

**German Army  
Authorized Strength  
150mm Nebelwerfer 41 Battery  
(6 launchers)  
1 November 1943**

Staff

1 Battery Commander (officer)  
    2 horses & 1 pistol  
1 Forward Observer (officer)  
    2 horses & 1 submachine gun  
1 Forward Observer (NCO)  
    1 horse & 1 submachine gun  
1 Scissors Telescope NCO  
    1 horse & 1 pistol  
1 Aiming Circle NCO  
    1 horse, 1 pistol & 1 submachine gun  
1 Mounted Messenger  
    1 horse & 1 rifle  
4 Machine Gunners  
    4 pistols & 2 light machine guns  
1 Wagon Driver  
    1 rifle, 2 draft horses & 1 panjewagon  
1 Mounted Messenger  
    1 horse & 1 rifle  
1 Bicycle Messenger  
    1 bicycle & 1 rifle  
3 Horse Attendants  
    3 rifles

Signals Squad:

1 Squad Leader (NCO)  
    1 horse & 1 submachine gun  
2 Gunfire Control Technicians  
    2 rifles  
1 Wagon Driver  
    1 rifle, 2 draft horses & 1 panjewagon

Medium (four horse) Field Cable Troop 10:

1 Troop Leader (NCO)  
    1 horse & 1 rifle  
4 Telephone Talkers  
    4 rifles  
1 Driver from the saddle  
    1 rifle, 4 draft horses & 1 Nf 1 telephone equipment wagon

1st Portable Radio Troop i Mw:

3 Radio Operators  
    3 rifles

2nd Portable Radio Troop i Mw:

2 Radio Operators  
    2 rifles

3rd Portable Radio Troop i Mw:

1 Troop Leader (NCO)  
    1 rifle  
2 Radio Operators  
    1 rifle, 1 pistol, & 1 Jf 8 infantry cart for radio equipment

Battery:

1 Battery Officer

1 horse & 1 pistol

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (NCO)

1 horse & 1 submachine gun

3 Werfer Captains (NCOs)

3 pistols

1 Blacksmith

1 horse & 1 pistol

1 Corpsman

1 bicycle & 1 pistol

12 Gunners

9 rifles, 3 pistols, 1 light machine gun, & 3 150mm

Nebelwerfers 41

6 Drivers from the saddle

6 rifles, 12 draft horses & 3 leFH 16 limbers

2nd Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (NCO)

1 horse & 1 submachine gun

3 Werfer Captains (NCOs)

3 pistols

1 Blacksmith

1 horse & 1 pistol

1 Corpsman

1 bicycle & 1 pistol

12 Gunners

10 rifles, 2 pistols, 1 light machine gun, & 3 150mm

Nebelwerfers 41

6 Drivers from the saddle

6 rifles, 12 draft horses & 3 leFH 16 limbers

1st Munitions Squad:

1 Squad leader (NCO)

1 horse & 1 submachine gun

2 Wagon Leaders (NCOs)

2 horses, 1 pistol & 1 rifle

1 Mounted Messenger

1 horse & 1 rifle

8 Munitions Handlers

6 rifles, 2 pistols, & 1 light machine gun

18 Wagon Drivers

18 rifles, 36 draft horses & 18 wagons

2nd Munitions Squad:

same as 1st Squad

Baggage:

7 NCOs, 20 soldiers, 4 riding horses, 12 draft horses, 14 heavy draft horses, 22 rifles, 5 pistols, 1 Hf 11 or Hf 13 heavy field kitchen & 1 Hf1/13 blacksmith wagon, 1 Ef 40 baggage wagon, 3 Hf1 field wagons, 1 Ef 40 replacement wagon, 1 rack wagon.

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officer	NCOs	Soldiers
Staff	2	-	5	10
Signals Squad	-	-	3	16
Werfer Squad	1	-	11	36
1st Munitions Squad	-	-	3	28
2nd Munitions Squad	-	-	3	38
Battery Baggage	-	-	7	20
Total	3	-	32	138

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