## Japanese 31st Army late May 1944

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Group on Truk:
     52nd Division
           69th Infantry Regiment
           107th Infantry Regiment
           150th Infantry Regiment
52nd Division Tank Unit (added fall 1943)
           52nd Cavalry Regiment (detached fall 1943)
           16th Mountain Artillery Regiment (detached fall 1943)
                 (36-75mm mountain guns)
           52nd Engineer Regiment
           52nd Signal Unit
           52nd Transport Regiment
     51st Independent Mixed Brigade
           92nd Independent Infantry Battalion
           93rd Independent Infantry Battalion
94th Independent Infantry Battalion
95th Independent Infantry Battalion
           96th Independent Infantry Battalion
           51st Independent Infantry Brigade Signal Unit
      52nd Independent Mixed Brigade
           106th Independent Infantry Battalion
           107th Independent Infantry Battalion
           108th Independent Infantry Battalion
           52nd Independent Infantry Brigade Signal Unit
     11th Independent Mixed Regiment
     miscellaneous units
<u>Group in Northern Marianas</u>
<u>43rd Division</u>
           118th Infantry Regiment
           135th Infantry Regiment
           136th Infantry Regiment
           43rd Reconnaissance Regiment
           43rd Artillery Regiment (36-75mm guns)
           43rd Engineer Regiment
           43rd Signal Unit
           43rd Transport Regiment
     47th Independent Mixed Brigade
           organization unknown
     9th Independent Mixed Regiment
     miscellaneous units
Group in Southern Marianas:
     29th Division
           29th Infantry Group
           18th Infantry Regiment
           38th Infantry Regiment
           50th Infantry Regiment
           29th Cavalry Regiment
           29th Divisional Tank Unit
           29th Mountain Artillery Regiment (36-75mm mountain guns)
           29th Engineer Regiment
           29th Signal Unit
           29th Transport Regiment
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48th Independent Mixed Brigade
          organization unknown
     10th Independent Mixed Regiment
     miscellaneous units
Group in the Ogasawara Area:
     109th Division
           1st Mixed Brigade
                303rd Infantry Battalion
                304th Infantry Battalion 305th Infantry Battalion
                306th Infantry Battalion
                307th Infantry Battalion
                308th Infantry Battalion
          2nd Mixed Brigade
                309th Infantry Battalion
                310th Infantry Battalion
                311th Infantry Battalion
                312th Infantry Battalion 313th Infantry Battalion
                314th Infantry Battalion
          1st Mixed Regiment
          9th Heavy Artillery Regiment
          109th Divisional AA Unit
          109th Signal Unit
     12th Independent Mixed Regiment
     miscellaneous units
Group in the Palau Area:
    14th Division
          2nd Infantry Regiment
          15th Infantry Regiment
          59th Infantry Regiment
          14th Divisional Tank Unit (added in 1944)
          18th Cavalry Regiment (dropped in 1944)
          20th Artillery Regiment (dropped in 1944) (12-75mm guns,
                24-105mm & 12 150mm howitzers)
          14th Engineer Regiment (dropped in 1944)
          14th Signal Unit
          14th Transport Regiment (dropped in 1944)
     49th Independent Mixed Brigade
          organization unknown
     53rd Independent Mixed Brigade
          organization unknown
     miscellaneous units
Miscellaneous Groups for other Areas:
     50th Independent Mixed Brigade for Yap
          organization unknown
     1st Amphibious Brigade for Marshall & Eniwetok
          1st Mobile Battalion
          2nd Mobile Battalion
          3rd Mobile Battalion
          1st Amphibious Brigade Tank Unit
          1st Amphibious Brigade Machinegun Unit
          1st Amphibious Brigade Engineer Unit
          1st Amphibious Brigade Signal Unit
          1st Amphibious Brigade Transportation Unit
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1st Amphibious Brigade Medical Unit 1st South Sea Detachment for Marshall 2nd South Sea Detachment for Ponape & Kwsaie 13th Independent Mixed Regiment for Wake miscellaneous units

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