

**German Army
Authorized Strength
Staff and Staff Battery
(mot) Werfer or Heavy Werfer Battalion
(Freie Gliederung)
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Staff

1 Battalion Commander (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Battalion Adjutant (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Observation Officer
 1 pistol
1 Liaison Officer
 1 submachine gun
1 Battalion Doctor (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Battalion Scribe (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
1 Scissors Telescope NCO
 1 pistol
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 rifle & 1 Sd Kfz 2 Kettenkraftkrad
4 Drivers
 4 rifles, 1 medium & 3 light four seat passenger vehicles

Staff Battery:

1 Battery Commander/Signals Officer (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Hauptwachtmeister
 1 pistol
1 Assistant Observer/Radioman (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
1 Scribe
 1 rifle
2 Radio Operators
 2 pistols
1 Corpsman
 1 rifle
3 Drivers
 3 rifles & 3 light four seat passenger vehicles (volkswagen)
1 Armored Vehicle Driver
 1 rifle & 1 Sd Kfz 250/5 Observation Half Track with
 one Satz Fu 8 SE 30 and one Satz FU 4
1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck
1 light machine gun

Signals Platoon:

1st Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop 12:
1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
4 Telephone Talkers
 4 rifles

1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 2-ton truck
2nd Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop 12:
 same as 1st Troop, but leader carried a rifle, not a
 submachine gun
3rd Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop 12:
 same as 2nd Troop
4th Medium (mot) Field Cable Troop 12:
 same as 2nd Troop
1st (mot) Portable Radio Troop t Mw
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
 2 Radio Operators
 2 rifles
2nd (mot) Portable Radio Troop t Mw
 3 Radio Operators
 3 rifles
3rd (mot) Portable Radio Troop t Mw
 same as 1st Troop
4th (mot) Portable Radio Troop t Mw
 same as 2nd Troop

Survey Troop:

1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
 5 Survey Soldiers
 5 rifles, 1 light 3 seat & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle

Gas Field Laboratory:

1 Troop Technician (civil servant)
 1 pistol
 1 Laboratory Technician
 1 rifle
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 3-ton Gas field Laboratory Truck
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)

Totals:

	Officers	Civil Servant	NCOs	Soldiers
Staff	5	-	3	5
Staff Battery				
Battery Staff	1	-	2	9
Signals Platoon	-	-	6	30
Survey Troop	-	-	1	5
Gas Field Laboratory	-	1	-	3
Total	6	1	12	54

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