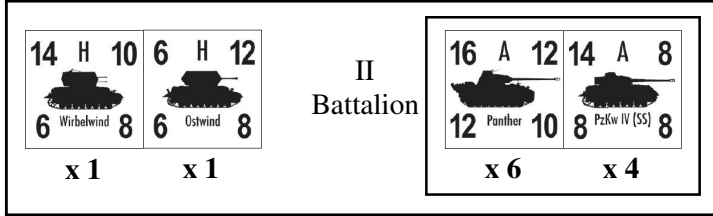




German Panzer Lehr Division

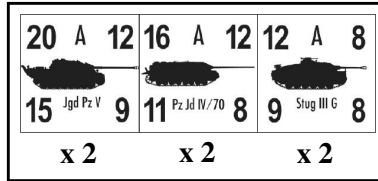
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130th
Panzer
Regiment

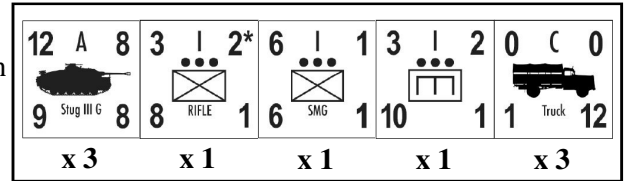


Only enough tanks left for one combined battalion.

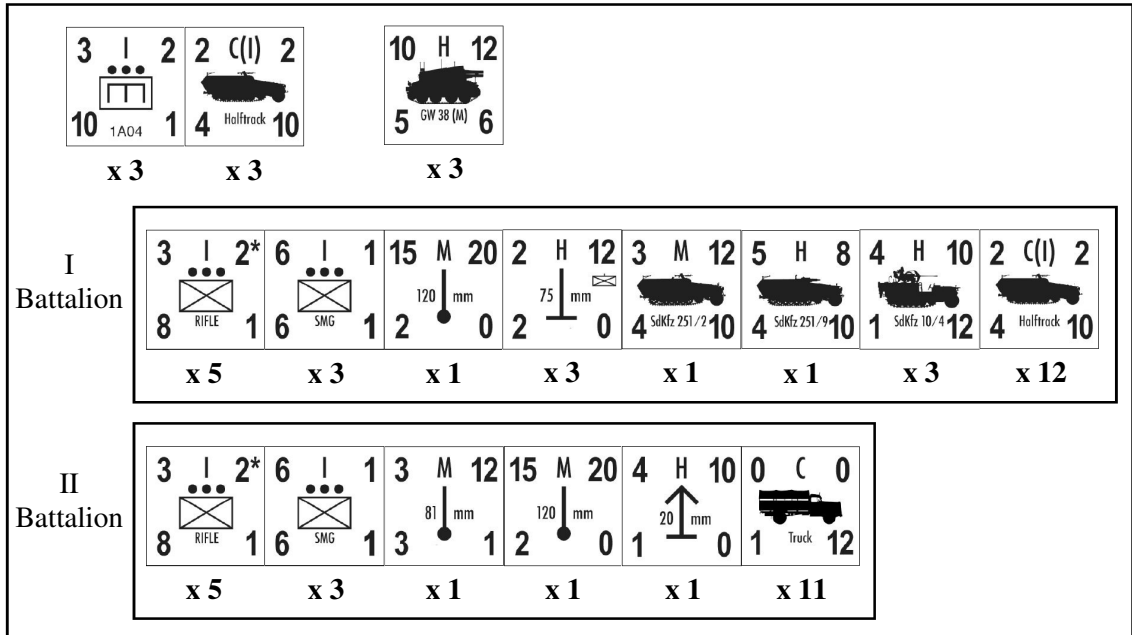
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PanzerJager
Battalion
(attached)



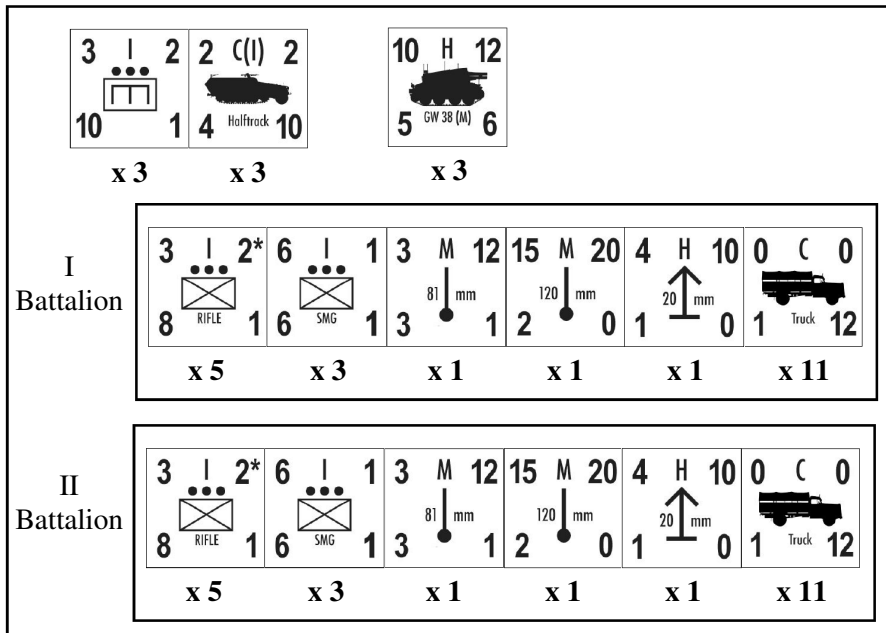
243rd
Assault Gun
Brigade
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901st
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Grenadier
Regiment















902nd
Panzer
Grenadier
Regiment













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

130th
Panzer
Artillery
Regiment

I Battalion	40 (H) 32  5 Wespe 8	60 (H) 24  6 Hummel 8	4 H 10  1 SdKfz 10/4 12	II Battalion	40 (H) 32  2 105 mm 0	0 C 0  1 SdKfz 8 10	4 H 10  1 20 mm 0	0 C 0  1 Truck 12
	x 2	x 1	x 1		x 2	x 2	x 1	x 1
III Battalion	60 (H) 36  2 150 mm 0	50 (H) 80  2 170 mm 0	0 C 0  1 SdKfz 8 10	4 H 10  1 20 mm 0	0 C 0  1 Truck 12			
x 1	x 1	x 2	x 1	x 1				






130th
Panzer
Recon
Battalion

2 H 4  2 SdKfz 222 10	2 H 4  3 SdKfz 234/1 16	5 H 8  3 SdKfz 234/3 14	3 M 12  4 SdKfz 251/2 10	4 H 10  1 SdKfz 10/4 12
x 3	x 2	x 1	x 1	x 1
3 I 2*  8 RIFLE 1	3 I 2  10 1	13 A 6  2 75 mm 0	2 C(I) 2  4 SdKfz 250/1 12	2 C(I) 2  4 Halftrack 10
x 6	x 1	x 1	x 3	x 5






130th
PanzerJager
Battalion

16 A 12  11 Pz Jd IV/70 8	13 A 6  2 75 mm 0	0 C 0  1 Truck 12
x 3	x 3	x 3

311th
Panzer
Flak
Battalion

15 A 20  1 88 mm 0	0 C 0  1 SdKfz 8 10	6 H 12  1 37 mm 0	0 C 0  1 Truck 12	14 H 10  1 SdKfz 7/1 10
x 3	x 3	x 2	x 2	x 2

130th
Panzer
Pioneer
Battalion

3 I 2  10 1	3 M 12  1 81 mm 1	0 - 0  32 4 1/2" Bridge 0	2 C(I) 2  4 Halftrack 10	0 C 0  1 Truck 12
x 9	x 1	x 1	x 3	x 8

The Panzer Lehr Division had been nearly destroyed in the fighting for Caen and, after the Falaise disaster, it virtually ceased to exist. The division was being rebuilt in September but, before it could finish, it was thrown into the line against Patton's Third Army in the Saar. The division was pulled out of the line to be refitted for the Bulge campaign but was still seriously understrength in tanks and had extra attachments from Korps to help make up the difference. Panzer Lehr was heavily engaged near Bastogne and ended the campaign a mere shadow of itself again.