German Army
Authorized Strength
Panzer Grenadier Mortar Company
(Freie Gliederung)
1 November 1944

<u>Staff</u>
1 Company Commander (officer)
    1 submachine gun
1 Hauptfeldwebel (NCO)
    1 pistol
1 Weapons NCO
    1 pistol
1 Company Troop Leader (and battle scribe)(NCO)
    1 submachine gun
1 Corpsman (NCO)
    1 pistol
2 Messengers
    2 rifles
3 Motorcycle Messengers
    3 rifles, 1 350ccm motorcycle & 2 350ccm motorcycles with
    side cars.
2 Drivers
    2 rifles & 2 light four seat passenger vehicles (volkswagen)
    <u>(mot) Portable Radio Troop</u>:
    1 Troop Leader (NCO)
        1 rifle
    2 Radio Operators (1 was also driver)
        2 rifles & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
<u>1st (80mm Mortar) Platoon</u>:
1 Platoon Leader (officer)
    1 submachine gun
1 Platoon Troop Leader (NCO)
    1 submachine gun
1 Range Finder Operator (NCO)
    1 pistol
1 Motorcycle Messenger
    1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle
1 Driver
    1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
    <u>1st Group</u>:
    1 Troop Leader (NCO)
        1 submachine gun
    2 Weapons Captains
        2 pistols
    10 Mortar Crewmen (including 2 telephone talkers & 2 machine
        gunners)
        6 rifles, 4 pistols, 2 80mm Mk 34 mortars & 2 light machine
        guns
    1 Truck Driver
        1 rifle & 1 3-ton truck
    <u>2nd Group</u>
    same as 1st Group
<u>2nd (80mm Mortar) Platoon</u>
    same as 1st Platoon, but officer replaced by NCO

3rd (120mm Mortar) Platoon:
1 Platoon Leader (officer)
      1 submachine gun
Direction Ring Operator, Platoon Troop Leader (NCO)
      1 pistol
1 Range Finder Operator
      1 pistol
1 Messenger (and scissors telescope porter)
      1 pistol
1 Motorcycle Messenger
      1 rifle & 1 350ccm motorcycle with sidecar
1 Driver
      1 rifle & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
      1st Group:
      2 Mortar Leaders (NCOs)
            2 submachine guns
      10 Mortar Crewmen (including 2 machine gunners)
            8 rifles,2 pistols, 2 light machine guns & 2 120mm Mk 42
            mortars
      2 Truck Drivers
            2 rifles & 2 3-ton trucks
      2nd Group:
            same as 1st Group
Munitions Squad:
1 Squad Leader (NCO)
      1 rifle
1 Position NCO
      1 submachine gun
1 Direction Ring II Operator
      1 pistol
2 Munition Handlers
      2 rifles
1 Assistant Master Gunsmith
      1 rifle
3 (later 2) Truck Drivers
      3 (later 2) rifles & 3 (later 2) 3-ton trucks

Totals:

	Officers	Warrant Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	1	–	5	9
1st Platoon	1	–	3	29
2nd Platoon	–	–	4	29
3rd Platoon	–	–	4	29
Munitions Squad	–	–	2	7
Total	3	–	20	105