

TABLE OF ORGANIZATION
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RANGER INFANTRY BATTALION

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*This table supersedes all prior tables and equipment lists on the organization of this unit.

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SECTION I

ORGANIZATION

A. RANGER INFANTRY BATTALION

Designation: †----- Ranger Infantry Battalion

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Unit	Headquarters and Headquarters Company (T/O & E 7-86)	6 Ranger companies (each) (T/O & E 7-87)	Total	Attached Medical details see p. 3†	Aggregate	Enlisted cadre *	Remarks
2 Lieutenant colonel.....	1		1		1		† Insert number of battalion. * Infantry only. See page 3 for attached medical cadre. † To be furnished only as required and available within the continental limits of the United States. Will be furnished prior to departure for overseas duty.
3 Major.....	1		1		1		
4 Captain.....	3	1	9		9		
5 Captain or first lieutenant.....				1	1		
6 First lieutenant.....	3	2	15		15		
7 Total commissioned.....	8	3	26	1	27		
8 Master sergeant.....	1		1		1	1	
9 First sergeant.....	1	1	7		7	7	
10 Technical sergeant.....	6	2	18		18	18	
11 Staff sergeant.....	2	10	62	1	63	30	
12 Sergeant.....	3	6	39		39		
13 Corporal.....	4	1	10	1	11	7	
14 Technician, grade 3.....					1	1	
15 Technician, grade 4.....	17		17	1	18	10	
16 Technician, grade 5.....	27		27	3	30	5	
17 Private, first class.....	27	45	297	4	301		
18 Total enlisted.....	88	65	478	11	489	78	
19 Aggregate.....	96	68	504	12	516	78	
20 O Gun, machine, cal. .30, light, flexible.....		4	24		24		
21 O Gun, sub-machine, cal. .45.....	20	6	56		56		
22 O Launcher, rocket, AT, 2.36-inch.....	2	2	14		14		
23 O Mortar, 60-mm.....	6	2	18		18		
24 O Mortar, 81-mm.....	6		6		6		
25 O Motorcycle, sdo.....	7		7		7		
26 O Pistol, automatic, cal. .45.....	36	17	198		198		
27 O Rifle, antitank, cal. .55.....	8	2	20		20		
28 O Rifle, cal. .30, M1.....	50	46	326		326		
29 O Rifle, cal. .30, M1903A4.....		2	12		12		
30 O Truck, 1½-ton.....	9		9		9		
31 O Truck, ¾-ton, command.....	1		1		1		
32 O Truck, ¾-ton, weapons carrier.....	4		4	1	5		

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B. MEDICAL DETACHMENT, RANGER INFANTRY BATTALION

Designation: Medical Detachment, †----- Ranger Infantry Battalion

1	2	3	4	5	6
Unit	Specification serial No.	Technician grade	Total	Enlisted cadre	Remarks
2 Captain or first lieutenant, including.....			1		† Insert number of battalion. * To be furnished only as required and available within the continental limits of the United States. Will be furnished prior to departure for overseas duty. † Also drives truck. * Includes 1 aid man per company. † For specification serial numbers shown in column 2, for enlisted men, see AR 615-25; and for officers see TM 12-406 and 12-407.
3 Medical officer, general duty.....	3100		(1)		
4 Total commissioned.....			1		
5 Staff sergeant, including.....			1	1	
6 Medical.....	673		(1)	(1)	
7 Corporal, including.....			1		
8 Medical.....	673		(1)		
9 Technician, grade 3.....			1	1	
10 Technician, grade 4 (including.....			1		
11 Technician, grade 5.....			3		
12 Private, first class.....			4		
13 Technician, medical.....	402		(1)		
14 Technician, surgical.....	861	3	(1)	(1)	
15 Technician, surgical.....	861	4	(1)		
16 Technician, surgical.....	861	5	(1)		
17 Technician, surgical.....	861		(1)		
18 Total enlisted.....			11	2	
19 Aggregate.....			12	2	
20 O Truck, ¾-ton, weapons carrier.....			1		

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SECTION II
EQUIPMENT

MEDICAL DETACHMENT ONLY

For equipment of other components of this organization, see section II of the Tables of Organization and Equipment shown in column headings under section I of this table.

GENERAL

1. This table is in accordance with AR 310-60, and it will be the authority for requisition in accordance with AR 35-6540, and for the issue of all items of equipment listed herein unless otherwise indicated. This table rescinds all Tables of Basic Allowances and Tables of Equipment heretofore published except T/E 21, Clothing and Individual Equipment, so far as they pertain to the allowances of equipment for the organization and individuals covered by this table.

2. When there appears a discrepancy between the allowances shown in column 2, "Allowances," and column 3, "Basis of distribution and remarks," the amount shown in column 2 will govern.

3. Items of clothing and individual equipment, components of sets and kits, spare parts, accessories, special equipment, special tools, and allowances of expendable items are contained in the following publications:

Army Air Forces.

Air Corps Stock List.

Technical Orders of the 00-30-series.

Chemical Warfare Service.

Standard Nomenclature and Price List.

Chemical Warfare Series, Army Service Forces Catalogs.

Corps of Engineers.

Engineer Series, Army Service Forces Catalogs.

Medical Department.

Medical Department Supply Catalog.

Army Service Forces Catalog, Medical 4.

Ordnance Department.

Standard Nomenclature Lists SNL, index to which is the Ordnance Publications for Supply Index (OPSI).

T/A for Cleaning, Preserving and Lubricating Materials, Recoil Fluids, Special Oils and Similar Items of Issue.

T/A 23, Targets and Target Equipment.

Quartermaster Corps.

Table of Clothing and Individual Equipment, T/E 21.

Quartermaster Series, Army Service Forces Catalogs.

AR 30-3010, Items and Price Lists of Regular Supplies Controlled by Budget Credits and Price List of Other Miscellaneous Supplies.

Signal Corps.

Signal Corps Catalog (T/BA items).

Signal Corps Series, Army Service Forces Catalogs.

AR 310-200, Military Publications, Allowance and Distribution.

AR 775-10, Qualification in Arms and Ammunition Training Allowances.

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ARMY AIR FORCES

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Raft, pneumatic, life, A-2, complete with CO ₂ cylinders and hand pump.	1	
Vest, life preserver, type B-4-----	12	1 per indiv (10 percent overage included in and asgd to hq co).

CHEMICAL

Apparatus, decontaminating, 1½-qt capacity, M2.	1	Per trk in T of Opns.
Mask, gas, service, lightweight, M3-10A1-6.	12	1 per indiv (mask, gas, sv will be issued as directed by the WD until exhausted).
Respirator, dust, M2-----	2	1 per trk (respirator, dust, M1 will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).

ENGINEER

Net, camouflage, cotton, shrimp, 29 x 29-ft.	1	Per trk, ¼-ton.
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MEDICAL

Individual equipment

Brassard, Geneva Convention-----	12	1 per indiv.
Kit, medical:		
Non-commissioned officers'-----	2	Per s sgt; cpl.
Officers'-----	1	Per med off.
Privates'-----	9	1 per techn med; techn surg.

Organizational equipment

Autoclave, field, portable-----	1	
Basin:		
Pus-----	2	
Sponge-----	2	
Bedpan-----	1	
Buckets, 3 in nest-----	1	
Case, operating, small, improved, complete.	1	
Chest:		
Medical supplies, supplemental---	2	
MID No. 2-----	1	
Cup, enamelware-----	2	
Forceps:		
Bone, ronguer, 7-inch-----	1	
Hemostatic, Halstead, mosquito, straight.	12	
Sponge-----	2	
Towel, 5¼-inch-----	12	

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1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Headlight, metal band.....	1	Per 2 trks or fraction thereof.
Inhaler, yankauer.....	1	
Kit, first-aid, motor vehicle, 12 unit.....	1	
Knife, amputating.....	1	
Litter, folding, wood.....	12	
Machine, imprinting.....	2	
Otoscope and Ophthalmoscope, combined.....	1	
Retractor, tissue, 4 sharp prongs.....	2	
Saw:		
Amputating.....	1	
Metacarpal.....	1	
Scissors, double blunt, 6½-inch.....	2	
Set, gas casualty, M2.....	1	
Sphygmomanometer, aneroid.....	1	
Sterilizer, instrument, 14-inch.....	1	
Towel, hand.....	15	
Tray, instrument, approximately 10-inch.....	2	
Tube, breathing, large.....	1	
Unit medical equipment pack:		
Case, empty.....	4	
No. 1.....	2	(97922).
No. 3.....	2	(97941).
No. 3.....	3	(97944).
No. 4.....	1	(97946).
Insert, empty.....	16	(97923).
Urinal, enamelware.....	2	

ORDNANCE

Weapons and miscellaneous

Binoocular, M13.....	2	1 per off; s sgt.
Watch, wrist:		
7 jewel.....	11	1 per EM.
15 jewel or more.....	1	Per off (in T of Opns outside continental limits of US).

Vehicles

Truck, ¾-ton, 4 x 4, weapons carrier.....	1	(SNL G-502).
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Motor transport equipment

Axe, handled, chopping, single-bit, standard grade, 4-lb.....	1	Per trk.
Defroster and Deicer, electric, windshield.....	1	Per trk. (when atzd by Army or T of Opns comdr).
Mattock, handled, pick, type II, class F, 5-lb.....	1	Per trk.
Rope, tow, 20-ft long, 1-in diameter.....	1	Do.
Shovel, general purpose, D-handled, strap-back, round-point, No. 2.....	1	Do.

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QUARTERMASTER

Individual equipment

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Bag, canvas, field, od, M1936.....	1	Per off except in Alaska.
Belt, pistol or revolver, M1936.....	12	1 per indiv.
Carrier, pack, M1928.....	11	1 per EM except in Alaska.
Cover, canteen, dismounted, M1910.....	12	1 per indiv.
Haversack, M1928.....	11	1 per EM except in Alaska.
Strap, carrying, general purpose.....	1	Per bag, canvas, fld. (strap, carrying, od, bag, canvas, fld, will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Suspenders, belt, M1936.....	1	Per off.

Organizational equipment

Axe, intrenching M1910, with-handle.....	1	Per 10 EM.
Bag, canvas, water sterilizing, complete, with-cover-and-hanger.....	1	
Bucket:		
Canvas, water, 18-qt.....	1	Per trk.
General - purpose, galvanized, heavyweight, without-lip, 14-qt.....	2	
Burner, oil, stove, tent, M1941.....	1	Per stove, tent, M1941 when atzd by WD.
Can, water, 5-gal.....	5	1 per 5 indiv or fraction thereof; 2 per det.
Carrier:		
Axe, intrenching, M1910.....	1	Per axe, intrenching, M1910.
Pickmattock, intrenching, M1910.....	2	1 per pickmattock, intrenching, M1910.
Shovel, intrenching, M1943.....	9	1 per shovel, intrenching, M1943 (carr, shovel, intrenching, M-1910, to be issued when shovel, intrenching, M1910, is issued).
Wire cutter, M1938.....	12	1 per cutter, wire, M1938.
Case, canvas, dispatch.....	1	
Cutter, wire, M1938.....	12	1 per indiv.
Desk, field, empty, fiber, company.....	1	
Drum, inflammable-liquid (gasoline), with-carrying-handle, 5-gal.....	2	Per trk.
Flag:		
Geneva Convention, Red Cross, bunting, ambulance and marker.....	1	
Guidon bunting.....	1	
Goggles, M1943 with:		
Clear lens.....	1	Per driver, trk. (goggles, M1938 or M1942, will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Green lens.....	11	1 per indiv not otherwise issued goggles, M1943 w/clear lens when atzd by CG, SvC, or T of Opns.

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1	2	3
Item	Allow- ances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Kit, sewing-----	1	Per 12 indivs.
Lantern, Gasoline, 2-mantle, com- mercial.	2	
Packboard, plywood-----	4	Per 10 EM.
Pickmattock, intrenching, M1910, with-handle.	2	
Shovel, intrenching, M1943-----	9	1 per off; 7 per 10 EM. (shovel, intrenching, M1910 will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Stove, tent, M1941, complete w/- grate.	1	
Strap, pack, release, packboard-----	8	Per tent, CP, when atzd by CG.
Tent, command post, complete w/- pins and poles.	1	
Tube, flexible, nozzle-----	1	Per trk.
Typewriter, portable, with-carry- ing-case.	1	Per desk, fld.
Whistle, thunderer-----	2	1 per off; s sgt.
SIGNAL		
Flashlight TL-122-()-----	3	1 per off; s sgt; trk.
Lantern, electric, portable, hand-----	2	

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CHANGES
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T/O & E 7-85, 29 February 1944, is changed as follows:

SECTION I
ORGANIZATION

Line	Column					
	1	2	3	4	6	8
22 27	O Launcher, rocket, 2.36-inch <i>Delete entire line.</i>	10	4	34	34	

SECTION II
EQUIPMENT

ARMY AIR FORCES

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Raft, pneumatic, life, A-2, complete with CO ₂ cylinders and hand pump.	1	

CHEMICAL

Apparatus, decontaminating, 1½-qt capacity, M2.	1	1 per trk in T of Opns outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
Respirator, dust, M2.	2	+ 2 per trk (respirator, dust, M1 will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).

ENGINEER

Boat, landing, pneumatic, rubber, 10-man.	1	
Lamp, electric, portable, command post.	1	1 per tent, CP.

MEDICAL

Individual equipment

Brassard, Geneva Convention----	12	1 per indiv outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
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Organizational equipment

Set, gas casualty, M2-----	1	Outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
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ORDNANCE

Weapons and miscellaneous

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Watch, wrist: 7 jewel-----	11	1 per EM (<i>watch, wrist 15 or more jewels may be issued in lieu thereof.</i>)
15 jewel or more-----	1	1 per off (in T of Opns outside continental limits of US); <i>when atzd by T of Opns comdr.</i>

Motor transport equipment

Defroster and Deicer, electric, windshield.	1	1 per trk (when atzd by Army or T of opns comdr.; <i>outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.</i>
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Organizational equipment

Bag, canvas, water sterilizing, porous, complete, with-cover-and-hanger.	1	<i>Bag, canvas, water sterilizing complete, w/cover-and-hanger will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted.</i>
Goggles, M1943 with: Clear lens-----	1	1 per driver, trk. (<i>goggles, M1938 or M1942; will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted.</i>)
Green lens-----	11	1 per indiv not otherwise issued goggles, M1943 w/clear lens when atzd by CG, SvC; or T of Opns; <i>outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.</i>
Kit, sewing-----	1	1 per 12 indivs. <i>EM.</i>
Lantern, Gasoline, 2 mantle, commercial, leaded fuel.	2	
Outfit, cooking, 1-burner-----	1	1 per 12 indiv or maj fraction thereof.
Stove, tent, M1941, complete w/grate.	1	1 per tent, CP, when atzd by CG, army comdr; <i>by T of Opns comdr.</i>

SIGNAL

Flashlight TL-122-()-----	3	4	1 per off; s sgt; trk.; <i>chest MD No. 2.</i>
Lantern, electric, portable, hand-----		2	

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