

78th Infantry Division ⁽¹⁾

Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division

11th Infantry Brigade

Headquarters, 11th Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

2nd Bn. The Lancashire Fusiliers

1st Bn. The East Surrey Regiment

5th (Huntingdon) Bn. The Northamptonshire Regiment

36th Infantry Brigade

Headquarters, 36th Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

6th Bn. The Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment

5th Bn. The Buffs (Royal East Kent Regiment)

8th (Argyllshire) Bn. The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (Princess Louise's)

38th (Irish) Infantry Brigade

Headquarters, 38th (Irish) Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

2nd Bn. The London Irish Rifles

1st Bn. The Royal Irish Fusiliers

6th Bn. The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers

Divisional Troops

56th Regiment, Reconnaissance Corps

1st Bn. Princess Louise's Kensington Regiment ⁽²⁾

Headquarters, 78th Infantry Divisional Royal Artillery

17th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery

132nd (Welsh) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery

138th (City of London) Field Regiment, Royal Artillery

64th Anti-Tank Regiment, Royal Artillery

49th Light Anti-Aircraft Regiment, Royal Artillery

Headquarters, 78th Infantry Divisional Royal Engineers
214th (North Midland) Field Company, Royal Engineers
237th (City of Dundee) Field Company, Royal Engineers
256th Field Company, Royal Engineers
281st Field Park Company, Royal Engineers
21st Bridging Platoon, Royal Engineers

78th Divisional Signals, Royal Corps of Signals

Headquarters, 78th Infantry Divisional Royal Army Service Corps
11th Infantry Brigade Company, Royal Army Service Corps
36th Infantry Brigade Company, Royal Army Service Corps
38th Infantry Brigade Company, Royal Army Service Corps
xx Divisional Troops Company, Royal Army Service Corps

Headquarters, 78th Infantry Divisional Royal Army Medical Corps
11th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps
152nd Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps
217th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps
47th Field Hygiene Section, Royal Army Medical Corps

xx Mobile Bath Unit, Royal Army Ordnance Corps (10)

78th Infantry Divisional Field Cash Office, Royal Army Pay Corps

78th Infantry Divisional Field Post Office, Royal Engineers

78th Infantry Divisional Provost Company, Corps of Military Police

NOTES:

1. The 78th Infantry Division was formed on 25 May 1942 in the U.K. It had fought in the North African campaign of late 1942 and early 1943. The division remained in North Africa, until sailing for Sicily on 23 July 1943. It began to arrive in Sicily from 25 July 1943 and was involved in the Battle for Adrano between 29 July and 3 August 1943. The division left Sicily on 22 September 1943, moving onto the Italian mainland and served the rest of the war in Italy.
2. This battalion was a first line Territorial Army unit. It joined the division on 16 June 1943 in the role of divisional support battalion.

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