

German Army
Authorized Strength
Motorized Heavy (120mm) Mortar Company
1 November 1944

Staff:

1 Company Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Position Officer (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Hauptfeldwebel
 1 pistol
1 Supply Sergeant (added later)
 1 pistol
1 Weapons NCO
 1 pistol
1 Observation NCO (with Scissors telescope)
 1 pistol
1 Equipment NCO
 1 rifle
1 Accountant NCO
 1 rifle
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 Pistol
2 Motorcycle Messengers
 2 submachine guns & 2 350ccm motorcycles
1 Messenger & 1 Signalman
 1 submachine gun, 1 rifle, 1 light machine gun
1 Direction Circle II Operator
 1 pistol
2 Truck Drivers
 2 rifles, 1 light 3 seat passenger vehicle & 1 light 4 seat
 passenger vehicles

Signals Squad:

4 Light Field Cable Troops:
2 Troop Leader (NCO)
 2 submachine guns
14 Telephone Talkers
 12 rifles & 2 submachine guns
6 Radio Troops:
3 Troop Leaders
 3 submachine guns
9 Radio Operators
 6 rifles & 3 submachine guns
3 Truck Drivers
 3 rifles & 3 3ton trucks

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 NCO to operate the Scissors Telescope
 1 pistol
1 Direction Circle Operator
 1 pistol
1 Driver

1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle
 1 Position NCO
 1 submachine gun
 4 Mortar Crew Chiefs
 4 submachine guns
 20 Mortar Crewmen
 12 rifles, 4 pistols, 4 submachine guns,
 2 light machine guns, 4 120mm mortars
 1 Ammunition Handler
 1 rifle
 1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 rifle
 6 Drivers
 6 rifles, 4 Raupenschlepper Ost, 2 3ton trucks

2nd Platoon:

Same as first, but officer replaced by NCO

3rd Platoon

Same as first, but officer replaced by NCO

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officer	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	2	-	7/8	7
Signals Squad	-	-	5	26
2nd Platoon	-	-	6	26
3rd Platoon	-	-	6	26
Total	3	-	35/36	120

Note: When two numbers appear 11/12 the first number is the original strength and the second number is a penciled change to the original document reflecting a later organizational revision.

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