

German Army
Authorized Strength
9 Gun Fortress 37mm Flak Company
1 August 1944

Staff

1 Company Commander (officer)
 1 submachine gun
1 Hauptfeldwebel (Sergeant Major)
 1 pistol
1 Company Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
1 Equipment NCO
 1 rifle
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Messengers
 2 rifles

Signals Squad

1 Squad Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
Light Field Cable Troops
1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
3 Telephone Talkers
 3 rifles
3 Portable Radio Troops:
1 Troop Leader (NCO)
 1 submachine gun
5 Radio Operators
 3 rifles, 2 submachine guns, 3 field radios

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (Officer)
 1 submachine gun
2 Messengers
 2 rifles & one (1) bicycle
1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
 1 rifle
1 Range Finder Operator
 1 pistol
3 37mm Flak Guns:
3 Gun Captains
 3 submachine guns
12 Gunners
 9 rifles, 3 pistols, 3 37mm Flak Guns
9 Ammunition Handlers
 9 Rifles
1 Light Machine gun & 3 Sd Ah 52 Trailers

2nd Platoon:

 same as 1st, but officer replaced by NCO

3rd Platoon:

 same as 1st, but officer replaced by NCO

Totals:

		Warrant		
	Officers	Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	1	-	4	2
Signals Squad	-	-	3	8
1st Platoon	1	-	3	25
2nd Platoon	-	-	4	25
3rd Platoon	-	-	4	25
Total	2	-	18	85

Note: Occasionally the Army Group or AOK would assign the following:

Signals Squad:

2 Blacksmiths
 2 rifles
1 Wagon Driver
 1 rifle, 1 Panjewagon & 2 horses
2 Horse leaders for Jf 8 Infantry Carts
 2 rifles, 2 horses, & 2 Jf 8 Infantry Carts
1 Jf 8 Infantry Cart, hand drawn

To 1st, 2nd & 3rd Platoons:

18 Wagon Drivers
 18 rifles, 9 Protz Wagons & 36 horses, 9 Ersatz (Ef 43)
 Munitions Wagons & 9 horses.

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