

Table Sov RB Oct 1941

TOE, Soviet Rifle Brigade 15th October 1941 (Combat, Signal, Transport and Supply Elements)

Manpower	51	166	93	83	142	816	379	356	147	160	146	71	142	120	100	16	271	4356	
	RPI	RCo	MgCo	ReC*	B Sup**	R Bat	MoB	ArB	MoB	ATB	Sig B	ReC	ATC	PIC	SMGC	AAP	Bri Sup**^	Brig Total	
	(x3)	(x3)				(x3)													
Rifle Sqd	2	6				18												54	Rifle Sqd
L Rifle Sqd	2	6		4		22						6					3	75	L Rifle Sqd
Rifle Sqd (SMG)				3		3									9			18	Rifle Sqd (SMG)
50mm Mor							24											24	50mm Mor
LMG								4									1	5	LMG
MMG			12			12												36	MMG
82mm Mor							24											24	82mm Mor
Horse Team^*			6		37	43	71	43	22		5	3	16	8	1			298	Horse Team^*
Trucks***										22	13					3	67	105	Trucks***
Light Transport										1	1						3	5	Light Transport
120mm Mor									8									8	120mm Mor
76mm Inf G								4										4	76mm Inf G
76mm Gun								8										8	76mm Gun
45mm ATG										12								12	45mm ATG
12.7mm AAMG																3		3	12.7mm AAMG
Light Eng Sqd					2	2								5				11	Light Eng Sqd
AT Rifles**^												48						48	AT Rifles**^

* ReC includes an SMG Platoon and a Scout Platoon, both on foot, (Shtat 04/740)

** B Sup includes a Flamethrower Platoon, Shtat 04/740

**^ Bri Sup includes an NKVD platoon attached to the Brigade HQ, (Shtat04/730), 1 Mot Supply Company and 1 Mot Medical Company, (Shtat04/738/739)

^* All Artillery hitch and limbers, (4-6 horses each) are included in horse team figures. Total limbers in the Brigade is 12. Total horse drawn Field Kitchens is 23.

Total horses is 842.

*** Includes all trucks and specialised trucks (including 2 Kitchen trucks).

**^ AT Rifles were only issued in November 1941, because ammunition for them was not in production until late in 1941

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