

German Army
Authorized Strength
Siegfried (380mm) (E) Railroad Battery
(2 guns)
1 October 1944

Staff

1 Battery Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
1 Command Position Officer
 1 submachine gun
1 Scissors Telescope NCO
 1 pistol
2 Evaluators (NCOs)
 2 pistols
1 Fire Control Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
1 Railroad Pioneer (NCO)
 1 rifle
1 Motorcycle Messenger (NCO)
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle
4 Fire Control Technicians
 4 rifles
4 Evaluators
 4 rifles
1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle
3 Drivers
 3 rifles, 2 four seat light passenger vehicles & 1 2-ton truck

Signals Squad:

1 Squad Leader
 1 pistol
1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
1st Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop (12):
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
 4 Telephone Talkers
 4 rifles
 1 Drivers
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck
2nd Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop (12):
 same as 1st Troop
3rd Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop (12):
 same as 1st Troop, for sound and flash ranging
1st Portable Radio Troop iMw:
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
 1 Radio Operator
 1 rifle
2nd Portable Radio Troop iMw:
 2 Radio Operators
 2 rifles

Medium (mot) Radio Troop 100 Mw:

1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
4 Radio Operators
 4 rifles
1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck

Sound and Flash Ranging Troop:

1 Troop Leader (officer)
 1 submachine gun
4 Calculation Station Leaders (NCOs)
 4 rifles
1 Evaluator (NCO)
 1 rifle
8 Observers
 8 rifles
5 Radio Operators
 5 rifles
4 Evaluators
 4 rifles
1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle
4 Drivers
 4 rifles, 1 light 4 seat passenger vehicle,, 1 2-ton truck,
 & 2 3-ton trucks

Gun Battery

1 Battery Officer
 1 pistol
1 Weapons NCO
 1 pistol
1 Gun Captain (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Gun Captain (NCO)
 1 rifle
2 Aiming Circle NCOs
 2 pistols
2 Electro-Mechanical Repairmen
 2 rifles
3 Diesel Locomotive Drivers (NCO)
 3 rifles
3 Diesel Locomotive Escorts (NCO)
 3 rifles
2 Corpsman (NCO)
 2 pistols & 2 bicycles
30 Gunners
 30 rifles & 2 guns
1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 rifle & 1 bicycle
6 Electro-Mechanical and Motor Repairmen
 6 rifles
3 Diesel Locomotives (1 as reserve)
29 Miscellaneous Railroad Cars

Munitions Squad:

1 Pyrotechnician/Squad Leader (NCO)
 1 pistol

1 Munitions NCO
 1 pistol
 24 Munitions Handlers
 24 rifles
 4 Railroad Cars for Munitions
Flak Detachment - Organization A
1st Flak Platoon
 1 Platoon Leader (NCO)
 1 pistol
 2 Gun Captains (NCOs)
 2 rifles
 12 Gunners
 12 rifles, 1 20mm Quad 38/1, & 1 20mm Quad 38/4
 2 Range Finder Operators
 2 rifles
 1 Driver
 1 rifle, 1 3-ton truck, & 1 Sd Ah 52 trailer
 1 Om-Wagon for Flak
2nd Flak Platoon:
 same as 1st
Flak Detachment - Organization B
1st Flak Platoon:
 1 Platoon Leader (NCO)
 1 pistol
 2 Gun Captains (NCOs)
 2 rifles
 6 Gunners
 6 rifles, 1 20mm 38/1, & 1 Quad 38/4

 2 Range Finder Operators
 2 rifles
 1 Driver
 1 rifle, 1 3-ton truck, & 1 Sd Ah 52 trailer
 1 Om-Wagon for Flak
2nd Flak Platoon:
 same as 1st
Heavy Sound Ranging Platoon:
 1 Platoon Leader (officer)
 1 pistol
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
1st Troop:
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
 1 Evaluation Manager (NCO)
 1 rifle
 4 Evaluators
 4 rifles
 1 Electro Mechanical Repairman
 1 rifle
 1 Triangulation Technician
 1 rifle
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 3-ton truck

2nd Troop:

same as 1st Troop

Vehicle Maintenance:

2 NCOs, 5 soldiers, 6 rifles, 1 pistol, 1 light four seat passenger vehicle, 2 2-ton trucks

Battery Baggage:

8 NCOs, 11 soldiers, 15 rifles, 3 pistols, 1 submachine gun, 1 2-ton truck, 2 bicycles, 2 3-ton trucks, 1 4-5 ton truck, & 6 railroad cars

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officer	NCOs	Soldiers
Staff	2	-	6	13
Signals Squad	-	-	6	24
Sound and Flash Ranging	1	-	5	22
Battle Battery				
Gun Squad	1	-	17/19	37
Munitions Squad	-	-	2	24
Flak (20mm Quad)	-	-	6	30
Flak (20mm Single)	-	-	6	18
heavy Sound Ranging	1	-	4	15
Vehicle Maintenance	-	-	2	5
Battery Baggage	-	-	8	11
Total (with 20mm Quad)	5	-	56/58	181
Total (with 20mm Single)	5	-	56/58	169

Note: Double numbers (25/24) indicate where there is a penciled change in the organization charge. The first number is the original strength and the second number is the penciled revised figure.

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