

Division de Marche d'Alger ⁽¹⁾

1st Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment (1^{er} Regt Tirailleurs Algeriens)

1st Bn. 3rd Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

2nd Bn. 3rd Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

3rd Bn. 3rd Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

9th Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment (9e Regt Tirailleurs Algeriens)

1st Bn. 9th Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

2nd Bn. 9th Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

3rd Bn. 9th Algerian Tirailleurs Regiment

Divisional Troops

3rd Regiment of Algerian Zouaves

2nd Regiment of Chasseurs d'Afrique

1er Regiment de Spahis Algeriens

65e Regiment Artillerie Algerien

410e Regiment Anti-Aircraft

NOTE:

1. This division was a Vichy French formation, the Division of Constantine, which converted to the Allied cause and initially became the Division de Marche d'Alger. It became part of the French XIX Army Corps, the traditional designation of the French Army in Africa, which dated from 1873. The Corps was reformed in November 1942 following the Allied invasion of French North Africa and the armistice agreed by the Vichy French administration in North Africa. This is believed to be the order of battle for this formation in late 1942. On 1 May 1943, it was reformed into the 3rd Algerian Infantry Division, and trained for amphibious operations however, it was not used in that role. The division landed in Italy in December 1943, and it replaced an U.S. division in the line at the beginning of 1944. It also fought in the battles for the Gothic Line before landing in Southern France in August 1944.

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