

**German Army
Authorized Strength
Heavy Panzer Company "Tiger" Company
(Freie Gliederung)
1 November 1944**

Staff

1 Company Commander (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Hauptfeldwebel (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Weapons NCO
 1 pistol
1 Tank Commander (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Gunners (NCO)
 no personal weapons
1 Radio Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Tank Drivers (NCO)
 2 pistols & either
 2 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 181 (88mm 36 L/56)
 or 2 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 182 (88mm 43 L/71)
1 Radio Operator
 1 pistol
2 Loaders
 2 pistols
1 Messenger
 1 rifle
2 Motorcycle Messengers
 2 rifles & 2 Sd Kfz 2 Kettenkraftkrads
2 Drivers
 2 rifles & 2 light four seat passenger vehicles (volkswagen)

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (& tank commander) (officer)
 1 pistol
3 Tank Commanders (NCOs)
 3 pistols
3 Gunners (NCOs)
 no personal weapons
1 Radio Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
4 Tank Drivers
 4 pistols and either
 4 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 181 (88mm 36 L/56)
 or 4 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 182 (88mm 43 L/71)
1 Gunner
 no personal weapon
3 Radio Operators
 3 pistols
4 Loaders
 4 pistols

2nd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon

3rd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon

Spare Crews:
 2 Tank Commanders (NCOs)
 2 pistols
 2 Drivers (NCOs)
 2 pistols
 2 Gunners
 2 pistols
 2 Radio Operators
 2 pistols
 2 Loaders
 2 pistols

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	1	-	8	8
1st Platoon	1	-	11	8
2nd Platoon	1	-	11	8
3rd Platoon	1	-	11	8
Spare Crews	-	-	4	6
Total	4	-	45	38

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