Figurative Map of the successive losses in men of the French Army in the Russian campaign 1812-1813.

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The numbers of men present are represented by the widths of the colored zones at a rate of one millimeter for every ten thousand men; they are further written across the zones. The red designates the men who retired into Russia, the black those who were killed. The information which is found to draw up the map has been extracted from the works of M. B. T. P. in, of J. Dupuy, of Terenouve, of Chambery, and the unpublished diary of Jacob, pharmacist of the Army, since October 1812.

In order to better judge the losses of the army, I have assumed that the troops of Loison, Rivjol, and Marshal Maresco, who had been detached at Minsk and Nogdov and had rejoined around Ochka and Vilne, had always marched with the army.

GRAPHIC TABLE of the temperature in degrees of the Réaumur thermometer below zero.