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**SUDAN DEFENCE FORCE****MOBILE MACHINE GUN GROUP HEADQUARTERS**

## WAR ESTABLISHMENT

(i) *Personnel*

79/W.E./3998 (S.D. 3)

*British personnel –*

Officer commanding (lieutenant-colonel) (miralai)	1
2nd-in-command (major) (kaymakam)	1
Adjutant (captain) (bimbashi)	1
	3
Total, officers	
Cipher duties (staff-serjeant or serjeant)	1
Fitter, M.V. (staff-serjeant or serjeant)	1
	2
Total, other ranks	
	5
Total, British personnel	

*Native personnel –*

Native officers (includes 1 sagh, 1 bimbashi)	2
Sol tayin (regimental quarter-master-serjeant)	1
Bash amin (company quarter-master-serjeant)	1
Onbashia (corporals)	2
Anfar (privates) for duty as – (c)	
Officer's servants	5
Armourer	1
L.M.G. numbers	4
Tailor	1
Tumergi	1
Saddler	1
Wakil bulukat amin	1
General duties	6
Anfar (drivers, M.T.) for duty as –	
Drivers of vehicles (includes 3 wakil onbashia)	25
Motor cyclists	4
	4
Total, native personnel	
	55

*Civilians –*

Servants	(a)9
Clerks	2
	2
Total, mobile machine gun group headquarters	
	71

(ii) *Transport*

Motor cycles	(b)4
Vans, 15-cwt.	5
Trucks, 15-cwt.	1
Lorries, 3-ton, for –	
Officers' and British N.C.Os.' kit	5
Office	1
Motor cycles	1
Supplies, petrol and administration	4
Personnel	1

(iii) *Table of weapons and ammunition*

Detail	Number	Ammunition – rounds		
		On man or with gun	Reserve	Total
Pistols, .38-inch	12	12	72	216
Rifles, .303-inch	48	60	3,000	5,880
L.M.Gs., .303-inch	2	2,000	6,000	10,000
A.Tk. rifles, .55-inch	2	120	240	480
Pistols, signal	4	12	48	96

(a) 1 per officer, British N.C.O. and clerk.

(b) Carried in lorry when country impossible for motor cycles.

(c) Includes 2 wakil onbashia.

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