

**German Army
Authorized Strength
Staff, Ski-Füsilier Battalion
1 January 1945**

Battalion Command Staff

1 Battalion Commander
 1 submachine gun
1 Battalion Adjutant
 1 submachine gun
1 Ordnance Officer
 1 submachine gun
1 Battalion Physician
 1 pistol
1 Messenger Leader
 1 submachine gun
1 Battle Scribe
 1 submachine
4 Messengers
 1 carbine each
2 Motorcycle Messengers
 1 carbine, 1 350ccm motorcycle with sidecar
1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 carbine, 1 Sd Kfz 2 Kettenkrad, 1 trailer
3 Drivers for light trucks
 1 rifle & 1 4 seat light passenger truck each

Staff Company:

1 Company Commander
 1 submachine gun
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Driver for light truck
 1 rifle & 1 4 seat light passenger truck

Signals Squadron:

1 Squadron Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
2 Machine Gunners
 1 rifle, 1 pistol, 1 light machine gun
1 Radio Repairman
 1 rifle
3 Akjachieher (2 telephone & 1 radio)
 3 rifles, 3 infantry carts
1 Driver
 1 rifle, 1 light passenger truck

2 Light Field Cable Troops (mot), with a total of:

6 Telephone talkers
 4 rifles & 2 submachine guns

2 Light Trucks (4 seat)

Light Field Cable Troop (mot), with a total of:

1 Troop Leader
 1 submachine gun
2 Telephone Talkers
 2 rifles

1 Truck Driver
 1 rifle, 1 3ton Truck
Pioneer Platoon:
 1 Platoon Commander (Officer)
 1 submachine gun
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
 2 Messengers
 1 submachine gun each
 3 Riflemen with Grenade Launchers
 3 rifles
 2 Sharpshooters
 1 carbine each
 1 Corpsman
 1 pistol
 1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 rifle, 1 Sd Kfz 2 Kettenkrad, 1 trailer
 1 Driver
 1 rifle, 1 3 ton truck
3 Groups, with a total of:
 3 Group leaders (NCOs)
 3 submachine guns
 21 Pioneers & Machine gunners
 3 pistols, 18 submachine guns & 3 light machine guns
 3 Drivers
 3 rifles & 3 3ton trucks

Field Train:

1 officer, 1 warrant officer, 7 NCOs, 22 soldiers, 24 rifles, 4 pistols, 3 submachine guns, 1 light machine gun, & 6 3 ton trucks

Vehicle Maintenance Group:

2 NCOs, 5 soldiers, 6 rifles, 1 pistol, 1 light 4 steat truck, 2 2 ton trucks.

<u>Totals</u>	Warrant			
	Officers	Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Staff	4	-	2	10
Staff Company				
Company Command	1	-	1	1
Signals	-	-	3	23
Pioneer Platoon	1	-	4	34
Field Train	1	1	7	22
Vehicle Repair	-	-	2	5

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