

**Detailed Organization
American Infantry Division
Infantry Headquarters and Headquarters Company
for Infantry Battalion
26 February 1944
Table of Organization**

Headquarters

1 Lt. Colonel (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
1 Major (executive) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
1 Captain (operations & training) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 1st Lieutenant (Intelligence) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)

Headquarters Company

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Company Headquarters

1 Captain (company cmdr) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 1st Lieutenant (motor transport) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 1st Sergeant (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 Technical Sergeant (sergeant major) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (mess) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (supply) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
1 Sergeant (motor) (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
1 Corporal (company clerk) (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
19 Privates
 1 Armorer-artificier (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
 1 Bugler (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)
 3 Cooks (3 .30 cal M1 rifles)
 1 Cook's Helper (3 .30 cal M1 rifles)
 1 Automobile Mechanic (1 .30 cal M1 rifle & 1 3/4-ton truck)
 1 Orderly (1 .30 cal M1 rifle & 1 1/4-ton truck)
 11 Privates (11 .30 cal M1 rifles)

Battalion Headquarters Section

1 Technical Sergeant (sergeant major) (1 M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (intelligence) (1 M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (operations) (1 M1 carbine)
1 Corporal (gas) (1 M1 rifle)
9 Privates
 1 Headquarters Clerk (1 M1 rifle)
 2 Light Truck Drivers (2 M1 rifles & 2 1/4-ton trucks)
 6 Scouts (6 M1 rifles)
Unassigned Platoon Equipment
 2 2.36" rocket launcher

Communications Platoon

1 1st Lieutenant (1 M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (communication chief) (1 M1 carbine)
1 Staff Sergeant (radio) (1 M1 carbine)
1 Sergeant (message center chief) (1 M1 rifle)
1 Sergeant (wire chief) (1 M1 rifle)
18 Privates
 2 Code Clerks (2 M1 rifles)
 5 Linemen (5 M1 rifles)

4 Messengers (4 M1 rifles)
 4 Radiomen (4 M1 rifles)
 2 Switchboard Operators (2 M1 rifles)
 1 Radio Repairman (1 M1 rifle)
 Unassigned Platoon Equipment
 5 ¼-ton trucks, 2 ¼-ton trailers
 1 2.36" rocket launcher
Ammunition & Pioneer Platoon
 1 2nd Lieutenant (1 M1 carbine)
 22 Privates
 21 Ammunition Handlers
 1 Light Truck Driver (1 M1 rifle &
 1 1½-ton truck)
Anti-tank Platoon
Platoon Headquarters
 1 2nd Lieutenant (1 M1 carbine)
 1 Technical Sergeant (sergeant major)
 (1 M1 carbine)
3 Anti-tank Squads, each with
 1 Staff Sergeant (squad leader) (1 M1 rifle)
 1 Corporal (gunner) (1 .45 cal M1911 pistol)
 8 Privates
 3 Ammunition Bearers (3 M1 carbines)
 4 Cannoneers (4 .45 cal M1911 pistols
 & 1 57mm anti-tank gun)
 1 Light Truck Driver (1 M1 rifle &
 1 1½-ton truck)
 Unassigned platoon equipment
 1 2.36" rocket launchers

Change #1 of 30 June 1944

Company Headquarter

added 6 .30 cal LMGs, 2 .45 cal submachine guns
 and
 reduced the number of M1 rifles to 14

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