

Organization
American Tank Destroyer Group
Headquarters and Headquarters Company
TO&E 18-10-1
26 May 1943

Group Headquarters

Command Section

- 1 Colonel (commanding) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Lt. Colonel (executive) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Major (S-2) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Major (S-3) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Major (S-4) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Captain (S-1) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Captain (Liaison) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)

Operations Section

- 1 Master Sergeant (Operations) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Master Sergeant (Supply) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Technical Sergeant (Intelligence)
(1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Sergeant (Reconnaissance) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
- 5 Privates
 - 2 Headquarter's Clerks (2 .30 cal M1 carbines)
 - 1 Supply Clerk (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 1 Draftsman (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 1 Stenographer (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)

Headquarter's Company

Company Headquarters:

- 1 Captain (Asst S-3) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Captain (Asst S-2 & liaison & company cmdr)
(1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 1st Sergeant (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
- 1 Staff Sergeant (Mess & Supply) (1 .45 cal M1911
pistol)
- 1 Sergeant (motor) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
- 1 Corporal (company clerk) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
- 15 Privates
 - 1 Athletic Instructor (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 1 Bugler & Messenger (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 3/4-ton weapons carrier with 1 .50 cal
HB HMG)
 - 2 Chaplin's Assistants (2 .30 cal M1 carbines
- 1 not authorized if less than 3 bns
present)
 - 3 Cooks (3 .30 cal M1 carbines)
 - 1 Cooks Helper (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 1 Light Truck Driver (1 .30 cal M1 carbine
& 1 1½-ton 6x6 truck)
 - 1 Entertainment Director (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 1 Automobile Mechanic (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 - 4 Basics (4 .30 cal M1 carbines)

Unassigned Equipment

- 5 2.36" M1 rocket launchers

Communication's Platoon

1 1st Lieutenant (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
1 Master Sergeant (communications chief)
(1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
1 Staff Sergeant (message center chief)
(1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
1 Corporal (code clerk) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
16 Privates
 3 Armored Car Drivers (3 .30 cal M1 carbine
 3 M10 armored utility cars or M2 half-
 tracks)
 3 Messengers (3 .30 cal M1 carbines & 2
 solo motorcycles)
 3 Radio Operators (3 .30 cal M1 carbines)
 4 Radio Operators (4 .30 cal M1 carbines,
 1 3/4-ton command truck, 1 1/4-ton
 truck)
 2 Orderlies (2 .30 cal M1 carbines & 2 1/4-ton
 trucks)
 1 Radio Repairman (1 .30 cal M1 carbine &
 1 3/4-ton weapons carrier)

Attached Chaplain

1 Captain
1 1st Lieutenant

Change #1 - 14 October 1943 - Total of
Command Section

3 Captains (S-2, S-3 & S-4/S-1)
1 1st Lieutenant (Asst S-1)

Headquarters Co, Company HQ

1 Captain (Asst S-3, orientation officer, special service)

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