Austrians 1859 to 1866 in 6mm

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The miniatures are all from the Heroics & Ros Franco-Prussian War range unless noted otherwise.

INFANTRY

Line with Greatcoats: To depict Austrians with rolled greatcoats use Prussian Jaegers NCP 3 Prussian Jaegers Advancing (Franco-Prussian War range - good headgear) and/or MPN 1 Prussian Musketeers and MPN 11 Prussian Musketeers Attacking (Prussian Napoleonic range. Both need work on headgear but you can use the Prussian shako as it is).

Line with "bonnet de police": NCF 8 French Guard Infantry Marching of NCF 9 Guard Infantry Attacking (Franco Prussian War range. You will need to cut off the pompons).

Line: MBN 19 Napoleonic British Infantry Attacking in shakos or even MBN 22 Infantry Belgic Attacking (with attention to headgear) (Napoleonic range).

Chasseurs/Jaegers: MAN 3 Austrian Jaegers Skirmishing (Napoleonic range - in hats) or NCP 3 Prussian Jaegers (Franco-Prussian War range).

CAVALRY

Uhlans: NCP 4 Prussian Uhlans of NCP 5 Prussian Uhlans Charging or NCF 12 French Lancers.

Hussars: NCF 5 French Hussars (in kepis) (Franco-Prussian War range) or MACW 4 Federal Cavalry ACW Federal cavalry and MACW 14 Federal Cavalry in Kepi Charging (American Civil War range).

Dragoons/Chevaux-Legers: MAN 4 Austrian Napoleonic Dragoons (Napoleonic range) or NCP 14 Bavarian Light Horse (Franco-Prussian War range).

ARTILLERY

Artillery: NCF 7 French Artillery.