

### HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, TANK BATTALION

Designation: Headquarters, †\_\_\_\_ Tank Battalion

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1	Unit	2 Specification Serial No.	3 Technician Grade	4 5		6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16											17 Total Headquarters and Headquarters Company				
				Battalion Headquarters		Headquarters Company								Mortar Platoon				Assault Gun Platoon			
				Headquarters section	Tank Section (a)	Company Headquarters			Battalion Recon. Platoon	Platoon Headquarters	3 Mortar Squads (each)	Total Platoon	Platoon Headquarters	3 Gun Section (each)	Ammunition Section	Total Platoon					
						Headquarters Section	Maintenance Section	Administrative, Mess and Supply Section													
2	Lieutenant Colonel, including			1p																1	
3	Battalion Commander	1203		(1)																(1)	
4	Major, including			2p																2	
5	Executive	1203		(1)																(1)	
6	Operations and Training, S-3	2162		(1)																(1)	
7	Captain, including			3		1														4	
8	Communications	0200		(1b)																(1)	
9	Company Commander	2900				(1)														(1)	
10	Intelligence, S-2	9301		(1)																(1)	
11	Supply, S-4	4010		(1)																(1)	
12	First Lieutenant, including			1																1	
13	Adjutant and S-1	2110		(1)																(1)	
14	First Lieutenant						1													2 3	
15	Second Lieutenant																				
16	Liaison	1930			(1s)															(1)	
17	Motor Transport	0600						(1)												(1)	
18	Platoon Commander	1204							(1)											(1)	
19	Platoon Commander	1205								(1)		(1)								(1)	
20	Platoon Commander	1203											(1)							(1)	
21	TOTAL COMMISSIONED			7	1	1	1		1	1		1	1		1					13	

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Unit																													
22	Master Sergeant, including			1												1													
23	Sergeant Major	502		(1)												(1)													
24	First Sergeant	585					1									1													
25	Technical Sergeant, including			3												3													
26	Communication Chief	542		(1)												(1)													
27	Intelligence	631		(1)												(1)													
28	Operations	814		(1)												(1)													
29	Staff Sergeant, including					1	2	1	1		1	1			1	6													
30	Mess	824					(1)									(1)													
31	Motor	014				(1)										(1)													
32	Platoon	761						(1)								(1)													
33	Platoon	1607							(1)		(1)					(1)													
34	Platoon	2736										(1)			(1)	(1)													
35	Supply	821					(1)									(1)													
36	Sergeant, including			1	1			2		1	3		1	1	4	11													
37	Chief of Section	2736											(1s)	(1)	(4)	(4)													
38	Communication	542			(1)											(1)													
39	Message Center Chief	667		(1)												(1)													
40	Reconnaissance	761						(2r)								(2)													
41	Squad Leader	1607								(1)	(3)					(3)													
42	Corporal, including				2		1	2		1	3		1		3	11													
43	Clerk, Company	405					(1d)									(1)													
44	Gunner, Mortar	1607								(1)	(3)					(3)													
45	Gunner, Tank	2736			(2s)								(1s)		(3)	(5)													
46	Reconnaissance	761						(2r)								(2)													

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47	Technician, Grade 4			16	6	4	6	12	15	5	4	17	5	3	4	18	12 24 26 32	
48	Technician, Grade 5																	
49	Private, First Class																	
50	Private																	
51	Armorer	511	5				(1)										(1)	
52	Bugler	803				(1)											(1)	
53	Cannoneer	2736			(2s)									(1s)		(3)	(5)	
54	Clerk, Code	667	4	(1)													(1)	
55	Clerk, Code	667		(1)													(1)	
56	Clerk, Typist	405	5	(1)													(1)	
57	Cook	060	4					((1e)2)									(2)	
58	Cook	060	5					(2)									(2)	
59	Cook's Helper	590						(1)									(1)	
60	Draftsman, Topographic	076	5	(1)													(1)	
61	Driver, Half-Track	931	5	(2s)		(1s)			(1s)				(1s)		(1s)	(2)	(6)	
62	Driver, Half-Track	1607	5							(1s)	(1s)	(4)					(4)	
63	Driver, Tank	2736	4	(2s)													(3)	
64	Driver, Tank	2736	5															
65	Driver, Truck, Light	345	5	(3s)				(1s)	(4s)									(2)
66	Driver, Truck, Light	345																
67	Gunner, Bow	2736		(2s)									(1s)		(3)	(5)		
68	Gunner, Machine	604				(1)											(1)	
69	Gunner, Mortar, Assistant	1607									(1)	(3)					(3)	
70	Handler, Ammunition	1607									(2)	(6)					(6)	
71	Handler, Ammunition	2736													(3)	(3)	(3)	
72	Mechanic, Artillery	802	4				(1)										(1)	
73	Mechanic, Automobile	014	4				(1)										(1)	
74	Mechanic, Automobile	014	5				(1fs)										(1)	
75	Mechanic, Tank	660	4				(1gs)										(1)	
76	Messenger	345	5	(1fs)													(1)	
77	Messenger	345				(1fs)			(1fs)								(2)	
78	Messenger	667		(1)													(1)	

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79	Messenger	761							(1)								(1)
80	Operator, Radio	740	4	(1)													(1)
81	Operator, Radio	740	5	(1)													(1)
82	Operator, Radio	776	4	(1)													(1)
83	Operator, Radio	776	5	(2)													(2)
84	Repairman, Radio	648	4				(1)										(1)
85	Rifleman	745								(4r)		(4)	(4r)				(4)
86	Scout	761							(8r)								(8)
87	Basic	521						(6)									(6)
88	TOTAL ENLISTED			21	8	5	7	16	20	6	6	24	6	5	5	26	127
89	AGGREGATE			28	9	6	8	16	21	7	6	25	7	5	5	27	140c
90	Carbine, cal. .30, M1			19		4	6	15	3	2	5	17	2		4	6	70
91	Car, half-track, M3A2, with winch, without armament			2lm		1m	1		1m	1o		1k	1o		1	2	8
92	Carrier, 81-mm Mortar, Half-Track, M21, w/ armament										1no	3					3
93	Gun, machine, Browning, cal. .30, M1919A6, flexible			1h		1h								1h	1		3
94	Gun, machine, Browning, HB, cal. .50, M2, flexible			1h			1h		1h	1h		1	1h			1	5
95	Gun, submachine, cal. .45, M3			6	9	2	2	1	6	1	1	4	1	5	1	17	47
96	Launcher, grenade, M8																5
97	Launcher, rocket, 2.36-inch, M9			2i		1i	1i	1j	1i	1i	1i	4	1i		1i	2	12
98	Pistol, automatic, cal. .45, M1911A1			3													3
99	Rifle, U.S., cal. .30, M1								12	4		4	4			4	20
100	Tank, Medium, M4, with armament				1m												1
101	Tank, Medium, M4, with armament				1q												1
102	Tank, Medium, M4, 105-mm howitzer, with armament													1q		3	3
103	Trailer, Ammunition, M10													1	1	4	4
104	Trailer, 1/4-ton, 2-wheel, cargo						1										1
105	Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheel, cargo						1	1									2
106	Truck, 1/4-ton, 4x4			3		1o	1o		3								8
107	Truck, 1/4-ton, 4x4			1o					2o								3
108	Truck, 2 1/2-ton, 6x6, Cargo (for Kitchen)							1									1
109	Detector Set (Mine) SCR-625								1								1

Remarks:

† Insert number of battalion.

\* This table supersedes T/O&E 17-26, 15 July 1943, including:

- C1, 12 October 1943,
- C2, 3 November 1943,
- C3, 12 February 1944, and
- C4, 16 June 1944

\*\* Includes Changes No. 1, 6 January 1945.

a The following additional personnel and equipment will be provided for use of artillery observer in tank battalion not in armored division:

- 1 Corporal, Gunner (2736)
- 1 Private or Private First Class, Cannoneer (2736)
- 1 Technician 5th Grade, Driver, Tank (2736)
- 1 Private or Private First Class, Gunner, Bow (2736)
- 1 Tank, Medium, M4, with armament, equipped with radio set SCR-608
- 4 Gun, Submachine, cal. .45, M3

b Also Assistant S-3 for air.

c Armed with carbine, cal. .30.

d Also classification specialist (275).

e 1 for officers' mess.

f Driver, truck, 1/4-ton.

g Drives half-truck.

h Mounted on half-track.

i Carried on half-track.

j Carried on truck, 2 1/2-ton.

k Equipped with Radio Set AN/VRC-3 (or SCR-300).

l Equipped with Radio Set SCR-506.

m Equipped with Radio Set SCR-508.

n Equipped with Radio Set SCR-509.

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p Armed with pistol, automatic, cal. .45.

q Equipped with Radio Set SCR-528.

r Armed with rifle, cal. .30, M1.

s Armed with gun, submachine, cal. .45.

Medium tank armament includes one 75-mm or 76-mm gun, one cal. .50 machine gun on turret top, one cal. .30 co-axial machine gun, and one cal. .30 bow machine gun.

Medium tank, with 105-mm howitzer, armament also includes one cal. .50 machine gun on turret top, one cal. .30 co-axial machine gun, and one cal. .30 bow machine gun.

Tank recovery vehicle armament includes one 81-mm mortar, one cal. .50 machine gun on turret top, and one cal. .30 bow machine gun.

Carrier, mortar, half-track armament includes one 81-mm mortar and one cal. .50 machine gun.