



U.S. 4th Infantry Division

December, 1944

8th
Infantry
Regiment

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29th
Field
Artillery
Battalion

40 (H) 32 0 C 0 2 105mm 0 1 Truck 14	
x 2	x 2

42nd
Field
Artillery
Battalion

40 (H) 32 0 C 0 2 105mm 0 1 Truck 14	
x 2	x 2

44th
Field
Artillery
Battalion

40 (H) 32 0 C 0 2 105mm 0 1 Truck 14	
x 2	x 2

20th
Field
Artillery
Battalion

60 (H) 36 2 C(l) 2* 2 155mm 0 1 M4 HST 10	
x 2	x 2

4th
Engineer
Battalion

1 I 1 6 1	0 - 0 1 23 Truck Bridge 0	0 C 0 1 Truck 14
x 9	x 1	x 10

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4th
Recon
Troop
(Mech)

1 I 2 SCOUT x 3	2 C(l) 2* M-8 Jeep x 3	3 A 5 M-8 x 2
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377th
Anti-Aircraft
Battalion
(attached)

8 H 12 40 mm x 4	8 I 4 .50 cal x 4	0 C 0 Truck x 8
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70th
Tank
Battalion
(attached)

5 A 5 M-5 x 3	11 A 8 M-4/75 x 7	14 A 10 M-4/76 x 2	14 H 10 M-4/105 x 1	3 M 12 M-21 x 1	2 C(l) 2* M-8 Jeep x 1
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Only 11 tanks operational on December 16 but replacements and repairs would build this battalion back up during the battle.

802nd
Tank
Destroyer
Battalion
(attached)

12 A 10 76 mm x 9	2 C(l) 2 M-3 x 9	2 C(l) 2* M-8 Jeep x 2	2 I 4 M-20 x 1
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803rd
Tank
Destroyer
Battalion
(attached)

14 A 10 M-10 x 6	15 A 12 M-36 x 3	2 C(l) 2* M-8 Jeep x 3	2 I 4 M-20 x 3	3 A 5 M-8 x 1
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detached to 5th
Infantry Division
December 25
all M-36 January 1

The veteran "Ivy" Division had been in heavy combat since landing at Utah beach on D-Day. After a month of combat in the Hurtgen Forest, the division had been bled down so it was transferred to the quiet front in the Ardennes to recuperate. The 4th was covering a front 35 miles long on December 16. Many soldiers had been given leave and the division was seriously under strength. The attached 70th Tank Battalion had only 11 tanks operational. Fortunately, when the attack came, it was mainly an infantry attack and even though the 4th was reduced to small pockets defending little villages, it was able to hold as reinforcements from the 5th Infantry and 10th Armored were moved up. The 4th was eventually relieved by the 87th Infantry and by January 22 it had been brought up to strength and was on the offensive again.