

**Italian Army**  
**Authorized Strength**  
**105mm Gun or 149mm/13 Howitzer Group**  
**June 1942**

Group Staff:

Command: (same as that with 75mm/27 or 100/17 TM)

- 1 Lt. Colonel or Major (commander)
- 1 Adjutant (captain or subaltern)
- 2 captains or subalterns (various duties)
- 1 Staff Sergeant
- 1 Staff Corporal
- 2 Scribes & Typists
- 1 Sergeant (firing specialist)
- 7 Soldiers (firing specialists)
- 1 Sergeant (signals specialist)
- 14 Soldiers (signals specialists)
- 1 Sergeant (radio operator)
- 7 Soldiers (radio operator)
- 5 Orderlies
- 3 Motorcycle Couriers
  - 1 motorcycle & 2 motorcycles with sidecars
- 6 Drivers
  - 1 command truck Sahariani, 2 Observation trucks Sahariani, & 1 signals truck Sahariani

2-3 Batteries, each with:

Battery Command:

- 1 Captain (battery commander)
- 2 Draftsmen
- 1 Sergeant (firing specialist)
- 3 Soldiers (firing specialists)
- 1 Sergeant (signals specialist)
- 6 Soldiers (signals specialists)
- 4 Radiomen
- 1 Orderly
- 3 Drivers
  - 1 command car, & 2 Sahariani observation trucks

Gun Sections:

- 1 Subaltern (subcommander)
- 2 Subalterns (battery officers)
- 1 Sergeant
- 1 Sergeant Gun Captain
  - 1 105mm Gun or 149mm/13 Howitzer
- 3 Gun Captains
  - 3 105mm Gun or 149mm/13 Howitzer
- 32 Gunners
  - 1 Machine Gunners
    - 1 HMG
  - 1 Medical Adjutant Corporal
  - 2 Stretcher Bearers
  - 2 Apprentice Repairmen
  - 1 Artificier
  - 3 Orderlies
  - 9 Drivers
    - 5 Mod 30 Heavy Tractors, 1 heavy munitions truck,

1 munition trailer & 1 heavy truck for machine gun  
& equipment

Transport Unit:

- 1 Sergeant Clerk (quartermaster)
- 1 Corporal Clerk
- 6 Soldiers for various duties
- 2 Drivers
- 1 light kitchen & provisions truck

Munitions & Supply Unit:

Command:

- 1 Captain (commander)
- 1 Subaltern (assistant commander)
- 1 Medical Subaltern
- 1 Sergeant Clerk
- 1 Corporal Clerk
- 8 Soldiers for various duties
- 1 Sergeant (artillery repairman)
- 3 Apprentice Artillery Repairmen
- 1 Sergeant Truck Mechanic
- 7 Soldier Truck Mechanics
  - 1 Mod 38 Truck
- 3 Motorcycle Couriers
  - 1 motorcycle & 2 with sidecars
- 4 Truck drivers
  - 1 kitchen/provision light truck & 2 heavy trucks for materials

105mm Battery Munitions & Supply Unit

- 1 Sergeant (squad commander)
- 1 Artificier
- 2 Soldiers for various duties
- 2 Drivers
- 1 munitions heavy truck

149mm Battery Munitions & Supply Unit

- 1 Sergeant (squad commander)
- 1 Artificier
- 4 Soldiers for various duties
- 3 Drivers
- 2 munitions heavy trucks

	Off	Sgt	Troop	Driver	Car	Sahariani Trucks	Light Trucks	Heavy Trucks	Mod 30 Heavy Tractor	Motor-cycles	Trailer	HMG	Guns
105mm Battery	4	5	71	15	1	2	1	2	5	1	1	1	4
149mm Battery	4	5	71	16	1	2	1	3	5	-	1	1	4
105mm Group													
	Off	Sgt	Troop	Driver	Car	Sahariani Trucks	Light Trucks	Heavy Trucks	Mod 30 Heavy Tractor	Motor-cycles	Trailer	HMG	Guns
Command	5	5	40	9	1	4	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
2 Batteries	8	10	142	30	2	4	2	4	-	10	2	2	8
Mun. & Sup	3	5	19	18	-	-	1	4	1	-	1	2	1
Total	16	20	201	57	3	8	3	8	1	10	8	2	3
149mm Group													
Mod 30													

	Off	Sgt	Troop	Driver	Car	Sahariani Trucks	Light Trucks	Heavy Trucks	Heavy Tractor	Tractors	Motor- cycles	Trailer	HMG	Guns
Command	5	5	40	9	1	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
3 Batteries	12	15	213	45	3	6	3	6	-	15	3	3	3	12
Mun. & Sup	3	6	22	20	-	-	1	5	1	-	3	-	1	-
Total	20	26	275	74	4	10	4	11	1	15	9	3	4	12

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