Detailed Organization American Armored Division

Infantry Headquarters & Headquarters Detachment

for Armored Infantry Battalion 15 November 1940

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Battalion Headquarters:

- 1 Lt. Colonel (commanding officer) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 Major (executive) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 1st Lieutenant (motor transport) (1 .45 cal pistol)

Headquarters Detachment

Headquarters Section

- 1 Captain (company commander) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 Technical Sergeant (sergeant major) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 Corporal (motor) (1 .45 cal pistol & 1 motor tricycle)
- 1 Corporal (ammunition) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 15 Privates

 - 1 Armorer (1 .45 cal pistol)
 - 1 Cook (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
 - 1 Cook's Helper (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
 - 2 Scout Car Drivers (2 .45 cal pistols, 2 halftracks with armament)
 - 2 Half Track Driver (2 .45 cal pistols, 2 halftracks with armament)
 - 1 Mechanic (1 .45 cal pistol)
 - 2 Radio Operators (2 .45 cal pistols)
 - 1 Stenographer (1 .45 cal pistol)
 - 2 Basics (2 .45 cal pistols)

Message Center Section:

- 1 Staff Sergeant (section leader) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 Corporal (headquarters clerk) (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
- 1 Corporal (records clerk) (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
- 2 Privates (scout & reconnaissance agents)(2 .45 cal
 pistols, 2 .45 cal submachine guns & 2 solo
 motorcycles)

Intelligence Section:

- 1 Staff Sergeant (section leader) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 1 Corporal (intelligence) (1 .45 cal pistol)
- 3 Privates (scout & reconnaissance agents)(3 .45 cal
 pistols, 3 .45 cal submachine guns & 3 motor
 tricycles)

Equipment Totals:

2 scout car halftracks with 2 .30 HMGs, 1 .50 cal HB HMG & 1 .45 submachine gun, 2 personnel carrier halftracks with 1 .30 HMG & 1 .45 cal submachine gun, 8 .45 cal submachine gun, 25 .45 cal pistols, 4 .30 cal M1 rifles, 4 solo motorcycles, & 4 motor tricycles.

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