Organization of Russian Rifle Division 1944-1945

	HQ &	Recon	Signal	Engineer
	HQ Company	Troop	Company	Battalion
Total Men	117	74	130	164
7.62mm Rifles & Carbines	110	_	90	149
7.62mm Submachineguns	6	68	40	15
7.62mm Light Machineguns	1	6	-	-
7.62mm Heavy Machineguns	_	_	-	_
12.7mm AA Machineguns	_	_	_	_
14.5mm Anti-tank Rifles	_	_	-	-
50mm Mortars	_	_	-	-
82mm Mortars	_	_	-	-
120mm Mortars	_	_	-	-
45mm Anti-tank guns	-	_	-	-
76mm Howitzers	_	_	-	_
76mm Guns	_	_	-	_
122mm Howitzers	_	-	_	_
Tractors	_	-	_	_
Trailers	_	-	_	_
Trucks	_	-	_	5
Selfpropelled Vehicles	5	-	2	_
Horse drawn Vehichles	_	-	20	9
Horses	25	80	29	18
Kitchens	1	-	1	1
Radios	2	2	7	2

Chemical Artillery Anti-tank Anti-Aircraft Company Regiment Battalion Battalion Total Men 40 998 233 97 25 172 7.62mm Rifles & Carbines 67 738 7.62mm Submachineguns 15 43 206 30 7.62mm Light Machineguns 18 -6 _ _ 7.62mm Heavy Machineguns _ _ _ 12.7mm AA Machineguns _ -_ _ _ _ _ 14.5mm Anti-tank Rifles 18 _ 36 18 50mm Mortars _ _ _ 82mm Mortars _ -120mm Mortars _ _ _ ---45mm Anti-tank guns 12 76mm Howitzers _ _ _ _ 24 _ 76mm Guns _ 122mm Howitzers 12 _ _ 12 21 -_ _ Tractors _ _ Trailers 12 2 10 39 18 Trucks Selfpropelled Vehicles 17 -_ _ 6 Horse drawn Vehichles 99 _ _ Horses 10 587 _ _ 2 _ Kitchens _ 11 Radios 1 16 11 _

	Replacement Medical Veterinary			
	-	Battalion	-	Bakery
Total Men	100	90	11	63
7.62mm Rifles & Carbines	75	90	11	63
7.62mm Submachineguns	_	-	-	-
7.62mm Light Machineguns	_	_	-	_
7.62mm Heavy Machineguns	_	_	-	_
12.7mm AA Machinequns	_	_	-	_
14.5mm Anti-tank Rifles	2	_	-	_
50mm Mortars	2	_	_	_
82mm Mortars	2	-	-	-
120mm Mortars	_	_	-	_
45mm Anti-tank guns	2	_	-	_
76mm Howitzers	-	—	-	—
76mm Guns	_	_	-	-
122mm Howitzers	_	_	-	-
Tractors	_	_	-	-
Trailers	_	_	-	-
Trucks	_	9	-	3
Selfpropelled Vehicles	_	_	-	_
Horse drawn Vehichles	5	25	2	-
Horses	10	31	2	-
Kitchens	-	1	-	_
Radios	-	-	_	_

	Transportation	3 Rifle
	Company	Regiments
Total Men	80	7,422
7.62mm Rifles & Carbines	s 80	3 , 756
7.62mm Submachineguns	_	1 , 950
7.62mm Light Machinegun	s –	486
7.62mm Heavy Machineguns	s –	135
12.7mm AA Machineguns	-	-
14.5mm Anti-tank Rifles	_	162
50mm Mortars	-	54
82mm Mortars	_	81
120mm Mortars	_	21
45mm Anti-tank guns	_	36
76mm Howitzers	_	12
76mm Guns	_	-
122mm Howitzers	_	-
Tractors	_	-
Trailers	_	-
Trucks	54	21
Selfpropelled Vehicles	_	42
Horse drawn Vehichles	-	444
Horses	-	981
Kitchens	1	45
Radios	-	15

HQ & Operations Staff (9 officers, 2 EM, 11 7.62mm rifles, 9 horses) Political Staff (3 officers, 3 rifles & 1 horse) Supply Staff (13 officers, 4 EM, 17 rifles, 5 horses) HQ Battery HO Platoon (2 officers, 7 EM, 6 rifles, 3 SMGs, 3 horses) Reconnaissance Platoon (1 officer, 14 EM, 15 SMGs, 15 horses) Signal Platoon (1 officer, 25 men, 21 carbines, 5 SMGs, 5 horse drawn vehicles & 13 horses) Topographical Platoon (1 office, 20 men, 18 rifles, 3 SMGs, 2 horse drawn vehicles & 9 horses) Supply Section (9 men, 9 rifles, 2 horse drawn vehicles, 6 horses & 1 kitchen) 3 Battalions, each with: (81 officers, 738 me3n, 585 rifles, 180 SMGs, 36 14.5mm AA HMGs, 24 76.2mm guns, 12 122mm howitzers, 21 tractors 12 trailers, 9 trucks, 15 supply vehicles, 66 horse drawn vehicles, 480 horses, 9 kitchens, 12 radios) Medical Platoon (3 officers, 8 men, 11 rifles, 2 supply vehicles, 2 horse drawn vehicles, & 7 horses) Veterinary Section (2 officers, 6 men, 8 rifles, 2 horse drawn vehicles, & 5 horses) Ordnance Workshop (3 officers, 9 men, 12 rifles, 1 truck) Quartermaster Workshop (6 men, 6 rifles) Transportation Platoon (1 officer, 30 men, 31 rifles, 20 horse drawn vehicles, 34 horses, & 1 kitchen) Anti-Tank Battalion: HQ & HQ Battery (6 officers, 11 men, 4 rifles, 5 SMGs, 1 Truck) Reconnaissance Section (8 men, 4 rifles, 4 SMGs, 1 Truck) Topographical Section (1 officer, 9 men, 8 rifles, 2 SMGs 1 truck) Signal Platoon (1 officer, 17 men, 12 rifles, 6 SMGs, 2 trucks, & 2 radios) 3 Batteries, (with a total of: 14 officers, 96 men, 93 rifles, 18 SMGs, 6 7.62mm LMGs, 12 45mm or 57mm AT guns, 24 trucks & 9 radios) Anti-tank Rifle Company (4 officers, 57 men, 36 rifles, 7 SMGs, 18 14.5mm AT rifles, 4 trucks)

Ammunition Platoon (1 officer, 7 men, 7 rifles, 1 SMG, 5 trucks) Supply Section (8 men, 8 rifles, 1 truck, 2 Kitchens) Rifle Regiment: HQ & Staff (29 officers, 13 men, 4 rifles, 7 7.62mm SAR¹, 4 SMGs, 7 self propelled vehicles, 8 horses, 2 kitchens) Reconnaissance Company ((3 officers, 34 em, 2 sniper rifles, 15 7.62mm SAR, 20 SMGs, 12 horses) SMG Company (7 officers, 93 men, 100 SMGs) Anti-tank Rifle Company (6 officers, 67 men, 20 rifles, 26 SMGs, 27 14.5mm AT rifles, 3 horse drawn vehicles, 6 horses) Signal Company (6 Officers, 44 men, 40 rifles, 10 SMGs, 3 self propelled vehicles, 6 horse drawn vehicles, 11 horses, 5 radios) Engineer Platoon (1 officer, 19 em, 1 rifle, 10 7.62mm SARs, 9 SMGs, 1 horse drawn vehicle, 2 horses) 3 Rifle Battalions (total of - 114 officers, 1,743 em, 54 sniper rifles, 387 rifles, 495 SAR, 435 SMGs, 162 7.62mm LMGs, 45 7.62mm HMGs, 27 14.5mm AT rifles, 18 50mm mortars, 27 82mm mortars, 6 45mm AT guns, 3 self propelled vehicles, 81 horse drawn vehicles, 129 horses, 9 kitchens) Anti-tank Battery (6 officers, 49 em, 43 rifles, 12 SMGs, 6 45mm AT guns, 2 horse drawn vehicles, 26 horses) Howitzer Battery (7 officers, 67 em, 59 rifles, 15 SMGs, 4 76.2mm howitzers, 8 self propelled vehicles) Mortar Battery (6 officers, 59 em, 52 rifles, 14 SMGs, 7-120mm mortars, 8 self propelled vehicles) Medical & Veterinary Company (4 officers, 32 men, 17 rifles, 9 horse drawn vehicles, 17 horses, 1 kitchen) Ordnance & Quartermaster Shop (2 officers, 12 men, 5 rifles) Transportation Company (5 officers, 34 men, 31 rifles, 3 SMGs, 39 horse drawn vehicles, 60 horses, 1 kitchen) Chemical Warfare Platoon (1 officer, 11 men, 10 rifles, 2 SMGs, 4 horse drawn vehicles, 7 horses) Guards Rifle Regiment Headquarters & Staff (45 officers & men, 42 rifles, 4 SMGs, 8 trucks, 10 horses & 2 kitchens) Reconnaissance Company (40 officers & men, 20 rifles, 20 SMGs, & 20 horses) 2 SMG Companies (200 officers & men, 200 SMGs) Anti-tank Rifle Company (73 officers & men, 20 rifles, 25 SMGs, 27 14.5mm AT rifles, 3 horse drawn vehicles, & 6 horses) Signal Company (55 officers & men, 40 rifles, 15 SMGs, 4 trucks, 6 horse drawn vehicles,, 11 horses, & 5 radios) Engineer Company (27 officers & men, 18 rifles, 9 SMGs, 2 horse drawn vehicles, & 4 horses. 3 Rifle Battalions (1,981 officers & mln, 1,179 rifles, 548 SMGs, 162 LMGs, 54 HMGs, 48 14.5mm AT rifles, 18-50mm mortars, 27 82mm mortars, 6 45mm AT guns, 3 trucks, 90 horse drawn vehicles, 156 horses & 9 kitchens)

¹ Semi-automatic rifle.

Anti-Tank Battery (55 officers & men, 43 rifles, 112 SMGs, 6-45mm AT guns, 2 horse drawn vehicles, 26 horses) Howitzer Battery (95 officers & men, 80 rifles, 15 SMGs, 4-76.2mm howitzers, 17 horse drawn vehicles, 65 horses, 2 kitchens, & 2 radios) Mortar Battery (70 officers & men, 54 rifles, 16 SMGs, 8 120mm mortars, 8 trucks, & 1 radio) Ordnance Shop (14 officers & men, 14 rifles) Medical Company (34 officers & men, 9 horse drawn vehicles, 18 horses & 1 kitchen) Veterinary Platoon (3 officers & men, 1 horse drawn vehicle, 1 horse) Chemical Warfare Platoon (12 officers & men, 10 rifles, 2 SMGs, 4 horse drawn vehicles, 7 horses) Transportation Company (43 officers & men, 40 rifles, 3 SMGs, 33 horse drawn vehicles, 66 horses, 1 kitchen) Rifle Battalion: Headquarters (4 officers, 4 SMGs) Signal Platoon (1 officer, 9 men, 9 rifles, 1 SMG, 1 bicycle, 1 horse drawn vehicle & 1 horse) 3 Rifle Companies (18 officers, 411 men, 18 sniper rifles, 15 rifles 165 SAR, 114 SMGs, 54 LMGs, 6 HMGs, 6-50mm mortars, 3 horse drawn vehicles, & 9 3 horses) Machine Gun Company (6 officers, 52 men, 29 rifles, 14 SMGs, 9 HMGs, 6 horse drawn vehicles & 9 horses) Anti-Tank Rifle Platoon (1 officer, 22 men, 10 rifles, 4 SMGs9 14.5mm Anti-tank rifles, 1 horse drawn vehicle & 1 horse) Mortar Company (6 officers, 55 men, 41 rifles, 5 SMGs, 9 82mm mortars) Anti-tank Gun Platoon (1 officer, 16 men, 12 rifles, 3 SMGs, 2 45mm AT guns, 2 horse drawn vehicles & 4 horses) Medical Platoon (5 men, 4 rifles, 1 horse drawn vehicle & 1 horse) Supply Platoon (1 officer, 11 men, 9 rifles, 4 horse drawn vehicles, 14 horses & 3 kitchens)

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