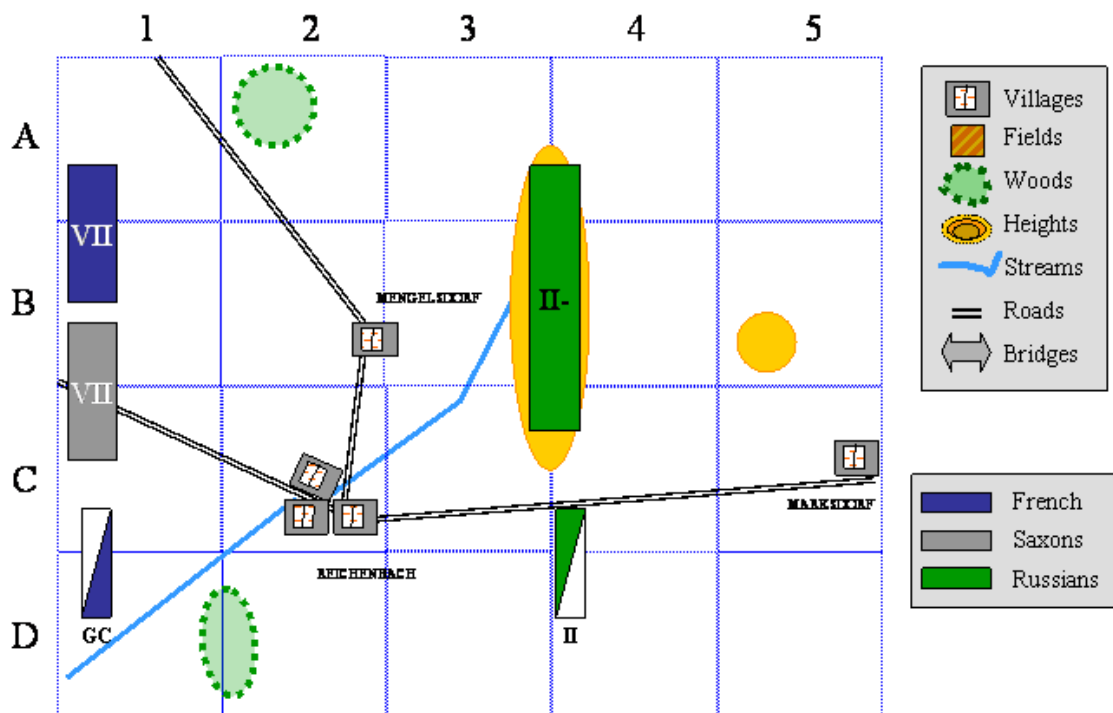


Reichenbach (23th May 1813)

After their defeat at Bautzen (20-21 may, 1813) the Allied retreated towards the south-east in two columns of weary soldiers in order to cross the Neisse River. Their rearguard, commanded by Eugen of Wurttemberg and comprising his 2nd Russian Corps, remained in Reichenbach and was caught by Reynier's VII Corps (not fighting in Bautzen) and the 1st Cavalry Corps. Napoleon himself arrived to the battlefield and engaged the Guard Light cavalry, including the famous Red Dutch Lanciers, a "new spectacle" for Wurttemberg, as it had been a long time since he did see a force of French cavalry. The OOB's are taken from the Nafziger's and Smith's books but many old books have been used to find a correct narrative (See Bibliography).

1. MAP OF THE BATTLEFIELD



MAP NOTES

- 1.1 All buildings are not fortified and have a "+1" combat modifier and can contain a maximum of one Infantry unit and one gun.
- 1.2 Woods and high areas are rough terrain. Cavalry and artillery can move through only in column/march column/limbered formation. Only roads negate the terrain effects but the units must be in march column formation.
- 1.3 The streams are fordable to infantry/cavalry unit in skirmish/column/march column formation without any penalization. Deployed infantry/cavalry and artillery in column/march column become disordered.
- 1.4 The terrain squares are 40x40 cm (15.7"x15.7") at 1/1,800 scale (1 in. to 50 yd.)

2. ORDERS OF BATTLE¹

(3) **French Army (F)** Napoleon 56"E(8)+3D [20M]

(2) **VII Corps (VII)** Reynier 16"A(5)+1 [7F]

(1) **32me Division (32)** Durutte 6"A (6)+1

1st Brigade (1/32) Devaux 3"A(6)+1

35Lg/1/32 16FrLT [8D] ; **36/Lg/1/32** 16FrLT [8D]

2nd Brigade (2/32) Jarry 3"A(6)+0

131/2/32 16FrLN [8D] ; **132/2/32** 16FrLN [8D]

3rd Brigade (3/32) Brayer 3"A(5)+0

133/3/32 20FrLN [10D] ; **Wur/3/32** 20RBLN [8D]

(32) Fr6# ; (32) Fr6#

(2) **Saxon Corps (Sx)** Zeschau 16"A(6)+1 (Acts like a divisional commander)

(1) **1st Division (1/Sx)** Brause 8"A(5)+0 (Acts like a brigade commander)

Lg/1/Sx 12SxLT [6D] ; **GN/1/Sx** 8SxGN [2D] ; **LN/1/Sx** 16SxLN [10D]

(1) **2nd Division (2/Sx)** Sahr 6"P(4)+0 (Acts like a brigade commander)

GN/2/Sx 8SxGN [2D] ; **LN/2/Sx** 16SxLN [10D]

(Sx) Sx6# ; (Sx) Sx6# ; (Sx) Sx6#

(1) **Corps Artillery** Roger 3"A(5)+0

(VII) Fr12# ; (VII) Fr12#

(1) **Guard Light Cavalry (GC)** Lefevbre-Desnouettes 8"E(8)+1 [5F]

BergChLg 8FrGLC [2D] ; **1GLan** 8FrGLC [2D] ; **2GLan** 8FrGLC [2D] ; **GChLg** 8FrGLC [2D] ;

GenEl 4FrGLC [12D] ; **(GC) Fr6# ; (GC) Fr6#**

(2) **1st Cavalry Corps (I)** Latour-Mauburg 18"G(6)+1 [6F]

(1) **1st Light Division (1LC/I)** Bruyere 8"G(7)+0

1st Brigade (1/1LC/I) Bessieres 3"A(6)+0

Hu/1/1LC/I 6FrLC [2D]

2nd Brigade (2/1LC/I) Cambraceres 3"G(7)+1

Lan/2/1LC/I 6FrLC [2D]

(1) **3rd Light Division (3LC/I)** Chastel 8"G(5)+0

1st Brigade (1/3LC/I) Merlin 3"A(6)+0

Chas/1/3LC/I 6FrLC [2D] ; **Lan/1/3LC/I** 6FrLC [2D]

2nd Brigade (2/3LC/I) Richter 3"A(6)+0

Chas/2/3LC/I 8FrLC [2D]

(1) **1st Cuirassier Division (1C/I)** Bordesoulle 8"A(6)+0

1st Brigade (1/1C/I) Berkheim 4"A(5)+0

Cur/1/1C/I 8FrHC [4D]

2nd Brigade (2/1C/I) Quinette 3"A(5)+0

Cur/2/1C/I 8FrHC [4D]

3rd Brigade (3/1C/I) Lessing 3"G(7)+1

Leib/3/1C/I 8SxHC [2D] ; **Zas/3/1C/I** 6SxHC [2D]

(1) **Corps Artillery (I)** Boulart 3"A(5)+0

(I) Fr6# ; (I) Fr6# ; (I) Sx6# ; (I) It6#

(3) **Russian Army (R)** Wurttemberg 18"G(7)+1 [16M]. Wurttemberg is simultaneously the overall C-i-C and the Commander of his own II Corps. That is shown in his label.

(2) **II Corps (II)** Wurttemberg 16"G(7)+1 [6F]

(1) **1st Cavalry Brigade (C1/II)** Knorring 3"A (6)+1

Hus/C1/II 8RsLC [4D] ; **Uh/C1/II** 8RsLC [4D] ; **(II) Rs6#**

(1) **2nd Cavalry Brigade (C2/II)** Pantschlid 3"A (6)+0

Chas/C2/II 6RsLC [3D] ; **Dra/C2/II** 8RsLC [4D] **(II) Rs6#**

(1) **3rd Division (3/II)** Schachafskoy 6"A(5)+0

1st Brigade (1/3/II) Schilvinsky 4"A(6)+0

Mo/1/3/II 16RsLN [8D] ; **Re/1/3/II** 16RsLN [8D] ; **Tch/1/3/II** 16RsLN [8D]

2nd Brigade (2/3/II) Kapustin 4"A(5)+0

20J/2/3/II 24RsJG 12D]

(II) Rs6#

¹ The men scale is 1:60. One turn is 15 minutes. The terrain scale is 1/1,800, i.e. 1 in. to 50 yds. Foot light batteries are yellow highlighted

- (1) **4th Division (4/II)** Pischnitzky 6"A(4)+0
1st Brigade (1/4/II) Trefurtt 3"A(6)+0
Tob/1/4/II 20RsLN [10D] ; **Vol/1/4/II** 16RsLN [8D]
2nd Brigade (2/4/II) Ivanov 3"A(6)+0
4J/2/4/II 20RsJG [10D] ; **34J/2/4/II** 16RsJG [8D]
(II) Rs6#
Corps Artillery (II) Nikitin 3"A(4)+0
(II) Rs12#; (II) Rs12#
- (1) **5th Division (5)** Lukov 6"A(5)+0 [2F]
1st Brigade (1/5) Prince Siberia 3"G(5)+0
Pe/1/5 24RsLN [12D]
2nd Brigade (2/5) Kasatschkovsky 3"A(7)+0
Kal/2/5 20RsLN [10D] ; **Sie/2/5** 16RsLN [8D]
- (1) **2nd Cuirassier Division (2C)** Duca 8"G(7)+0 [3F]
1st Brigade (1/2C) Leontiev 3"A(6)+0
Glu/1/2C 6RsHC [3D] ; **Psk/1/2C** 6RsHC [3D]
2nd Brigade (2/2C) Gudowitsch 3"A(6)+1
MiOr/2/2C 8FrHC [4D]
3rd Brigade (3/2C) Massalov 3"A(5)+0
LRus/3/2C 6RsHC [3D] ; **Nov/3/2C** 6RsHC [3D]
Divisional Artillery (2C) Kakinin 3"A(5)+0
(2C) Rs6#; (2C) Rs6#
- (2) **Cavalry Reinforcements (R)** Trubetzkoj 6"G(5)+0 [3F]
1st Brigade (1/R) Obolenski 4"G(6)+0
Cos/1/R 8RsCsC [6D]
2nd Brigade (2/R) Pahlen II 3"G(7)+1
Dra/2/R 6RsLC [3D]
3rd Brigade (3/R) Uvarov 3"G(5)+0
Hus/3/R 6RsLC [3D] ; **(3/R) Rs6#** ; **(3/R) Rs6#**
4th Brigade (4/R) Gengross 3"A(6)+0
Dra/4/R 8RsLC [4D]
5th Brigade (5/R) Millesimo 3"A(5)+0
KiDr/5/R 6RsLC [3D] ; **KarkDr/5/R** 6RsLC [3D] ; **(5/R) Rs6#** ; **(5/R) Rs6#**

3. SPECIAL RULES FOR REICHENBACH

This scenario is designed for one-half Napoleon's Battles

3.1 Game Length

9.30 - 18.30 h (36 turns) . The French have the initiative and are the first side. No free-rolls are allowed

3.2 Deployment

3.2.1 French

VII is on the table, Saxons (**Sx**) at right and French (**32**) at left.

GC is on the table deployed

Napoleon 10.00 h (C1)

I 12.00 (C1)

3.2.2 Russians

II is on the table, Schachafskoy (**3/II**) at right and Pischnitzky (**4/II**) at left and the cavalry at south

5 9.30 h (C5)

R 10.30 h (C5)

2C 11.30 h (C5)

Apply the OR 13.8.2 rule for Varying Time Arrivals starting two turns before the normal arrival turn. The order of march of each arriving corps must be diced out when the parent corps enters the table. The Corps/Division Commanders are with his leading unit. The artillery assets are with the second unit. All units appear in march column formation

3.3 Napoleon is commanding

The O.R.15.1.2. (NB2) is applied. i.e. the dispersal letters of all units are one letter better than normal; +1 is added to all fatigue numbers and the value of Napoleon in points is increased in one point per infantry or cavalry unit. However, the "death" or "capture" of Napoleon causes the automatic loss of the battle for his army (and also changes the world history!)

3.4 Cavalry scale and bases

The Cavalry scale is the same than that of infantry: 1/60. When necessary, multiply the cavalry figures for 3/2 (for example to determine outnumbering in mixed combat) and remove 2 cavalry figures for each 3 losses suffered.

3.5 C-i-C ratings

Do not use "10" as Response number of the C-i-C's but use the values assigned to them in the OOB.

3.6 Rallying of units and avoiding rout and dispersal

Routed units can try to rally without an attached general with an additional '-3' modifier. Rout and Dispersal attempts can be made without an attached general using an additional '-3' modifier. However, a successful dispersal attempt must be preceded by a rout move.

3.7 Brigade commanders, Staff officers and such (optional)

All Brigade/Regiment/Battalion commanders are A(5)+0 for command control tests when acting in an *independent* role (i.e they have specific and special orders) or out of the command span of their immediately superior commander. A task-force having two or more units can be formed as wished by the C-i-C under command of any of the officers provided in the labels.

Some of the cavalry Brigade generals, commanding only one unit could be not shown. In that case, their labels, marked in grey, are directly attached to their respective units.

5. VICTORY POINTS

This is a rearguard Scenario. The objective of the Russians is to delay the advance of the French to allow his army the crossing of the Neisse River at Gorlitz (7 km from Markersdorf). At that month and latitude the sunset² is 21.00 h, so the French have until 18.30 h to catch the greater number of Russians taking Marksdorf with the C5 end-road . The key points and the percentage of victory points allotted are Reichenbach (20%), Mengelsdorf (10%), Marksdorf (40%), the A4-C4 (20%) and B5 (10%) heights. Each Russian unit (infantry, cavalry or artillery) exiting the table in good shape is worth an additional 2.6% (there are 38 units in the Russian rearguard)

The point values are: French 796 vs. Russians 691. The multiplier for the weaker side (Russian) is 1.38 in both NB1 and NB2 (372 and 149 victory points respectively).

6. HISTORICAL OUTCOME

After suffering some losses, the Russians succeed in disengage from the French Army crossing the Neisse River. The best known episode of this combat was the dead of Duroc, Grand Marshall of the Palace and a close friend of the Emperor.

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² Sunset results at May, 22 at the Dresden latitude found in <http://www.cavu.com/sunset.html>

4. REICHENBACH UNIT ROSTER

COUNTRY	UNIT	NAME	COMBAT MODIFIERS*				DRD	ROUT NUM r	RSP	DSP b	FIRE	MOD I	MOVEMENT c			MOVEMENT MODS		
			COL or LIM	LIN or ULM	SQ vs CAV	vs OT a							COL or LIM	LIN or ULM	MRCH COL	RGH or SQR	BCK or SID	CHG FOR d
~	GEN	General eq	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	36"	~	2/1	1/1	~	
~	MES	Messenger ep	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	36"	~	2/1	1/1	~	
~	WAG	Wagon/Pack Train p	-7	~	~	f	f	f	3	~	~	~	10"	~	12"	6/1	~	~
~	DCV	Dismounted Cavalry	-3	-2	+3	-7	I	I	I	I	8"	-4	5"	1"	15"	2/1	3/1	1"
French	GLC	Guard Light Cavalry	+1g	+2g	~	+4	2	4	8	B	~	~	14"	13"	24"	3/1	2/1	6"
French	HC	Heavy Cavalry	+1g	+2g	~	+5	2	4	6	D	~	~	13"	12"	21"	4/1	3/1	7"
French	LC	Light Cavalry h	-2g	0g	~	+4	2	3	6	C	~	~	15"	14"	22"	3/1	2/1	7"
French	LN	Line Infantry	-2	+1	+6	-5	2	3	5	D	8"	0	9"	1"	16"	3/1	3/1	1"
French	LT	Light Infantry	-2	+1	+6	-5	2	3	5	D	8"	0	10"	1"	18"	2/1	2/1	1"
French	12#	12# Heavy Artillery p	-5	-3	f	f	k	k	6	~	24"	+2	9"	2"	14"	6/1	1/1	2"
French	G6#	Guard 6# H Artillery p	-4g	-2g	f	f	k	k	8	~	18"	+2	12"	4"	22"	4/1	1/1	2"
French	6#	6# Foot Artillery p	-5	-3	f	f	k	k	6	~	18"	+2	9"	3"	14"	4/1	1/1	3"
French	6#	6# Horse Artillery p	-5g	-3g	f	f	k	k	6	~	18"	+2	12"	4"	21"	4/1	1/1	3"
Wurzburg	LN	Line Infantry	-1	+2	+7	-4	2	4	5	C	8"	0	10"	2"	16"	2/1	2/1	2"
Saxony	HC	Heavy Cavalry	+1g	+2g	~	+5	2	3	7	B	~	~	13"	12"	21"	4/1	3/1	7"
Saxony	GN	Grenadier Infantry	0	+2	+8	-3	2	5	5	B	8"	0	10"	3"	18"	2/1	3/2	2"
Saxony	LN	Line Infantry	-2	-1	+5	-5	2	3	4	E	6"	-1	8"	2"	16"	3/1	3/1	2"
Saxony	LT	Light Infantry	-2	-1	+5	-5	2	3	4	D	8"	0	10"	3"	18"	3/2	3/2	2"
Saxony	6#	6# Foot Artillery p	-5g	-4g	f	f	k	k	4	~	16"	0	10"	3"	18"	5/1	1/1	3"
Saxony	6#	6# Horse Artillery p	-5g	-4g	f	f	k	k	4	~	16"	0	12"	3"	21"	4/1	1/1	3"
Italy	6#	6# Horse Artillery p	-5g	-3g	f	f	k	k	5	~	18"	+1	12"	4"	21"	4/1	1/1	3"
Russian	HC	Heavy Cavalry	+1g	+2g	~	+5	2	4	5	C	~	~	13"	12"	20"	4/1	3/1	7"
Russian	LC	Light Cavalry h	-2g	0g	~	+3	2	3	5	C	~	~	15"	14"	24"	3/1	3/1	8"
Russian	CLC	Cossack Cavalry h *	-4g	-2g	~	+2	1	2	4	E	~	~	17"	16"	26"	2/1	2/1	8"
Russian	LN	Line Infantry	-2	+1	+6	-4	2	5	4	C	6"	-1	9"	2"	16"	2/1	2/1	2"
Russian	JG	Jager Infantry	-2	0	+6	-4	2	4	5	C	8"	0	10"	4"	18"	2/1	2/1	2"
Russian	12#	12# Heavy Artillery np	-5	-3	f	f	k	k	4	~	22"	0	8"	2"	14"	6/1	1/1	2"
Russian	6#	6# Foot Artillery np	-5g	-3g	f	f	k	k	4	~	16"	0	8"	2"	14"	4/1	1/1	3"
Russian	6#	6# Horse Artillery np	-5g	-3g	f	f	k	k	4	~	16"	0	11"	3"	21"	4/1	1/1	3"

Labels for Wartenburg

F [16M] Napoleon 56"E(8)+3D	VII [7F] Reynier 16"A(5)+1	32 Durutte 6"A(6)+1	1/32 Devaux 3"A(6)+1	2/32 Jarry 3"A(6)+0	3/32 Brayer 3"A(5)+0	Sx Zeschau 16"A(4)+0	1/Sx Brause 8"A(5)+0	2/Sx Sahr 6"P(4)+0	VII Roger 3"A(5)+0
GC [5F] Lefe--Desnoetes 8"E(8)+1	I [6F] Latour-Mauburg 18"G(6)+1	1LC/I Bruyere 8"G(7)+0	1/1LC/I Bessieres 3"A(6)+0	2/1LC/I Cambraceres 3"G(7)+1	3LC/I Chastel 8"G(5)+0	1/3LC/I Merlin 3"A(6)+0	2/3LC/I Richter 3"A(6)+0	1C Bordesoulle 8"A(6)+0	1/1C Berkeheim 4"A(5)+0
			Can be eliminated	Can be eliminated			Can be eliminated		Can be eliminated
2/1C Quinette 3"A(5)+0	3/1C Lessing 3"G(7)+1	I Boulart 3"A(5)+0					staff Blanc 3"A(5)+0	staff Rouge 3"A(5)+0	staff Vert 3"A(5)+0
Can be eliminated	Can be eliminated								
35Lg/1/32 [8D] 16FrLT	36Lg/1/32 [8D] 16FrLT	131/2/32 [8D] 16FrLN	132/2/32 [8D] 16FrLN	133/3/32 [10D] 20FrLN	Wur/3/32 [8D] 20RBLN	32 FA Fr6#	32 FA Fr6#	Lg/1/Sx [6D] 12SxLT	GN/1/Sx [2D] 8SxGN
Leger	Leger	Line	Line	Line	Wurtzburg			Light Sax	Gren Sax
LN/1/Sx [10D] 16SxLN	GN/2/Sx [2D] 8SxGN	LN/2/Sx [10D] 16SxLN	Sx FA Sx6#	Sx FA Sx6#	Sx HA Sx6#	VII HvA Fr12#	VII HvA Fr12#	Berg CLg [2D] 8FrGLC	1GLancier [2D] 8FrGLC
Line Sax	Gren Sax	Line Sax						Berg	Guard Lan
2GLancier [2D] 8FrGLC	GChasCh [2D] 8FrGLC	Vendar [1D] 4FrGLC	GC HA Fr6#	GC HA Fr6#	Hu/1/1LC/I [2D] 6FrLC	Ln/2/1LC/I [2D] 6FrLC	Ch/1/3LC/I [2D] 6FrLC	Ln/1/3LC/I [2D] 6FrLC	Ch/2/3LC/I [3D] 8FrLC
Guard Lan	ChassCheval	Gendarmes			Hussars	Lanciers	Chasseurs	Lanciers	Chasseurs
Cu/1/1C [4D] 8FrHC	Cu/2/1C [4D] 8FrHC	Lei/3/1C [2D] 8SxHC	Zas/3/1C [2D] 6SxHC	I HA Fr6#	I HA Fr6#	I HA Sx6#	I HA It6#		
	Cuiras	Sax uir	Sax Cuir						

Labels for Wartenburg

R/II [16M]/[6F] Wurttemberg 18"G(7)+1	C1/II Knorring 3"A(6)+0	C2/II Pantschulid I 3"A(6)+0	3/II Schachafskoy 6"A(5)+0	1/3/II Schilvinsky 4"A(6)+0	2/3/II Kapustin 4"A(5)+0	4/II Pischnitzky 6"A(4)+0	1/4/II Treffurt 3"A(6)+0	2/4/II Ivanov 3"A(6)+0	II Nikitin 3"A(4)+0
5 [2F] Lukov 6"A(5)+0	1/5 Prince Siberia 3"G(5)+0	2/5 Kasatchkovsky 3"A(7)+0	2C [3F] Duca 8"G(7)+0	1/2C Leontiev 3"A(6)+0	2/2C Gudowitsch 3"A(6)+1	3/2C Massalov 3"A(5)+1	2C Kakinin 3"A(5)+0	R [3F] Trubetzkoj 6"G(5)+0	1/R Obolensky 4"G(6)+0
					Can be eliminated		Can be eliminated		Can be eliminated
2/R Pahlen II 3"G(7)+1	3/R Uvarov 3"G(5)+0	4/R Gengross 3"A(6)+1	5/R Millesimo 3"A(5)+0		staff Bielii 3"A(5)+0	staff Krasnii 3"A(5)+0	staff Silionii 3"A(5)+0		
Can be eliminated		Can be eliminated							
Hus/C1/II [4D] 8RsLC	Uh/C1/II [4D] 8RsLC	II HA Rs6#	Chas/C2/II [3D] 6RsLC	Drag/C2/II [4D] 8RsLC	Chas/C2/II [3D] 6RsLC	II HA Rs6#	Mo/1/3/II [8D] 16RsLN	Re/1/3/II [8D] 16RsLN	Tch/1/3/II [8D] 16RsLN
Hussar	Uhlán		Chas	Drag	Chas		Line	Line	Line
20J/2/3/II [12D] 24RsJG	II FA Rs6#	Tob/1/4/II[10D] 20RsLN	Volh/1/4/II [8D] 16RsLN	4J/2/4/II [10D] 20RsJG	34J/2/4/II [8D] 16RsJG	II FA Rs6#	II HvA Rs12#	II HvA Rs12#	Pe/1/5 [12D] 24RsLN
Jager		Line	Line	Jager	Jager				Line
Kal/2/5 [10D] 20RsLN	Siev/2/5 [8D] 16RsLN	Gluc/1/2C [3D] 6RsHC	Psk/1/2C [3D] 6RsHC	MilOr/2/2C [4D] 8RsHC	LRus/3/2C [3D] 6RsHC	Novg/3/2C [3D] 6RsHC	2C HA Rs6#	2C HA Rs6#	Coss/1/R [6D] 8RsCsC
Line	Line	Kuiras	Kuiras	Kuiras	Kuiras	Kuiras			Cossacks
Hus/3/R [3D] 6RsLC	3/R HA Rs6#	3/R HA Rs6#	Drag/4/R [4D] 8RsLC	KiDrg/5/R [3D] 6RsLC	KarDrg/5/R[3D] 6RsLC	5/R HA Rs6#			
Hussar			Dragoons	Dragoons	Dragoons				