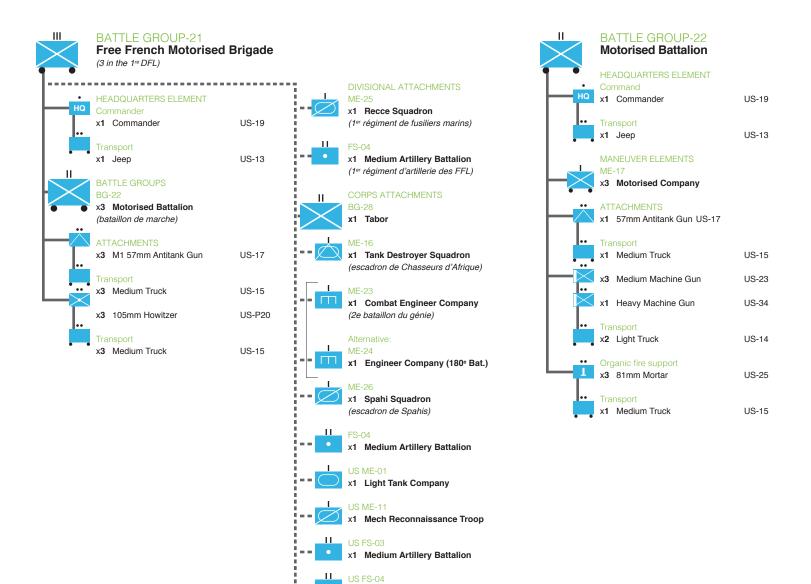
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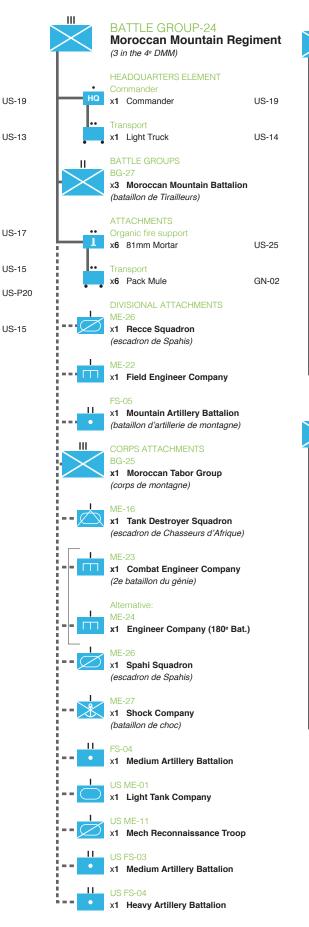
Italy, November 1943 - July 1944



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	BATTLE GROUP-25 Moroccan Tabor Group (GTM, groupements de tabors marc	ocains)
но	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Commander x1 Commander	US-19
	Transport x1 Jeep	US-13
	ATTACHMENTS x1 Medium Machine Gun	US-23
	x2 Light Machine Gun	US-22
	x1 57mm Antitank Gun	US-17
	Transport x1 Medium Truck	US-15
	Alternative: x1 25mm Antitank Gun FR-24	
	Transport x1 Light Truck	US-14
	BATTLE GROUPS BG-28 <b>x3 Tabor</b>	
	BATTLE GROUP-26 Tirailleurs Battalion	
	Tirailleurs Battalion HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Command	119-10
	Tirailleurs Battalion HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Command x1 Commander Transport	US-19
	Tirailleurs Battalion HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Commandd x1 Commander Transport x1 Jeep MANEUVER ELEMENTS	US-19 US-13
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	BATTLE GROUP-27 Moroccan Mountain Batta	lion
на	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Command x1 Commander	US-19
	MANEUVER ELEMENTS ME-19 x4 Moroccan Mountain Company	
	ATTACHMENTS x1 57mm Antitank Gun US-17	
	Transport x1 Medium Truck	US-15
Ļ	Organic fire support x2 81mm Mortar	US-25
••	Transport x2 Pack Mule	GN-02
	BATTLE GROUP-28 Tabor	
	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
HQ	Command x1 Commander	US-19
	Transport x1 Jeep	US-13
	MANEUVER ELEMENTS ME-20 x3 Goum	
<u>r</u> i	ATTACHMENTS x2 81mm Mortar	US-25
	Transport x2 Pack Mule	GN-02
	x1 Medium Machine Gun	US-23
	x1 Pack Mule	GN-02
<b>├</b> ──	x1 Light Machine Gun	US-22
	Organic fire support x1 60mm Mortar	US-24

	Та	ANEUVER ELEMENT-16 nk Destroyer Squadro cadron de Chasseurs d'Afrique)	
	HE	ADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
HQ		mmand Commander	US-19
<u> </u>	Tra	nsport	
	x1	Jeep	US-13
	x <b>2</b>	Infantry (1 with Bazooka)	US-42
		nsport	
	x1	Armored Personnel Carrier	US-08
	x6	M10 Tank Destroyers	US-03
	x6	Light Machine Gun	US-22
		nsport	
		Jeep th Machine Gun when mounted)	US-13
••		TACHMENTS	
	x <b>3</b>	Engineers (with Bazookas)	US-20
		nsport White Scout Car	BR-35
	Tra	nsport	
		Light Truck	US-14
	Red	con	
	x1	White Scout Car	BR-35
		con Light Machine Gun	US-22
	Tra	nsport	
	x <b>2</b>	Jeep th Machine Gun when mounted)	US-13
		oyer squadron may also operate toon-size maneuver elements, as	
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		mmand	
	x1	Light Machine Gun	US-22
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		Jeep th Machine Gun when mounted)	US-13
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		Jeep th Machine Gun when mounted)	US-13
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	x <b>2</b> (se	M10 Tank Destroyers ction antichar)	US-03

### MANEUVER ELEMENT-17 Motorised Company

	ADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
	Commander	US-19
×9	Infantry (1 with Bazooka)	US-42
x1	Medium Machine Gun	US-23
	ganic fire support 60mm Mortar	US-24
	Ansport Medium Truck	US-15



#### MANEUVER ELEMENT-19 Moroccan Mountain Company



# MANEUVER ELEMENT-20 Goum

	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
•	Command	
HQ	x1 Commander	US-19
-×	x9 Infantry (a)	US-42
-	x1 Medium Machine Gun	US-23
••	Transport	
	x1 Pack Mule	GN-02
(a)	May replace 1-3 Infantry with:	
	Light Machine Gun	US-22

Although not included in the Anfa armament plans to equip the Free French Army, the irregular Goum formations were some of the first Free French units to fight in Europe, taking part in Operation Husky, the liberation of Sicily in July-August 1943. Out of necessity, the Goumiers received weaponry initially earmarked for regular Free French units, including a generous number of light machineguns, which would supplement the French-made FM 24/29 retained by the Goums. The ability to replace Infantry with Light Machine Guns also represents the typically motley, irregular composition of Goum units, their usual tactic of forming ad hoc machinegun and assault groups in the field and their penchant for scrounging weaponry from their battlefield.

# MANEUVER ELEMENT-21

	(3 in 1 <sup>re</sup> bataillon du génie)	прапу
	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
•	Command	
HQ	x1 Commander	US-19
••		
- <u>m</u>	x2 Engineers	US-20
	Transport	
	x1 Medium Truck	US-15
••		
	x12 Engineers (a)	US-20
Г	(1 with Bazooka)	
	Transport	
Ĺ.	x4 Medium Truck	US-15

(a) Engineers of a Motorised Engineer Company may also operate as three platoon-sized group attachments to maneuver elements, each group as follows:



#### **MANEUVER ELEMENT-22** Field Engineer Company HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT HQ x1 Commander US-19 ... x2 Engineers US-20 x1 Medium Truck US-15 x12 Engineers (a) US-20 (6 with Bazookas) Transport x6 Light Truck US-14 CORPS ATTACHMENTS x4 Engineers US-20 (peloton de pionniers nord-africains)

(a) Engineers of a Field Engineer Company may also operate as three platoon-sized group attachments to maneuver elements, each group as follows:





	HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT	
•	Command	
HQ	x1 Commander	US-19
<u>.</u>		
	x2 Engineers	US-20
	(1 with Flamethrower)	
	Transport	
	x1 Medium Truck	US-15
••		
	x12 Engineers (a)	US-20
	(6 with Bazooka)	
	Transport	
	x6 Light Truck	US-14
•••	-	
••	CORPS ATTACHMENTS	
	x4 Engineers	US-20
	(peloton de pionniers nord-africains)	

(a) Engineers of an Combat Engineer Company may also operate as three platoon-sized group attachments to maneuver elements, each group as follows:

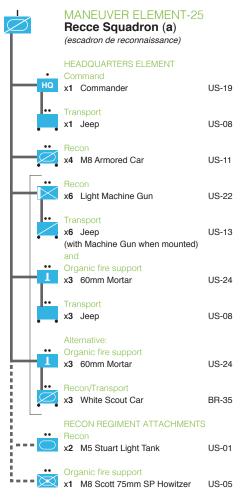


## MANEUVER ELEMENT-24 Engineer Company (180° Bat.) HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Command x1 Commander US-19 x13 Engineers (a) US-20 (1 with Bazooka and 1 with Flamethrower) CORPS ATTACHMENTS

x4 Engineers US-20 (peloton de pionniers nord-africains)

(a) Engineers of the Engineer Company (180° Bat.) may also operate as three platoon-sized group attachments to maneuver elements, each group as follows:

	ATTACHMENTS		
x <b>4</b>	Engineers	ι	JS-20



(a) A recce squadron may also operate as three separate platoon-size maneuver elements as follows:

platoon-size maneuver elements as follows.			
ø Hø	x3 Recce Troop Command/Recon x1 M8 Armored Car	US-11	
	Recon x2 Light Machine Gun	US-22	
	Transport x2 Jeep (with Machine Gun when mounted)	US-13	
<b>├</b> → <mark>ŗ</mark> i	and Organic fire support x1 60mm Mortar	US-24	
	Transport x1 Jeep	US-08	
L,	Alternative: Organic fire support x1 60mm Mortar	US-24	
	Recon/Transport x1 White Scout Car	BR-35	

#### MANEUVER ELEMENT-26 Spahi Squadron (a)

(escadron de Spahis)

# HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT

•	Command/Recon	
HQ	x1 Commander	US-19
	Transport	
	x1 White Scout Car	BR-35
••	Recon	
-×	x6 Infantry (1 with Bazooka)	US-42
	Transport	
	x6 White Scout Car	BR-35
••	Organic fire support	
	x1 60mm Mortar	US-24
••	Transport	
X	x1 Armored Personnel Carrier	US-08
	RECON REGIMENT ATTACHMENTS	5
••	Recon	
	x2 M5 Stuart Light Tank	US-01
••	Organic fire support	
- 🔀	x1 M8 Scott 75mm SP Howitzer	US-05

(a) A Spahi squadron may also operate as three separate platoon-size maneuver elements as follows:

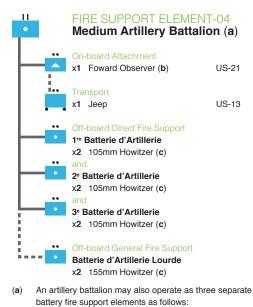


MANEUVER ELEMENT-27 Shock Company (a) (bataillon de choc)	
 HEADQUARTERS ELEMENT Command/Recon x1 Commando	BR-58
Recon x12 Commandos	BR-58
 Engineers/Recon x4 Commando (b) (section d'expérimentation)	BR-58

(a) A shock company may also operate as four separate platoon-size maneuver elements as follows:

	x4 Shock Section Command/Recon x1 Commando	BR-58
	Recon x2 Commando	BR-58
••••	Engineers/Recon x1 Commando (b) (groupe d'expérimentation)	BR-58

(b) The experimental section was deployed for particular missions after the lessons of the Corsica Campaign (13 September-4 October 4 1943).





(b) The forward observer may be attached to any maneuver element or headquarters element.

(c) See Off-board Artillery Table for weapon rating (pg. 37).

•		FIRE SUPPORT ELEMENT-05 Mountain Artillery Battalion (a)				
┝		n-board Attachment Foward Observer (b)	US-21			
	** 1" ** 2° ** 2° ** 2° ** 2° ar 3°	Batterie d'Artillerie 75mm Mountain Gun m	nle 1928 ( <b>c</b> ) nle 1928 ( <b>c</b> )			
(a)		n artillery battalion may a attery fire support element				
•	x	3 Mountain Artille	ery Battery			

•		3 Mountain Artillery Battery				
┝	-	On-board Atta x1 Foward Ot		US-21		
Off-board Direct Fire Support Batterie d'Artillerie x2 75mm Mountain Gun mle 1928 (c)						
•• Batterie d'Artillerie						

(b) The forward observer may be attached to any maneuver element or headquarters element.

(c) See Off-board Artillery Table for weapon rating (pg. 37).

