderers
          1/11th Sikh Regiment
          4/8th Gurkha Rifles
     Medical:
          10th Indian Field Ambulance
          45th Indian Field Ambulance
          75th Indian Field Ambulance
17th Indian Light Division: Major General D.T.Cowan
     Artillery: Brigadier The Baron de Robreck
          21st Indian Mountain Regiment
          29th Indian Mountain Regiment
          129th Light Field Regiment, RA
          82nd Light Anti-Aircraft/Anti-Tank Regiment, RA
     Engineers;
          60th Field Company, IE
          70th Field Company, IE
          414th 60th Field Park Company, IE
     Signals:
          17th Indian Divisional Signals
     Divisioanl Infantry:
          1st West Yorkshire Regiment (divisional support battalion)
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³ Brigadier J.A.Salomons from 2/25/44.

⁴ Brigadier G.C.Evans from 2/25/44, Brigadier E.J.Denholm-Young from 7/1/44.

⁵ Assigned to XXXIII Corps.

⁶ After 7 May 1944.

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4/12th Frontier Force Regiment (divisional HQ battalion)
          7/10th Baluch Regiment (divisional reconnaissance battalion)
     48th Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigdier R.T.Cameron
          9th Border Regiment
          2/5th Royal Gurkha Rifles
          1/7th Gurkha Rifles
     63rd Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier A.E.Cumming8
          1/3rd Gurkha Rifles
          1/4th Gurkha Rifles
          1/10th Gurkha Rifles
     Medical:
          23rd Indian Field Ambulance
          37th Indian Field Ambulance
20th Indian Division: Major General D.D. Bracey
     Artillery: Brigadier J.A.E.Hirst
          9th Field Artillery Regiment, RA
          114th Jungle Field Artillery Regiment, RA
          23rd Indian Mountain Regiment
          55th Light Anti-Aircraft/Anti-Tank Regiment, RA
     Engineers:
          92nd Field Company, IE
          422nd Field Company, IE
          481st Field Company, IE
          309th Field Park Company, IE
          9th Bridging Section, IE
     Signals;
          20th Indian Divisional Signals
     <u>Divisional HQ Infantry Battalion:</u>
          4/3rd Madras Regiment
     32nd Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier D.A.L.Mackenzie
          1st Northamptonshire Regiment
          9/14th Punja Regiment
          3/8th Gurkha Rifles
     80th Indian Infnatry Brigade: Brigadier S.Greeves
          1st Devonshire Regiment
          9/12th Frontier Force Regiment
          3/1st Gurkha Rifles
     100th Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier W.A.L.James
          2nd Border Regiment
          14/13th Frontier Force Regiment
          4/10th Gurkha Rifles
     Medical:
          42nd Indian Field Ambulance
          55th Indian Field Ambulance
          59th Indian Field Ambulance
23rd Indian Infantry Division: Major General O.L.Roberts
     Artillery: Brigadier R.W.Andreas
          158th Jungle Field Regiment, RA
          3rd Indian Field Regiment
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⁷ Brigadier R.C.O. Hedley from 5/31/44.

⁸ Brigadier G.W.S.Burton from 1/13/44.

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28th Indian Mountain Regiment
          2nd Indian Light Anti-Aircraft/anti-Tank Regiment
     Engineers:
          68th Field Company, IE
          71st Field Company, IE
          91st Field Company, IE
          323rd Field Park Company, IE
          10th Bridging Section, IE
     Signals:
          2/19th Hyderabad Regiment
     1st Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier R.C.McCay9
          1st SEaforth Highlanders
          1/16th Punjab Regiment
          1st Patiala Infantry, ISF
     37th Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier H.V.Collingridge<sup>10</sup>
          3/3rd Gurkha Rifles
          3/5th Gurkha Rifles
          3/10th Gurkha Rifles
     49th Indian Infantry Brigade: Brigadier F.A.esse
          4/5th Mahratta Light Infantry
          6/5th Mahratta Light Infantry
          5/6th Rajputana Rifles
    Medical:
          24th Indian Field Ambulance
          74th Indian Field Ambulance
          49th Indian Field Ambulance
50th IndianParachute Brigade: Brigadier M.R.J.Hope-Thompson 11
    Engineers:
          411th (Parachute) Field Sugadron, IE
     Infantry:
          152nd Indian Parachute Battalion
          153rd Gurkha Parachute Battalion
          50th Indian Parachute Machinegun Battalion
          80th Indian Field Ambulance
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⁹ Brigadier R.C.M.King from 2/25/44.

¹⁰ Brigadier J.F.Marindin from 6/15/44.

¹¹ Brigadier E.G.Woods from 5/22/44.