

Russian Mountain Infantry Division

June 22, 1941

Infantry
Regiment
X 4

3 I 4 10 RIFLE 1	3 I 2 8	6 I 6 12.7 mm	2 M 12 82 mm	3 H 10 76.2 mm	0 C 0 Wagon
x 5	x 1	x 1	x 2	x 1	x 2

Mountain
Artillery
Regiment

20 H 16 76.2 mm	24 M 20 120 mm	0 C 0 Wagon
x 3	x 1	x 4

Howitzer
Regiment

40 H 20 122 mm	0 C 0 Wagon
x 4	x 4

Engineer
Battalion

3 I 2 8	0 C 0 Truck
x 2	x 2

Anti-
Aircraft
Battalion

8 H 12 37 mm	6 I 6 12.7 mm	0 C 0 Truck
x 2	x 2	x 4

Anti-Tank
Battery

5 A 3 45 mm	0 C 0 Truck
x 2	x 2

Mounted
Recon
Squadron

6 I 3 4 Cavalry	4 A 3 2 BA-10
x 1	x 1

These divisions have very little anti-tank protection, however, they are supposed to operate in rugged terrain where tanks would be rarely seen. The mountain artillery regiment would be carried by pack animals while the howitzer regiment would be pulled by teams of horses. Nineteen mountain divisions existed on June 22. They were stationed as follows:

Kiev Military District: 44th, 58th, 60th, 72nd, 96th, 192nd
 North Caucasus District: 28th
 Transcaucasus District: 9th, 20th, 47th, 63rd, 76th, 77th, 138th
 Central Asian District: 68th, 83rd, 194th
 Far Eastern District: 101st
 9th Army: 30th

Many of these divisions had little or no training in actual mountain operations and ten of these divisions were destroyed by the end of the year.