

**Organization of a British Army Commando  
1944**

Total Strength: 24 officers & 440 men

Commando HQ

HQ

Intelilgence Section

Transport Section:

Administrative Troop:

No 1 Troop

Troop HQ (2 officers, 1 NCO, 1 medical, 1 runner & 1 PIAT)

1st Section (Rifle Group)

1 Sergeant (1 M3A1 Thompson submachine gun)

1 Corporal (1 M3A1 Thompson submachine gun)

5 Riflemen (5 Enfield Rifles)

No 2,3,4,& 5 Troops:

Same as No. 1 Troop

Signal Section

Heavy Weapons Troop (3" mortar section):

1 Corporal (1 submachine gun)

1 Lance Corporal (1 rifle)

2 Mortarmen (1 3" mortar & 1 rifle)

Vehicles

22 Jeeps

up to 35 bicycles

8 15cwt trucks

1 15cwt water carrier

3 3-ton trucks

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