

## DEPOT G(R) AND DESERT TROOPS, MIDDLE EAST

## WAR ESTABLISHMENT

## (i) Personnel

Detail	Headquarters	G(R) B Pool	Desert training wing	Total, depot G(R) and desert troops
Commandant (major)	1			1
Adjutant	1			1
Majors		3	1	4
Captains		17	2	19
Subalterns		32		32
Total, officers	2	52	3	57
Regimental serjeant –major	1			1
Regimental quarter – master – serjeant	1			1
Serjeants	(a)2	(b)33	2	37
Corporals	(c)3	20	3	26
Privates —				
Clerks, R.A.S.C.	2			2
Officers' mess staff	2			2
Serjeants' mess staff (d)				
Butchery duties	1			1
Storemen	1		1	2
Pioneers (includes a lance – corporal)	2			2
Regimental police	3			3
Sanitary duties (2 may be civilian)	3			3
Duty	1	180		181
Drivers, I.C.	2		(e)3	5
Total, other ranks	24	253	9	266
Total, all ranks	26	285	12	323
Attached —				
R.A.O.C.				
Armourer (serjeant)	1			1
Fitter	1			1
R.A.M.C.				
Medical officer	1			1
Nursing orderly	1			1
A.C.C.				
Corporal	1			1
Privates (2 may be civilian)	3			3
Special pool attaché (with effect from 3 <sup>rd</sup> September, 1941, subject to review 3 <sup>rd</sup> December, 1941) —				
Lieutenant – colonel		1		1
Majors		2		2
Captains		6		6
Subalterns		2		2
Total, depot G(R) and desert troops Middle East including attached	24	296	12	342

(ii) *Transport (f)*

Trucks, 15 – cwt. For —	
Headquarters	2
Desert training wing	3

(iii) *Table of weapons and ammunition(g)*

Detail	Number	Ammunition - rounds		
		On man	Reserve	Total
Pistols, .38 – inch	70	12	420	1,260
Rifles, .303 – inch for —				
R.A.O.C, R.A.S.C. and A.C.C.	8	20		160
Other arms	263	50	13,000	26,150

- (a) 1 provost duties, 1 orderly room
- (b) includes 4 permanent instructors —  
    1 R.E., 2 weapon training and 1 foot guardsman
- (c) 1 for pay duties, 1 for officers' mess and 1 for serjeants mess
- (d) On a scale of 1 per 8 officers and 1 per 10 serjeants
- (e) Includes a lance corporal
- (f) 1 vehicle of every type on war establishments for D.T. units will be allotted in addition. For every additional vehicle, 1 driver I.C. will be added
- (g) Specialist weapons to be drawn as and when required

NOTE

No batmen have been included — servant allowance will be drawn in lieu. Batmen may be provide on scale "C" at the discretion of C. – in – C., Middle East.