

**German Army
Authorized Strength
(mot) Pioneer Platoon
Cavalry Regiment
1 August 1943**

1 Platoon Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Supply Sergeant (P)
 1 submachine gun
1 Equipment NCO
 1 rifle
1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 pistol
1 Surveyor
 1 rifle
1 Messenger
 1 rifle
1 Motorcycle Driver/messenger
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle with sidecar.
3 Drivers
 3 rifles, 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (Kfz 2 volkswagen)
 & 2 1 1/2 ton trucks
 1st Group:
 1 Group Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
 9 Pioneers (including 2 Machine Gunners)
 8 rifles, 1 pistol, & 1 light machine gun
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck Sd Kfz 3 Maultier
 2nd Group:
 same as 1st Group
 3rd Group:
 1 Group Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
 8 Pioneers (including 2 Machine Gunners)
 7 rifles, 1 pistol, & 1 light machine gun
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck Sd Kfz 3 Maultier
 4th Group:
 same as 3rd Group

	Warrant			
	Officers	Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Platoon	1	-	6	45

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