

German Army
Authorized Strength
(mot) Infantry Gun Company (6 lIG & 2 sIG)
1 November 1943

Staff

1 Company Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Aiming Circle Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Telephone Talker (NCO)
 1 rifle
1 Vehicle Squad Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Surveying & Weather Service Soldiers
 2 rifles
2 Telephone Talkers
 2 rifles
1 Messenger
 1 pistol
5 Motorcycle Drivers (2 as messengers)
 5 rifles & 5 motorcycles, 2 with sidecars
2 Drivers
 2 rifles, 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen), &
 1 Sd Kfz 10

Signals Squad:

1st (mot) Light Field Cable Troop:

1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
2 Telephone Talkers
 2 rifles & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)

2nd (mot) Light Field Cable Troop:

 same as 1st Troop

(mot) Portable Radio Troop:

1 Troop Leader
 1 rifle
2 Radio Operators
 2 rifles & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)

1st (lIG) Platoon:

1 Platoon Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Aiming Circle I/Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Telephone Talker
 1 rifle
2 Radio Operators
 2 rifles
1 Aiming Circle II Operator
 1 pistol
1 Motorcycle Driver
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle with sidecar

1 Half Track Driver
 1 rifle & 1 Sd Kfz 10
 2 Light Infantry Guns (LIG)
 1 Position NCO
 1 pistol
 2 Gun Captains
 2 submachine guns
 10 (later 8) Gunners (including 2 machine gunners)
 10 (later 8) rifles, 1 light machine gun
 & 2 75mm LIG guns
 2 Munitions Handlers
 2 rifles
 1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 rifle
 3 Half Track Drivers
 3 rifles, 3 Sd Kfz 10 Half tracks, & 1 Sd Ah 32 trailer
 2nd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon, but officer replaced by NCO
 3rd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon, but officer replaced by NCO
 4th (sIG) Platoon:
 1 Platoon Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
 1 Aiming Circle I/Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 pistol
 1 Aiming Circle II Operator
 1 pistol
 1 Motorcycle Messenger
 1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle with sidecar
 1 Driver
 1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
 (mot) Portable Radio Troop:
 1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 rifle
 2 Radio Operators (1 serves as driver)
 2 rifles & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
 2 Heavy Infantry Guns (sIG)
 1 Position NCO
 1 pistol
 2 Gun Captains
 2 submachine guns
 12 Gunners (including 2 machine gunners)
 12 rifles, 1 light machine gun & 2 150mm sIG 33 guns
 2 Munitions Handlers
 2 rifles
 3 Telephone Talkers
 3 rifles
 1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 rifle
 2 Half Track Drivers
 2 rifles & 2 Sd Kfz 11 Half tracks
 2 Truck Drivers
 2 rifles & 2 3-ton trucks

Vehicle Maintenance:

2 NCOs, 5 soldiers, 6 rifles, 1 pistol, 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen) & 1 2-ton truck

Field Train:

4 NCOs, 5 soldiers, 7 rifles, 2 pistols, 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen) & 2 3-ton trucks

Baggage:

1 NCO, 3 soldiers, 4 rifles & 1 3-ton truck

Totals:

	Warrant			
	Officers	Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	1	-	4	12
Signals Squad	-	-	3/2	6/4
1st Platoon	1	-	4	24/21
2nd Platoon	-	-	5	24/21
3rd Platoon	-	-	5	24/21
4th Platoon	1	-	4	28
Vehicle Maintenance	-	-	2	5
Field Train	-	-	4	5
Baggage	-	-	1	3
Total	3	-	32/31	131/127/120

Note: When more than one strength figure exists, the first is the original number and the subsequent number(s) are later totals that were penciled into the original document.

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