

**German Forces
OB Southwest
10-13 March 1945**

Army Group Troops:

Senior Artillery Commander (ARKO) South West
525th ARKO
646th Railroad Artillery Staff
General of Fortress Troops
31st Rock Boring Company (less 1 platoon)
39th Rock Boring Company (1 platoon)
6th Fortress Supply Staff
530th Fortress Pioneer Park
353th Snow Cutting Platoon
Weapons School SW
678th Landeschützen Battalion
527th Landeschützen
783rd Landeschützen
V1 Fortress Panther Tower Company
V2 Fortress Panther Tower Company
1209th Fortress Panther Tower Company
1210th Fortress Panther Tower Company
1/XXX Fortress Anti-Tank Company
2/XXX Fortress Anti-Tank Company
3/XXX Fortress Anti-Tank Company
4/XXI Fortress Anti-Tank Company
V/XXX Fortress Anti-Tank Company
V/XXXI Fortress Anti-Tank Company
598th Signals Regiment
7th Commander of Signals Reconnaissance
697th Signals Battalion z.b.V.
26th Fortress Signals Staff
592nd Signals Park
310th Army Signals Commander
OB South West Signals School
2nd Company/541st Military Police Battalion
699th Propaganda Company
573rd (mot) Survey and Mapping Battalion
502nd (mot) Survey Battery
520th (mot) Light Mapping Detachment
1217 (M) Security Troop
2nd Slovakian Construction Brigade

29th (mot) Division:¹

1/,2/,3/15th Panzer Grenadier Regiment
 1 Self Propelled Heavy Infantry Gun Company
 (6 150mm SIG)
 1 (motZ) Panzerjäger Company
1/,2/,3/71st Panzer Grenadier Regiment
 1 Self Propelled Heavy Infantry Gun Company
 (6 150mm SIG)
 1 (motZ) Panzerjäger Company

¹ Known to be assigned on 3/22/45.

129th Panzer Reconnaissance Battalion (6 cos)
129th Panzer Battalion
 3 Sturmgeschütz Batteries (14 StuGs)
29th Artillery Regiment
 1st Battalion
 3 Self Propelled Batteries
 (4 105mm leFH in Wespe)
 2nd Battalion
 3 (motZ) Batteries (4 105mm leFH)
 3rd Battalion
 2 (motZ) Batteries (4 150mm sFH)
 1 (motZ) Battery (4-100mm K18)
313th Army Flak Battalion
 2 (motZ) Heavy Flak Batteries (4 88mm, 3 20mm)
 1 (motZ) Light Flak Battery (9 20mm, 2 quad 20mm)
29th Pioneer Battalion (3 cos)
29th Signals Battalion (2 cos)
29th Supply Troops
 1/,2/29th (120 ton) Transportation Companies
 3/,4/,5/29th (90 ton) Transportation Companies
 29th (mot) Supply Company
1/,2/29th (mot) Maintenance Companies
29th (75 ton) Maintenance Supply Column
29th (mot) Administration Bureau
29th (mot) Bakery Company
29th (mot) Butcher Company
1/,2/29th (mot) Medical Companies
1/,2/,3/29th Ambulance Platoons
29th (mot) Military Police Troop
29th (mot) Field Post Office

155th Division:²

1227th Grenadier Regiment
1228th Grenadier Regiment
1229th Grenadier Regiment
155th Artillery Battalion
630th Signals Battalion

Army Group Liguria

Army Troops

187th ARKO
413rd Pioneer Staff
1/560th Bridging Battalion
4th Pioneer Training Bridging Battalion
936th Bridging Staffel Staff
2/505th Brüko "B" Bridging Train
2/62nd Brüko "B" Bridging Train
36th Senior Construction Pioneer Commander
790th Construction Pioneer Battalion
792nd Construction Pioneer Battalion
1/789th Construction Pioneer Battalion
432nd Construction Pioneer Battalion

² The 155th Infantry Division was known to be assigned on 3/22/45. Very little is known about this division as it was newly formed and records are very limited as to its organization.

1st, 2nd & 3rd Platoons, 134th Fortress Pioneer Company
31st Stone Boring Company (1 platoon)
34th Geological Troop
354th Snow Cutting Half Platoon
Panzer Zerstörer Training Company
487th Signals Battalion
909th Military Police Battalion
911th Military Police Battalion
969th Military Police Battalion
940th Military Police Battalion
477th Propoganda Commander Liguria

LXXV Corps:

Corps Troops:

107th ARKO
451st Army Artillery Battalion (3 (motZz btrys with
150mm sFH & 100mm K guns)
52nd Mountain Observation Battery
79th Mountain Observation Battery
West Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
1107th Coast Artillery Battalion
1st & 2nd Btrys, 1111th Coast Artillery Battalion
1291st (?) Coast Artillery Battalion
60th (mot) Pioneer Battalion (1 co)
821st Construction Pioneer Battalion
2/14th Fortress Pioneer Sector Group
685th Landesschützen Battalion
Maddalena "Meeralpen" Infantry Regimental Staff
"Liguria" Independent Panzer Company
475th Signals Battalion
38th Special Army Troop Regimental Staff

2nd Italian Division "Littorio"

1/,2/,3/3rd Infantry Regiment
1/,2/,3/4th Infantry Regiment
1/,2/,3/,4/2nd Artillery Regiment
2nd Reconnaissance Battalion
2nd Engineer Battalion
2nd Signals Battalion
2nd Replacement Battalion
Supply Troops

4th Italian Mountain Division "Monte Rosa"

1/,2/,3/7th Mountain Regiment
1,2/,3/8th Mountain Regiment
1/,2/,3/,4/4th Mountain Artillery Regiment
Battalion "Saluzzo"
Battalion "Vestone"
4th Reconnaissance Battalion
4th Engineer Battalion
4th Signals Battalion
4th Replacement Battalion
Supply Troops

5th Mountain Division

1/,2/,3/85th Gebirgsjäger Regiment
1/,2/,3/100th Gebirgsjäger Regiment
1/,2/,3/95th Gebirgs (Mountain) Artillerie Regiment
95th Panzerjäger Battalion

95th Reconnaissance Battalion
95th Pioneer Battalion
95th Signals Battalion
95th Supply Troop

34th Division:

1/,2/,3/80th Grenadier Regiment
1/,2/,3/105th Grenadier Regiment
1/,2/,3/253rd Grenadier Regiment
1/,2/,3/34th Artillery Regiment
1/70th Artillery Regiment
34th Reconnaissance Battalion
34th Panzerjäger Battalion
34th Pioneer Battalion
34th Signals Battalion
34th Supply Troop

Lombardy Corps:

Corps Troops:

494th ARKO
554th (mot) Army Artillery Regimental Staff z.b.V.
459th Railroad Artillery Battery (3 320mm guns
4 20mm flak 38, 3 100mm Yugoslav 15 M14
howitzers & 2 20mm Yugoslav 20mm flak guns)
693rd Railroad Artillery Battery (3 320mm guns
2 quad 20mm flak 38, 3 100mm Yugoslav 15 M14
howitzers & 2 20mm Yugoslav 20mm flak guns)
932nd Army Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
933rd Army Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
1104th Coast Artillery Battalion
1105th Coast Artillery Battalion
1106th Coast Artillery Battalion
5th Btry/608th Coast Artillery Battalion
677th Coast Artillery Battalion
1008th Coast Artillery Battalion
3rd & 4th Btrys/1111th Coast Artillery Battalion
4th Pioneer Training Batalion (2 cos)
501st Flak Battaion
135th Fortress Brigade Staff
900th Fortress Battalion
905th Fortress Battalion
907th Fortress Battalion
1019th Lnadesschützen Battalioin
Genoa Fortress Command
494th Signals Battalion

3rd Italian Division "San Marco"

1/,2/,3/5th Naval Infantry Regiment
1/,2/,3/6th Naval Infantry Regiment
1/,2/,3/,4/2nd Artillery Regiment
3rd Reconnaissance Battalion
3rd Engineer Battalion
3rd Signals Battalion
3rd Replacement Battalion
Supply Troops

135th Infantry Brigade:

organization unknown

14th Army

Army Troops:

317th Senior Artillery Command
518th (mot) Weather Platoon
649th Calibration Troop
604th (mot) Pioneer Regimental Staff
45th Pioneer Battalion (less 2 cos)
560th Pioneer Bridging Battalions (less 2 cos)
44th (mot) Brüko "B"
886th (mot) Brüko "B"
897th (mot) Brüko "G"
1/736th Construction Pioneer Battalion
789th Construction Pioneer Battalion (1 co detached)
2/791st Construction Pioneer Battalion
Panzerzerstörer Training Company
524th Signals Battalion
593rd Signals Park
541st Military Police Battalion
614th Propoganda Unit
936th Security Troop
64th Military Police Company
BII, V, VI, VIII, XI, & XII Protectorate Troops
2 Slovakian Technical Divisions

LI Corps:

Corps Troops:

451st Arko
2/51st Army Artillery Regiment (3 btrys,
with total of 7 105mm leFH 18/RSO)
733rd Army Artillery Battalion (3 btrys,
each with 3 105mm leFH 18/RSO)
922nd (motZ) Army Artillery Battery (1-170mm gun &
2 210mm mörsars)
914th Army Stumgeschütz Brigade
(13 75mm Stu K40)
(10 105mm Stu H42)
4th High Mountain Battery
1st Btry - 4 75mm Italian 244 guns
2nd Btry - 4 100mm Yugoslav 315 guns
3rd Btry - 4 75mm Geb 36 Mountain Guns
Sterz (mot) Army Artillery Battery (only personnel)
70th (tmot) Observation Battalion (3 btrys)
2nd & 3rd Cos, 45th (mot) Pioneer Battalion
112nd Pioneer Regimental Staff z.b.V.
791st Pioneer Construction Battalion (less 1 co)
433rd Pioneer Construction Battalion
736th Pioneer Construction Battalion (less 1 co)
30th Rock Boring Company
19th Rock Boring Company
351st Snow Cutting Half Platoon
4th "Mittenwald" Training Battlaion
1014th Landesschützen batatlion
1st Kesselring Machine Gun Battalion
2nd Panther Tower Fortress Company (1 platoon)
451st Mountain Signals Battalion
1219th Security Troop
1st Italian Division "Italia"

1/,2/,3/1st Bersaglieri Regiment
1/,2/,3/2nd Bersaglieri Regiment
1/,2/,3/1st Artillery Regiment
1st Reconnaissance Battalion
1st Signals Battalion
1st Replacement Battalion
Supply Troops

114th Jäger Division³

148th Division⁴

232nd Division⁵

XIV Panzer Corps:

Corps Troops:

414th Arko

764th (motZ) Army Artillery Battalion (3 btrys -
each with 3 150mm sFH 18/40)

659th (mot) Army Artillery Battalion (210mm guns)
(organization unknown)

988th (mot) Army Artillery Battalion (210mm mörser)

1st Btry - 2 210mm mörsars

2nd Btry - 3 152mm (r) 433)

3rd Btry - 2 210mm mörsars

907th Army Sturmgeschütz Brigade

(20 75mm Stu K 40 & 10 105mm Stu H42)

64th (mot) Light Observation Battalion (3 btrys)

307th Army Flak Battalion

520th (mot) Weather Platoon

320th Pioneer Construction Battalion

5th Stone Boring Company (less 1 platoon)

216th Sturmpanzer Battaloin

60th Panzer Signals Battalion

2/692nd Military Police Battalion (less1 platoon)

1097th Secuirty Troop

305th Division⁶

65th Division⁷

94th Division⁸

8th Mountain Division⁹

At Army's Disposal:

³ Present 3/22/45.

⁴ Present 3/22/45.

⁵ Present 3/1/45.

⁶ Present 3/1/45.

⁷ Present 3/1/45, not present 3/22/45.

⁸ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

⁹ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

114th Division¹⁰

See LI Corps

10th Army

Army Troops:

316th Senior Artillery Command
641st (static) Calibration Troop
518th (mot) Calibration Troop
543rd Pioneer Regimental Staff
2/560th Pioneer Bridging Train
95th Brüko "B"
161st Brüko "B"
840th Brüko "I"
818th High Mountain Pioneer Battalion
686th Landesschützen Battalion
Panzerzerstörer Training Company
508th Signals Regiment
511th Signals Battalion
2/692nd (mot) Military Police Battalion
2nd, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 9th, & 10th Protection Troop Battalions

I Fallschirmjäger Corps:

Corps Troops:

122nd Arko
553rd (mot) Artillery Regimental Staff z.b.V.
Artillery Training Brigade
1/Artillery Training Brigade Light Artillery Battalion
450th Army Artillery Battalion (3 btrys, each with
3 155mm French howitzers)
1/Artillery Training Brigade Battalion
1st (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
2nd (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
3rd (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
2/Artillery Training Brigade Battalion
1st (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
2nd (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
3rd (motZ) Btry - 4 105mm leFH 18/40
3/Artillery Training Brigade Battalion
1st (motZ) Btry - 2 170mm guns
2nd (motZ) Btry - 2 210mm mörsers
3rd (motZ) Btry - 2 210mm mörsers
557th Army Artillery Battalion (less 2nd Btry)
1st Btry - 3 210mm mörsars
2nd Btry - 2 170mm guns
3rd Btry - 2 170mm guns
998th (mot) Army Artillery Battalion
1st Btry - 3 122mm 390/2(r) guns
2nd Btry - 3 122mm 390/2(r) guns
3rd Btry - 3 210mm mörsars
5th Nebelwerfer Brigade Staff
56th (mot) Nebelwerfer Regiment (32 150mm & 18 210mm
launchers)
71st (mot) Nebelwerfer Regiment (34 150mm & 16 210mm

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Assigned at army level on 3/1/45, on 3/22/45 assigned to LI Corps.

launchers)
302nd Army Flak Battalion
7th (mot) Light Observation Battalion
519th (tmot) Weather Platoon
500th Flash Ranging Battalion
1/11th Fallschirmjäger Artillery Corps Artillery Regiment
1st & 3rd Cos/430th Construction Pioneer Battalion
5th Rock Boring Company (a platoon)
11th Fusilier Reconnaissance Battalion
21st Fallschirmjäger Sturmgeschütz Brigade
1st Fallschirmjäger Corps Signals Battalion

1st Fallschirmjäger Division¹¹

4th Fallschirmjäger Division¹²

278th Division¹³

334th Division¹⁴

305th Division:¹⁵:

LXXVI Corps:

Corps Troops:

476th Arko

602nd Army Artillery Battalion (3 batteries,
each with 4 105mm leFH RSO)

2nd Btry/557th Army Artillery Battalion (3 210mm mörser)

242nd Army Sturmgeschütz Brigade

(29 75mm Stu K40 & 12 105mm Stu H42)

1-3rd Btrys, 677th Coast Artillery Battalion

71st (tmot) Observation Battalion (3 btrys)

2nd Kesselring Machine Gun Battalion

504th Independent Panzer Battalion

525th Panzerjäger Battalion "Nashorn"

3 Btry/590th (motZ) Panzerjäger Battalion (88mm guns)

470th Signals Battalion

162nd Division¹⁶

42nd Division¹⁷

362nd Division¹⁸

98th Division¹⁹

¹¹ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

¹² Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

¹³ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

¹⁴ Present 3/1/45.

¹⁵ Not present on 3/1/45, but present on 3/22/45.

¹⁶ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

¹⁷ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

¹⁸ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

26th Panzer Division²⁰

LXXIII Corps:

Corps Troops:

504th Arko
923rd (motZ) Army Artillery Battery (3-170mm guns)
927th Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
1113th Coast Artillery Battalion
1115th Coast Artillery Battalion
1117th Coast Artillery Battalion
788th Construction Pioneer Battalion
430th Construction Pioneer Battalion (less 1st & 3rd Cos)
2nd Bn/19th Fortress Pioneer Group
1st Plat/19th Fortress Pioneer Company
38th Stone Boring Company
Jagd Kommando z.b.V (infantry group)
924th Fortress Regimental Staff
903rd Fortress Infantry Battalion
590th (motZ) Panzerjäger Battlaion (88mm guns)
473rd Signals Battalion
692nd Military Police Battalion (less 2nd Co)
670th Secu;irty Battalion
VIII/1B Grenzwacht Battalion
61st Military Police Company
62nd Military Police Company
Staff/,2/,3,4/,5/7/,9/,10/Protectorate Troops
"Testa" Organization

Various Alarm Units

LXXXVII Corps z.b.V:

Corps Troops

497th Arko
712th Railroad Battery (3-320mm 651(f) railroad guns
& 4 20mm flak 38)
2nd Btry/725th Railroad Battery (2 280mm K5 railroad
guns & 4 20mm flak 30 guns)
691st Railroad Battery (2 280mm K5 railroad
guns & 4 20mm flak 30 guns)
1101st Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
1102nd Coast Artillery Regimental Staff
284th Coast Attillery Battalion
284th Coast Attillery Battalion
474th Coast Attillery Battalion
1109th Coast Attillery Battalion
1112th Coast Attillery Battalion
1114th Coast Attillery Battalion
637th (mot) Calibration Troop
30th Fortress Pioneer Staff
1st & 3rd Bns/30th Fortress Group
6th Stone Boring Company
212th Independent Panzer Battalion

¹⁹ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

²⁰ Present 3/1/45, reassigned to I Fallschirmjäger Corps by 3/22/45.

497th Signals Battalion
54th Field Signals Command
409th Security Battalion
705th Security Battalion
1207th (M) Security Battalion
1218th Security Battalion
1209th (M) Security Battalion
Security Battalion
Security Battalion

188th Division²¹

237th Division²²

710th Division²³

At Army's Disposal:

90th Division²⁴

Operational Zone Command Alpenvorland (Alpine Foothills)

Alpenvorland Command Operational Zone Fortress Staff
19th Fortress Pioneer Staff
1/19th Fortress Pioneer Group
2nd & 3rd/19th Fortress Pioneer Companies
Alpenvorland Command Operational Zone Geological Troop
39th Geological Troop (less 1 platoon)
A Grenzwacht Battalion
65th Military Police Company

General of German Army Troops in Italy/Commander Northwest Alpine Operational Zone

Naval Senior Commander South Pioneer Staff
431st Construction Pioneer Battalion
Voralpen Position Command
XX Fortress Pioneer Command
XIII Fortress Pioneer Command
7th Fortress Pioneer Staff
16th Fortress Pioneer Staff
34th Fortress Pioneer Staff
1/,2/,3/7th Fortress Pioneer Group
1/,2/,3/16th Fortress Pioneer Group
1,2/,3/34th Fortress Pioneer Group
1st-3rd/16th Fortress Pioneer Company
1st-3rd/7th Fortress Pioneer Company
32nd Stone Boring Company
7th Stone Boring Company
29th Stone Boring Company
8th Stone Boring Company
7th Geological Troop
40th Geological Troop

²¹ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

²² Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

²³ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

²⁴ Present 3/1/45 through 3/22/45.

1st Geological Troop
Nobling Special Pioneer Staff
111th Special Pioneer Staff
1st SS Geological Battalion
1062nd Induction Group
1061st Induction Group
1136th Induction Group
352nd Snow Cutting Platoon
355th Snow Cutting Platoon
456th Fortress Construction Materials Column
527th Landeschützen Battalion
13th & 14th Cos/550th Signals Park
21st Field Signals Command
51st Field Signals Command
55th Field Signals Command
57th Field Signals Command
59th Field Signals Command
70th Field Signals Command
603rd Feld Hundertschaft
1st Field Direction Battalion z.b.V.