

**German Army  
Authorized Strength  
Infantry Gun Company  
(12 Light Guns)  
Infantry Division  
8 July 1944**

Staff

1 Company Commander  
    1 horse & 1 submachine gun  
1 Direction Circle NCO  
    1 pistol  
1 Field Radio Operator  
    1 rifle  
1 Corpsman  
    1 pistol & 1 bicycle  
4 Messengers  
    4 rifles & 4 bicycles  
2 Surveyors  
    2 rifles  
1 Radio Operator  
    1 rifle  
1 Horse Leader for Jf 8 Infantry Cart  
    1 rifle, 1 horse, & 1 Jf 8 Infantry Cart  
1 Jf 8 Infantry Cart, hand drawn  
1 Driver  
    1 rifle & 1 light 4 seat passenger vehicle  
Light Field Cable Troop:  
    1 Troop Leader  
        1 submachine gun  
    4 Telephone Talkers  
        4 rifles  
    1 Jf 8 Infantry Cart & 1 horse  
    1 Jf 8 Infantry Cart, hand drawn  
1st (Light Infantry Gun) Platoon:  
1 Platoon Commander (officer)  
    1 horse, 1 pistol, & 1 submachine gun  
1 Direction Circle NCO  
    1 pistol  
1 Vehicles Commander  
    1 submachine gun  
1 Range Finder  
    1 pistol  
1 Messenger  
    1 rifle  
2 Field Radio Operators  
    2 rifles & 2 radios  
1 Assistant Master Gunsmith  
    1 rifle  
Light Field Cable Troop:  
    4 Telephone Talkers  
        3 rifles & 1 submachine gun  
4 Guns:  
    1 Position NCO

1 submachine gun  
 4 Gun Commanders  
     4 submachine guns  
 24 Gunners  
     24 rifles, 1 light machine gun, & 4 75mm leIG 18  
 4 Ammunition Handlers  
     2 rifles  
 5 Wagon Drivers  
     6 rifles, 4 light Protzfahrzeuge or Pleskau 2 wagons  
     & 8 horses; 2 Pleskau 2 wagons & 4 horses.

2nd (Light Infantry Gun) Platoon:  
 same as 1st, but officer replaced by NCO

3rd (Light Infantry Gun) Platoon:  
 same as 1st, but officer replaced by NCO

Field Train:

6 NCOs, 10 soldiers, 1 riding horse, 4 light draft horses, 2 heavy draft horses,  
 13 rifles, 2 pistols, 1 submachine gun, 1 light machine gun 3 horse drawn vehicles,  
 & 1 bicycle

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officer	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	1	-	4	13
1st Platoon	1	-	7	44
2nd Platoon	-	-	8	44
3rd Platoon	-	-	8	44
Field Train	-	-	6	10
Total	2	-	33	155

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