

## Breakout from Suvla Bay: British Order of Battle

Intelligence Briefing: 8 August 1915

It is 8 August 1915. The British 10<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Infantry Divisions (New Army divisions formed in the past 8 months, newly arrived from the United Kingdom, and untried in battle) have landed over the past one and a half days. While the men have got ashore, the divisional artillery still languishes aboard ship, and there is a water shortage, keenly felt by the men. In addition you have been landed with little or nothing in the way of maps of the terrain that you face. Your forces have suffered from occasional sniping and harassing artillery fire throughout the previous day and night, after having captured the two hills Lala Baba and Hill 10 close to the landing beaches.

It seems that there are light Turkish forces to your front, but that there seems to be little in the way of organised opposition between you and your objectives: the high ground that surrounds the landing beaches, and a route across the peninsular. Finally you may be able to force the Turkish forces off the Gallipoli Peninsular, the navy will be able to force the narrows, and Istanbul is there for the taking.

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Composition</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Attachments</b>
<b>10<sup>th</sup> (Irish) Division</b>	Division HQ Stand	All units green	
29 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
30 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
31 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
<b>Divisional Units available for attachment</b>			<b>Fire mission expenditure record</b>
Pioneers	5/ Royal Irish Regiment	4 engineer stands	
'A' Battery	1 x 18pdr stand		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>11<sup>th</sup> Northern Division</b>	Division HQ Stand	All units green	
32 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
33 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
34 Brigade	Brigade HQ stand		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
	4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion per TOE	4 companies	
<b>Divisional Units available for attachment</b>			
Pioneers	6/East Yorkshire Regiment	4 engineer stands	
<b>Corp units available for attachment: Naval Gun Fire Support</b>			<b>Fire mission expenditure record</b>
1 x Regt 4.5" guns	NGFS	In general support	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1 x Regt 6" guns	NGFS	In general support and available for counter battery fire	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1 x Regt 14" guns	NGFS	ONLY available for counter battery fire	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>