

**German Army**  
**Authorized Strength**  
**Heavy Mountain Jäger Company**  
**1 March 1944**

Command:

- 1 Company Commander (officer) (1 horse , 1 pistol & 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Special Duty Officer (officer) (1 horse, 1 pistol & 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Weapons NCO (1 pistol)
- 1 Company Troop Commander (NCO) (1 horse, 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Medical NCO (1 pistol)
- 1 Messenger (private) (1 horse & 1 machine pistol)
- 2 Messengers (private) (2 machine pistols & 1 bicycle)
- 1 Messenger (private) (1 machine pistol & 1 Sd Kfz 2)
- 2 Surveyors (2 rifles)
- 1 Horse Holder (1 rifle)
- 5 Pack Horse Leaders (4 rifles & 4 pack mules)

Signals Staff:

- 1 Platoon Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 2 Light Mountain Field Cable Troops 8:
  - 2 Troop Leaders (NCO) (2 machine pistols)
  - 10 telephone Operators (2 pack horses & 10 rifles)
- 2 Mountain Portable Radio Troops:
  - 1 Troop Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
  - 9 Radio Operators (2 pack horses, 8 rifles & 1 machine pistol)

1st (Heavy Mountain Mortar) Platoon:

- 1 Platoon Leader (1 riding horse, 1 pistol, & 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Gun Laying Officer/Troop Leader (NCO) (1 riding horse & 1 pistol)
- 1 Messenger (1 horse & 1 pistol)
- 1 Range Finder Operator (1 horse & 1 pistol)
- 3 Radio Operators (1 pack horse & 3 machine pistols)
- 1 Assistant Armorer (1 rifle)
- 1 Driver (1 rifle & 1 kubelwagen)
- 2 Pack Horse Leaders (2 rifles & 2 pack horses)
- 1 Corpsman (1 pistol)

Light Mountain Field Cable Troop 8:

- 1 Troop Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 5 Telephone Operators (1 pack horse & 5 rifles)

Mortar Teams

- 1 Position Officer (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 4 Gun Captains (NCO) (4 machine pistols & 4 120mm mortars)
- 1 Gun Layer (private) (1 pistol)
- 28 Mortar Soldiers (28 rifles)
- 4 Machine Gunners (2 pistols, 2 rifles, & 2 LMGs)
- 4 Motorcyclists (4 rifles & r Sd Kfz 2)

Munitions Squad:

- 1 Squad Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 4 Munitions workers (4 rifles & 4 Raupenschlepper Ost)

Platoon Squad:

- 1 Squad Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 1 Blacksmith (1 rifle)
- 16 Pack Horse Leaders (16 rifles & 16 pack horses)

2nd (Mountain Infantry Gun) Platoon:

- 1 Platoon Leader (officer) (1 horse, 1 pistol & 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Gun Layer NCO (1 horse & 1 pistol)
- 1 Messenger (1 horse & 1 machine pistol)
- 1 Messenger (1 machine pistol)
- 1 Range Finder Operator (1 horse & 1 pistol)z
- 3 Telephone Operators (1 pack horse & 3 machine pistols)
- 1 Assistant Armorer (1 rifle)
- 1 Corpsman ("stretcher bearer") (1 pistol)
- 2 Pack Horse Leaders (2 rifles & 2 pack horses)
- 1 Corpsman (1 pistol)

Light Mountain Field Cable Troop 8:

- 1 Troop Leader (NCO) (1 machine pistol)
- 5 Telephone Operators (5 rifles & 1 pack horse)

Gun Section:

- 1 Position NCO (1 machine pistol)
- 2 Gun Captains (private) (2 machine pistols 2 Sd Kfz 2, 2 Sd Ah 1 munitions trailers, & 2 75mm leIG 18)
- 1 Gun Layer (private) (1 pistol)
- 24 Gunners (24 rifles, 2 LMGs,

Munitions Squad:

- 1 Squad Leader (1 machine pistol)
- 8 Munitions Workers (8 rifles, 4 Sd Kfz 2, 4 Sd Ah 1 munitions trailers)

Pack Horse Squad:

- 1 Squad Leader (1 machine pistol)
- 1 Blacksmith (1 rifle)
- 14 Pack Horse Leaders (14 rifles)

Train:

7 NCOs, 40 soldiers, 21 pack horses & 5 riding horses, 42 rifles, 1 pistol, 4 machine pistols, 2 LMGs, 5 Jf 8 Infantry Carts, 3 Kfz 12 or 14 Field Kitchen Wagons, 5 Panjewagons, 4 3-ton trucks, 1 3-seat passenger vehicle, 3 Raupenschlepper Ost,

Total:

	Warrant			
	Officers	Officers	NCOs	Privates
Staff	2	0	3	11
Signals Squad	0	0	4	19
1st Platoon	1	0	9	73
2nd Platoon	1	0	7	70
Train	0	0	7	40
Total	40	0	30	213

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