

9th (Scottish) Infantry Division ⁽¹⁾

Headquarters, 9th (Scottish) Infantry Division

26th Infantry Brigade ⁽²⁾

Headquarters, 26th Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

5th (Sutherland and Caithness) Bn. The Seaforth Highlanders
(Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's)

7th (Morayshire) Bn. The Seaforth Highlanders
(Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's)

5th Bn. The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders

27th Infantry Brigade ⁽³⁾

Headquarters, 27th Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

5th (Angus and Dundee) Bn. The Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment)

7th (Mars and Mearns) Bn. The Gordon Highlanders

9th (Donside) Bn. The Gordon Highlanders

28th Infantry Brigade ⁽⁴⁾

Headquarters, 28th Infantry Brigade & Signal Section

7th (Fife) Bn. The Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment)

10th Bn. The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (Princess Louise's)

11th Bn. The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (Princess Louise's)

Divisional Troops

Headquarters, 9th (Scottish) Infantry Divisional Royal Artillery

126th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁵⁾

(H.Q., 297th (City of Aberdeen) & 298th (City of Aberdeen) Field Batteries, Royal Artillery)

127th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁶⁾

(H.Q., 301st (Angus) & 304th (City of Dundee) Field Batteries, Royal Artillery)

128th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁷⁾

(H.Q., 307th (Renfrew) & 308th (Renfrew) Field Batteries, Royal Artillery)

61st Anti-Tank Regiment, Royal Artillery ⁽⁸⁾

(H.Q., 241st, 242nd, 243rd & 244th Anti-Tank Batteries, Royal Artillery)

Headquarters, 9th (Scottish) Divisional Royal Engineers

274th Field Company, Royal Engineers (9)

275th Field Company, Royal Engineers (10)

276th Field Company, Royal Engineers (11)

277th Field Park Company, Royal Engineers (12)

9th Divisional Signals, Royal Corps of Signals

NOTES:

1. The 9th (Scottish) Infantry Division was a second-line Territorial Army formation, a duplicate of the 51st (Highland) Division. It was formed in 1939 with the expansion of the Territorial Army. The division remained in Scotland during the beginning of the war. When the bulk of the 51st Division was captured in France on 12 June 1940, the 9th Division was used to reconstitute the 51st Division. The 9th Division officially ceased to exist on 7 August 1940, being redesignated the 51st (Highland) Infantry Division. The 5th Bn. Seaforths and 5th Bn. Camerons both became part of the reconstituted 152nd Brigade. Following a period with other formations, the 7th Bn. Seaforths joined 46th Brigade, 15th Division on 15 November 1942, serving with the brigade for the rest of the war. The 5th Bn. Black Watch became part of the new 153rd Brigade. The 7th Bn. Gordons amalgamated with the 5th Bn. to form the 5th/7th Bn., which continued to serve with the 153rd Brigade, whilst the 9th Bn. Gordons were unbrigaded for a time before leaving for India on 27 May 1942. On their arrival in India, the battalion was converted to an armoured regiment and designated 116th Regiment, Royal Armoured Corps. The 7th Bn. Black Watch transferred across to the 154th Brigade, the only brigade to escape capture in France. The 10th Bn. Argylls amalgamated with the 7th Bn. from 154th Brigade to form the 7th/10th Bn.. This battalion continued to serve with 154th Brigade, being redesignated as the 7th Bn. on 1 October 1942. The 11th Bn. Argylls remained as a battalion, continuing to serve throughout the war in the U.K. Under its new title of the 51st (Highland) Infantry Division, the 9th Division earned several battle honours, including El Alamein, Tunisia, Sicily and North West Europe.
2. A second-line T.A. brigade, formed as a duplicate of the 152nd Infantry Brigade. The 5th Bn. Seaforths was based at Golspie, with the 7th Bn. based at Forres. The 5th Bn. Camerons was based alongside its parent battalion, the 4th, at Inverness. On 6 August 1940, the brigade was redesignated the 152nd Infantry Brigade.
3. This brigade was a duplicate of the 153rd Brigade in 51st Division. The 5th Bn. Black Watch was based at Dundee, and was formed in 1939 by the duplication of the 4th/5th (Dundee and Angus) Battalion. The 7th Bn. Gordons was based at Banchory and the 9th Bn. Gordons was based at Huntley. On 6 August 1940, the brigade was redesignated the 153rd Infantry Brigade within the reconstituted 51st Division.
4. The third brigade in this division was based at Stirling with its parent formation, the 154th Infantry Brigade. The 7th Bn. Black Watch was based at Kirkaldy, being formed by the duplication of the 6th/7th (Perthshire and Fife) Battalion. The 10th Bn. Argylls was based at Stirling and the 11th Bn. at Dunoon. The brigade absorbed the details of the 154th Brigade, the only brigade not captured in France, and was redesignated the 154th Infantry Brigade. The brigadier commanding 28th Brigade became the first commander of the 'new' 154th Brigade.
5. This regiment was formed in June 1939 as a duplicate of the 75th Field Regiment. All three batteries were based in Aberdeen. The regiment transferred across to the 51st Division when it was reconstituted in August 1940, and served with that division throughout the war. It was entitled (Highland) in February 1942.
6. The duplicate of the 76th Field Regiment, this regiment was formed in May 1939. The Headquarters Battery was based at Levan, the 301st Battery at Arbroath and the 304th Battery at Dundee. The regiment transferred across to the 51st Division when it was reconstituted in August 1940, and served with that division for the rest of the war. It was entitled (Highland) in February 1942.

7. The third duplicate regiment was formed in June 1939 from its parent regiment, the 77th Field Regiment. The Headquarters and 308th Batteries were based at Greenock, and the 308th Battery in Glasgow. It also transferred across to the reconstituted 51st Division, and was similarly entitled (Highland) in February 1942.
8. Formed in 1939 as a duplicate of the 51st Anti-Tank Regiment, all five batteries of this regiment were based at Rothesay. It transferred across to the 51st Division when it was reconstituted in 1940 and served with that division for the rest of the war.
9. This second line T.A. company was based at Alness. It transferred across to the 51st Division in August 1940.
10. A second line T.A. company based at Stromness. It transferred to the 51st Division with the other two field companies.
11. The third second line T.A. company based at Paisley. Again, it joined the 51st Division when the 9th Division was redesignated the 51st Division.
12. A second line T.A. company, based in Dundee. When the 9th Division was used to reconstitute the 51st Division, this company ceased to exist. It is believed that the company was either redesignated or merged with details of the 239th Field Park Company to reconstitute that company within the 51st Division.

SOURCES: