

**Detailed Organization, American Field Artillery  
Service Battery, Horse Drawn 75mm Field Howitzer Battalion  
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Battery Headquarters

- 1 Battery Commander (Captain) (1 pistol)
- 1 1st Sergeant (1 pistol)
- 1 Battery Clerk (1 carbine)
- 5 Privates
  - 1 Bugler (1 carbine & 1 3/4-ton weapons carrier)
  - 1 Radio Operator (1 carbine)
  - 3 Basic Privates (3 carbines)

Service Platoon

Battery Supply Section

- 1 Supply Officer (Warrant Officer) (1 pistol)
- 1 Supply Sergeant (Technical Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Supply Assistant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Supply Corporal (Corporal) (1 carbine)
- 3 Privates
  - 2 Supply Clerks (2 carbines)
  - 1 Light Truck Driver (1 carbine, 1 2½-ton truck  
1-ton trailer & 1 2.36" rocket launcher)

Battalion Motor Maintenance Section

- 1 Battery Motor Officer (1st Lt) (1 pistol)
- 1 Motor Chief (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Machine Gun Corporal (Corporal) (1 carbine)
- 4 Privates
  - 1 Machine Gunner (1 .50 cal HMG)
  - 2 Automobile Mechanics (2 carbines, 1 ¼-ton truck  
& 2½-ton SWB cargo truck)
  - 1 Welder (1 carbine & 2½-ton SWB cargo truck  
with 2.36" rocket launcher)

Ammunition Train

Train Headquarters

- 1 Train Commander (1st Lt) (1 pistol)
- 1 Ammunition Chief (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Agent (Corporal) (1 carbine)
- 2 Privates
  - 1 Light truck Driver (1 carbine & 2½-ton SWB  
cargo truck)
  - 1 Radio Operator (1 carbine)

Ammunition Section

- 1 Section Chief (Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 3 Ammunition Corporals (Corporal) (1 carbine)
- 1 Machine Gun Corporal (Corporal) (1 carbine)
- 20 Privates
  - 6 Light truck Driver (6 carbine, 1 2½-ton SWB  
cargo truck, 5 3/4-ton weapons carriers,  
3 2.36" rocket launchers, 6 M10 ammunition  
trailers)
  - 2 Machine Gunners (2 .50 cal HB HMGs)
  - 12 Ammunition Handlers (12 carbines)

Battery Maintenance Section

- 1 Mess Sergeant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Supply Sergeant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 1 Motor Sergeant (Sergeant) (1 pistol)
- 7 Privates
  - 2 Cooks (2 carbines)
  - 1 Cook's Helper (1 carbine)
  - 1 Light truck Driver (1 carbine & 2½-ton SWB cargo truck with 1-ton trailer)
  - 1 Machine Gunner (1 .50 cal HB HMG)
  - 1 Automobile Mechanic (1 carbine & 1 3/4-ton maintenance truck with ¼-ton trailer)

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