

French Forces at Dresden
26/27 August 1813

Imperial Guard: Maréchal Mortier (58,191 men)

Old Guard:

1st Division: Général de division Friant

Brigade:Général de brigade Michel

1/,2/1st Grenadier à Pied Regiment (1,505)

1/,2/2nd Grenadier à Pied Regiment (1,253)

Velites of Turin Battalion (295)

Velites of Florence Battalion (195)

Brigade:Général de division Curial¹

1/,2/1st Chasseur à Pied Regiment (1,575)

1/,2/2nd Chasseur à Pied Regiment (1,130)

Artillery:

1st Old Guard Foot Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

Young Guard: Maréchal Mortier

1st Division: Général de division Dumoustier²

Brigade:Colonel Rousseau

1/,2/Fusilier-Chasseur Regiment

1/,2/Fusilier-Grenadier Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Tindal

1/,2/1st Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/2nd Voltigeur Regiment

Brigade: Colonel Couloumy

1/,2/3rd Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/6th Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/7th Voltigeur Regiment

Artillery:

1st Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

2nd Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

8th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

2nd Division: Général de division Barrois

Brigade:Général de brigade Rottembourg (LtC. Vionnet)

1/,2/1st Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/2nd Tirailleur Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Poret de Morvan

1/,2/3rd Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/6th Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/7th Tirailleur Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Boyeldieu

1/,2/Flanqueur-Chasseur Regiment

1/,2/Flanqueur-Grenadier Regiment

Artillery:

3rd Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

4th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

12th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

3rd Division: Général de division Delaborde³

¹ Replaced GD Dumoustier.

² Wounded on 8/26 and replaced by GD Curial.

Brigade:Général de brigade

1/,2/4th Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/5th Voltigeur Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Combelle

1/,2/8th Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/9th Voltigeur Regiment

1/,2/10th Voltigeur Regiment

Artillery:

5th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

6th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

7th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

4th Division: Général de division Roguet

Brigade:Général de brigade Boyer de Rebeval

1/,2/4th Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/5th Tirailleur Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Pelet

1/,2/8th Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/9th Tirailleur Regiment

1/,2/10th Tirailleur Regiment

Artillery:

9th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

10th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

11th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

Guard Cavalry: Général de division Nansouty

1st Division: Général de division Ornano

1/,3/,4/,5/Berg Lancer Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/,5/,6/,7/,8/,9/,10/2nd Guard Lancer
Regiment

5/,6/Empress Dragoon Regiment

2nd Division: Général de division Léfèvre-Desnouëttes

1/,2/,3/,4/,5/,6/,7/1st Guard Lancer Regiment

7/,8/,9/,10/Guard Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

5/,6/Guard Grenadier à Cheval Regiment

3rd Division: Général de division Walther

1/,2/1st Gardes d'Honneur

1/,2/2nd Gardes d'Honneur

1/3rd Gardes d'Honneur

1/4th Gardes d'Honneur

1/,2/,3/,4/Empress Dragoon Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/Guard Grenadier à Cheval Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/,5/,6/Guard Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

Artillery:

1st Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

2nd Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

3rd Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

4th Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

Guard Reserve Artillery:

2nd Old Guard Foot Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)

3rd Old Guard Foot Battery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" how)

4th Old Guard Foot Battery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" how)

5th Old Guard Foot Battery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" how)

³ Wounded on 8/25, replaced by Général de division Decouz.

6th Old Guard Foot Battery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" how)
14th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)
5th Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)
6th Old Guard Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)
Berg Foot Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)
Sappers of the Guard (159)
2/5th Sapper Battalion (23)
3/7th Sapper Battalion (47)
3/Guard Marine Battalion (111)
Pontooneers (1 co)
Total Guard Artillery - 218 guns

I Corps

23rd Division: Général de division Teste

Brigade:Général de brigade O'Meara

1/,2/,3/,4/21st Line Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/33rd Line Regiment

Artillery

21/4th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 1/9th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 1/1st (bis) Train Battalion

II Corps: Maréchal Victor (25,158 men)

4th Division: Général de division Dubreton

Brigade:Général de brigade Ferrière

1/,2/,4/24th Légère Regiment

1/,2/,4/19th Line Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Brun

1/,2/,4/37th Line Regiment

1/,2/,4/56th Line Regiment

Artillery

7/2nd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

11/4th Foot Artillery(6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

2/3rd (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 1/11th Principal Train Battalion

3/12th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 1/14th Principal Train Battalion (0/11)

5th Division: Général de division Dufour

Brigade:Général de brigade d'Estko

1/,2/,4/26th Légère Regiment

1/,2/,4/93rd Line Regiment

Artillery

13/5th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

12/8th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 4th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 3/11th (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 12th Principal Train Battalion

6th Division: Général de division Vial

Brigade:Général de brigade Valory

1/,2/,4/11th Légère Regiment

1/,2/,4/2nd Line Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Bronikowski

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

1/,2/,4/18th Line Regiment

Artillery

25/3rd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
26/3rd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
Det. 3/1st (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 1/11th (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 4/11th (bis) Train Battalion
3/14th Principal Train Battalion
Ambulance (0/12)

22nd Light Cavalry Brigade: Oberst Hammerstein
1/1st Westphalian Hussar Regiment
2/2nd Westphalian Hussar Regiment

Artillery Reserve

10/6th Foot Artillery (8-12pdr cannons)
2/14th Principal Train Battalion
1/2nd Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
Det. 2/11th (bis) Train
Det. 3/11th (bis) Train
2/2nd Sapper Battalion
3/3rd Sapper Battalion
3/5th Sapper Battalion

Artillery Park

9/2nd Foot Artillery
Det. 3/3rd (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 3rd (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 4th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 4/8th Principal Train Battalion
2/9th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 11th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 7/11th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 2/14th Principal Train Battalion

VI Corps: Maréchal Marmont, Duke of Ragusa

20th Division: Général de division Compans

1st Brigade: Général de brigade Pelleport

2/,3/32nd Légère Regiment
1/,2/,3/,4/5/1st Marine Regiment

2nd Brigade: Général de brigade Joubert

20th Regiment Provisoire
5/66rd Line Regiment
3/122th Line Regiment
25th Regiment Provisoire
3/47th Line Regiment
3/86th Line Regiment
1/,2/,3/3rd Marine Regiment

Artillery: Chef de bataillon Ocler

16/5th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
10/8th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
Det. 7/4th (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 4/1st (bis) Train Battalion

21st Division: Général de division Lagrange

1st Brigade: Général de brigade Jamin

1/,2/,3/,4/37th Légère Regiment
1/,2/,3/4th Marine Regiment
1/Joseph Napoleon Regiment

2nd Brigade: Général de brigade Buquet

1/,2/,3/,4/,5/,6/2nd Marine Regiment

Artillery: Chef de bataillon Picard
10/4th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
18/5th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
Det. 1/8th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 2/8th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 1/10th (bis) Train Battalion

22nd Division: Général de division Frederichs

1st Brigade: Général de brigade Coehorn

11th Regiment Provisoire
4/1st Line Regiment
2/62nd Line Regiment
13th Regiment Provisoire
3/14th Line Regiment
4/16th Line Regiment
3/,4/23rd Légère Regiment
3/,4/15th Line Regiment

2nd Brigade: Général de brigade Bachelet

16th Regiment Provisoire
6/26th Line Regiment
6/82nd Line Regiment
3/,4/121st Line Regiment
3/,4/70th Line Regiment

Artillery:

14/4th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
22/9th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2 how)
3/8th Principal Train Battalion
2/10th (bis) Train Battalion

25th Light Cavalry Brigade: Général de brigade Normann

1-4/2nd Württemberg Chevauleger Regiment
1-4/4th Württemberg Chevauleger Regiment
3rd Württemberg Horse Battery "Bruhaupt"
(4-6pdrs & 2 7pdr howitzers)

Reserve and Park: Chef de bataillon Moran

3/5th Foot Artillery (no guns)
18/5th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" howitzers)
26/5th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-6" howitzers)
1/1st Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2 how)
3/4th Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2 how)
Det. 4/12th Principal Train Battalion
4/6th (bis) Train Battalion
6/6th (bis) Train Battalion
7/6th (bis) Train Battalion
7/10th (bis) Train Battalion
6/2nd Sapper Battalion
2/4th Sapper Battalion
9/4th Sapper Battalion
4/7th Sapper Battalion
Imperial Gendarmes

XIV Corps: Maréchal St. Cyr (26,149 men)

43rd Division: Général de division Claperède

Brigade: Général de brigade Godard

2/,3/27th Légère Regiment
3/29th Légère Regiment
2/,3/,4/100th Line Regiment (3)

Brigade:Général de brigade Butrand

2/,3/45th Line Regiment

3/65th Line Regiment

2/,4/103rd Line Regiment

21st Provisional Demi-brigade

2/59th Line Regiment

3/94th Line Regiment

Artillery

2/7th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

4/6th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 4/10th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 6/12th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 6/1st (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 7/1st (bis) Train Battalion

44th Division: Général de division Berthezène

Brigade:Général de brigade Paillard

1/,3/8th Légère Regiment

3/,4/64th Line Regiment

34th Provisional Demi-brigade

2/16th Légère Regiment

1/18th Légère Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Letellier

19th Provisional Demi-brigade

2/50th Line Regiment

2/75th Line Regiment

Provisional Demi-brigade

3/24th Line Regiment

3/39th Line Regiment

Provisional Demi-brigade

3/54th Line Regiment

3/95rd Line Regiment

Artillery

4/1st Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

15/7th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 7/1st (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 3/11th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 6/12th Principal Train Battalion

45th Division: Général de division Razout

Brigade:Général de brigade Goguet

3/6th Légère Regiment

26th Provisional Demi-brigade

3/5th Line Regiment

3/11th Line Regiment

Provisional Demi-brigade

3/8th Line Regiment

2/28th Line Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade d'Esclevin

Provisional Demi-brigade

4/32nd Line Regiment

4/58th Line Regiment

7th Provisional Demi-brigade

3/79th Line Regiment

6/81st Line Regiment

18th Provisional Demi-brigade

6/34th Line Regiment

3/69th Line Regiment

4/60th Line Regiment

Artillery

21/5th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 5/12th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 4/11th Principal Train Battalion

Reserves and Grand Park

15/7th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

5/6th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

5/2nd Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

3/6th Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

5/3rd Pontooneer Battalion

8/2nd Sapper Battalion

5/4th Sapper Battalion

6/4th Sapper Battalion

7/4th Sapper Battalion

4/10th (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 3/4th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 6/4th Principal Train Battalion

Det. 3/1st (bis) Train Battalion

Engineering Train Detachment

Equippage Train Detachment

10th Light Cavalry Divison: Général de division Pajol

16th Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Jacquet

1/,2,3/,4/14th Hussar Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/2nd Italian Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

31st Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Stedmann

1/,2,3/,4/7th Chevauléger-lancier Regiment

I Cavalry Corps: Latour-Marbourg (16,537 men) (at Pirna)

3rd Light Division: Général de division Chastel

4th Light Cavalry Brigade: Général de brigade Vallin

1/,2/,3/1st Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/19th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

5rd Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Van Merlen

1/,2/8th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

1/,2/9th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

1/,2/25th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

1st Heavy Division: Général de division Bordesouille

Brigade:Général de brigade Berckheim

1/,2/2nd Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/3rd Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/6th Cuirassier Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Bessières

1/,2/,3/9th Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/,3/11th Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/12th Cuirassier Regiment

Brigade: Generalmajor von Lessing

1/,2/,3/,4/Saxon Garde du Corps

1/,2/,3/,4/Saxon Zastrow Cuirassier Regiment

3rd Heavy Division: Général de division Doumerc

Brigade:Général de brigade d'Audenarde

1/,2/,3/4th Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/,3/7th Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/,3/14th Cuirassier Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/Italian Napoleon Dragoon Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Reiset

1/,2/7th Dragoon Regiment

1/,2/,3/23rd Dragoon Regiment

1/,2/28th Dragoon Regiment

1/,2/30th Dragoon Regiment

Corps Artillery:

3/1st Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

6/3rd Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

1/4th Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

1/6th Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

1st Westphalian Horse Artillery "Wissel"

(4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

4th Saxon Horse Battery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr How)

Det. 4/9th Principal Train Battalion

1/1st (bis) Train Battalion

2/1st (bis) Train Battalion

2/8th (bis) Train Battalion

Det. 5/8th (bis) Train Battalion

1st Saxon Train Battalion

Westphalian Train Battalion

V Cavalry Corps: Général de division l'Héritier (3,000)

9th Light Cavalry Division: Général de brigade Klicky

33rd Light Cavalry Brigade:

3/,4/14th Chasseur à cheval Regiment (14/284)

3/,4/26th Chasseur à cheval Regiment (13/230)

5th Dragoon Division: Général de brigade Collaert

Brigade:

3/2nd Dragoon Regiment (11/148)

3/,4/6th Dragoon Regiment (19/246)

Brigade:

3/,4/11th Dragoon Regiment 10/156)

3/13th Dragoon Regiment (10/154)

3/15th Dragoon Regiment (11/147)

6th Dragoon Division: Général de brigade Lamotte

Brigade:

3/18th Dragoon Regiment (2/40)

3/19th Dragoon Regiment (3/31)

3/20th Dragoon Regiment (7/150)

Brigade:

3/22nd Dragoon Regiment (8/172)

3/25th Dragoon Regiment (11/190)

Artillery:

5/2nd Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2 How) (3/94)

5/11th Principal Train Battalion (1/71)

5/4th Principal Train Battalion (unknown)

Dresden Garrison: (strengths as of 22 August)

Brigade: Général de brigade Gros

1/,2/11th Voltigeur Regiment (1,304)

1/,2/11th Tirailleur Regiment (1,395)

13th Young Guard Foot Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" How)

Brigade: Général de brigade Bernard

1st Westphalian Light Battalion (580)
1/,2/3rd Westphalian Line Regiment (1,125)
Westphalian Foot Battery "Orges" (129)
Westphalian Train (113)

Attached:

2/Saxon Guard Grenadier Regiment (614)
Saxon Foot Battery (143)
Saxon Artillery Train (109)
Saxon Sappers (41)
French Sappers (830)
French Gendarmes (55)
Infantry Depot Battalion (715)
Infantry Depot Battalion (890)
Guard Depot Battalion (744)
Cavalry Depot (4,393)
Guard Artillery (99)
Guard Train (103)
French Foot Artillery (645)
13th Young Guard Battery (6-6pdrs & 2-5.7" how)
French Artillery Train (429)

Detached at Pirna

I Corps: Général de division Vandamme (33,298 men)

1st Division: Général de division Philippon

Brigade:Général de brigade Pouchelon

1/,2/,3/,4/7th Légère Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/12th Line Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Fézensac

1/,2/,3/,4/17th Line Regiment

3/,4/36th Légère Regiment

Artillery

8/2nd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

15/9th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

Det. 4th Principal Train Battalion

3/9th Principal Train Battalion

2nd Division: Général de division Dumonceau

Brigade:Général de brigade Dunesme

1/,2/,3/,4/13th Légère Regiment

1/,2/,3/,4/25th Line Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Doucet

1/,2/,3/,4/57th Line Regiment

3/,4/51st Line Regiment

Artillery

23/3rd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

24/3rd Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)

1/1st Principal Train Battalion

Det. 2/8th (bis) Train Battalion

23rd Division

Brigade:Général de brigade Quiot

1/,2/,3/,4/85th Line Regiment

3/,4/55th Line Regiment

21st Light Cavalry Brigade: Général de brigade Gobrecht

1/,2/9th Chevaulégère-lancier Regiment

1/,2/Anhalt Jäger zu Pferd Regiment

Reserve and Park

9/8th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
6/7th Foot Artillery (6-12pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
2/4th Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
5/6th Horse Artillery (4-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
5/3rd Sapper Battalion
7/3rd Sapper Battalion
Det. 4/7th Principal Train Battalion
Det. 1/9th Principal Train Battalion
2/13th (bis) Train Battalion
Equipage Train detachment

II Corps = 5th Division

Brigade: Général de brigade Prinz Reuss
1/,2/,4/46th Line Regiment
1/,2/,4/72nd Line Regiment

XIV Corps = 42nd Division: Général de division Mouton-Duvernet

Brigade:
22nd Provisional Demi-brigade
2/4th Légère Regiment
3/12th Légère Regiment
4th Provisional Demi-brigade
6/9th Légère Regiment
3/28th Légère Regiment
3rd Provisional Demi-brigade
4/10th Légère Regiment
3/21st Légère Regiment

Brigade:Général de brigade Creutzer
17th Provisional Demi-brigade
3/27th Line Regiment
3/63rd Line Regiment
16th Provisional Demi-brigade
4/40th Line Regiment
3/43rd Line Regiment
2/,3/76th Line Regiment
2/,3/96th Line Regiment

Artillery

1/7th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
9/7th Foot Artillery (6-6pdrs & 2-24pdr how)
Det. 6/16th (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 7/16th (bis) Train Battalion
Det. 1/6th Principal Train Battalion

I Cavalry Corps

1st Light Division: Général de division Corbineau

2nd Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Montmarie
1/,2/,3/16th Chasseur à Cheval Regiment
1/,2/,3/1st Chevauléger-lancier Regiment
1/,2/3rd Chevauléger-lancier Regiment

3rd Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Heimrodt

1/,2/,3/5th Chevauléger-lancier Regiment
1/,2/8th Chevauléger-lancier Regiment
1/,2/,3/,4/1st Italian Chasseur à Cheval Regiment

V Cavalry Corps = 9th Light Cavalry Division

32nd Light Cavalry Brigade: Colonel Rosseau
3/,4/3rd Hussar Regiment
3/,4/27th Chasseur à cheval Regiment

Detached toward Leipzig

I Cavalry Corps - 1st Cavalry Division

1st Light Cavalry Brigade:Général de brigade Piré

1/,2/6th Hussar Regiment

1/,2/,3/7th Hussar Regiment

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

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