



WSS Know-Who & Painting Guide

204: Valencia City Infantry Regiment

«Regiment de la Ciutat de València»



Traditionally raised and funded by Valencia City's Municipality, either at king's request or by its own.

It was raised in January 1706 to support Archduke Charles' claim to the throne, this regiment fought in Cartagena and Requena sieges (1707), and after Almansa battle it resulted severely damaged defending the kingdom of Valencia from the Two Crowns invasion. As a result of the heavy losses suffered, it was reformed into Alicante, or Richardi's, Regiment in 1709.

Uniform element	Colour description	Painting suggestion *
Coat	Blue	70-809 Royal Blue
Facings	Red	70-908 Carmine Red
Waistcoat	Red?	70-908 Carmine Red
Neckcloth	White?	70-951 White
Trousers	Red	70-908 Carmine Red
Stockings	Red	70-908 Carmine Red
Buttons	?	?
Hat	Black	70-950 Black
Hat border	?	?
Hat lace	?	?
Gaiters (if worn)	?	?
Officers' sash	Yellow?	70-915 Deep Yellow
Officers' hat plume	Red?	70-908 Carmine Red

* According to Vallejo's Model Color 70 Range chart



According to L. Sorando

Prior to 1706

Tercio de la Ciudad de Valencia

Uniform likely unchanged

King's colour until 1706, as per regulations

Regiment's colour likely unchanged

Colonels

1706: Joseph Nicolau i Boix

Valencian infantry regiments were organized, following Archduke Charles' 1706 Ordnances, in a single battalion totalling in theory a thousand men, divided into 10 companies of fusiliers and 1 of grenadiers.