



# U.S. 11th Armored Division

December, 1944

22nd Tank Battalion

5 A 5  5 M-5 11	11 A 8  9 M-4/75 8	14 A 10  10 M-4/76 9	14 H 10  9 M-4/105 8	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18
x 3	x 5	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1

41st Tank Battalion

5 A 5  5 M-5 11	11 A 8  9 M-4/75 8	14 A 10  10 M-4/76 9	14 H 10  9 M-4/105 8	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18
x 3	x 5	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1

42nd Tank Battalion

5 A 5  5 M-5 11	11 A 8  9 M-4/75 8	14 A 10  10 M-4/76 9	14 H 10  9 M-4/105 8	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18
x 3	x 5	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1

21st Armored Infantry Battalion

4 I 2*  10 ARMORED 1	2 I 2*  4 M-6 1	9 A 5 57mm 2 0	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	5 H 8  5 M-8 HMC 11	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18	2 C(I) 2  3 M-3 10
x 9	x 3	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1	x 15

55th Armored Infantry Battalion

4 I 2*  10 ARMORED 1	2 I 2*  4 M-6 1	9 A 5 57mm 2 0	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	5 H 8  5 M-8 HMC 11	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18	2 C(I) 2  3 M-3 10
x 9	x 3	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1	x 15

63rd Armored Infantry Battalion

4 I 2*  10 ARMORED 1	2 I 2*  4 M-6 1	9 A 5 57mm 2 0	3 M 12  3 M-21 10	5 H 8  5 M-8 HMC 11	2 C(I) 2*  1 M-8 Jeep 18	2 C(I) 2  3 M-3 10
x 9	x 3	x 3	x 1	x 1	x 1	x 15

490th Armored Artillery Battalion

40 (H) 32  7 M-7 Priest 8
x 3

491st Armored Artillery Battalion

40 (H) 32  7 M-7 Priest 8
x 3

492nd Armored Artillery Battalion

40 (H) 32  7 M-7 Priest 8
x 3

56th Armored Engineers Battalion

1 I 1  6 1	0 - 0 Tank Bridge 32 0	2 C(I) 2  3 M-3 10	0 C 0 Truck 1 14
x 9	x 1	x 3	x 7

By Greg Moore  
gregpanzerblitz.com  
November, 2008

41st  
Cavalry  
Recon  
Squadron

1 I 2 3 SCOUT 1	3 A 5 3 M-8 15	5 A 5 5 M-5 11	5 H 8 5 M-8 HMC 11	2 C(I) 2* 1 M-8 Jeep 18
x 12	x 8	x 3	x 1	x 12

575th  
Anti-Aircraft  
Battalion  
(attached)

6 H 12 3 M-15 10	8 I 4 3 M-16 10
x 4	x 4

attached on  
December  
23

602nd  
Tank  
Destroyer  
Battalion  
(attached)

14 A 10 4 M-18 12	2 C(I) 2* 1 M-8 Jeep 18	2 I 4 3 M-20 15	3 A 5 3 M-8 15
x 9	x 3	x 3	x 1

attached from  
28th Infantry  
on December  
29

The "Thunderbolt" Armored Division did not arrive in France until December 17 and was rushed to the bulge where it went into action in late December near Neufchateau alongside the equally inexperienced 87th Infantry. The 11th ended up helping defend the Bastogne corridor as well but it saw only limited action in the whole campaign and suffered very few casualties.