Distribution of Mesopotamia Expeditionary Corps
15 July 1916

3rd (Lahore) Division:

7th Infantry Brigade:
1/Connaught Rangers
27th Punjabis
91st Punjabis (enroute, arrived Basra 30 August)
96th Infantry
Machine Gun Company

8th Infantry Brigade:
1/Manchester Regiment
4th Rajput
47th Sikhs
59th Rifles
Machine Gun Company

9th Infantry Brigade:
1/Highland Light Infantry
93rd Burma Infantry
1/1st Gurkhas
1/9th Gurkhas (under orders for India)
Machine Gun Company

Artillery:

4th Brigade, RFA
7th Battery (6 guns)
14th Battery (6 guns)
66th Battery (6 guns)

Attached
B/69th Battery (4 howitzers)
3rd Divisional Ammunition Column

Engineers:

34th Sikh Pioneers
20th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
22nd Field Company, Sappers & Miners

Divisional Troops:

No. 3 Divisional Signals Company
Mobile Veterinary Company
7th British Field Ambulance
8th British Field Ambulance
111th Indian Field Ambulance
112th Indian Field Ambulance
113th Indian Field Ambulance
No. 11 Sanitary Section

7th (Merrut) Division:

19th Brigade:
1/Seaforth Highlanders
28th Punjabis
92nd Punjabis
125th Rifles
Machine Gun Company

21st Brigade: Brigadier General C.E. Norie
2nd Black Watch
9th Bhopal Infantry
20th Punjabis (detached on L of C)
1/8th Gurkhas
Machine Gun Company

28th Brigade:
2/Leicestershire
51st Sikhs
53rd Sikhs
56th Rifles
Machine Gun Company

Artillery: Brigadier General A.D. Musgrave

9th Brigade, RFA:
19th Battery (6 guns)
20th Battery (6 guns)
28th Battery (6 guns)

56th Brigade, RFA:
"A" Battery (4 guns)
"B" Battery (4 guns)
"C" Battery (4 guns)
"D" Battery (4 guns)

D/69th Howitzer Battery (4 guns)

7th Divisional Ammunition Column

Engineers:
1st Field Company, Sappers & Miners
3rd Field Company, Sappers & Miners
107th Pioneers

Divisional Troops:
6th Cavalry Regiment (2 sqns) (enroute to Amara for India)
No. 7 Divisional Signal Company
Mobile Veterinary Company
19th British Field Ambulance
20th British Field Ambulance
128th Indian Field Ambulance
129th Indian Field Ambulance
130th Indian Field Ambulance
Mobile Veterinary Section

13th Division: (for Amara)

38th Brigade:
6th King's Own Royal Regiment
6th East Lancashire
6th (Prince of Wales volunteers) South Lancashire
6th Loyal Regiment (N. Lancashire)
Machine Gun Company

39th Brigade:
9th Royal Warwickshire
7th Gloucestershire
9th Worcestershire
7th North Staffordshire
Machine Gun Company

40th Brigade:
8th Cheshire
8th Royal Welch Fusiliers
4th South Wales Borderers
5th Wiltshire
Machine Gun Company

55th Brigade, RFA:
A/55th Battery (4 guns)
B/55th Battery (4 guns)
C/55th Battery (4 guns)
D/55th Battery (4 guns)

66th Brigade, RFA:
A/66th Battery (4 guns)
B/66th Battery (4 guns)
C/66th Battery (4 guns)
D/66th Battery (4 guns)
13th Divisional Ammunition Column

69th Brigade, RFA
A/69th Battery (4 guns)

Divisional Troops:
13th Divisional Ammunition Train
13th Divisional Cyclist Company
13th Divisional Signal Company
"D" Sqn, 1/1st Hertfordshire Yeomanry
Mobile Veterinary Company
13th Divisional Signal Column
39th British Field Ambulance
40th British Field Ambulance
41st British Field Ambulance
No. 28 Sanitary Section

14th (Indian) Division:

35th Infantry Brigade:
1/5th Buffs (East Kent Regiment)
3rd Brahmans
37th Dogras
2/4th Gurkhas
Machine Gun Company

36th Infantry Brigade:
1/6th Devonshire Regiment
26th Punjabis
62nd Punjabis
82nd Punjabis
Machine Gun Company

37th Infantry Brigade:
1/4th Devonshire
36th Sikhs
45th Sikhs
1/2nd Gurkhas
Machine Gun Company

Engineers:
128th Pioneers
12th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
13th Field Company, Sappers & Miners

Artillery: Brigadier General H.J.A. Mackey

13th Brigade, RFA:
2nd Battery, RFA (6 guns)
8th Battery, RFA (6 guns)
44th Battery, RFA (6 guns)
C/69th Howitzer Battery (4 guns)
14th Divisional Ammunition Column

Divisional Troops:
12th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
13th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
128th Pioneers
7th Lancers (2 sqns)
14th Divisional Signal Company
1st Combined Field Ambulance
20th Combined Field Ambulance
21st Combined Field Ambulance
22nd Combined Field Ambulance
No. 18 Sanitary Section

6th Cavalry Brigade: Brigadier General S.F. Crocker
“S” Battery RHA (6 guns)
14th Hussars (4 sqns)
4th Cavalry (4 sqns)
33rd Cavalry (4 sqns)
Field Troop, 2nd Sappers & Miners
Signal Troop
Cavalry Brigade Ammunition Troop
No. 18 Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance
No. 131 Indian Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance

Corps Troops

Corps Artillery:
60pdr Brigade, RGA
  2/86th Battery (4 guns)
  1/104th Battery (4 guns)
4.5” Howitzer Brigade, RFA
  60th Battery (6 guns)
  61st Battery (6 guns)
72nd Battery, RGA (for Amara) (4 guns)
1 6” howitzer
2 13pdr anti-aircraft guns
2 12pdr anti-aircraft guns
Corps Artillery Ammunition Column (for Amara)
Corps Ammunition Park
Trench Mortar Brigade (48 3” Stokes guns)
No. 1 Bridging Train
No. 2 Bridging Train
64th Pioneers

Signals Units:
"B" Wagon Station, Wireless
"D" & "G" Pack Stations, Wireless
1/3rd Indian Army Corps Signals Company
2/3rd Indian Army Corps Signals Company

Administrative Units:
No. 15 Casualty Clearing Station
No. 19 Casualty Clearing Station
No. 20 Combined Clearing Station
No. 16 British Stationary Hospital
No. 61 Indian Stationary Hospital
No. 5 Advanced Depots of Medical Stores
No. 7 Advanced Depots of Medical Stores
No. 7 Field Veterinary Section
No. 10 Field Veterinary Section
Advanced Remount Section

Royal Flying Corps:
No. 30 Squadron, Royal Flying Corps
TIGRIS LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS
(at Ali Gharbi - Post Garrison)
102nd Grenadiers
1 15pdr Post Gun
"H" Wireless Pack Station
(at Ali Gharbi - Mobile Column)
2nd Rajputs
16th Cavalry (1 sqn)
23rd Mountain Battery (-2 sections)
"N" Wireless Pack Station
No. 137 Indian Field Ambulance (1 section)
(at Ulaifila)
102nd Grenadiers (1 co)
1 15pdr Post Gun
(In Mudelil - Mobile Column)
67th Punjabis
16th Cavaller (1 sqn)
23rd Mountain Battery (1 section)
"M" Wireless Pack Station
No. 1 Combined Field Ambulance (1 section)
No. 135 Indian Field Ambulance (1 section)
No. 3 Bridging Train (temporarily)
1 15pdr post gun
(at Amara)
20th Punjabis (under orders for 21st Brigade)
1/Oxfordshire & Buckinghamshire Light Infantry
2/7th Gurkhas
2/119th Regiment
C/222nd Battery, RFA (1 section for Mudelil)
2 15pdr guns (Volunteer Artillery Battery)
HQ, No. 2 Wireless Signal Squadron
"A" Wagon Station
2 Spare Pack Sets
No. 122 Indian Field Ambulance (for mobile column)
No. 23 British Stationary Hospital
No. 70 Indian Stationary Hospital
No. 1 British General Hopsital
No. 2 British General Hopsital
No. 32 British General Hopsital
No. 12 Indian General Hospital
No. 21 Indian General Hospital
No. 27 Indian General Hospital
Amara Isolation Hospital
No. 17 Sanitary Section
No. 3 Advanced depots of Medical Stores
No. 6 Advanced depots of Medical Stores
Advanced Remount Section
(at Qala Salith, Ezra's Tomb, & posts)
9th Rajputs
(at Qurna)
44th Merwaara Infantry (-1/2 bn)
No. 57 Indian Stationary Hospital
EUPHRATES LINE
15th Division: Major General H.T. Brooking

(at Nasiriya)
HQ, 15th Division
12th Infantry Brigade:
  1/5th Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey)
  43rd Infantry
  90th Punjabis
  Machine Gun Company
42nd Infantry Brigade:
  1/4th Dorsetshire Regiment
  2/5th Gurkhas
  2/6th Gurkhas
  Machine Gun Company
7th Mountain Artillery Brigade:
  21st Battery (6 guns)
  26th Battery (6 guns)
Plus:
  B/222nd Brigade, RFA (4 guns)
  15th Divisional Ammunition Column

Other:
  15th Divisional Signal Company (less 1 brigade section)
  4th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
  Malerkotha Sappers & Miners
  48th Pioneers
  Det/Volunteer Artillery (4-15pdrs & 1 5" gun)
  2 15pdr post guns (for Khamisiya)
  12th Cavalry (less 2 1/2 squadrons)
  "C" Wireless Pack Station
  "I" Wireless Pack Station
  No. 3 Combined Field Ambulance
  No. 23 Combined Field Ambulance
  No. 24 Combined Field Ambulance
  No. 105 Combined Field Ambulance
  No. 108 Combined Field Ambulance
  No. 16 Sanitary Section (en route)
  Mobile Veterinary Section

(at Khamisiya):
34th Infantry Brigade:
  2nd Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment
  112th Infantry
  114th Mahjarattas
  Machine Gun Company

Other
  30th Mountain Battery (6 guns)
  12th Cavarly Regiment (1 sqn)
  15th Divisional Signal Company (1 brigade section)
  "I" Wireless Pack Station
  No. 19 Combined Field Ambulance

(at Akaika and Suq Ash Shuyukh)
  31st Punjabis
  2 15pdr post guns
(at Junction Camp)
Det/31st Punjabis
1 15pdr post gun

**IN BASRA**

General Headquarters
Headquarters, Inspector-General of Communications
Base Depots

7th Cavalry Brigade:
"V" Battery, RHA (6 guns)
13th Hussars (4 sqns)
13th Lancers (4 sqns)
14th Lancers (4 sqns)
Machine Gun Squadron
Signal Troop
Ammunition Column

41st Infantry Brigade: (at Shaiba)
HQ & Brigade Signal Section
1/4th Somerset Light Infantry
6th Jats
No. 24 Combined Field Ambulance

Other:
2/Norfolk Regiment (at Kurmat Ali)
97th Infantry (enroute Ahwaz)
77th Battery, RGA (for 15th Division)
Headquarters & "A" Battery, 222nd Brigade, RFA
157th Battery, RGA
12th Cavalry (1 3/4 sqns) (orders for Nasiriya)
Patiala Lancers (3 sqns in Barjisiya & 1 in Shaiba)
No. 14 Kite Balloon Section, RNAS
Aircraft Park, RFC
1st Australian & New Zealand Wireless Signal Squadron
(less 4 stations)
General HQ Signal Company
2/3rd Indian Army Corps Signal Company (2 cable sections) (for Tigris Corps)
18th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
Tehri-Garhwal, Sappers & Miners
No. 137 Indian Field Ambulance (A section) (for Shaikh Saad)
No. 3 British General Hospital
No. 33 British General Hospital
No. 8 Indian General Hospital
No. 9 Indian General Hospital
No. 10 Indian General Hospital
No. 20 Indian General Hospital
No. 31st British Stationary Hospital (for Shaikh Saad)
No. 10 Sanitary Section
Base General Medical Store Depot
No. 23 Motor Ambulance Convoy (50
No. 4 Indian Field Ambulance (2 sections) ambulances, arrived 6/7/16)
No. 6 Veterinary Section
No. 18 Veterinary Section
ARABISTAN
(at Ahwaz)
23rd Cavalry Regiment (3 sqns)
44th Merwara Infantry (1/2 Bn)
2 15pdr Post Guns
No. 4 Indian Field Ambulance (2 sections)

BUSHIRE
14th Sikhs
2/22nd Punjabis
124th Infantry (1/2 bn)
15th Lancers (1 sqn)
3 Naval 12pdr guns
1 7pdr mountain gun
2 15pdr post guns
No. 51 Indian Stationary Hospital


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