

GERMAN INFANTRY BATTALION HEADQUARTERS (new type)

[Stab eines Infanteriebataillons (n.A.)]

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Unit	Battalion Headquarters	Communications Section				Trains			Total Battalion Headquarters
			Headquarters	1 Light Field Wire Troop	2 Light Field Wire Troops	4 Portable Radio Troops	Trains	Ration Supply Section I	Ration Supply Section II (i)	
2	Lieutenant Colonel or Major, including	1								1
3	Battalion Commander	(1mps)								(1)
4	Captain, including	1								1
5	Battalion Surgeon	(1ap)								(1)
6	Lieutenant, including	2								2
7	Battalion Adjutant	(1mps)								(1)
8	Ordnance Officer	(1cps)								(1)
9	TOTAL COMMISSIONED	4								4
10	Paymaster (y)						(1bp)			(1)
11	Armorer/Artificer (z)						(1bp)			(1)
12	OFFICIALS (x)						2			2
13	Senior Non-Commissioned Officers	2								2
14	Medical	(1p)								(1)
15	Messengers Leader	(1s)								(1)
16	Junior Non-Commissioned Officers, including	1	1	1		1	6		1	11
17	Accountant						(1)			(1)
18	Battalion Clerk						(1p)			(1)
19	Headquarters Clerk	(1)								(1)
20	Farrier						(1b)			(1)
21	Mess						(1n)			(1)
22	Ordnance						(1q)			(1)
23	Radio Operator					(1gs)				(1)
24	Ration Section Leader								(1s)	(1)
25	Section Leader		(1es)							(1)
26	Telephone Operator/Wireman			(1fs)						(1)
27	Trains Leader						(1kms)			(1)

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28	Privates, including	10	1	4	9	8	15	2	9	58
29	Armorer, Assistant						(2)			(2)
30	Cartwright/Wheelwright						(1n)			(1)
31	Clerk						(1nt)			(1)
32	Cobbler						(1n)			(1)
33	Cook						(1n)			(1)
34	Driver, Horse		(1h)					(1w)	(5w)	(7)
35	Driver, Motor Vehicle	(1d)								(1)
36	Driver, Wagon						(6w)			(6)
37	Driver, Wagon, Assistant								(4)	(4)
38	Farrier						(1)			(1)
39	Horseholder	(1)								(1)
40	Messenger	(4(2b))								(4)
41	Messenger, Motorcycle	(2d)								(2)
42	Messenger, Mounted	(2m)								(2)
43	Radio Operator					(8(3gs)(1h))				(8)
44	Saddler						(1)			(1)
45	Section Leader							(1)		(1)
46	Tailor						(1n)			(1)
47	Telephone Operator/Wireman			(4(1h))	(9(2fs)(1h))					(13)
48	TOTAL ENLISTED	13	2	5	9	9	21	2	10	71
49	AGGREGATE	17	2	5	9	9	23	2	10	77r

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50	Pistol, P08 or P38	5					3			8
51	Rifle, G98 or Carbine, G98k	11	1	4	7	5	19	2	9	58
52	Submachine Gun, MP40	4	1	1	2	4	1		1	14
53	Machine Gun, Light, MG34 or MG42						1			1
54	Horse	4	1	1	1	1	13	2	10	33
55	Draft, Light		(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(12)	(2)	(10)	(28)
56	Riding	(4)					(1)			(5)
57	Vehicle, Animal-Drawn		2	2	2	2	6	1	5	20
58	Field Kitchen, 2-horse, HF 12 or HF14						(1)			(1)
59	Infantry Cart, 1-horse, IF8		(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)				(8)
60	Wagon, 2-horse, Pleskau 2						(5j)	(1u)	(5u)	(11)
61	Vehicle, Motor	3								3
62	Motorcycle, Light, 350cc	(2)								(2)
63	Personnel Carrier, 4-seater car	(1)								(1)
64	Bicycle	3					3			6
65	Field Wire Equipment, Light, Feldkabeltrupp 3				2					2
66	Field Wire Equipment, Light, Feldkabeltrupp 6			1						1
65	Radio Set Torn.Fu.d					4				4

* and as updated by change No. 617 (7 Aug 1944)

Notes:

- a When an auxiliary physician is added to the battalion, then the battalion surgeon becomes the regimental surgeon.
- b On bicycle.
- c Also Communications Officer.
- d Drives motor vehicle.
- e Also telephone operator/wireman and radio operator.
- f Also leads field wire troop.
- g Also leads portable radio troop.
- h Drives one-horse vehicle (leads from foot).
- i For the entire battalion.
- j 1 for pioneer and clerical equipment; 1 for farrier and armorer equipment; 1 for craftsman equipment; 1 for medical equipment; and 1 for kitchen rations.
- k Also fodder master.
- m Mounted on riding horse.
- n Also assistant wagon driver.
- p Armed with pistol.
- q Also supply staff editor.
- r Armed with rifle or carbine, unless otherwise noted.
- s Armed with submachine gun.
- t Also trains machine gunner.
- u For food ration supply.
- w Drives two-horse wagon (drives from wagon box).
- x Civil Service personnel (but considered combatants) performing functions within the Armed Forces.
- y With equivalent rank of First Lieutenant.
- z With equivalent rank of Second Lieutenant.

This unit forms a gas-detection squad consisting of a leader and 3 men.

One of the junior non-commissioned officers is assigned additional duty as gas non-commissioned officer.

One officer will be assigned additional duty as gas officer.

Of the junior non-commissioned officers 2 are Technical Sergeants.

Of the 58 privates 15 may be replaced with foreign military service volunteers with 21 in the trains. The remainder to be assigned as determined by the unit commander.