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AQ/3/5 - Progress Report-Italian Army
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PROGRESS REPORT OF ITALIAN UNITS FOR ALLIED

Serials from Appx 'A' to AAL 1605/50/4/2/G(SD1) dated 13 Mar

Serial No	U N I T	Required by	Estimated Date Available	S T R E N G T H S			Stores Tonnage	P R E S E N T L O C A T I O N
				Offrs	O.Rs	MP Vehs		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1003A	1003A Muleteer Rfts	7 Mtn Regt	Completed	1	122			PERSANO
1004	96 Bn 209 Div	8 Army	"	24	800			VIRANO
1004A	Rfts 1 Bn 513 Inf Regt	3 Dist	"		50			TORRE ANNUNZ
1004B	13 & 130 Sigs Wkps	"	Ready		43	6		SARDINIA
1005	61 Motor Ambulance	8 Army	"		20	16		"
1009	12 Hygiene Sec	2 Dist	Completed	1	86			
1011	Truck Drivers	2 Dist	"		250			POLICE HQ
1012	1005 GI Truck Coy	P.B.S.	"	4	120			
1012A	1010 GI Truck Coy	"	"	5	128			NAPLES
1013	998 Spec Elec Eng Coys	"	"	9	190			
	999 " " " "	"	"	9	194			
1014	11 Artieri Coy	"	"	6	163			
1018	6 Minatori Coy	5 Army	"	5	216			SPAR NISE
1019	21 Pontieri Coy	"	"	7	315			"
1020	3 Artieri Coy	8 Army	"	5	264			VIRANO
1021	1-2-3-4- Pack Tpt Secs	Flaminc	"	4	196			
	5 & 6 Pack Tpt Secs	"	Ready	2	100			SARDINIA

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PROGRESS REPORT OF ITALIAN UNITS FOR ALLIED FORCES AS AT 12 APRIL

Appx 'A' to AAI 1605/50/4/2/G(SD1) dated 13 Mar incl amendments 1 - 4

Unit Date Available	S T R E N G T H S				P R E S E N T L O C A T I O N					Shipping Priority Serial
	Offrs	O.Rs	MP Vehs	Stores Tonnage						
4	5	6	7	8	9				10	11
Completed	1	122			PETRANO					
"	24	800			VAIRANO				Arrived 230 ors short. SIRE ordered to complete	
"		50			TORRE ANNUNZI TO					
dy		43	6		SARDINIA				awaiting shipment	601
		20	16		"				"	61
Completed	1	86							arrived ex SARDINIA 28 Mar	
"		250			POLIGNO				training	
"	4	120							arrived ex SARDINIA 3 Apr	
"	5	128			NAPLES				entrained for NAPLES 4 April	
"	9	190							} arrived ex SARDINIA 3 April	
"	9	194								
"	6	163							" " " " "	
"	5	216			SPERINISE				" " " 6 "	
"	7	315			"				" " " " "	
"	5	264			VAIRANO				" " " " "	
"	4	196							arrived ex SARDINIA 6/8 April	
dy	2	100			SARDINIA				awaiting shipment ex SARDINIA	7

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1023	180 Artillery Coy	2 Dist	Completed		201		TRIMOLI
-	181 " "	"	"	3	115		BRINDISI
	182 " "	"	"	3	143		BARI
	165 " "	"	Ready				S. M. R. E.
	13 " "	"	"				"
1024	55 Artillery Coy	3 Dist	"	}	750		"
	77 " "	"	"				
	162 " "	"	"				
1025	Eight Field Hospitals	Flambo	"		480		"
1026	Ten Battalions	A...I.	"		8000		"
1027	REDO Div	S.M.R.E.	"		5000		"
1050	Reinforcements						
1051	Two Labour Bns	P.D.S.	Completed		1600		
1051A	211 Vet Sta Hosp	"	"	4	89		
	212 " " "	"	15 April		178		
1051B	707 & 717 MI Ord Coys	"	"	12	404		NAFLES
1052A	301) MI Truck Bns	"	20 April		1034		CALABRIA
	302)						
1053	Pack Tpt Gp Bn	5 Army	Completed	4	7		SESSA
1054	50 Pack Tpt Coy	"	Ready	4	190		S. M. R. E.
	8 Pack Tpt Coy	"	15 April	7	257		COSENZA
	9 " " "	"	20 "	7	260		CROTONA
1055	922 Dock Op Coy	2 Dist	Ready	7	367		BRINDISI
	924 " "	3 "	"	7	367		TRAPANI

4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Completed		201				Arrived ex: SARDINIA 8 April	
"	3	115				" " " " "	
"	3	143				" " " " "	
Ready						SARDINIA awaiting shipment	
"						" "	
"						" "	78
"		750				" "	
"						" "	
"		450				" "	79
"		8000				" " if required	85
"		5000				" "	90
Scale to be confirmed - 150 RE Rt's moved to 8 May 5 April							
Completed		1600				Reinforcements only	
"	4	89				Forming CAMPANIA	
April		173					
"	12	404				Entrained 8 April	
April		1034				Forming from AA CALABRIA - will be untrained	
Completed	4	7				Leaving 11 Apr	
Ready	4	190				Awaiting shipment - to be absorbed by 3 Pack Bpt Coy	
April	7	257				Movement applied for	
"	7	260				" " "	
Ready	7	367				Not yet released from Port Lab.	
"	7	367				Released but movement order not yet received	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1055	Two Port Bns	P.W.S.	.		1868		
1056	905 LAVMT Coy	2 Dist	Completed	6	257		FOGGIA
1057	901 " "	P.S.S.	"	6	225		NAPLES
1057A	708 & 710 GI Ord Coys	"	"	12	372		"
1058A	One Engr Regt (GS)	"			1521		
1059A	951 & 952 Engr Wksp Secs	2 Dist	Ready		100		SARDINI
1059B	900 LAVMT Coy	"	Completed	6	227		NAPLES
1059C	902 " "	3 Dist	"	6	249		FOGGIA
1060	6-16-23 Rly Constr Coys	"			750		GRUP MIL
1061	1003 G.T. Coy	GHQ	Completed	10	395		ATRIGOL
1061A	Cav Sqn & Pack Tpt Bty	Flamio	Ready		460		SARDINI
1062	Dvrs i/c	GHQ	Port completed		117		
1062A	Two Depot Coys	P.S.S.			388		
1063	One Guard Bn	"	Completed		800		NAPLES
1064	" " "	8 Engr	Ready		800		BRI
1065	1100) 1101) 1102) 1103)	GI Petrol Coys	P.S.S.	Completed	20	488	NAPLES
1065A	709 Ord Coy (H)(C)	"	Ready	6	290		COMI TO

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		1868				Not yet formed	
Completed	6	257		FOGGIA			
"	6	225		NAPLES			
"	12	372		"	Entrained 7 Apr		
		1321			Not yet formed		
Ready		100		SARDINIA	Awaiting shipment		83
Completed	6	227		TRIDENTI			
"	6	249		REGIO ABRUZZO			
		750		COMPANIA	Forming under DGER. Nucleus already working		
Completed	10	395		ATRIGOLA	Arrived ex SARDINIA 8 April		
Ready		460		SARDINI	For Remount Depot PERSANO		83A
Completed		117			1011 Drivers Coy with 36 Veh Coy 4 offrs 104 ors		
		388			Not yet formed		
Completed		800		NAPLES	Reinforcements only		
Ready		800		BARI	Formed from 541 Gp Arty - leaving 14 April		
Completed	20	488		NAPLES	Entrained 4 April		
Ready	6	290		CALINO	Awaiting movement instrs		

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1065B	Three Hvy Mobile Wksp	P.B.S.	Completed		15			
1065C	728 & 729 Ord Coys (IM)(Q)	"	Ready	12	404			TREPUZZA
1065D	716 & 719 Ord Coys (Amn)	"	15 April		372			GALATONE
1065E	One QM Truck Bn	"			517			SARDINIA
1066	19 QM Bakery Coy	"	Completed		163			
1068	Four QM Truck Coys	"			496			SARDINIA
1068A	824 Telegrafisti Coy	2 Dist	15 Apr	4	120			CATANZARO
	825 " "	3 Dist		4	120			TRANI
1071	921 Docks Op Coy	2 Dist	Ready	7	387			BRINDISI
	923 " " "	"	"	7	387			TARANTO
1071A	Two Wksp Coys	16 Base Wksp			564			SARDINIA
1072	1051 G.T. Coy	G.H.Q.	Ready	15	325			SALICE SALERNITANO
	Four G.T. Coys	"			1051			
1073	904 LAV ART Coy	2 Dist	Completed	6	257			TARANTO
1074	903 " " "	"	"	6	204			SALERNO
1076	Two Labour Bns	P.B.S.	"		1600			NAPLES
1077	" Guard Bns	"	Part ready		1600			
1078	103 Minatori Coy	5 Army	Completed	16	494			SPARANISE
1079	101 Pontieri Coy	"	"	6	283			"
1082	Two Labour Bns	"			1600			CATANIA
1085	906 Art Wks Coy	3 Dist	25 Apr		250			"
	907 " " "	"	"		250			"

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	15					
12	404		TREPULZA		Awaiting movement instructions	
	372		GALATONE		Forming	
	517		SARDINIA		Ordered	
	163					
	496		SARDINIA		Ordered	
4	120		CATANZARO			
4	120		TRANI			
7	387		BRINDISI		Not yet released from Port Labour	
7	387		TARANTO		" " " " " "	
	564		SARDINIA		Ordered	
15	395		SALICE SALENTINO		Forming from 51 Tank Bn proposed as Tank delivery unit	
	1051				Not yet formed	
6	257		TARANTO			
6	204		SALERNO			
	1600		NAPLES			
	1600				320 moved 3 Apr. 576 awaiting movement. Remainder not yet nominated. Rfts only.	
16	494		SPARANISE			
6	283		"			
	1600		CAMPANIA		Rfts for 210 Div from 1923 Class call up.	
	250		"		Forming in CAMPANIA	
	250		"		" " "	

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1097 Personnel for SIERRA
LEONE Forestry Coy

" B. In addition the following have been ordered, but have not yet been allotted serials

One Guard Bn	I. E. S.	800
Nine Smoke Coys	A. A. I.	2547

DISTRIBUTION:-- AFHQ (2), AAI (2), AAI AFM ECH, REAR FLEET & WIGHT AIRLINES, FMS, 1, 2, 3 POSTHOC
Col. STUBBS SIRMIA, ARMY 3RD COMMISSION LO's NAPLES, CATANZARO, EIGHTH ARMY, B
War Diary (2), File, Space (6).

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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SARDINIA

Not required before May

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n ordered, but have not yet been allotted serials

800

2547

1010

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COMMISSION LO's NAPLES, CATANZARO, EIGHTH ARMY, BARL. Comd, 2 i/c, GSO 1(L), G (4), AQ (4),
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