

AotW's Field Artillery Pieces with the Army of the Potomac and the Army of Northern Virginia on the Maryland Campaign of September 1862

Federal Guns at Antietam 9/17	Total	20 Parrott	10 Parrott	3 In Ordn	14 James	12 James	boat hwz	Whitworth	Blakely	Napoleon	32 howz	24 howz	12 howz	6-pdr gun	boat hwz	type unk	notes	Casualties
Kentucky Light Artillery, Simmonds' Battery	6	2	3											1			12-pdr. iron, prob Confederate capture	—
Massachusetts Light Artillery, 8th Battery	6					4								2				—
Massachusetts Light Artillery, Battery A	6									6							Present at Antietam but "not engaged"	—
Massachusetts Light Artillery, Battery C	6									6								—
Maryland Light Artillery, Battery A	8			8														1 K, 11 W, 2 C/M
Maryland Light Artillery, Battery B	6			6														—
Maine Light Artillery, 4th Battery	6			6													Present at Antietam but "not engaged"	—
Maine Light Artillery, 6th Battery	4			1						3							Present at Antietam but "not engaged"	—
New Hampshire Light Artillery, First Battery	6									6								3 W
New Jersey Light Artillery, Battery A	6			6														—
1st Battalion New York Light Artillery, Battery A	4	4																1 MW
1st Battalion New York Light Artillery, Battery B	4	4																—
1st Battalion New York Light Artillery, Battery C	4	4																—
1st Battalion New York Light Artillery, Battery D	6										6							—
1st New York Light Artillery, Battery B	6			6														1 K, 1 W
1st New York Light Artillery, Battery G	6									6								1 MW, 4 W
1st New York Light Artillery, Battery L	6			6														5 W
1st New York Light Artillery, Battery M	6			4	2													—
2nd New York Artillery, Battery L	6			6														—
9th New York Infantry, Company K	5						2									3		—
New York Light Artillery, 10th Battery	6									6								—
New York Light Artillery, 1st Battery	4			4														—
New York Light Artillery, 5th Battery	4	4																—
Ohio Light Artillery, First Battery	6				6													1 K (from 12 OH Inf), 1 Des
1st Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Battery A	4									4								1 K, 3 W
1st Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Battery B	4			4														2 W
1st Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Battery F	4			4														3 K, 8 W
Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Independent Battery C	4			4														12 W (incl. 2 MW from 105NYI)
Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Independent Battery D	6			6														3 W
Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Independent Battery E	6			6														—
Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Independent Battery F	4			4														—
1st Rhode Island Light Artillery, Battery A	6			6														4 K, 15 W
1st Rhode Island Light Artillery, Battery B	6									6								—
1st Rhode Island Light Artillery, Battery C	6									6								—
1st Rhode Island Light Artillery, Battery D	6									6								3 K, 7 W, 8 C/M
1st Rhode Island Light Artillery, Battery G	6			6														5 W
1st United States Artillery, Batteries E and G	4									4								—
1st United States Artillery, Battery I	6									6								6 W
1st United States Artillery, Battery K	6									6								4 K, 5 W
2nd United States Artillery, Batteries B and L	4			4														—
2nd United States Artillery, Battery A	4			4														1 K, 3 W
2nd United States Artillery, Battery D	6									6								2 W
2nd United States Artillery, Battery E	4	4																—
2nd United States Artillery, Battery M	4			4														2 K, 3 W
3rd United States Artillery, Batteries C and G	6			6														—
3rd United States Artillery, Batteries L and M	4			4														—
4th United States Artillery, Batteries A and C	6									6								Present at Antietam but "not engaged"
4th United States Artillery, Battery B	6									6								3 W
4th United States Artillery, Battery E	4			4														9 K, 31 W
4th United States Artillery, Battery F	6									6								2 K, 1 W
4th United States Artillery, Battery G	6									6								Present at Antietam but "not engaged"
4th United States Artillery, Battery H	6									6								—
5th United States Artillery, Battery A	6									6								3 W
5th United States Artillery, Battery C	4									4								2 K, 13 W
5th United States Artillery, Battery D	6			4						2								—
5th United States Artillery, Battery F	6			4						2								—
5th United States Artillery, Battery I	4			4														—
5th United States Artillery, Battery K	4									4								—
rifled	170																	
smoothbore	131																	
Totals - 57 Federal Batteries	301	22	57	79	6	4	2	0	0	119	6	0	3	0	3	0		
(avg 5.3 guns/battery)		20 Parrott	10 Parrott	3 In Ordn	14 James	12 James	boat hwz	Whitworth	Blakely	Napoleon	32 howz	24 howz	12 howz	6-pdr gun	boat hwz	type unk		

Confederate Guns at Sharpsburg 9/17	Total	20 Parrott	10 Parrott	3 In Ordn	14 James	12 James	boat hwhz	Whitworth	Blakely	Napoleon	32 howz	24 howz	12 howz	6-pdr gun	boat hwhz	type unk	
Hardaway's (AL) Battery	3			2				1									9 W
Jeff Davis (AL) Artillery	4			3						1							Only two guns in service [which?] at Sharpsburg
Pulaski (GA) Artillery	4		1	1									1	1			1 K, 8 W
Sumter (GA) Artillery, Battery A	4		3							1							4 K, 10 W
Sumter (GA) Artillery, Battery B	4		3														18 W
Sumter (GA) Artillery, Battery D	6		1										3	3			1 K, 5 W
Sumter (GA) Artillery, Battery E	6		3													5	1 K, 7 W
Troup (GA) Artillery	2		2														2 Parrotts noted as "naval"; present but "not engaged" at Sharpsburg
Donaldsonville (LA) Artillery	6		2	1											3		1 K, 8 W
Louisiana Guard Artillery	3		1	2													1 K, 8 W
Madison Light Artillery (LA)	4		2	2								2					4 K, 24 W
Washington (LA) Artillery, 1st Company	4		2	2													1 K, 12 W
Washington (LA) Artillery, 2nd Company	4									2			2				1 K, 5 W
Washington (LA) Artillery, 3rd Company	4									4							2 K, 10 W, 2 C/M
Washington (LA) Artillery, 4th Company	4												2	2			—
2nd Baltimore (MD) Artillery	4		1	1					1				1				Carman says 1 3-in Ordn, 2 Blakely, 1 12-pdr howitzer
3rd North Carolina Artillery, (1st) Company G	2												2				Present but "not engaged" at Sharpsburg
Manly's (NC) Battery	6			1									2	3			4 W
Rowan (NC) Artillery	6		2	2								2					—
Brooks (SC) Artillery	4		2										2				—
German (SC) Artillery	6								2	4							—
Macbeth (SC) Artillery	6															6	2 K, 17 W
Palmetto (SC) Light Artillery	4												2	2			1 MW, 11 W
Pee Dee (SC) Artillery	4		1	1						1			1				1 K, 2 W
Alleghany (VA) Artillery	4			2						2							Carman says 2 3-in Ordn, 2 Napoleons
Ashland (VA) Artillery	4		2										1	1			iron 12-pounder; 6-pdr from Fleet's (Middlesex VA) Battery
Bath (VA) Battery	4			1									1	1		1	unk type was rifled
Branch's Petersburg (VA) Field Artillery	6		1	2													—
Carter's King William (VA) Artillery	5		1										2	2			2 K, 3 W, 1 C/M
Chew's (VA) Battery	4			2					1				1				Possibly 3 Ordnance rifles; arrived Sharpsburg late 9/17, not engaged
Courtney (VA) Artillery	2			2													Rifles arrived Sharpsburg from HF late afternoon 9/17
Crenshaw (VA) Battery	4									1			1	2			1 K, 4 W
Cutshaw's (VA) Battery	3			1									2				1 or 2 3-in Ordnance rifles
Danville (VA) Artillery	2		1	1													Carman says 2 10 Parrots, 1 3-in Ordn, 1 Napoleon
Dixie (VA) Artillery	2			1						1							Present at Sharpsburg but "not engaged"
Fredericksburg (VA) Artillery	6			2										4			1 K, 2 W (est); 1 K, 2 W, 1 C/M (9/19)
French's Stafford (VA) Battery	6		3										3				—
Grimes' Portsmouth (VA) Battery	3		1												2		1 K, 2 MW
Johnson's Bedford (VA) Artillery	3												2	1			or 2 6-pdr guns & 1 12-pr howitzer
Jones' Peninsula (VA) Battery	4															4	1 K, 25 W
Jordan's Bedford (VA) Artillery	4		1	1									1	1			1 K, 2 W
Lee (VA) Artillery	4			2									2				5 W
Long Island (VA) Battery	3															3	Gun count estimated
Lynchburg (VA) Artillery	3		2														—
Morris' Louisa (VA) Artillery	4												4				2 K, 7 W
Norfolk (VA) Battery	4		1	1										2			—
Parker's Richmond (VA) Battery	4			2									2				3 K, 18 W
Pelham's (VA) Battery	8			2						1						5	Divided into 2 4-gun batteries 9/18
Purcell (Richmond) Artillery	4		2							2							1 K, 13 W
Richmond "Hampden" (VA) Artillery	4		1											3			3 6-pounder guns "absent" at Sharpsburg
Richmond "Orange" (VA) Artillery	5			1									1	3			8 W
Richmond "Fayette" (VA) Artillery	4													4			—
Richmond Howitzers, 1st Company	2		2														1 K, 1 W
Richmond Howitzers, 2nd Company	4		2										1			1	Arrived late at Sharpsburg from guarding fords
Rockbridge (VA) Artillery	3		2							1							6 W
Staunton (VA) Artillery (Balthis' Battery)	2													2			2 W
Wise (VA) Artillery	4															4	1 K, 4 W, 1 C/M
Wise (VA) Legion Artillery, Company D	3															3	Gun count estimated
Yorktown "Magruder" (VA) Artillery	x															x	—
rifled	90																
smoothbore	112																
unknown	35+																
Totals - 58 Confederate Batteries	237+	0	43	41	0	0	0	2	4	21	0	4	45	40	2	35	
(avg 4.2 guns/battery)		20 Parrott	10 Parrott	3 In Ordn	14 James	12 James	boat hwhz	Whitworth	Blakely	Napoleon	32 howz	24 howz	12 howz	6-pdr gun	boat hwhz	type unk	

Federal Guns on Campaign but not at Antietam 9/17	Total	20 Parrott	10 Parrott	3 In Ordn	14 James	12 James	boat h wz	Whitworth	Blakely	Napoleon	32 howz	24 howz	12 howz	6-pdr gun	boat h wz	type unk	notes	Casualties
1st New York Light Artillery, Battery C	2			2													3Div/5th Corps - not present at Antietam on 17th	—
New York Light Artillery, 3rd Battery	6		4							2							4th Corps - not present at Antietam	—
1st Ohio Light Artillery, Battery L	6									6							3Div/5th Corps - not present at Antietam on 17th	—
1st Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Battery C	4		4														4th Corps - not present at Antietam on 17th	—
1st Pennsylvania Light Artillery, Battery D	4		4														4th Corps - not present at Antietam on 17th	—
2nd United States Artillery, Battery G	4									4							4th Corps - not present at Antietam on 17th	—
2nd United States Artillery, Battery M	2			2													2 guns detached with Cav. not at Antietam on 9/17	—
rifled	16																	
smoothbore	12																	
Totals - Federal Guns not at Antietam	28	0	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0		

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Milledge's Regular (GA) Battery	5			4										1			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Shepherdstown	—
Sumter (GA) Artillery, Battery A	1													1			Lost Howitzer at Boonsboro 9/16 (abandoned).	—
Troup (GA) Artillery	1													1			Howitzer lost at Crampton's Gap 9/14	—
1st Maryland Battery	4									4							Not at Sharpsburg: at Harpers Ferry on 9/17	—
Chesapeake (MD) Artillery	3		2	1													Not at Sharpsburg: at Harpers Ferry on 9/17	—
3rd North Carolina Artillery, (1st) Company G	1													1			Lost 6-pdr at Boonsboro 9/16 (abandoned)	—
Washington (SC) Battery	4								4								South of Potomac at Boteler's Ford 9/17 am	—
1st Fluvanna (VA) Artillery	4													4			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Shepherdstown on 9/17	1 K (9/19)
2nd Fluvanna (VA) Artillery	2													2			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Shepherdstown on 9/17	—
8th Star New Market (VA) Artillery	3		1	1						1							Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Williamsport or Shepherdstown	—
Amherst (VA) Artillery	4												2	2			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Shepherdstown on 9/17	—
Courtney (VA) Artillery	2									2							Napoleons remained at Harpers Ferry 9/17.	—
Johnson's Richmond (VA) Battery	4												2	2			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Shepherdstown on 9/17	1 W (9/19)
Powhatan (VA) Artillery	2			1													Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Williamsport or Shepherdstown	—
Richmond 'Letcher' (VA) Artillery	4			1						2							Not at Sharpsburg: at Harpers Ferry on 9/17	—
Richmond 'Fayette' (VA) Artillery	2		2														2 rifles detached at Harpers Ferry on 9/17	—
Richmond Howitzers, 3rd Company	4		2										2				Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Williamsport or Shepherdstown	—
Salem (VA) Flying Artillery	4												2	2			Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Williamsport or Shepherdstown	—
Williamsburg (VA) Artillery	x														x		Not at Sharpsburg: guarding ford at Williamsport or Shepherdstown	—
Rockbridge (VA) Artillery	1													1			1 6-pounder left at Martinsburg then Williamsport	6 W
rifled	19																	
smoothbore	36				55													
unknown	x																	
Totals - Confederate Guns not at Sharpsburg	55+	0	7	8	0	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	11	16	0	x		

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Confederate Guns at Sharpsburg 9/17	237	0	43	41	0	0	0	2	4	21	0	4	45	40	2	35	90 rifled/112 smoothbore/35+ unknown	
Federal Guns not at Antietam	28	0	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	16 rifled/12 smoothbore	
Confederate Guns not at Sharpsburg	55	0	7	8	0	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	11	16	0	x	19 rifled/36 smoothbore/x unknown	
Total - Federal Guns on the Campaign	329	22	69	83	6	4	2	0	0	131	6	0	3	0	3	x	186 rifled/143 smoothbore	
Total - Confederate Guns on the Campaign	292	0	50	49	0	0	0	2	8	30	0	4	56	56	2	x	109 rifled/148 smoothbore/35+ unknown	

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- x unknown number of unknown type guns
  - 20 Parrott 20-pounder Parrott rifled muzzleloader
  - 10 Parrott 10-pounder Parrott rifled muzzleloader
  - 3 In Ordn Model 1861 3 Inch Ordnance rifled muzzleloader
  - 14 James 14-pounder James Rifled Gun
  - 12 James 12-pounder James Rifled Gun ( Model 1841 6-pounders, bored/lined)
  - boat h wz 12-pounder Dahlgren Boat Howitzer (rifled)
  - Whitworth 12-pounder Whitworth Rifled Breech-loading Gun
  - Blakely 12-pounder Blakely Rifled Muzzleloader
  - Napoleon Model 1857 12-pounder light gun-howitzer
  - 32 howz Model 1844 32-pounder Howitzer
  - 24 howz Model 1841 24-pounder howitzer
  - 12 howz Model 1841 12-pounder howitzer
  - 6-pdr gun Model 1841 6-pounder Gun
  - boat h wz 12-pounder Dahlgren Boat Howitzer (smoothbore)

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