

**German Sturmtruppen (Assault Troops) at Verdun
2 March 1916**

VII Army Corps:

13th Reserve Division:

28th Reserve Brigade (Sturm Regiments)

2/,3/13th Infantry Regiment

Attached:

1st Reserve Company, 18th Pioneer Regiment

Regimental Reserve:

1/13th Reserve Infantry Regiment

Brigade Reserve

7th Reserve Jäger Battalion

3/57th Infantry Regiment

2/39th Reserve Infantry Regiment

Divisional Reserve:

1/39th Reserve Infantry Regiment

14th Reserve Infantry Division

27th Reserve Brigade (Sturm Regiments)

2/,3/16th Reserve Infantry Regiment

1/,3/53rd Reserve Infantry Regiment

Attached

2nd Reserve Company, 7th Pioneer Regiment

2nd Company, 18th Pioneer Regiment

Regimental Reserve

1/16th Reserve Infantry Regiment

2/53rd Reserve Infantry Regiment

Brigade Reserve

1/159th Infantry Regiment

Divisional Reserve

2,3/159th Reserve Infantry Regiment

Corps Reserve

1/,3/37th Infantry Regiment

1/,2,3/155th Infantry Regiment

Supporting Artillery: General der Fussartillerie: Generalmajor Beeg

Stapff Regiment (2/13th Reserve Foot Artillery

Schlieben-Troschke Group, 23rd Foot Artillery Battalion

3rd Btry, 8th Reserve Foot Artillery (2 long 150mm guns)

6th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4 120mm guns)

14th Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery (2 long 150mm guns)

255th Foot Artillery Btry (4 150mm howitzers)

1st Btry, 28th Foot Artillery (4 150mm heavy howitzers M13)

2nd Btry, 23rd Foot Artillery (4 150mm heavy howitzers M13)

3rd Btry, 23rd Foot Artillery (4 150mm heavy howitzers M13)

436th Foot Artillery Battery (8 90mm guns)

Meissner Group, 2/13th Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment

2/18th Artillery Regiment (3 Btrys, 6-77mm guns ea)

5th Btry, 10th Artillery Regiment (6-77mm guns ea)

Oldenburg Group, 2/5th Foot Artillery

8th Btry, 18th Reserve Foot Artillery (4 120mm guns)

2nd Btry, 16th Foot Artillery (4 150mm howitzer, M13)

485th Foot Artillery Battery (4 150mm howitzers)

1st Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery (4 100mm guns M04)

1st Btry, 15th Reserve Foot Artillery (4 100mm guns M04)

Goecke Regiment, 103rd Foot Artillery Staff

Lancelle Group, 7/13th Reserve Field Artillery
 7th Btry, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-105m howitzers)
 7th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-105m howitzers)

Rost Group, 1/6th Foot Artillery
 10th Btry, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortar)
 4th Btry, 6th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortar)
 6th Btry, 6th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortar)

Seeger Group, 1/7th Reserve Foot Artillery
 2nd Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortar)
 4th Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortar)

Mahrenholz Regiment, Staff 106th Foot Artillery

Brettung Group, 1/3rd Bavarian Foot Artillery
 6th Btry, 18th Foot Reserve Artillery (4-210mm mortar)
 8th Btry, 18th Foot Reserve Artillery (4-210mm mortar)
 2nd Btry, 3rd Bavarian Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm Howitzers, M02)
 3rd Btry, 3rd Bavarian Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm Howitzers, M02)
 4th Btry, 3rd Bavarian Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm Howitzers, M02)

Kielnau Group, 3/4th Foot Artillery
 206th Foot Artillery Battery (4-210mm Mortar)
 259th Foot Artillery Battery (4-210mm Mortar)
 9th Btry, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm Mortar)
 7th Btry, 4th Foot Artillery (4-210mm Mortar)
 8th Btry, 4th Foot Artillery (4-210mm Mortar)

Simmerer Regiment, 1st Bavarian Landwehr Foot Artillery Regiment

Willemer Group, 2/2nd Reserve Foot Artillery
 481st Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzer)
 482nd Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzer)
 484th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzer)
 372nd Bavarian Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzer)
 5th Btry, 2nd Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzer M02)
 6th Btry, 2nd Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzer M02)

Stieve Group, 3/18th Reserve Foot Artillery
 7th Btry, 1st Bavarian Reserve Foot Artillery
 (4-120mm guns)
 9th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-120mm guns)
 318th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm guns)
 10th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-120mm guns)
 2nd Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 432nd Foot Artillery Battery (8-90mm guns)

Wendt Regiment, 14th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment

Hewelke Group, 2/14th Reserve Field Artillery
 139th Field Artillery Battery (2-100mm guns, M04)
 3/14th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment
 7th Battery (6-77mm field guns)
 8th Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 9th Battery (6-77mm field guns)

Mausom Group, 1/15th Reserve Field Artillery
 199th Artillery Battery (1-150mm gun)
 2nd Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (2 long 150mm guns)
 3rd Btry, 15th Reserve Field Artillery (4-100mm guns, M04)

Independent, Heaviest Artillery
 7th Mortar Battery (2-420mm Mortars)

4th Gamma Mortar Battery (1-42mm Naval Gun)
4th Beta Mortar Battery (2-305mm Coastal Mortars)
6th Beta Mortar Battery (1-305mm Coastal Mortar)
7th Beta Mortar Battery (1-305mm Coastal Mortar)

Field Artillery at Disposal of VII Reserve Corps Command
Staff/13th Reserve field Artillery

1/13th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment

1st Battery (6-77mm field guns)
2nd Battery (6-77mm field guns)
3rd Battery (6-77mm field guns)

1/14th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment

1st Battery (6-77mm field guns)
2nd Battery (3-77mm field guns)
3rd Battery (6-77mm field guns)

Attached:

4th Balloon Squadron
33rd Balloon Squadron
203rd Field Aviation Squadron

XVIII Army Corps

25th Infantry Division:

49th Infantry Brigade (Sturm Regiments)

2/,3/117th Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn)
1/,3/155th Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn)
2nd Compay, 20th Pioneer Regiment

Attached

3rd Company, 20th Pioneer Regiment
3rd Company, 21st Pioneer Regiment

Regimental Reserve

1/117th Infantry Regiment
2/115th Infantry Regiment

Divisional Reserve

1/,2/,3/116th Infantry Regiment

21st Infantry Division:

42nd Infantry Brigade (Sturm Regiments):

Reinforced Braun Regiment
1/,3/80th Infantry Regiment (4 cos per
bn, 12th Co. replaced by 7th Co.)

Attached:

3rd Company, 30th Pioneer Regiment
1st Company, 21st Pioneer Regiment
8th Company, Guard Pioneer Regiment

Regimental Reserve

3/81st Infantry Regiment
2/80th Infantry Regiment (7th Co replaced by
12th Co)

Divisional Reserve:

1/,2/,3/87th Infantry Regiment

Corps Reserve:

1/,2/81st Infantry Regiment

Supporting Artillery: General der Fussartillerie: Generalmajor Stüve

Trenkmann Regiment, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery

Lehmann Group, 6th Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery

5th Btry, 27th Field Artillery (1/2) (2-77mm field guns)
6th Btry, 27th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
5th Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)

7th Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (1/2 Btry)
 (2-105mm howitzers)
 6th Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (6-77mm field guns)
Schleicher Group, 6th Btry, 9th Reserve Foot Artillery
 7th Btry, 18th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm guns)
 5th Btry, 9th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns, M14)
 6th Btry, 9th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm gun, M04)
Scholz Group, 3/14th Reserve Foot Artillery
 248th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 251st Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 5th Btry, 6th Reserve Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm howitzers M02)
Schliephake Group, 1/3rd Foot Artillery Regiment
 2nd Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm howitzers M13)

 3rd Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm howitzers M13)
 4th Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery
 (4-150mm howitzers M13)
Bollman Regiment, 1/Guard Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment
Monschaw Group, 3/7th Foot Artillery
 216th Foot Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 218th Foot Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 584th Foot Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 7th Btry, 7th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 8th Btry, 7th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
Bachmann Group, 3/9th Foot Artillery
 190th Foot Artillery Battery (2-210mm Mortars)
 5th Btry, 18th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 3rd Btry, 9th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 4th Btry, 9th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
Neumann Group, 1st Btry, 9th Foot Artillery
 1st Btry, 9th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 2nd Btry, 9th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
Eyser Regiment, Command, 16th Landwehr Foot Artillery
Theobald Group, 3/14th Foot Artillery
 1st Btry, 14th Ersatz Foot Artillery (1/2 Btry)
 (2-210mm mortars)
 3rd Btry, 14th Ersatz Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 1st Btry, 14th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 3rd Btry, 14th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
 3rd Btry, 6th Foot Artillery (4-210mm mortars)
Hasper Group, 2/6th Reserve Foot Artillery
 2nd Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm M04 guns)
 6th Btry, 6th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
 7th Btry, 6th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
 8th Btry, 6th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
Winkler Regiment, 10th Reserve Field Artillery Regiment
Friedel Group, 220th Foot Artillery Battalion
 5th Btry, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
 ? Btry, 14th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
 6th Btry, 16th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers)
Erdmann Group, 223rd Foot Artillery Battalion
 Reserve Foot Artillery (4-130mm guns)

319th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm guns)
 320th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm guns)
 321st Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm guns)
Knoch Group, 1/10th Reserve Field Artillery
 3rd Btry, 27th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 7th Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (1/2 Btry)
 (2-105mm howitzers)
 3rd Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (6-77mm field guns)
 4th Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (6-77mm field guns)
von Reckow Group, 11th Btry, 63rd Field Artillery
 3rd Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)
 4th Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)
Franck Group, 1/27th Field Artillery
 1st Btry, 27th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Btry, 27th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 1st Btry, 10th Reserve Field Artillery (6-77mm field guns)
 6th Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)
Heaviest Artillery
 5th Heavy Mortar Battery (2-420mm Short Naval Guns)
 6th Heavy Mortar Battery (2-420mm Short Naval Guns)

Field Artillery Group, Staff/27th Field Artillery: Major von Aigner
Anti-Aircraft Group:
2/27th Field Artillery: Major von Avemann
 4th Btry, 27th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 5th Btry, 27th Field Artillery (1/2 Btry) (2-77mm field guns)
 4th Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)

Corps Reserve
Staff/25th Field Artillery Brigade: Oberst Rumschöttel
1/25th Field Artillery Regiment: Major Güttich
 1st Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
2/25th Field Artillery: Hauptman von Britzke
 4th Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 5th Btry, 25th Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
2/61st Field Artillery Regiment: Major Weichel
 4th Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)
 5th Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-105mm howitzers)

21st Infantry Division
21st Field Artillery Brigade Generalmajor Havenstein
1/63rd Artillery Regiment: Major von Hüter
 1st Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Btry, 63rd Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)

25th Infantry Division:
61st Field Artillery Brigade: Oberstleutnant Ingenohl
1/61st Field Artillery Regiment: Hauptman von Wienskowski
 1st Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Btry, 61st Field Artillery (4-77mm field guns)

Attached:
 32nd Bavarian Balloon Squadron
 6th Balloon Squadron
 209th Field Aviation Detachment

III Army Corps

5th Infantry Division:

10th Infantry Brigade (Sturm Regiments):

1/,2/,3/52nd Infantry Regiment (4 cos per bn)

Attached:

1st Reserve Company, 23rd Pioneer Regiment

2nd Company, 23rd Pioneer Regiment

11th Company, Guard Pioneer Regiment

Brigade Reserves:

1/,2/,3/8th Leib Grenadier Regiment

Divisional Reserve

12th Grenadier Regiment

6th Infantry Division

12th Infantry Brigade (Sturm Regiments)

1/64th Infantry Regiment

1/,2/20th Infantry Regiment

1st & 2nd Cos., Rohr Infantry Regiment

Attached:

3rd Company, 3rd Pioneer Regiment

5th Company, 3rd Pioneer Regiment

14th Company, Guard Pioneer Regiment

Regimental Reserve;

3/64th Infantry Regiment

3/20th Infantry Regiment

Brigade Reserve:

2/24th Infantry Regiment (in Fort Douamont)

2/64th Infantry Regiment

Divisional Reserve:

1/,3/24th Infantry Regiment

3rd Jäger Battalion

Corps Reserve:

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

1/,2/,3/36th Infantry Regiment

1/,2/,3/105th Infantry Regiment

1/,2/,3/132nd Infantry Regiment

Supporting Artillery: General der Fussartillerie: Generalmajor Ziethen
Kemmer Regiment, 2nd Bavarian Foot Artillery Regiment

Coermann Group, 2/16th Foot Artillery

3rd Btry, 18th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns M14)

4th Btry, 18th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns M14)

623rd Reserve Artillery Battery (4-100mm guns)

1st Btry, 11th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm Guns M04)

2nd Btry, 11th Reserve Foot Artillery

(4-150mm howitzers M13)

3rd Btry, 11th Reserve Foot Artillery

(4-150mm howitzers M13)

5th Btry, 16th Reserve Foot Artillery

(4-150mm howitzers M13)

Banst Group, 1/16th Foot Artillery Regiment

1st Btry, 10th Reserve Foot Artillery (2-130mm guns)

3rd Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery (2-130mm guns)

4th Btry, 3rd Reserve Foot Artillery (2-130mm guns)

1st Btry, 16th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns, M04)

13th Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery

(4 long 150mm howitzers)

323rd Foot Artillery Battery ((4 long 150mm howitzers)
 605th Foot Artillery Battery (5-150mm howitzers)
Karlwieski Group, 1/2nd Guard Foot Artillery
 11th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M14)
 1st Btry, 2nd Guard Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M14)
 2nd Btry, 2nd Guard Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M14)
Fritze Regiment, 8th Landwehr Foot Artillery Regiment
Sinchtorn Group, Staff, 216th Bavarian Foot Artillery Battalion
 11th Btry, 13th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-120mm guns)
 9th Btry, 2nd Bavarian Foot Artillery (4 long 150mm guns)
 2nd Btry, 17th Foot Artillery (4 motorized 100mm guns)
 3rd Btry, 17th Foot Artillery (4 motorized 100mm guns)
 622nd Foot Artillery Battery (4 Russian 100mm guns)
Gerner Group, 2/8th Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment
 8th Btry, 8th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M02)
 6th Btry, 8th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M02)
 5th Btry, 8th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M02)
Walter Group, 27th Foot Artillery Battalion
 3rd Btry, 27th Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M13)
 1st Btry, 27th Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M13)
 Btry, Reserve Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers, M02)
Richter Regiment, 6th Reserve Foot Artillery
Lezslus Group, 3/20th Reserve Foot Artillery
 4th Btry, 17th Foot Artillery (4 motorized 100mm guns)
 191st Foot Artillery Battery (2-130mm guns)
 5th Btry, 20th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns, M04)
 6th Btry, 20th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns, M04)
Bensiege Group, 2/20th Foot Artillery
 6th Btry, 2nd Bavarian Foot Artillery (4 long 150mm guns)
 6th Btry, 20th Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers M02)
 7th Btry, 20th Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers M02)
 8th Btry, 20th Foot Artillery (4-150mm howitzers M02)
Neumann Regiment, 1st Reserve Foot Artillery Regiment
Anders Group, 2/7th Reserve Foot Artillery
 4th Btry, 8th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-100mm guns M14)
 5th Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery (1-130mm gun)
 6th Btry, 7th Reserve Foot Artillery (1-130mm gun)
Böcsh Group, 3/3rd Reserve Foot Artillery
 476th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 602nd Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 604th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 433rd Field Artillery Battery (10-77mm field guns)
Gleltz Group, 1/11th Foot Artillery
 653rd Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 654th Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
 601st Foot Artillery Battery (4-150mm howitzers)
Weiss Regiment, 5th Foot Artillery Regiment
Müller Group, 4/1st Foot Artillery Regiment
 11th Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)
 12th Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)

Gottschalk Group, 1/12th Foot Artillery Regiment
 1st Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)
 2nd Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)
 3rd Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)
 4th Btry, 1st Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)

Kleinschmidt Group, 1/9th Reserve Foot Artillery
 1st Btry, 9th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)
 2nd Btry, 9th Reserve Foot Artillery (4-210mm howitzers)

5th Field Artillery Brigade: Generalmajor von Lotterer

18th Field Artillery Regiment: Major von Rosenberg-Lipinsky
1/18th Field Artillery Regiment: Major de le Roi
 1st Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
2/18th Field Artillery Regiment: Hauptman Brüggeman
 4th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
 5th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
 6th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)

54th Field Artillery Regiment: Oberstleutnant Sanner
1/54th Field Artillery Regiment: Major Liman
 1st Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
2/54th Field Artillery Regiment: Major Noldt
 4th Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 5th Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 6th Battery (4-77mm field guns)

6th Field Artillery Brigade: Generalmajor Krahrmer

3rd Field Artillery Regiment: Oberst von Rosenberg
1/3rd Field Artillery Regiment: Major Kersten
 1st Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
2/3rd Field Artillery Regiment: Major Kurth
 4th Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 5th Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 6th Battery (4-77mm field guns)

39th Field Artillery Regiment: Major von Schmidt
1/39th Field Artillery Regiment: Hauptman Cammerer
 1st Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 2nd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
 3rd Battery (4-77mm field guns)
/239th Field Artillery Regiment: Major Schlewen
 4th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
 5th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)
 6th Battery (4-105mm howitzers)

Heaviest Artillery
 3rd Mortar Battery (2-420mm short naval guns, M14)
 1st Gamma Gun Battery (2-420mm guns)
 2nd Gamma Gun Battery (2-420mm guns)
 1st Beta Gun Battery (2-305mm mortars)
 2nd Beta Gun Battery (2-305mm mortars)
 3rd Beta Gun Battery (2-305mm mortars)
 8th Beta Gun Battery (2-305mm mortars)
 3-380mm Gun Batteries (motorized) (1 380mm gun ea)

Attached

6th Bavarian Balloon Squadron
11th Bavarian Balloon Squadron
23rd Bavarian Balloon Squadron
207th Field Aviation Battalion

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