

**American Armored Divisions
1941-1945**

1st Armored Division: Formed on 15 July 1940 from the 7th Cavalry Brigade.

1941:

1st Armored Brigade HHC
1st Armored Regiment (Light)
13th Armored Regiment (Light)
69th Armored Regiment (Medium)
68th Field Artillery Regiment (Armored)
81st Reconnaissance Battalion (Armored)
27th Field Artillery Battalion (Armored)
6th Infantry (Armored)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 1st Armored Division
16th Engineer Battalion (Armored)
47th Medical Battalion (Armored)
141st Signal Company (Armored)
19th Ordnance Battalion (Armored)
13th Quartermaster Battalion (Armored)
12th Observation Squadron (Attached)

1944/45

1st Tank Battalion
4th Tank Battalion
13th Tank Battalion
6th Armored Infantry Battalion
11th Armored Infantry Battalion
14th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
27th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
68th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
91st Armored Field Artillery Battalion
81st Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 1st Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
Hqs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
47th Medical Battalion, Armored
123rd Armored Ordnance Maintenance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
16th Armored Engineer Battalion
141st Armored Signal Company
501st Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

2nd Armored Division: Activated 15 July 1940.

1941:

2nd Armored Brigade HHC
66th Armored Regiment (Light)
68th Armored Regiment (Light)
67th Armored Regiment (Medium)
14th Field Artillery Regiment (Armored)
82nd Reconnaissance Battalion (Armored)
78th Field Artillery Battalion (Armored)
41st Infantry (Armored)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 1st Armored Division
17th Engineer Battalion (Armored)
48th Medical Battalion (Armored)
142nd Signal Company (Armored)
17th Ordnance Battalion (Armored)
16th Quartermaster Battalion (Armored)

1944/45

66th Tank Battalion
67th Tank Battalion
738th Tank Battalion (Mine Clearing) elements attached
1/12/45-1/17/45
702nd Tank Destroyer Battalion (6/11/44-9/21/44, 10/1/44to2/7/45
& 2/27/45-5/9/45)
82nd Armored Reconnaissance Battalion
14th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
78th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
92nd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
41st Armored Infantry Regiment
99th Infantry Battalion (8/15/44-9/18/45)
195th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (6/11/44 to past 5/9/45)
142nd Armored Signal Company
17th Armored Engineer Battalion
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 2nd Armored Division
Service Company, 2nd Armored Division
Division Trains:
HHC
Maintenance Battalion
Supply Battalion
48th Armored Medical Battalion
502nd Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

3rd Armored Division: Formed 15 April 1941.

1941:

3rd Armored Brigade HHC
332nd Armored Regiment (Light)
33rd Armored Regiment (Light)
40th Armored Regiment (Medium)
67th Field Artillery Regiment (Armored)
83rd Reconnaissance Battalion (Armored)
54th Field Artillery Battalion (Armored)

36th Infantry (Armored)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 3rd Armored Division
23rd Engineer Battalion (Armored)
45th Medical Battalion (Armored)
15th Quartermaster Battalion (Armored)
143rd Signal Company (Armored)
18th Ordnance Battalion (Armored)
22nd Observation Squadron (Attached)

1944/45

32nd Armored Regiment
33rd Armored Regiment
36th Armored Regiment
54th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
67th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
391st Armored Field Artillery Battalion
143rd Armored Signal Company
23rd Armored Engineer Battalion
83rd Armored Reconnaissance Battalion
643rd Tank Destroyer Battalion (12/22/44-12/26/44)
703rd Tank Destroyer Battalion (6/25/44-12/17/44, 1/2/45-5/9/45)
803rd Tank Destroyer Battalion (6/25/44-7/16/44)
413th AAA Gun Battalion (7/7/44-7/16/44)
486th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (6/25/44-59/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 3rd Armored Division
Service Company, 3rd Armored Division
Division Trains
 HHC
 Maintenance Battalion
 Supply Battalion
 45th Armored Medical Battalion
 503rd Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

4th Armored Division: Formed 15 April 1941.

1941:

4th Armored Brigade HHC
35th Armored Regiment (Light)
37th Armored Regiment (Light)
80th Armored Regiment (Medium)
66th Field Artillery Regiment (Armored)
84th Reconnaissance Battalion (Armored)
22nd Field Artillery Battalion (Armored)
51st Infantry (Armored)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 1st Armored Division
24th Engineer Battalion (Armored)
46th Medical Battalion (Armored)
144th Signal Company (Armored)
20th Ordnance Battalion (Armored)
18th Quartermaster Battalion (Armored)

1944/45

8th Tank Battalion
35th Tank Battalion
37th Tank Battalion
10th Armored Infantry Battalion
51st Armored Infantry Battalion
53rd Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
22nd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
66th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
94th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
25th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
504th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
704th Tank Destroyer Battalion (4/25/45-past 5/9/45)
811th Tank Destroyer Battalion (3/3/45-3/11/45)
489th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (6/19/44-5/19/45)
Headquarters
HQ Company, 4th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs Reserve Command
HHC Division Trains
 46th Medical Battalion, Armored
 126th Armored Ordnance Maintenance Battalion
 Military Police Platoon
 24th Armored Engineer Battalion
 144th Armored Signal Company

5th Armored Division: Formed 1 October 1941.

1941:

5th Armored Brigade HHC
31st Armored Regiment (Light)
34th Armored Regiment (Light)
81st Armored Regiment (Medium)
65th Field Artillery Regiment (Armored)
85th Reconnaissance Battalion (Armored)
58th Field Artillery Battalion (Armored)
46th Infantry (Armored)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 5th Armored Division
22nd Engineer Battalion (Armored)
75th Medical Battalion (Armored)
145th Signal Company (Armored)
21st Ordnance Battalion (Armored)
19th Quartermaster Battalion (Armored)

1944/45:

10th Tank Battalion
34th Tank Battalion
81st Tank Battalion
15th Armored Infantry Battalion
46th Armored Infantry Battalion
47th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery

47th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
71st Armored Field Artillery Battalion
95th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
85th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
505th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
628th Tank Destroyer Battalion (8/2/44-12/19/44, 1/28/45-5/9/45)
629th Tank Destroyer Battalion (8/29/44-12/14/44)
771st Tank Destroyer Battalion (4/17/45-4/24/45)
387th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (8/1/44-3/25/45,
3/28/45-5/9/45)

Headquarters

HQ Company, 5th Armored Division

HHC, Combat Command A

HHC, Combat Command B

HQs, Reserve Command

HHC Division Trains:

75th Medical Battalion, Armored

127th Armored Maintenance Battalion

Military Police Platoon

22nd Armored Engineer Battalion

145th Armored Signal Company

6th Armored Division: Formed 15 February 1942.

1944/45:

15th Tank Battalion

68th Tank Battalion

69th Tank Battalion

9th Armored Infantry Battalion

44th Armored Infantry Battalion

50th Armored Infantry Battalion

HHB Division Artillery

128th Armored Field Artillery Battalion

212th Armored Field Artillery Battalion

231st Armored Field Artillery Battalion

86th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized

506th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

737th Tank Battalion (11/22/44-12/3/44)

603rd Tank Destroyer Battalion (unknown to 1/29/45)

691st Tank Destroyer Battalion (12/15/44-12/23/44)

777th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (7/22/44-6/29/45)

Headquarters

Headquarters Company, 6th Armored Division

HHC, Combat Command A

HHC, Combat Command B

HQs, Reserve Command

HHC, Division Trains

76th Medical Battalion, Armored

128th Armored Ordnance Battalion

Military Police Platoon

25th Armored Engineer Battalion

146th Armored Signal Company

7th Armored Division: Formed 1 March 1942.

1944/45:

17th Tank Battalion
31st Tank Battalion
40th Tank Battalion
23rd Armored Infantry Battalion
38th Armored Infantry Battalion
48th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
434th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
440th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
507th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
814th Tank Destroyer Battalion (8/13/44-5/9/45)
820th Tank Destroyer Battalion (12/25/44-12/30/44)
203rd AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (8/12/44-5/9/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
77th Medical Battalion, Armored
129th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
33rd Armored Engineer Battalion
147th Armored Signal Company

8th Armored Division: Formed 1 April 1942.

1944/45:

18th Tank Battalion
36th Tank Battalion
80th Tank Battalion
7th Armored Infantry Battalion
49th Armored Infantry Battalion
58th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
398th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
399th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
405th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
88th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
508th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
691st Tank Battalion (2/6/45-5/14/45)
809th Tank Destroyer Battalion (2/5/45-5/14/45)
467th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (1/15/45-2/1/45)
473rd AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (2/6/45-5/6/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 8th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command

HHC, Division Trains
78th Medical Battalion, Armored
130th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
53rd Armored Engineer Battalion
148th Armored Signal Company

9th Armored Division: Formed 15 July 1942.

1944/45:

2nd Tank Battalion
14th Tank Battalion
19th Tank Battalion
27th Armored Infantry Battalion
52nd Armored Infantry Battalion
60th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
3rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
16th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
73rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
89th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
509th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
656th Tank Destroyer Battalion (2/22/45-past 5/9/45)
811th Tank Destroyer Battalion (11/14/44-1/8/45)
482nd AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (11/2/44-1/9/45,
2/22/45-5/9/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 9th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
2nd Medical Battalion, Armored
131st Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
9th Armored Engineer Battalion
149th Armored Signal Company

10th Armored Division: Formed 15 July 1942.

1944/45:

3rd Tank Battalion
11th Tank Battalion
21st Tank Battalion
20th Armored Infantry Battalion
54th Armored Infantry Battalion
61st Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
419th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
420th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
423rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
90th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
510th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
609th Tank Destroyer Battalion (10/16/44-5/9/45)
638th Tank Destroyer Battalion (unknown to 11/10/44)

796th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (10/16/44-5/9/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 10th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
80th Medical Battalion, Armored
132nd Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
55th Armored Engineer Battalion
150th Armored Signal Company

11th Armored Division: Formed 15 August 1942.

1944/45:

22nd Tank Battalion
41st Tank Battalion
42nd Tank Battalion
21st Armored Infantry Battalion
55th Armored Infantry Battalion
63rd Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
490th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
491st Armored Field Artillery Battalion
492nd Armored Field Artillery Battalion
41st Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
511st Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
602nd Tank Destroyer Battalion (12/29/44-1/27/45, 2/4/45-2/24/45)
705th Tank Destroyer Battalion (2/24/45-7/4/45)
811th Tank Destroyer Battalion (1/27/45-2-4/45)
575th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (12/23/44-5/24/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 11th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
81st Medical Battalion, Armored
133rd Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
56th Armored Engineer Battalion
151st Armored Signal Company

12th Armored Division: Formed 15 September 1942.

1944/45:

23rd Tank Battalion
43rd Tank Battalion
714th Tank Battalion
17th Armored Infantry Battalion
56th Armored Infantry Battalion
66th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
493rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion

494th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
495th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
92nd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
512th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
827th Tank Destroyer Battalion (12/19/44-2/13/45)
572nd AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (12/4/44-5/18/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 12th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
82nd Medical Battalion, Armored
134th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
119th Armored Engineer Battalion
152nd Armored Signal Company

13th Armored Division: Formed 15 October 1942.

1944/45:

14th Tank Battalion
45th Tank Battalion
46th Tank Battalion
16th Armored Infantry Battalion
59th Armored Infantry Battalion
67th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
496th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
497th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
498th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
93rd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
513th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
630th Tank Destroyer Battalion (4/10/45-4/12/45)
801st Tank Destroyer Battalion (4/27/45-6/12/45)
820th Tank Destroyer Battalion (4/10/45-4/12/45)
574th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (3/19/45-5/3/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 13th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
83rd Medical Battalion, Armored
135th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
124th Armored Engineer Battalion
153rd Armored Signal Company

14th Armored Division: Formed 15 November 1943.

1944/45:

25th Tank Battalion
47th Tank Battalion
48th Tank Battalion

19th Armored Infantry Battalion
62nd Armored Infantry Battalion
68th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
499th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
500th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
501st Armored Field Artillery Battalion
94th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
514th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
636th Tank Destroyer Battalion (3/28/45-4/23/45)
398th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (11/15/44-5/12/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 14th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
84th Medical Battalion, Armored
136th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
125th Armored Engineer Battalion
154th Armored Signal Company

16th Armored Division: Formed 15 July 1943)

1944/45:

5th Tank Battalion
16th Tank Battalion
26th Tank Battalion
18th Armored Infantry Battalion
64th Armored Infantry Battalion
69th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
395th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
396th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
397th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
23rd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
516th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
633rd Tank Destroyer Battalion (5/1/45-6/14/45)
AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (4/20/45-5/19/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 16th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
216th Medical Battalion, Armored
137th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
216th Armored Engineer Battalion
156th Armored Signal Company

20th Armored Division: Formed 15 March 1943

1944/45:

9th Tank Battalion
20th Tank Battalion
27th Tank Battalion
8th Armored Infantry Battalion
65th Armored Infantry Battalion
70th Armored Infantry Battalion
HHB Division Artillery
412th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
413th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
414th Armored Field Artillery Battalion
33rd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized
520th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment
468th AAA Automatic Weapons Battalion (4/4/45-7/3/45)
Headquarters
Headquarters Company, 20th Armored Division
HHC, Combat Command A
HHC, Combat Command B
HQs, Reserve Command
HHC, Division Trains
220th Medical Battalion, Armored
138th Armored Ordnance Battalion
Military Police Platoon
220th Armored Engineer Battalion
160th Armored Signal Company

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