## Russian Anti-Tank Formations November 1943

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Tank Destroyer Regiment
     (mot) Staff Platoon (60 men)
     5 Batteries (310 men)
          (4-76.2mm AT guns, 2 LMGs, & 4 AT rifles ea)
     (mot) Medical Detachment (7 men)
     (mot) Workshop Platoon (9 men)
     (mot) Supply Platoon (15 men)
     (mot) Administration Platoon (11 men)
Total: 10 LMGs, 175 submachine quns, 20 76.2mm AT quns, 20 AT rifles, 17 radios.
total 412 men.
Tank Destroyer Brigade:
     2 Anti-Tank Regiments, each with:
          (mot) Staff Platoon (60 men)
          5 Batteries (310 men)
               (4-76.2mm AT guns, 2 LMGs, & 4 AT rifles ea)
          (mot) Medical Detachment (7 men)
          (mot) Workshop Platoon (9 men)
          (mot) Supply Platoon (15 men)
          (mot) Administration Platoon (11 men)
     1 Anti-Tank Regiment1, each with:
          5 Batteries (310 men)
               (4-57mm AT guns)
          (mot) Medical Detachment
          (mot) Workshop Platoon
          (mot) Supply Platoon
          (mot) Administration Platoon
     (mot) Transportation Platoon
          organization unknown
Total: 40 76.2mm guns, 20 45mm or 57mm AT guns, 4 passenger vehicles, 130 light
trucks, 50 tractors, 35 radios.
Independent Anti-Tank Brigade
     Brigade Staff (94 men)
          1 (mot) Staff Company ( 2 LMGs)
          1 Motorcycle Platoon
          1 (mot) Signal Platoon
     (mot) Artillery Regiment:
          1 (mot) Signal Platoon
          1 (mot) Flak Battery (4-37mm AA guns)
          1 Battalion:
               1 (mot) Staff Battery
               4 (mot) Batteries (4-76.2mm AT guns ea)
          1 Battalion:
               1 (mot) Staff Battery
               3 (mot) Batteries (4-47mm AT guns ea)
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1 Supply Column

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2 (mot) Destroyer Battalions, each with: (226 men)
          3 (mot) Companies (24 14.5mm AT rifles & 6 Ampule throwers)
     (mot) Mortar Battalion (134 men)
           (mot) Staff Platoon
           1 (mot) Heavy Mortar Company (4-120mm mortars)
           2 (mot) Medium Mortar Companies (4-82mm mortars ea)
     (mot) Pioneer Battalion:
           330 men in 3 (mot) companies
     (mot) Submachine Gun Company:
           100 men
     Support Units
           1 (mot) Maintenance Platoon
           1 (mot) Supply Column
Totao: 2 LMGs, 390 submacnine guns, 144 AT rifles, 36 ampule throwers, 8 82mm
mortars, 4 120mm mortars, 16 76.2mmguns, 12 45mm guns, 4 37mm AA guns, 4 passenger
vehicles, 187 light trucks, 16 motorcycles, 3 radios.
Anti-Tank Division:
          Division Staff (41 men)
          1 (mot) Staff Platoon (30 men & 2 LMGs)
     3 Anti-Tank Brigades: (about 1,700 men)
          Brigade Staff (94 men)
               1 (mot) Staff Company (2 LMGs)
               1 Motorcycle Platoon
               1 (mot) Signal Company
          Artillery Regiment: (556 men)
                    1 (mot) Signals Platoon
               1 Battalion:
                    1 (mot) Staff Battery
                    4 Batteries (4-76.2mm guns ea)
               1 Battalion
                    1 (mot) Staff Battery
                    3 Batteries (4-45mm guns ea)
               1 Flak Battery: (4-37mm AA guns)
               1 (mot) Supply Column:
          2 (mot) Destroyer Battalions, each with: (226 men)
               3 (mot) Companies (24 14.5mm AT rifles & 6 Ampule
                    throwers)
          (mot) Mortar Battalion (134 men)
                (mot) Staff Platoon
                2 (mot) Medium Mortar Companies (4-82mm mortars ea)
                1 (mot) Heavy Mortar Company (4-120mm mortars)
          (mot) Pioneer Battalion:
                330 men in 3 (mot) companies
          (mot) Submachine Gun Company:
                100 men
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1 (mot) Signal Company (60 men)
1 (mot) Medical Company (63 men)
1 (mot) Supply Company (77 men)

1 (mot) Maintenance Platoon

1 (mot) Supply Column

Support Units

Support Troops:

Total Equipment: 8 LMGs, 1,170 submachine guns, 432 AT 14.5mm rifles, 24 82mm Mortars, 12 120mm mortars, 108 ampule throwers, 48 76.2mm guns, 36-45mm guns, 12 37mm AA guns, 17 passenger vehicles, 610 light trucks, 50 motorcycles, 13 radios.

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