

# Russian Tank Corps

July, 1942

Tank Brigade  
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Motorcycle Recon Battalion

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Only about a quarter of Tank Corps had this battalion in 1942.

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In July of 1942, a few changes were made to the Tank Corps organization. In an effort to simplify the tank component, the slow KV-I was dropped in favor of more T-34's. The Motorized Infantry Battalion received 76.2mm AT guns but lost their AA battalion. Some other components were added on paper but not in reality (see gray areas above). A total of 25 Tank Corps were formed from April to September of 1942, mostly from existing units (for instance, no new tank brigades were created, they were already all in existence and were just reassigned).