

German Army
Authorized Strength
Heavy Panzer Company "Tiger"
(F.K.L.)
1 November 1944

Staff

1 Company Commander (officer)
 1 pistol
1 Officer on special duty
 1 pistol
1 Radio Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
1 Panzerführer (& Company Troop Commander) (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Gunners (NCOs)
 2 pistols
1 Radio Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Tank Drivers (NCO)
 2 pistols & either
 2 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 181 (88mm 36 L/56)
 or 2 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 182 (88mm 43 L/71)
1 Corpsman (NCO)
 1 pistol
2 Motorcycle Messengers
 2 rifles & 2 350ccm motorcycles, 1 with sidecar
1 Radio Operator
 1 pistol
2 Loaders
 2 pistols
1 Messenger
 1 rifle
1 Driver
 1 rifles & 1 light four seat passenger vehicle (volkswagen)
1 Driver (and Corpsman)
 1 pistol & 1 medium passenger vehicle
1 Bicycle (no indication of to whom it was assigned)

1st Platoon:

1 Platoon Leader (& tank commander) (officer)
 1 pistol
3 Panzerführer (tank commanders) (NCOs)
 3 pistols
3 Gunners (NCOs)
 3 pistols
1 Radio Operator (NCO)
 1 pistol
5 Tank Drivers
 4 pistols, 1 Sd Kfz 301 (explosives carrier) and either
 4 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 181 (88mm 36 L/56)
 or 4 Tiger Tanks, Sd Kfz 182 (88mm 43 L/71)
1 Pioneer
 1 rifle

1 Gunner
 no personal weapon
 3 Radio Operators
 3 pistols
 4 Loaders
 4 pistols
 1 Half Track Driver
 1 rifle & 1 Sd Kfz 251/1 half track with 1 LMG & 1 submachine gun
 8 Drivers
 8 pistols & 8 Sd Kfz 301 (explosive carriers)
 1 Radio Mechanic
 1 pistol

2nd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon

3rd Platoon:
 same as 1st Platoon, but officer replaced by NCO

Vehicle Maintenance/Spare Crews:

6 NCOs, 30 soldiers, 28 rifles, 5 pistols, 4 submachineguns, 1 LMG, 1 Sd Ah 23 trailer, 1 4.5 ton equipment truck, 3 light four seat passenger vehicles (volkswagen), 1 2-ton truck, 2 3-ton truck, 2 4-5 ton trucks, 2 Sd Kfz 10 (1 ton) half tracks, and d 1 bicycle

Field Train:

6 NCOs, 27 soldiers, 21 rifles, 10 pistols, 2 submachine guns, 1 light machine gun, 2 light four seat passenger vehicles (volkswagen), 1 3-ton truck, 6 4.5 ton trucks, 9 spare Sd Kfz 301 explosive carriers, 1 Sd Kfz 2 Kettenkraftkrad, & 1 bicycle

Baggage

1 NCO, 3 soldiers, 4 rifles & 1 3-ton truck

Totals:

	Officers	Warant Officers	NCOs	Soldiers
Troop Command	2	-	8	9
1st Platoon	1	-	13	18
2nd Platoon	1	-	13	18
3rd Platoon	-	-	14	18
Vehicle Maintenance	-	-	6	30
Field Train	-	-	6	27
Baggage	-	-	1	3
Total	4	-	61	123

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