

**Detailed Organization, American Field Artillery  
Brigade Headquarters & Headquarters Battery,  
Square Division  
1 October 1940  
Table of Organization 6-10-1**

Headquarters

- 1 Brigade Commander (Brigadier General)(1 pistol)
- 1 Executive Officer (Lt. Colonel)(1 pistol)
- 1 S-1 Officer (Lt. Colonel)(1 pistol)
- 1 S-2 Officer (major)(1 pistol)
- 1 S-3 Officer (Captain)(1 pistol)
- 1 S-4 & Munitions Officer (Captain) (1 pistol)
- 1 Asst S-2 & Reconnaissance Officer (1st Lt)(1 pistol)
- 1 Asst S-3 Officer (1st Lt)(1 pistol)
- 1 Aide (1st Lt)(1 pistol)
- 1 Aide (2nd Lt)(1 pistol)

Headquarters Battery

Battery Headquarters

- 1 Communications Officer (Captain)(1 pistol)
- 1 Assistant Communications Officer (2nd Lt)(1 pistol)
- 1 1st Sergeant(1 pistol)
- 1 Machine Gun Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Battery Clerk (Corporal)(1 pistol)
- 4 Privates
  - 4 Orderlies (4 pistols)

Operations Platoon

Command Post & Survey Section

- 1 Operations Chief (Master Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Sergeant Major (Master Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Instrument Sergeant (Staff Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Message Center Chief (Staff Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Ammunition Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Survey Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 23 Privates
  - 8 Chauffeurs (8 pistols, 1 5 passenger car,  
2 1-ton trailers, 4 ½-ton command  
trucks, 1 ½-ton radio truck, & 2  
2 ½-ton cargo trucks)
  - 2 Gunners (2 pistols & 2 .50 cal HMGs)
  - 2 Assistant Gunners (2 pistols)
  - 2 Messenger/Signalmen (2 pistols)
  - 2 Motorcyclists (2 pistols & 1 motorcycle  
with side car)
  - 2 Surveyors (2 pistols)
  - 2 Basics (2 pistols)

Meteorological Section

- 1 Meteorologist (Tech. Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 1 Meteorologist (Sergeant)(1 pistol)
- 4 Privates
  - 1 Chauffeur (1 pistol, 2 2½-ton truck &  
1 1-ton trailer)
  - 3 Meteorologists (3 pistols)

Communications Platoon

Platoon Headquarters

1 Communications Chief (Master Sergeant)(1 pistol)

Wire Section

1 Motor Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)

3 Signalmen (Corporal)(3 pistols)

24 Privates

4 Chauffeurs (4 pistols, 2 ½-ton command trucks & 2 2½-ton cargo trucks)

8 Lineman (8 pistols)

1 Surveyor (1 pistol)

5 Switchboard Operators (5 pistols)

6 Telephone Operators (6 pistols)

3 Basic Privates (3 pistols)

Radio Section

1 Radio Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)

11 Privates

1 Chauffeur (1 pistol & 1 2½-ton cargo truck)

8 Radio Operators (8 pistols)

2 Basic Privates (2 pistols)

Maintenance Section

1 Supply Sergeant (Staff Sergeant)(1 pistol)

1 Mess Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)

1 Supply Sergeant (Sergeant)(1 pistol)

15 Privates

2 Chauffeurs (2 pistols & 2 2½-ton cargo trucks)

4 Cooks (4 pistols)

3 Cook's Helpers (3 pistols)

2 Automobile Mechanics (2 pistols & 1 2½-ton cargo truck)

1 General Mechanic (1 pistol)

3 Basic Privates (3 pistols)

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