

**German Siege Forces at Antwerp
September 1914**

Army Group Beseler: General der Infanterie Beseler

III Reserve Corps:

5th Reserve Division: Generalleutnant Voigt

9th Reserve Brigade: Generalmajor Briese

1/,2/,3/8th Reserve Regiment

1/,2/,3/48th Reserve Regiment

10th Reserve Brigade: Generalmajor Stumpff

1/,2/,3/12th Reserve Regiment

1/,2/,3/52nd Reserve Regiment

Attached:

3rd Reserve Jäger Battalion

Cavalry:

2nd Reserve Dragoon Regiment (3 sqns)

Artillery: Oberstleutnant Schweinitz

1/5th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment (3 btrys, 4-77mm ea)

2/5th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment (3 btrys, 4-77mm ea)

Engineers:

4th Field Company, 2nd Pioneer Battalion No. 3

8th Reserve Medical Company

2nd Reserve Company, 2nd Pioneer Battalion No. 3

6th Reserve Division: Generalleutnant von Schickfus und Neudorff

11th Reserve Brigade: Generalmajor von Jacobi

1/,2/,3/20th Reserve Regiment

1/,2/,3/24th Reserve Regiment

12th Reserve Brigade: Generalmajor Wachsmuth

1/,2/,3/26th Reserve Regiment

1/,2/,3/35th Reserve Regiment

Cavalry:

3rd Reserve Uhlán Regiment (3 sqns)

Artillery: Oberst vo Oertzen

1/6th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment (3 btrys, 4-77mm ea)

2/6th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment (3 btrys, 4-77mm ea)

Support Troops

1st Reserve Company, 2nd Pioneer Battalion No. 2

6th Reserve Divisional Bridging Train

16th Reserve Medical Company

Corps Troops

3rd Reserve Jäger Battalion

1/2nd Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment

(4 btrys, each with 4-150mm guns)

1st Balloon Squadron

38th Aviation Battalion

3rd Reserve Radio Battalion

4th Ersatz Division: Generalleutnant von Werder

9th Ersatz Brigade: Generalmajor Trip

9th Brigade Ersatz Battalion

10th Brigade Ersatz Battalion

11th Brigade Ersatz Battalion

12th Brigade Ersatz Battalion

13th Ersatz Brigade: Generalmajor von Mechow

13th Brigade Ersatz Battalion

14th Brigade Ersatz Battalion
15th Brigade Ersatz Battalion
16th Brigade Ersatz Battalion
33rd Ersatz Brigade: Generalleutnant Mellor
33rd Brigade Ersatz Battalion
34th Brigade Ersatz Battalion
35th Brigade Ersatz Battalion
81st Brigade Ersatz Battalion

Cavalry:

II Ersatz Cavarly Battalion
IV Ersatz Cavarly Battalion
IX Ersatz Cavarly Battalion

Artillery:

18th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-77mm guns)
39th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
Light Munition Column
40th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-77mm guns)
75th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
Light Munition Column
45th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-77mm guns)
60th Ersatz Field Artillery Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
Light Munition Column

Engineers:

1st Ersatz Company, 3rd Pioneer Battalion
1st Ersatz Company, 4th Pioneer Battalion
1st Ersatz Company, 5th Pioneer Battalion

1st Naval Division:

1st Naval Brigade:

1/, 2/, 3/1st Naval Artillery Regiment
4/, 5/, 6/2nd Naval Artillery Regiment

2nd Brigade:

1/, 5/, 8/1st Naval Infantry Regiment
2/, 4/, 6/2nd Naval Infantry Regiment

Cavalry:

Landwehr Squadron, Mackensen
1/2 Landwehr Squadron, Schwind
1st Bicycle Company
2nd Bicycle Company

Artillery:

1st Landwehr Field Artillery Detachments,
10th Corps District (4-77mm guns)
2nd Landwehr Field Artillery Detachments,
10th Corps District (4-77mm guns)

Support Troops

Landwehr Pioneer Company
28th Reserve Machine Gun Detachment
Fleet Stem Division

26th Landwehr Infantry Brigade: Generalleutnant von Schütz

5/76th Landwehr Regiment
39th Landwehr Regiment (4 bns)
2 Landsturm Cavalry Squadrons
Staff & 2nd Btry, 59th Ersatz Battery (4-77mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
Landsturm Pioneer Company (2/3rds of co)

37th Landwehr Infantry Brigade: Generalleutnant von Meyer

74th Landwehr Regiment (3 bns)
73rd Landwehr Regiment (3 bns)
2 Landsturm Cavalry Squadrons
1st Btry, 59th Ersatz Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
1 Light Munitions Column
26th Field Artillery Ersatz Battalion
1 Light Munitions Column
1/2 Heavy Field Howitzer Battery (2-150mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
2nd Landsturm Pioneer Company, 9th Army Corps District

1st Bavarian Landwehr Infantry Brigade: Generalleutnant Eichhorn

1st Bavarian Landwehr Regiment (3 bns)
2nd Bavarian Landwehr Regiment (3 bns)
1 Landwehr Cavalry Squadron
1 Landsturm Ersatz Battery (4-77mm guns)
Landsturm Pioneer Company

Siege Artillery

5th Reserve Division: Generalmajor Schabel

7th Landwehr Foot Artillery Battalion (1/2 bn present)
(1 btry, 2-150mm guns)
2/3rd Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment (2-150mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
1/3rd Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment (1/2 bn present)
(2-90mm? Flak guns)
1/7th Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment (4-210mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
1/9th Foot Artillery Regiment (2-210mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
2/9th Foot Artillery Regiment (2-210mm guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
1st Heavy Short Mortar Battalion (2-305mm howitzers)
8th Austrian Field Artillery Battalion
(4-305mm howitzers)
2nd Short Coastal Mortar Battery (2-150mm guns)
3rd Short Coastal Mortar Battery (2-150mm guns)

6th Reserve Division:

2/7th Reserve Foot Battalion (2-120mm Flak guns)
1 Light Munitions Column
1/3rd Reserve Foot Battalion (1/2 bn present)
(2-90mm? Flak guns)
1/2nd Reserve Foot Battalion (4-150mm guns)
2/8th Foot Artillery (1/2 battalion present)
(2-150mm? guns)

Naval Division

2nd Landwehr Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm guns)
1/18th Reserve Foot Artillery (2-90mm? Flak guns)
3/7th Reserve Foot Artillery (2-120mm Flak guns)
1/9th Foot Artillery Regiment (4-210mm guns)
5th Heavy Short Mortar Battery (2-305mm howitzers)
6th Heavy Short Mortar Battery (1-305mm howitzer)

Pioneers: Generalmajor Friemel

1st Landsturm Pioneer Company, 7th Army Corps District

1st Landsturm Pioneer Company, 9th Army Corps District
1st Landsturm Pioneer Company, 11th Army Corps District
1st Company, 18th Pioneer Battalion
1/,2/24th Pioneer Regiment
 Pioneer Siege Train
 Train Column
 Park Company
 2 Heavy Fortress Platoons
1/,2/25th Pioneer Regiment
 Pioneer Siege Train
 Train Column
 Park Company
 2 Heavy Platoons

Special Units:

1st Fortress Survey Detachment
10th Fortress Survey Detachment
1st Siege Telephone Company
5th Fortress Railroad Construction Company
10th Fortress Railroad Construction Company
1st Fortress Railroad Operation Detachment
2nd Fortress Railroad Operation Detachment
10th Balloon Squadron
22nd Balloon Squadron

Machine Gun Formations

2nd Naval Machine Gun Detachment (6 MGs)
4th Platoon, 6th Reserve Machine Gun Division (6 MGs)
5th Fortress Artillery Machine Gun Detachment (6 MGs)
6th Platoon, 5th Reserve Machine Gun Division (6 MGs)
7th Siege Artillery Machine Gun Detachment (6 MGs)
8th Machine Gun Det., 37th Landwehr Brigade (6 MGs)
4th Machine Gun Platoon, Fortress MG Detachment (4 MGs)
6th Machine Gun Platoon, Fortress MG Detachment (4 MGs)
8th Machine Gun Platoon, Fortress MG Detachment (4 MGs)

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