

Summary of Strength of Army in Malaya, December 7, 1941.

(Royal Engineers, Mechanical Transport, Signals and Ancillary Units not included.)

Infantry Battalions—

British	...	...	...	6	(including 1 M.G. Btn.).
Indian	...	...	...	18	
Australian	...	...	...	6	
Malay	...	...	...	1	

Total	...	...	...	31	
Volunteer Battalions	...	...	...	10	
Johore Military Forces	...	...	...	1	
Indian State Forces	...	...	...	5	

Artillery—

Field Regiments	...	...	7	(5 of 24 guns ; 2 of 16 guns).
Mountain Regiments	...	...	1	(24 guns).
Anti-Tank Regiments	...	...	2	(1 of 48 guns ; 1 of 36 guns).
Anti-Tank Batteries	...	...	2	(1 of 8 Breda guns ; 1 of 6 2-pounders).

Total Strength—

Regulars—

British	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,391	
Australian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,279	
Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37,191	
Asiatic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,482	
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		76,343

Volunteers—

British	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,430	
Indian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	727	
Asiatic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,395	
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		10,552

Grand Total ... 86,895

APPENDIX F.

FAR EAST.

Anti-Aircraft Position, December 7, 1941.

	Approved Scale.	Holdings.	En route.	Allocated but not shipped.
Malaya—				
Heavy	176	70	12	20 } (b)
Light	100 (plus 144 field force)	78	28	
3-in. Naval	Nil	24	Nil	
Burma—				
Heavy	24	8 } (a)	8	
Light	68	16 }	8	
Hong Kong—				
Heavy	32	14	4	
Light	30	2	8	
3-in. Naval	Nil	2		

(a) Of these 4 heavy and 8 light had only just reached Rangoon and had not been installed.

(b) A proportion was to be allocated to Burma by Commander-in-Chief, Far East.