

TABLE OF ORGANIZATION
AND EQUIPMENT
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INFANTRY RIFLE COMPANY, PARACHUTE

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SECTION I
ORGANIZATION

Designation: Company †----- ‡----- Parachute Infantry

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Unit	Specification serial No.	Technician grade	Company headquarters	3 rifle platoons (each)				Total company	Enlisted cadre	Remarks
			Platoon headquarters	2 rifle squads (each)	60-mm mortar squad	Total platoon				
2 Captain.....	1510		1				1			†Insert letter of company.
3 Company commander.....	1510		(e 1)				(1)			†Insert number of regiment or battalion.
4 First lieutenant.....	1510		(e 1)	1		1	(1)			* Demolition non-commissioned officer.
5 Executive.....	1510			(e 1)		(1)	(3)			b Also classification specialist (275).
6 Platoon commander.....										c Armed with carbine, cal. .30.
7 Total commissioned.....			2	1		1	5			d One for optional use as directed.
8 First sergeant.....	585		e 1				1	1		e Armed with rifle, cal. .30, M1 unless otherwise indicated.
9 Technical sergeant.....	1812			1		1	3	3		Messing facilities provided in headquarters and headquarters company (T/O & E 7-36).
10 Platoon.....	1812		1	(1)		(1)	(3)	(3)		f For specification serial numbers see TM 12-406, 12-407, and 12-427.
11 Staff sergeant.....	1812		(e 1)	1	1	3	10	7		
12 Platoon guide.....	745			(e 1)	(1)	(2)	(6)	(6)		
13 Squad leader.....	821		(e 1)				(1)	(1)		
14 Supply.....	821		1		1	3	10	4		
15 Sergeant.....	542		(e 1)			(e 1)	(1)	(3)		
16 Communication.....	607				(e 1)	(2)	(6)	(6)		
17 Squad leader.....	745				(e 1)		(1)	(1)		
18 Squad leader, assistant.....	405		(b e 1)				(1)	(1)		
19 Corporal.....							1	1		
20 Clerk, company.....							1	1		
21 Technician, grade 5.....							72	27		
22 Private, first class.....			16	3	10	5	28			
23 Private.....										
24 Ammunition bearer.....	604				(e 1)	(2)	(6)	(6)		
25 Ammunition bearer.....	607					(e 3)	(3)	(9)		
26 Armorer-artificer.....	511	5	(e 1)				(1)	(1)		
27 Bugler.....	803		(1)				(1)	(1)		
28 Gunner, machine gun.....	604				(e 1)	(2)	(6)	(6)		
29 Gunner, machine gun, assistant.....	604				(e 1)	(2)	(6)	(6)		
30 Gunner, mortar.....	607				(e 1)	(1)	(3)	(3)		
31 Gunner, mortar, assistant.....	607				(e 1)	(1)	(3)	(3)		
32 Messenger.....	745		(2)	(2)		(2)	(8)	(4)		
33 Operator, radio telephone.....	745		(1)	(1)		(1)	(4)	(4)		
34 Rifleman.....	745				(7)	(14)	(42)	(11)		
35 Basic.....	521		(11)							
36 Total enlisted.....			20	5	12	6	35	125	17	
37 Aggregate.....			22	6	12	6	36	130	17	
38 O Carbine, cal. .30.....			7	2	3	6	14	49		
39 O Gun, machine, cal. .30, light, flexible.....					2		4	12		
40 O Gun, submachine, cal. .45.....			6					6		
41 O Launcher, rocket, 2.36-inch.....			1	1			1	4		
42 O Mortar, 60-mm.....						1	1	3		
43 O Rifle, cal. .30, M1.....			15	4	9		22	81		
44 O Rifle, cal. .30, M1C.....				1			1	3		

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SECTION II

EQUIPMENT

GENERAL

1. This table is in accordance with AR 310-60, and it will be the author for requisition in accordance with AR 35-6540, and for the issue of all items equipment listed herein unless otherwise indicated. This table rescinds all Tables of Basic Allowances, Tables of Equipment, and Tables of Organization and 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 section II, Equipment, 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 spare parts, accessories, special equipment, special tools and allowances expendable items, are contained in the following publications:

Army Air Forces:

Air Corps Stock List.

AAF Technical Orders of the 00-30-series.

Chemical Warfare Service:

Army Service Forces Catalogs, CW 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, and 9.

Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog CW 4-1 and 4-2.

Corps of Engineers:

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Engr 1-1, 2, 3-1, 3-2, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 11.

Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Series A.

Medical Department:

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Med 1, 2, 3, 6, and 7.

Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog Med

Ordnance Department:

Standard Nomenclature Lists (SNL), and Army Service Forces Catalog Ordnance Supply Catalog, index to which is the Army Service Forces Catalog Ord 2 OPSI.

Cleaning, Preserving, and Lubricating Materials; Recoil Fluids, Special Oils, and Miscellaneous Related Items, Army Service Forces Catalog Ord 5 SNL K-1.

T/A 23, Targets and Target Equipment.

Quartermaster Corps:

T/E 21, Clothing and Individual Equipment.

Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog QM Components, Spare Parts, Accessories and Contents of Chests, Kits and Sets, and Other Items of Quartermaster Property, Circular No OQMG.

Army Service Forces Catalogs, QM 3-1, 3-2, 5-1, 6, 7, and 8.

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

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Signal Corps:

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Sig 3, 5, 7, and 8.

Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalogs, Sig 4-1 and 4-2.

Authorized Signal Corps Parts Lists.

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

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

ARMY AIR FORCES

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Bag, flyer's, kit, type A-3-----	156	1 per precht.
Holster, assembly, parachute:		
Rifle-----	81	1 per indiv armed w/rifle.
Sub-machine gun-----	6	1 per SMG.
Parachute, complete, training, type T-5.	156	1 per indiv plus 20 percent.
Vest, life preserver, type B-4-----	130	1 per indiv.

CHEMICAL

Alarm, gas, M1-----	1	
Kit, chemical agent detector, M9----	1	Outside continental US when atztd by T of Opns comdr.
Mask, gas, combat, M5-11-7-----	130	1 per indiv (mask, gas, sv, light-weight, M3-10A1-6 or M3A1-10A1-6, or mask, gas, sv, will be issued in lieu of mask, gas, combat, M5-11-7 as directed by WD).

ENGINEER

Compass:		
Lensatic, luminous dial type, with case.	28	1 per off; 1st sgt; t sgt; s sgt, plat guide; s sgt, sqd ldr; sgt.
Wrist, liquid filled-----	102	1 per parachutist not issued compass, lensatic.
Demolition equipment; set No. 5, individual.	6	1 per rifle sqd.
Glass, reading, 4 1/2-in. with case-----	1	
Net camouflage, cotton, twine, fabric garnished, 15 x 15 ft.	15	1 per LMG; mort.
Templet, map, plastic, transparent, M2.	5	1 per off.

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MEDICAL

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Kit, first aid, gas casualty-----	5	1 per 25 indiv or maj fraction there outside continental US when at by T of Opns comdr.

ORDNANCE

Bayonet, knife, M4, with scabbard, M8A1-----	130	1 per indiv (SNL B-37).
Binocular, M13-----	11	1 per off; t sgt, plat; s sgt, p guide (SNL F-210).
Carbine, cal. .30, M1A3-----	49	1 per indiv armed w/carbine shown in sec I (SNL B-28) per ing availability, carbine cal. .30 M1A1 will be issued.
Gun:		
Machine, Browning, cal. .30, M1919A6-----	12	SNL A-6.
Submachine, cal. .45, M3-----	6	SNL A-58.
Launcher:		
Grenade, M7-----	12	SNL B-39.
Rocket, 2.36-in. M9A1-----	4	SNL B-41.
Mortar, 60-mm, M2, with mount, M3-----	3	SNL A-43.
Mount, tripod, machine gun, cal. .30, M2-----	12	1 per MG, cal. .30 (SNL A-6).
Projector, pyrotechnic, hand, M9-----	4	SNL B-38.
Rifle, U. S., cal. .30:		
M1-----	81	1 per indiv armed w/rifle as show in sec I (SNL B-21).
M1C-----	3	1 per rifle plat (SNL B-3).
Watch, wrist:		
7-jewel-----	10	1 per 1st sgt; t sgt, plat; s sgt, su sgt, com; opr, rad tp (SNL F-3 watch, wrist, 15 or more jewel may be issued in lieu thereof.
15 or more jewels-----	5	1 per off outside continental I when atzd by T of Opns com (SNL F-36).

QUARTERMASTER

Organizational clothing

Gloves, protective, impermeable-----	3	1 per 40 EM or maj fraction there outside continental US when at by T of Opns comdr.
Mittens, asbestos, M-1942-----	19	1 per armr-artificer; LMG; 2 p mort.
Suit, protective, one-piece, impermeable-----	3	1 per 40 EM or maj fraction there outside continental US when at by T of Opns comdr.

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Individual equipment

1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Bag, canvas, field, od, M-1936	130	1 per indiv except in Alaska.
Belt, pistol or revolver, M-1936	130	1 per indiv.
Cover:		
Canteen, dismounted, M-1910	130	Do.
Canvas, muzzle, rifle or carbine	130	1 per rifle or carbine.
Pocket, cartridge, cal. .30, M1, carbine or rifle.	520	4 per indiv armed w/carbine or rifle.
Strap, carrying, general purpose	130	1 per bag, canvas, fld, od, M-1936 (strap, carrying, bag, canvas, fld, od, M-1936, will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Suspenders, belt, M-1936	130	1 per indiv.

Organizational equipment

Axe:		
Handled, chopping, single bit, standard grade, weight 4-lb.	1	
Intrenching, M-1910, with handle	13	1 per 10 EM.
Bag:		
Canvas, water sterilizing, porous, complete, with - cover - and - hanger.	2	1 per 100 indiv or fraction thereof (bag, canvas, water sterilizing, complete, with-cover-and-hanger will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Carrying:		
Ammunition	52	1 per launcher, grenade; SMG; projector, pyrotechnic, hand, M9; 2 per am bearer.
Rocket, M-6, parachutist	8	2 per launcher, rocket.
Delousing	7	1 per 20 indiv or maj fraction thereof in areas where louse-borne typhus is high when atzd by WD.
	or	
	4	1 per 35 indiv or maj fraction thereof in areas where louse-borne typhus is low when atzd by WD.
Bucket, general purpose, galvanized heavy weight, without-lip, 14-qt. capacity.	2	
Can, water, 5-gallon	26	1 per 5 indiv or fraction thereof.
Carrier:		
Axe, intrenching, M-1910	13	1 per axe, intrenching.
Pick-mattock, intrenching, M-1910	25	1 per pick-mattock, intrenching.

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1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Carrier—Continued.		
Shovel, intrenching, M-1943-----	87	7 per 10 EM.
	or	
	92	7 per 10 EM; 1 per off, outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr (carr, shovel, intrenching, M-1910 to be issued when shovel, intrenching, M-1910 is issued).
Wire-cutter, M-1938-----	25	1 per cutter, wire.
Chest, record, fiber-----	1	
Clipper, hair-----	4	1 per 30 indiv or maj fraction thereof, operating in extremely cold areas when atzd by army comdr; outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
Container, fuel, 1-qt-----	11	1 per outfit, cooking, 1-burner.
Cutter, wire, M-1938-----	25	2 per 10 EM.
Desk, field, empty, fiber, company--	1	
Flag, guidon, bunting-----	1	
Kit:		
Barber, with case-----	1	Outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr.
Sewing-----	10	1 per 12 EM.
Lantern, gasoline, leaded fuel-----	2	
Machete, 18-inch-blade, M1942-----	9	1 per sqd.
Mask, face, launcher, rocket-----	8	2 per launcher, rocket.
Outfit, cooking, 1-burner-----	11	1 per 12 indiv or maj fraction thereof.
Pick-mattock, intrenching, M-1910, with handle.	25	2 per 10 EM.
Scabbard, canvas, carbine, cal. .30, M1A1.	49	1 per carbine, cal. .30, M1A3.
Screen, latrine, complete (with-pins-and-poles).	1	
Sheath, machete, 18-in blade, M-1942.	9	1 per machete.
Shovel:		
General purpose, D-handled, strapback, round point, No. 2.	1	
Intrenching, M-1943-----	87	7 per 10 EM.
	or	
	92	7 per 10 EM; 1 per off outside continental US when atzd by T of Opns comdr (shovel, intrenching M-1910 will be issued in lieu thereof until exhausted).
Sling, carrying, machine gun and ammunition.	24	2 per LMG.
Stone, sharpening, pocket-----	9	1 per machete.
Tool set (complete with tools), carpenters' No. 2.	1	
Trumpet, G, with slide to F, plastic.	1	1 per bglr.
Typewriter, portable, with carrying case.	1	1 per desk.
Whistle, thunderer-----	29	1 per off; 1st sgt; t sgt; s sgt; sgt.

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SIGNAL		
1	2	3
Item	Allowances	Basis of distribution and remarks
Flag set M-133-----	2	
Flashlight TL-122-()-----	23	1 per off; 1st sgt; t sgt, plat; s sgt sup; s sgt, sqd ldr; sgt, sqd ldr; opr, rad tp.
Lantern Electric Portable Hand-----	4	
Panel Set AP-50-()-----	4	
Radio Set SCR-536-----	6	2 spare.
Reel equipment CE-11-----	2	
Signal Lamp Equipment SE-11-----	1	
Wire W-130-A on spool miles-----	1/2	For use with reel equip CE-11
DR-8. (Authorized substitutes in order of preference are Wire WD-3/TT or W-130.)		

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