

TABLE OF ORGANIZATION AND EQUIPMENT

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Includes TOE changes 1 through 4

(All changes made through the end of the war)

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

AND EQUIPMENT

Washington 25, D.C., 15 March 1944

No. 18-25

TANK DESTROYER BATTALION, SELF-PROPELLED

Section 1

ORGANIZATION

A. Tank Destroyer Battalion

Designation: 705th Tank Destroyer Battalion

* Headquarters & Headquarters Company

* * 3 Tank Destroyer Gun Companies

* * (Each)

* * * Reconnaissance Company

* * * * Total

* * * * * Attached Medical

* * * * * Aggregate

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Lieutenant Colonel	1			1		1
Major	2			2		2
Captain	4	1	1	8		8

Capt. or First Lieut.					b1	1	
First Lieutenant	5	3	2	16			16
Second Lieutenant	1	1	3	7			7
Total Commissioned	13	5	6	34	b1		35
Warrant Officer	2			2			2
Master Sergeant	2			2		2	2
First Sergeant	1	1	1	5		5	5
Technical Sergeant	6	1		9		9	9
Staff Sergeant	5	6	8	31	1	32	32
Sergeant	3	16	8	59		59	22
Corporal	3	17	4	58	1	59	5
Technician, Grade 3							1
Technician, Grade 4	17	14	6	65	2	67	31
Technician, Grade 5	31	17	19	101	4	105	7
Private, First Class	16	23	32	117	3	120	
Private, Including	21	29	37	145	3	148	1
Basic	(5)	(6)	(6)	(29)	(1)	(30)	
Total Enlisted	105	124	115	592	15	607	104
Aggregate	120	129	121	628	16	644	104

E Compressor, air,			1	1	1
. motored					
O Car, armored,			6	6	6
. light, M-8,					
. with armament					
O Car, armored,	3	8	3	30	30
. utility, w/o					
. armament					
O Carbine, cal. 30	28	67	64	293	293
O Carriage, motor,		12		36	35
. 76-mm gun					
O Gun, machine, cal.	3	4	12	27	27
. .30, heavy,					
. flexible					
O Gun, machine, HB,	7	9	7	41	41
. cal. flexible					
O Launcher, rocket	14	9	21	62	62
. 2.36-inch					
O Mortar, 81-mm		1		3	3
O Pistol, automatic,	29	13	11	79	79
. cal. .45					
O Rifle, cal. 30, M1	63	49	46	256	256
O Trailer,		3	2	9	9
. ammunition, M-10					
O Trailer, 1/4-ton	1	1	2	6	6

			18	1	19
O Trailer, 1-ton	18				
O Truck, 1/4-ton	8	6	18	44	4 48
O Truck, 3/4-ton,	6		1	7	7
. weapons carrier					
O Truck, 3/4-ton,					1 1
. ambulance					
O Truck, 1 1/2-ton,	1		4	5	1 6
. 6X6, cargo					
O Truck, 2 1/2-ton,	18	1		21	21
. cargo					
O Truck, heavy,	1			1	1
. wrecker					
O Vehicle, tank,		1		3	3
recovery, M-32					
. w/o armament					

A Other than medical

B To be furnished only as required and available within the continental limits of the United States. To be furnished prior to departure for overseas duty.

B. Medical Detachment, 705th Tank Destroyer Battalion

Speci-	Tech-	Total	Enlis-
fica-	nician		ted
tion	grade		Cadre
Serial			
No.			

Captain or First
Lieutenant,
included
Medical, general

. duty	3,100	a1	
Total commissioned		(1)	
Staff Sergeant,	673	a1	
. including Medical		1	1
Corporal, including	673	(1)	(1)
. Medical		(1)	
Technician, grade 3		1	1
Technician, grade 4		2	
Technician, grade 5		4	1
Private, first class		3	
Private		3	
Technician, medical	409	5	(b1) (1)
Technician, medical	409		(1)
Technician, surgical	861	3	(1)
Technician, surgical	861	4	(2)
Technician, surgical	861	5	d3
Technician, surgical	861		(b1)4
Basic	521		(1)
Total enlisted		15	3
Aggregate		16	3
Trailer, 1-ton		1	

O Truck, 1/4-ton

O Truck, 3/4-ton,

. ambulance

O Truck, 1 1/2-ton, 6X6, cargo

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b Driver, truck, 1 1/2-ton.

c Includes 8 company aid men. (2 per tank destroyer company; 2 per reconnaissance company).

d Drivers, truck, 1/2-ton.

e 1 per tank destroyer company; reconnaissance company.

CHEMICAL

Allow-

ances

Apparatus, detecting, 6 1 per trk outside continental
1 1/2-gt capacity, M2. US when atzd by T of Opns
comdr.

Curtain, gasproof, M1 2 Outside continental US when
atzd by T of Opns comdr.

Mask, gas, service, combat, 16 1 per indiv (mask, gas, sv,
M5-11-7 lightweight, M3-10A1-6 or
M3-11-10A1-6, or mask, gas,
sv, will be issued in lieu
of mask, gas, sv, combat,

M5-11-7 as directed by the
WD).

Respirator, dust, M2	12	2 per trk (respirator, dust, M1 will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
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ENGINEER

Compass:

Lensatic, Luminous dial type, with case.	1	1 per off.
Wrist, liquid filled	6	1 per driver.
Lamp, electric, portable, command post.	1	

Net, camouflage, cotton, twine, fabric garnished:		Outside continental US when auth by theater of opr comdr.
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22 X 22-ft	4	1 per trk, 1/4-ton.
29 X 29-ft	1	1 per trk, 3/4-ton
36 X 44-ft	2	1 per trk, 1 1/2-ton; tlr, 1-ton.

MEDICAL

Individual equipment

Brassard, Geneva Convention	16	1 per indiv.
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Kit, medical:

Non-commissioned officers	14	1 per med; surg techn; med techn.
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. Officers	1	1 per med off.
. Privates	1	1 per basic.
Organizational equipment		
Blanket set, small	2	
Carrier, litter for truck,	4	1 per trk, 1/4-ton
. 1/4-ton, 4 X 4		
Case, utility, canvas,	1	
. empty		
Chest, MD:		
. MD, No. 1	2	
. MD, No. 2	1	
. MD, No. 4	1	
Gas, casualty chest, complete	1	Outside continental US when
. atzd by T of Opn comdr.		
Kit, first aid, motor	6	1 per trk.
. vehicle, 12-unit.		
Litter, straight, aluminum	12	Litter, straight, steel,
		will be issued in lieu
		thereof until exhausted.
Machine, imprinting	2	
Set, gas, casualty, M2	1	Outside continental US when
		atzd by T of Opns comdr.
Sphygmomanometer, aneroid	1	
Splint, litter bar	12	6 per splint set.
Splint set	2	

ORDNANCE

Weapons and Miscellaneous

Watch, wrist, 15 or more	1	1 per med off; outside
jewels		continental US when atzd
		by T of Opns comdr.

Vehicles

Trailer, 1-ton, 2-wheel,	1	See SNL G-518.
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. cargo

Truck:

. 1/4-ton, 4X4	4	SNL G-503
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. 3/4-ton, 4X4, ambulance, KD	1	SNL G-502
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. 1 1/2-ton, 6X6, cargo	1	SNL G-707
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Motor transport equipment

Axe, handled, chopping,	6	1 per trk.
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single-bit, standard grade,

. 4-lb.

Chain, motor vehicle, tow,	1	1 per trk, 1 1/2-ton
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16-ft long X 7/16-in

. diameter.

Defroster and Deicer,	6	1 per trk, when atzd by
electric, windshield		Army, comdr, outside
		continental US when atzd
		by T of Opns comdr.

Mattock, handled, pick, type	2	1 per trk, 1 1/2-ton; amb,
		3/4-ton

. II, class F, 5-lb.

Rope, tow, 20-ft long, 1-in	5	1 per trk, 1/4-ton; amb,
. diameter.		3/4-ton
Shovel, general purpose,	6	1 per trk.
D-handled, strap back,		
. round-point, No.2.		

QUARTERMASTER

Individual equipment

Bag, canvas, field, od,	16	1 per indiv.
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.M1936

Belt, pistol or revolver,	16	Do.
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. M1936

Cover, canteen mounted, M1941	16	Do.
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Strap, carrying, general	16	1 per bag, canvas, fld,
purpose		M1936 (strap, carrying,
		bag, canvas fld, od M1936,
		will be issued in lieu
		thereof until exhausted).

Suspenders, belt, M1936	16	1 per indiv.
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Organizational equipment

Axe, entrenching, M1910,	2	1 per 10 EM.
. with handle.		

Bag:

Canvas, water sterilizing,	1	Bag, canvas, water
porous, complete,		sterilizing, complete,
with cover-and-hanger		w/cover-and-hanger will be

Delousing 1
 issued in lieu thereof
 until exhausted.
 per 20 indiv or maj fraction
 thereof in areas where
 louse-borne typhus is high
 when auth by WD.

Bucket:

. Canvas, water, 18-gt 6 1 per trk.

. General purpose, galvanized 2
 heavy-weight, without-lip,

. 14-gt capacity.

Burner, oil, stove, tent, 1 1 per stove, tent, M1941
 . M1941 when auth by WD.

Can, water, 5-gal 6 1 per 5 indiv or fraction;
 thereof; 2 per med det.

Carrier:

. Axe, entrenching, M1910 2 1 per axe, entrenching.

Pickmattock, entrenching. 3 1 per pickmattock,
 . M1910 entrenching.

Shovel, entrenching, M1943 10 7 per 10 EM.

or

11 7 per EM; 1 per off;
 outside continental US when
 atzd by T of Opns comdr
 (carr, shovel, entrenching,

M1910 to be issued when
shovel, entrenching, M1910
is issued).

.	2	1 per cutter, wire.
. Wire-cutter, M1938		
Container, round, insulated,	1	1 per 25 indiv or maj
. M1941, with-inserts.		fraction thereof.
Cutter, wire, M1938	2	
Drum, gasoline, 5-gallon,	8	1 per trk, 1/4-ton; 2 per
.		trk, 1 1/2-ton; amb, 3/4-ton.

Flag:

. Geneva Convention, Red	1	
Cross, bunting, ambulance		
and marker.		
. Guidon, bunting	1	
Goggles, M-1944	16	1 per indiv.
Kit, sewing	1	1 per 12 EM

Lantern:

. Gasoline, leaded fuel	1	
. Kerosene, army	2	
Outfit, cooking, 1-burner	5	1 per fuel consuming mtr
.		vehicle.
Pickmattock, entrenching,	3	2 per 10 EM.
. with handle.		
Shovel, entrenching, M1943	10	7 per 10 EM.

or

7 per 10 EM; 1 per off;
 outside continental US when
 atzd by T of Opns comdr
 (shovel, entrenching, M1910
 will be issued in lieu
 thereof until exhausted).

stove, tent, M1941, complete,	1	1 per tent, CP. when atzd by army comdr; outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
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Tent, command post, complete, 1

. with-pins-and-poles.

Tube, flexible nozzle	6	1 per trk.
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Whistle, thunder	2	1 per off; s sgt.
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SIGNAL

Flag Set M-238	6	1 per fuel consuming mtr vehicle.
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Flashlight TL-122	10	1 per off; NCO; trk; chest, MD No. 2.
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Lantern, MX-290/GV	1	Lantern, electric, portable, hand, will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted.
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Panel Set AP-50-A	2	1 per 4 trks.
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Radio Set SCR-619	1	Installed in trk, 1 1/2-ton
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(pending availability
SCR-610 will be issued).

By ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

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