

French Army of the Lower Elbe  
Mid-August 1813

Commanding General: Maréchal Davout

XII Army Corps: Maréchal Davout

Chief of staff: General de brigade Baron de Laville

Adjutant-Commandant: Chef de bataillon Zadera

Major Brosset

Adjunct Captains: Laloy, Chaupin, d'Houdetot

Lieutenant aide-major de Villeneuve

Danish Adjutant: Captain Count Dannstjold Lo"wendal

Artillery Commander: Colonel Ourie

Engineering Cmdr: Chf de Bataillon Vinache

3rd (French) Division: General de division Count Loison  
(total 8,273 men)

Brigade: General de brigade Mielzynski

1/,2/,3/,4/15th Légère Regiment

1/,2/44th Line Regiment

Brigade: General de brigade Le Clerc des Essarts

1/,2/,3/,4/44th Line Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/108th Line Regiment

Artillery:

2 Division Batteries (14 guns)

40th (French) Division: General de division Baron Thiébault  
(total 7,838 men)

Brigade: General de brigade Baron de Champvert

1/,2/,3/,4/30th Line Regiment

Brigade: General de brigade Baron Gengoult

1/,2/,3/,4/61st Line Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/111th Line Regiment

Artillery:

2 Division Batteries (16 guns)

Danish Auxiliary Corps: General Prinz Friedrich von Hessen

Chief of staff: Major Karl von Bardensleth

Asst. CoS: Major Lo"veno"rn von Bardenfleth

Artillery Commander: Lieutenant Colonel d'Aubert

(total 8,777 men)

Advanced Guard: Colonel von Waldeck

2/Schleiswig Jager Corps

1/,2/Holstein Sharpshooter Corps

2/,6/Danish Hussar Regiment

von Gerstenberg 3pdr Foot Battery \*

1st Brigade: Generalmajor Graf Schulenburg

1/,2/,4/Oldenburg Infantry Regiment

Jager Co., 3/Oldenburg Infantry Regiment (1 co)

1/Ko"nigin Infantry Regiment

Jager Co, 2/Ko"nigin Infantry Regiment

Holstein Heavy Cavalry Regiment (4)

Koye 6pdr Foot Battery

2nd Brigade Generalmajor von Lasson

1/Fünensches Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/,Schleswig Infantry Regiment  
3/,4/Holstein Infantry Regiment  
Jutland Light Dragoon Regiment (4)  
von Go"nner 3pdr Horse Battery  
von Lohse 3pdr Foot Battery

Total 40 Danish guns

30th Light Cavalry Brigade: General de brigade L'Allemand

(total 900 men)  
28th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment (2)  
17th Lithuanian Uhlan Regiment (3)

Reserve Artillery:

2 French Reserve Batteries (16 guns)

Hamburg Division: General de division Vichery

Brigade: General de brigade Allains (3,654 men)  
3/,4/,6/3rd Line Regiment  
3/,6/105th Line Regiment

Immobile Division: General de brigade Pietrowski

Brigade: General de brigade Osten (about 3,000 men)

1/,2/33rd Légère Regiment  
1/,2/,3/,4/,5/29th Line Regiment

Brigade: General de brigade Avril

2/,4/,5/105th Line Regiment  
2/,5/3rd Line Regiment

Artillery:

1 Horse Battery (8 guns)\*\*

Garrison of Hamburg:

Governor: General de division Count Hogendorp  
Commandant: General de brigade Baron Soyez  
Chief of staff: Adjudant-Commandant Fernig  
Artillery Cmdr: General de brigade Jouffroy  
Weapons Cmdr: General de brigade Touzard  
Artillery Director: Colonel Castille  
Engineering Director: Colonel Baron Deponthon

Infantry:

Immobile portion of 50th Division

Cavllary: General de division Count de Saint Alphonse

Brigade: General de brigade Baron Guiton  
Regiment de marche (2 light sqn, 1 dragoon sqn &  
1 cuirassier sqn)

Converged Cuirassier Brigade: General de brigade  
Baron Dubois

1st Converged Cuirassier Regiment (4)  
1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Cuirassier Regts  
2nd Converged Cuirassier Regiment (4)  
5th, 6th, 7th, & 8th Cuirassier Regts

3rd Converged Cuirassier Regiment (4)  
9th, 10th, 11th & 12th Cuirassier Regts  
28th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment (3)

Other Troops

Veteran Battalion (560)  
Depot Battalion  
Mounted & Foot Gate Watchers (1 bn) (800 men)  
Mounted & Foot Gendarmes (330 men & 200 horses)  
Artillery (3,630 men)  
Sailors (1,200 men)  
Marine Artisans (400 men)

\* On 1 September Gerstenberg and Koye exchanged companies.  
Thereafter Gerstenberg commanded the 6pdr battery and Koye  
the 3pdr battery.

\*\* Originally contained 3 3pdrs amongst the 8 guns. On 1  
September the battery was reorganized with 4 6pdrs and 2  
howitzers

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