

Miscellaneous British OB's for India and Asia

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European Contingent

19th Light Dragoon Regiment  
36th Foot Regiment  
52nd Foot Regiment  
72nd Foot Regiment  
73rd Foot Regiment  
102nd Foot Regiment  
Royal Artillery

British Army  
5 July 1798

Corps: Wellesley

Cavalry:

19th Light Dragoon Regiment (384)  
4th, 5th, & 7th Native Cavalry Regiments (1,347)

Infantry:

Brigade: (1,368)  
74th Foot Regiment  
78th Foot Regiment  
Native Infantry: (5,631)  
1/2nd Native Regiment  
1/8th Native Regiment  
2/12th Native Regiment  
2/18th Native Regiment  
3rd Native Regiment

Artillery:

Artillery (173)  
Madras Artillery Lascars (357)  
Madras Pioneers (653)

Indian Forces of Rajah of Mysore:

Cavalry (2,400)  
Mahratta Horse (3,000)

Treasure Convoy: Lieutenant General Stuart  
2 Sepoy Battalions

Poonah Garrison:

84th Foot Regiment (5 cos)(470)  
British Artillery (93)  
Native Infantry (1,215)  
Bombay Lascars (117)

Corps: Colonel Stevenson

3rd & 6th Native Cavalry Regiments (909)  
His Majesty's Scotch Brigade (778)

Native Infantry: (6,113)

2/2nd Native Infantry  
1/6th Native Infantry  
2/7th Native Infantry  
2/9th Native Infantry  
11th Native Infantry

Artillery:

British Artillery (120)  
Gun Lascars (276)  
Pioneers (212)

British Army at Vellore India  
11 Februry 1799

Commanding General: Sir A. Wellesley

Cavalry: Major General Floyd

1st Brigade: Colonel Steerman, Madras Army

1st Light Dragoon Regiment

1st Madras Native Cavalry

4th Madras Native Cavalry

2nd Brigade:

25th Light Dragoon Regiment

2nd Madras Native Cavalry

3rd Madras Native Cavalry

Total: 884 Europeans, 1,571 natives

Artillery:

Bengal Artillery (2 cos)

1st Battalion Madras Artillery

2nd Battalion Madras Artillery

Total: 608 nco's and men, 1,483 gun lascars

Infantry:

Right Wing: Major General Bridges, Madras Army

1st Brigade: Major General Baird, Scotch Brigade

12th Foot Regiment

75th Foot Regiment

3rd Brigade: Colonel Gowdie, Madras Army

1/1st Madras Native Regiment

1/6th Madras Native Regiment

1/12th Madras Native Regiment

5th Brigade: Colonel Roberts, Madras Army

1/8th Madras Native Regiment

2/3rd Madras Native Regiment

1/12th Madras Native Regiment

Left Wing: Major General Popham, Bengal Army

2nd Brigade: Colonel Sherbrooke, Bengal Army

73rd Foot Regiment

De Meuron's Foot Regiment

33rd Foot Regiment

4th Brigade: Lt. Colonel Gardiner, Bengal Army

Bengal Native Infantry (3)

5th Brigade: Lt. Colonel Scott, Scotch Brigade

2/5th Madras Native Regiment

2/9th Madras Native Regiment

Other:

Madras Pioneers (1,000)

Hyderabad Contingent:

1/,2/10th Bengal Native Regiment

2/2nd Bengal Native Regiment

2/7th Bengal Native Regiment

1/,2/11th Madras Native Regiment

British Artillery Company

Bengal Artillery Company

Nizam's Cavalry (6000)

Old French Contingent (3,621)

Bombay Army

Commanding General: Lieutenant General J. Stuart

Right Brigade: Lt. Colonel Montresor

1/2nd Bombay Native Infantry

1/4th Bombay Native Infantry

1/3rd Bombay Native Infantry

Center Brigade: Lt. Colonel Donlop

75th Foot Regiment

77th Foot Regiment

103rd Foot Regiment

Left Brigade: Lt. Colonel Wiseman

2/3rd Bombay Native Infantry

1/5th Bombay Native Infantry

2/2nd Bombay Native Infantry

European Infantry & Artillery : 1,617 men

Native infantry, artillery and pioneers: 4,803 men

British Forces in India  
1803

Commanding General: Wellesley

Cavalry:

19th Light Dragoons (384)

4th, 5th, & 7th Native Cavalry (1,347)

Artillery:

(173 gunners)

(1,010 lascars & pioneers)

Infantry:

74th & 78th Foot Regiment (1,368)

1/2nd, 1/,2/3rd, 1/8th, 2/12th & 2/18th Madras Native

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Infantry Regiments (5,631)

Commanding General: Stevenson

Cavalry:

3rd & 6th Native Cavalry (909)

Artillery:

(120 gunners)

(488 lascars & pioneers)

Infantry:

Scotch Brigade (778)

1/6th, 2/7th, 2/9th, 1/, & 2/11th Madras Native Infantry

Regiments (6,113)☐

Wellesly's Army in India

23 September 1803

Commanding General: Wellesley

Cavalry:

19th Light Dragoons (313)

4th, 5th, & 7th Native Cavalry (1,145)

Artillery:

(154 gunners)

(323 lascars)

Infantry:

74th Foot Regiment (500)

78th Foot Regiment (670)

1/2nd, 1/4th, 1/8th, 1/10th & 2/12th Madras Native

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Infantry Regiments (3,014)

1st Pioneer Battalion (605)

British Expedition against Cuttack India

15 December 1803

European: 22nd Foot Regiment (2 cos)(200)

102nd Foot Regiment (300)

Artillery (73)

Natives: 20th Bengal Native Infantry

1/9th Madras Native Infantry

1/19th Madras Native Infantry

Cavalry

Artillery

Total: 2,468

British Forces  
in India  
7 August 1803

Commanding General: Wellesley  
Cavalry:

- 1st Brigade: Lt. Colonel Vandeleur
  - 8th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 1st Bengal Native Cavalry
  - 3rd Bengal Native Cavalry
- 2nd Brigade: Colonel St. Leger
  - 27th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 2nd Bengal Native Cavalry
  - 6th Bengal Native Cavalry
- 3rd Brigade: Colonel Macan
  - 29th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 4th Bengal Native Cavalry

Infantry:

- 1st Brigade: Lt. Colonel Monson
  - 76th Foot Regiment
  - 1/,2/4th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 17th Bengal Native Infantry (4 cos)
- 2nd Brigade: Colonel Clark
  - 2/8th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 2/9th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 1/12th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 2/15th Bengal Native Infantry (6 cos)
- 3rd Brigade: Colonel MacDonald
  - 2/12th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 1/,2/15th Bengal Native Infantry
- 4th Brigade: Lt. Colonel Powell
  - 1/,2/2nd Bengal Native Infantry
  - 1/14th Bengal Native Infantry

Artillery:

- 2 galloper guns with each cavalry regiment - 18
- 2 battalion guns with each battalion of infantry - 28
- 1 Brigade of Horse Artillery - 6
- 6 6pdrs, 4 12pdrs - 10
- 3 5.5" howitzers - 3

Column of General Lake  
Advance on Muttra, India  
1 October 1804

Cavalry: Colonel Macan

- 1st Brigade: Lt. Colonel Vandeleur
  - 8th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 2nd Bengal Native Cavalry
  - 3rd Bengal Native Cavalry
- 2nd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Browne
  - 27th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 29th Light Dragoon Regiment
  - 1st Bengal Native Cavalry
  - 4th Bengal Native Cavalry
  - European Horse Artillery

Infantry: Major General Fraser

- 1st Brigade: Lt. Colonel Monson
  - 76th Foot Regiment
  - 1/,2/4th Bengal Native Infantry
- 2nd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Browne
  - 1/,2/15th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 21st Bengal Native Infantry
- 3rd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Ball
  - 1/8th Bengal Native Infantry
  - 22nd Bengal Native Infantry
- Reserve Brigade: Lt. Colonel Don

22nd Foot Regiment (Flank companies)  
1/,2/12th Bengal Native Infantry  
1/21st Bengal Native Infantry

British Forces under Lake Pursuing Holkar  
28 October 1805

1st Brigade:

24th Light Dragoon Regiment (late 27th)  
25th Light Dragoon Regiment (late 29th)  
1st Bengal Native Cavalry  
4th Bengal Native Cavalry

2nd Brigade:

8th Light Dragoon Regiment  
2nd Bengal Native Cavalry

Infantry Brigade:

22nd Foot Regiment  
101st European Infantry Regiment  
1/,2/12th Bengal Native Infantry

Garrison of Ceylon  
31 January 1803

19th Foot Regiment  
51st Foot Regiment  
Det. 80th Foot Regiment

British Invasion of Isle de Bourbon  
20 June 1809

Commanding Officer: Colonel Keating

1st Brigade: Colonel Fraser

86th Foot Regiment (420)  
1/6th Madras Native Infantry (850)

2nd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Drummond  
Marines

2/12th Madras Native Infantry (850)

3rd Brigade: Lt Colonel M`Leod

69th Foot Regiment (730)  
Det. Bombay Native Infantry

4th Brigade: Lt. Colonel Campbell

Flank Cos 12th & 33rd Foot Regiments (400)  
Det. 2nd Pioneer Battalion (200)

Artillery:

Madras Artillery (100)

British Assault on Mauritius  
29 November 1810

1st Brigade: Lt. Colonel Picton

12th Foot Regiment  
22nd Foot Regiment  
Madras Volunteers (1/2 battalion)

2nd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Gibbs

59th Foot Regiment  
89th Foot Regiment (300)  
87th Foot Regiment (1 co)  
Madras Volunteers (1/2 battalion)

3rd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Kelso

14th Foot Regiment  
2nd Bengal Volunteer Battalion

4th Brigade: Lt. Colonel M`Leod

69th Foot Regiment  
Marines (300)

Flank Companies 6th & 12th Madras Native Infantry  
5th Brigade: Lt. Colonel Smith  
25th Light Dragoon Regiment (1 troop)  
65th Foot Regiment  
1st Bengal Volunteer Battalion  
Reserve Brigade: Lt. Colonel Keating  
Flank Companies 12th & 33rd Foot Regiments  
84th Foot Regiment (2 cos)  
56th Foot Regiment  
14th Foot Regiment (1 co)  
89th Foot Regiment (1 co)  
Det. Bombay Native Infantry

British Forces in Java  
1811

Commanding Officer: Samual Auchmuty  
Advanced Guard: Colonel Gillespie  
Right Wing Flanker Battalion  
Left Wing Flanker Battalion  
Det/89th Foot Regiment  
Detachment of Marines  
Light Infantry Battalion (East India Company force)  
Det/22nd Dragoon Regiment (dismounted)  
Gardes du corps of the Governor General  
Pioneers  
Horse Artillery (Cpt. Noble)  
Det/22nd Dragoon Regiment  
Main Force: Major General Wetherall  
1st Brigade: Colonel Gibbs  
14th Foot Regiment  
5th Volunteer Bengal Battalion (East India Company)  
59th Foot Regiment  
2nd Brigade: Lt. Colonel Adams  
69th Foot Regiment  
6th Volunteer Bengal Battalion (East India Company)  
78th Foot Regiment  
Reserve Brigade: Colonel Wood  
Flanker Battalion  
3rd Volunteer Bengal Battalion (East India Company)  
1/20th Foot Regiment  
4th Volunteer Bengal Battalion (East India Company)  
Attached:  
Royal Artillery  
Bengalese Artillery  
Pioneers  
Dooly Porters  
Lascars

British at Malacca  
1 June 1811

1st Madras Division:  
Horse Artillery (152)  
22nd Light Dragoon Regiment (260)  
14th Foot Regiment (926)  
59th Foot Regiment (476)  
89th Foot Regiment (549)  
102nd Foot Regiment (37)(acting as pioneers)  
Gun Lascars (105)  
Tent Lascars (122)  
Dooly Corps (97)  
Artificiers (45)  
Puckallies (55)  
2nd Madras Division:  
Horse Artillery(7)  
22nd Light Dragoon Regiment (154)  
Royal Artillery (94)

14th Foot Regiment (10)  
59th Foot Regiment (530)  
69th Foot Regiment (858)  
78th Foot Regiment (1,054)  
1st Pioneer Battalion (144)  
2nd Pioneer Battalion (165)  
Gun Lascars (99)  
Tent Lascars (210)

Bengal Division:

Governor-General's Bodyguard (107)  
Bengal Artillery (2 cos)(150)  
1/20th Bengal Native Infantry (1,501)  
Bengal Volunteer Battalions (4)(3,592)  
Light Infantry Battalion Bengal Native Infantry (576)  
Pioneers (361)

Gillespie's Division:

Governor-General's Cavalry Bodyguard  
Det. 22nd Light Dragoon Regiment  
Converged Grenadier Battalion  
Converged Light Infantry Battalion  
Det. 89th Foot Regiment  
det. Marines  
Bengal Native Infantry Light Battalion  
Pioneers

Wetherall's Division:

Right Brigade: Colonel Gibbs  
14th Foot Regiment  
59th Foot Regiment  
5th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
Left Brigade: Lt. Colonel Adams  
69th Foot Regiment  
78th Foot Regiment  
6th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry

Wood's Division:

Flank Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
1/20th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
3rd Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
4th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
Field Artillery (Royal & E.I.'s Company's)

British Attack at  
Campong Malayo, Malaysia  
26 August 1811

Command: Gillespie

14th Foot Regiment (Rifle co)  
Madras Pioneers  
78th Foot Regiment (Grenadier Co)

Right Flank Battalion:

14th & 59th Foot Regiments (Light Companies)  
5th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry Grenadier Co)

Left Flank Battalion:

69th & 78th Foot Regiments (Light Companies)  
6th Battalion Bengal Native Infantry  
78th Foot Regiment (Rifle Co)  
89th Foot Regiment  
Det. Royal Marines  
Det. 22nd Light Dragoon Regiment (dismounted)  
Det. Bengal Light Infantry  
Det. 4th Bengal Battalion Native Infantry

Command: Gibbs

14th, 59th & 69th Foot Regiments (Grenadier Cos)  
59th Foot Regiment  
Det. Bengal Light Infantry  
Det. 4th Bengal Battalion Native Infantry

British Forces at Zedayo

12 September 1811

Commanding General: Auchmuty

22nd Light Dragoon Regiment (1 troop)

14th Foot Regiment

22nd Foot Regiment

4th Battalion Bengal Sepoys

Madras Pioneers

Det. Royal Artillery

Det. Bengal Artillery

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