

**Detailed Organization**  
**American Automatic Weapons**  
**Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Mobile) Battalion**  
**Mobile Battery**  
**22 April 1944**  
**Table of Organization 44-25**

Battery Headquarters:

Headquarters Section:

1 Captain (CO) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 1st Lieutenant (XO) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 1st Sergeant (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
17 Privates  
    1 Bugler (1 .45 cal submachine gun, 1 ¼-ton truck & 1 ¼-ton trailer)  
    16 Basic (16 .30 cal M1 rifles)

Communication Section:

1 Sergeant (Communications) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
4 Privates  
    1 Lineman (1 .45 cal submachine gun, 3/4-ton weapons carrier)  
    1 Lineman (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
    1 Radio Operator (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
    1 Radio Repairman (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)

Maintenance Section:

1 Staff Sergeant (Mess) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 Staff Sergeant (Motor) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 Staff Sergeant (Supply) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
11 Privates  
    3 Cooks (3 .30 cal M1 carbines)  
    1 Cook's Helper (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
    1 Light Truck Driver (1 .45 cal submachine gun, 1 2½-ton truck with .50 cal HB flexible machine gun, 1 1-ton trailer)  
    1 Anti-Aircraft Fire Control Repairman (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
    2 Artillery Mechanics (2 .30 cal M1 rifles)  
    1 Automobile Mechanic (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)  
    1 Automobile Mechanic (1 .45 cal submachine gun, & 1 3/4-ton weapons carrier)  
    1 Utility Repairman (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)

2 Automatic Weapons Platoons, each with:

Platoon Headquarters Section:

4 Firing Sections, each with:

1 1st Lieutenant (Plat Cmdr) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 2nd Lieutenant (XO) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
1 Staff Sergeant (Platoon) (1 .30 cal M1 carbine)  
6 Privates  
    2 Light Truck Drivers (2 .45 cal submachine guns, 1 ¼-ton truck with .50 cal HMG, 1 2½-ton truck with .50 cal HMG, 1 1-ton trailer)  
    2 Intelligence Observers (2 .30 cal M1 rifles)  
    2 Switchboard Operators (2 .30 cal M1 rifles)

Range Section

- 1 Sergeant (Section Chief) (1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
- 1 Corporal (Anti-Aircraft Fire Director)  
(1 .30 cal M1 rifle)
- 4 Privates
  - 1 Instrument Observer (1 .30 cal M1 rifle,
  - 1 Portable Generator Operator (1 .45 cal sub-machine gun, 1 2½-ton truck,
  - 2 Instrument Observers (2 .30 cal M1 rifles)

Gun Section:

- 1 Corporal (Anti-aircraft Fire Direction Operator  
(1 .30 cal M1 rifle & 1 40mm automatic anti-aircraft gun)
- 8 Privates
  - 1 Light Truck Driver (1 .45 cal submachine gun, 1 2½-ton truck, 1 2.36" M1 rocket launcher)
  - 3 Anti-aircraft Machine Gunners  
(3 .30 cal M1 rifles)
  - 4 Cannoneers (4 .30 cal M1 rifles)

Total Equipment: 17 .30 cal M1 carbines, 8 .50 cal multiple machine gun carriages, 8 40mm automatic anti-aircraft guns, 5 .50 cal flexible HB machine guns, 24 .45 cal submachine guns, 8 2.36" M1 rocket launchers, 137 .30 cal M1 rifles, 1 ¼-ton trailer, 3 1-ton trailers, 3 ¼-ton trucks, 2 3/4-ton weapons carriers & 19 2½-ton trucks.

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