

**Organization of a
French 47mm Anti-Tank Battery
18 April 1940**

Command:

1 Captain
1 Riding horse

Command Section:

1 NCO
1 Riding horse
2 Brigadiers
2 Riding horses
7 Sergeants
1 Driver
8 Soldiers
2 Liaison Vehicles
1 Camionette
2 All Terrain Tractors
3 Solo Motorcycles
1 Bicycle

Fire Direction, each with:

1 Lieutenant
1 Adjudant or Sergeant Major
Observers/Machine gunners
4 Sergeants
Telephone and Radio Operators
1 Brigadier
5 Sergeants
1 Driver (Liaison Agent)

3 Gun Sections, with a total of:

3 Officers
9 NCOs
9 Brigadiers
45 Sergeants
35 Drivers
3 Chaffeurs
12 Saddle Horses
60 Draft Horses
3 Camionettes
12 47mm Guns

An Individual Gun Section, had:¹

2 NCOs
2 Brigadiers
6 Sergeants
10 Drivers
1 Chauffer
1 Camionette for munitions
4 47mm guns (drawn by 4 horses)
2 Caissons (drawn by 6 horses)

¹ This is not a 4th gun section. The total figures have some individuals who are not distributed to the gun sections, but, apparently, remain with the fire direction portion of the battery.

2 Saddle horses
20 Draft horses

General Service:

- 1 Sergeant Major (commander)
- 1 Sergeant Major (quartermaster)
- 3 Sergeants Major
- 2 Brigadiers
- 8 Sergeants
- 1 Liaison Vehicle
- 3 Trucks
- 1 Heavy Recovery (Wrecker) Tractor
- 1 Trailer (fuel?)

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