

**Russian Machine Gun Artillery Battalion  
1943-1944**

Staff

- 1 Signals Platoon
- 4 Machine Gun Companies, each with:
  - 4 Machine Gun Platoons (2 HMGs & 2 LMGs ea)
  - 1 Anti-Tank Platoon (7 AT rifles)
  - 1 Mortar Platoon (2 50mm mortars)
  - 1 Gun Section (2-45mm guns)

Artillery Battalion:

- 3 Batteries (4 76.2mm guns ea)

Baggage:

- 1 Engineer Platoon
- 1 Reconnaissance Platoon
- 1 Mortar Company (8-82mm mortars)
- 1 Medical Group
- 1 Support Group

Total: 32 LMGs, 32 HMGs, 28 AT rifles, 8-13 76.2mm guns, 8 45mm (or 40mm English) ATguns, 8 82mm mortars, 8 50mm mortars, 1 passenger vehicle, 6 trucks, 16 wagons, 2 carts, 8 field kitchens, 6 radios, 90 horses and 700 men.

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