

**Organization of a Russian Rifle Division
29 July 1941**

Division Headquarters: (26/49/14/37)¹

2 heavy trucks, 4 light trucks, 6 wagons, 24 horses

3 Infantry Regiments, each with: (107/51/365/2,172)

3 Battalions, each with

1 Signal Platoon

3 Rifle Companies (6 LMGs & 2 50mm mortars)

1 Machine Gun Company (12 HMGs)

1 Mortar Company (2 82mm Mortars)

Signal Company:

AA Company: (3 quad 12.7mm AA HMGs & 6 37mm guns)

Pioneer Company:

AT Battery: (6-45mm guns)

Infantry Gun Battery: (4-76.2mm guns)

Mortar Company: (2-120mm mortars)

Medical Company:

Horse Drawn Supply Company

total equipment:

54 SMGs, 6 AT rifles, 54 LMGs, 36 HMGs, 3 12.7mm AA HMGs, 18

50mm mortars, 6 82mm mortars, 2 120mm mortars, 4 76.2mm

infantry guns, 6 45mm AT guns, 9 light trucks, 9 bicycles,

154 wagons, 27 carts, 14 field kitchens, 477 trucks

Horse drawn Artillery Regiment: (57/36/141/729)

Signal Platoon

Staff Battery

3 Battalions

Signal Platoon

Calibration Section

2 Batteries (4-76.2mm guns)

1 Battery (4-122mm guns)

total equipment

16 76.2mm guns, 8 122mm howitzers, 4 light trucks, 1 special

vehicle, 85 wagons, 26 carts, 7 field kitchens, 723 horses.

(mot) Flak Battalion: (16/13/42/172)

2 Flak Batteries (3-37mm AA guns ea)

1 Flak Battery (4-76.2mm AA guns)

total equipment

6 37mm AA guns, 4 76.2mm AA guns, 1 heavy truck, 27 light

trucks, 2 special vehicles, 5 tractors, 1 field kitchen.

(mot) Reconnaissance Company: (4/1/15/101)

9 light trucks

(mot) Signals Battalion: (17/15/47/184)

1 heavy truck, 15 light trucks, 3 special vehicles, 3 motorcycles,

1 wagon, 13 carts, 1 field kitchen, 27 horses

Pioneer Battalion: (17/14/70/316)

43 wagons, 4 carts, 3 field kitchens, 102 horses

(mot) Flamethrower Platoon (1/0/4/33)

30 flame throwers, 3 light trucks

¹ Numbers are officers, officials, NCOs, and men.

Transportation Company: (4/8/24/83)

80 light trucks, 1 special vehicle, 1 motorcycle, 1 field kitchen

Medical Battalion: (2/31/32/165)

20 special vehicles, 50 wagons, 1 field kitchen, 104 horses

Field Bakery: (0/4/12/144)

18 light trucks, bakery ovens, 20 wagons, 1 field kitchen,
and 45 horses

Veterinary Hospital: (0/1/1/8)

2 wagons, 4 horses

Field Post Office: (0/3/3/6)

4 wagons & 8 horses

Paymaster: (0/3/0/0)

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