

**German Army**  
**Authorized Strength**  
**(mot) Radio Company (tmot)**  
**Air-Landing Signals Battalion**  
**1 February 1941**

Flying Squad:

Command:

1 Company Commander (officer)  
    1 pistol & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1 Hauptwachtmeister (NCO)  
    1 pistol  
1 Master Radio Operator (NCO)  
    1 submachine gun & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1 Radio Operator on special duty (NCO)  
    1 pistol  
5 Signals "dolmetscher"  
    5 rifles & 5 100ccm motorcycles  
1 Corpsman  
    1 pistol & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1 Scribe  
    1 rifle  
4 Radio Operators  
    4 rifles, 1 motorcycle & 2 motorcycles with sidecars  
2 Carts

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (officer)  
    1 pistol & 1 motorcycle with sidecar  
1 Radio Operator (NCO)  
    1 submachine gun  
1 Radio Operator  
    1 rifle & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1st Light Radio Troop (f)  
1 Troop Leader (NCO)  
    1 pistol  
5 Radio Operators (& 2 machine gunners)  
    3 rifles, 2 pistols, 1 light machine gun  
    1 motorcycle, 2 motorcycles with sidecars & 1 cart  
2nd Light Radio Troop (f):  
    same as 1st Troop  
3rd Light Radio Troop (f):  
    same as 1st Troop  
4th Light Radio Troop (f):  
    same as 1st Troop  
5th Light Radio Troop (f):  
1 Troop Leader (NCO)  
    1 pistol & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
3 Radio Operators  
    3 rifles, 1 motorcycle with sidecars & 1 cart  
6th Light Radio Troop (f):  
    same as 5th Troop  
7th Light Radio Troop (f):  
    same as 5th Troop

8th Light Radio Troop (f):

same as 5th Troop

9th Light Radio Troop (f):

same as 5th Troop

10th Light Radio Troop (f):

same as 5th Troop

2nd Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (officer)

1 pistol & 1 motorcycle with sidecar

1 NCO on special duty

1 submachine gun

1 Radio Operator/Messenger

1 rifle & 1 100ccm motorcycle

1st Portable Radio Troop (b):

1 Troop Leader (NCO)

1 rifle

2 Radio Operators

2 rifles, 1 motorcycle with sidecar & 1 cart

2nd Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 1st Troop

3rd Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 1st Troop

4th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 1st Troop

5th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 1st Troop

6th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 1st Troop

7th Portable Radio Troop (b):

3 Radio Operators

3 rifles, 1 motorcycle with sidecar & 1 cart

8th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

9th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

10th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

11th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

12th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

13th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

14th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

15th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

16th Portable Radio Troop (b):

same as 7th Troop

Light Radio Troop (c)

1 Troop Leader (NCO)

1 submachine gun & 1 100ccm motorcycle

3 Radio Operators

3 rifles, 1 motorcycle with sidecar & 1 trailer

Ground Squad:

Replacement Squad:

1 Squad Leader (NCO)  
1 pistol  
1 Radio Operator on special assignment (NCO)  
1 rifle & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1 Radio Operator/Messenger  
1 rifle & 1 100ccm motorcycle  
1 Driver  
1 rifle & 1 Kfz 15 radio truck  
1st (mot) Light Radio Troop (f):  
2 NCOs (1 was troop leader)  
2 rifles  
4 Radio Operators  
4 rifles, 1 Kfz 15 radio truck & 1 Kfz 17 radio truck  
2nd (mot) Light Radio Troop (f):  
same as 1st Troop  
3rd (mot) Light Radio Troop (f):  
same as 1st Troop  
4th (mot) Light Radio Troop (f):  
same as 1st Troop  
5th (mot) Light Radio Troop (f):  
same as 1st Troop

Squad Remainder

1 Squad Leader (NCO)  
1 pistol  
(mot) Wire Reconnaissance Troop  
1 Radio Operator (NCO)  
1 rifle  
7 Radio Operators  
7 rifles & 2 Kfz 15 signals trucks  
1 NCO/Radio Operator on special duty  
1 rifle & 1 motorcycle  
7 Signals "dolmetscher"  
7 rifles  
1 Accountant  
1 rifle  
1 Draftsman  
1 rifle  
9 Radio Operators  
9 rifles & 1 motorcycle  
1 Motorcyclist  
1 rifle & 1 motorcycle with sidecar  
33 Drivers  
33 rifles, 8 Kfz 2 radio trucks, 8 Kfz 15 radio trucks,  
1 Kfz 15 signals truck, 6 Kfz 17 radio trucks, 2 Kfz 17/1  
radio trucks, 1 1.5 ton equipment truck, 1 1.5 ton radio  
close reconnaissance truck, 5 1.5 ton trucks for flying  
staff.

Field Train:

2 NCOs, 15 soldiers, 16 rifles, 1 pistol, 1 motorcycle, 1 motorcycle with sidecar,  
2 Hf12 or Hf 14 field kitchens (truck drawn) 1 1.5 fuel truck, 2 2-ton field kitchen  
trucks, 1 Kfz 42 salvage truck, 1 Sd Ah 23 trailer, & 1 Kfz 2/40 maintenance truck

Supply:

1 NCO, 1 soldier, 2 rifles, 1 1.5 ton truck

Totals:

	Officers	Civil Servant	NCOs	Soldiers
Flying Squad				
Command	1	-	9	5
1st Platoon	1	-	11	39
2nd Platoon	1	-	8	46
Total	3	-	28	90
Ground Squad				
Replacement Squad	1	-	11	22
Remainder	1	-	10	50
Field Train	-	-	2	15
Supply	-	-	1	1
Total	2	-	24	88
Company Total	5	-	52	178

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