

2. Fallschirmjäger-Division (2nd Parachute Division)

The 2nd Parachute Division was formed in France in the summer of 1943. In the autumn of the same year it was transferred to Italy and completed its formation in the Rome area. Elements of the Division took part in operations to regain control of the outer Aegean Islands after the defection of Italy. In November 1943 the Division was transferred to the eastern front, southern sector. Late in 1943 it suffered heavy losses in the Zhitomir area. Early in 1944 it was transferred to Germany for reforming. In the spring of 1944 it was transferred to France, Brittany area, and later in the same year was partly engaged in Normandy and then in Brittany. It was destroyed at Brest in September 1944.

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