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ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

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Subject:- ORDNANCE SERVICES - ROME AREA

1. This circular is published for the information and guidance of British Units in Rome Area, and is an endeavour to indicate the facilities that are available and how advantage can best be taken of them. The strict observance by units of such instructions as may be incorporated in this circular is a necessary adjunct of such facilities.

INTRODUCTION

2. This Office is designated as ORDNANCE (BRITISH) ROME AREA ALLIED COMINT.

Communications should be addressed as under:-

Correspondence: Ordnance Officer Rome Area Allied Command

Signals : OED (Br) Rome Area

An ORD. DND is located at 56 Best Cam, Via Pietralata, Rome.

STORES - SUPPLY & ROUGH MATERIAL CHANNELS.

3. Channels of demands. All demands for Ordnance Stores (including those for vehicles and War Office Controlled Stores) from units in Rome Area, except as detailed in paras. 8, 10, 14 and 15 below, will be submitted through this office.

4. Period of Demand. Indents will be submitted on ATG.994, ATG.997 or ATG.1058 in TRIPLETS and must be signed by an Officer. As these Air War Office's vary considerably in form, a detail of the information required to be shown is listed below. Lack of relevant information will necessitate the return of the indents in question and consequent delay in supply of stores.

Information required to be shown on ALL indents:-

- (a) The correct and full designation of the unit demanding.  
(b) A unit indent number and date of signature (to facilitate reference)  
(c) The VAOS Section in which the item(s) demanded is listed. A list of VAOS Sections is shown as Appendix 'A'.  
(d) Part or catalogue number of item(s) demanded (if known)  
(e) The unit entitlement to each item showing, where applicable, the scale employed (e.g. 2 per man, 5 ows per man per week, 1 per vehicle or 6 per battery etc.)  
(f) The authority from which the unit entitlement is derived (e.g. the appropriate Clothing Scale, the ATG.1098 number and date or Special Equipment List or War Office letter, the reference of the appropriate ATG or lower Command GRO or Letter or such other recognisable written authority as may be relevant).  
(g) Present serviceable unit holdings of each item demanded including

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Sig<sup>n</sup>s : O&D (Br) Rome Area

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STORES - SUPPLY THROUGH CHANNELS.

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- (g) Present serviceable unit holdings of each item demanded, including any quantities held in Units Stores.
- (h) Unit Strength (in terms of personnel, vehicles, weapons etc., as 1193 applicable).
- (i) Make and type of vehicle or equipment (for MT spares and assemblies and all Technical spares).
- (j) A proper explanation of the circumstances under which the requirement is considered justified in ALL cases where the demand cannot be supported by a known authority.

Care should be taken to observe the following additional points:-

- (k) Only items in any one VAOS Section may be demanded on any one Indent. Failure to observe this rule means that items incorrectly demanded must be extracted in this office with consequent delay both to the individual indent and to the general flow of work.

- (1) The certificate at the top left of ATG.994 and the bottom left of ATG.997 must be completed.
- (m) Neither the completion of this certificate nor the use of such endorsements as "To replace unserviceable", "To complete to scale" etc. constitute in themselves authority for issue and will NOT be accepted as such.

(n) Thoughtless use of the space headed "To be sent to" (ATG.994) and "Address for Stores" (ATG.997) can lead to considerable delay in receipt of stores. The inserting of the sentence "Unit will collect" will result in stores being held indefinitely in Base Ordnance Depots awaiting collection. The "Address for stores" is c/o O.O., R.A.L.C. (write in full).

(o) Units for whom no specific ATG.1098 has been notified or who are controlled Ordnance Stores up to the Scales shown in ATG.1098/1000 on the basis of the strength authorised in their unit W.I. or the posted strength, whichever is the lesser.

(p) Indents for IT Stores in respect of which the Catalogue or makers Part Numbers are not known must show either the contract number of the vehicle or in case of American makes the Supply Mech. number to allow for identification.

(q) Not more than ten items should be demanded on any one indent.

5. Frequency of Submission. Indents for Bulk Items (i.e. those detailed at Appendix 'B') will be submitted monthly between the 10th and 15th of each month. Collection of these indents will be arranged in the last week of the month, on appropriate days as outlined in para 7. Indents for all other stores (including IT Spares) may be submitted as and when necessary. In all cases indents must be lodged as to allow 7 clear days before date of collection (except that in the case of indents passed to DOD for supply, a delay of 21 days should be expected.).

6. Supply. Stores detailed in Appendix 'B' are classified as "Bulk Items" and are normally held in Ord. Dump. Indents for these items will be met from that source. All other indents except as specified in paras. 8 to 16 inclusive below, are passed direct to 3 D.O.D. for supply and railled forward by them to Ord. Dump, Rome for distribution. Notification of receipt of such stores by Ord. Dump is made direct to unit who should collect from Tuscolana Station on their appropriate collection day (see para 7 below). Authority for units to collect stores direct from Base Ordnance Depots will NOT be granted.

7. Days for collection. In order to facilitate working at ORD. Dump, units are required to effect collection of stores on specified days of the week according to their Arm of Service. Days are allotted as below and stores will not normally be issued to units except on these days:-

Mondays - R.A., R.A.L.C., ORD., and R.E.

Tuesdays - R.E. and Postal.

Wednesdays - R.C., T.S., and H.Q. units

Thursdays - R.A.S.C. and Provost

Fridays - R.A.M.C. and all units of other arms.  
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5. Frequency of Submission. Indents for Bulk Items (i.e. those detailed at Appendix 'E') will be submitted monthly between the 10th and 15th of each month. Collection of these indents will be arranged in the last week of the month, on appropriate days as outlined in para 7. Indents for all other stores (including IT Spares) may be submitted in para 7. Indents for all cases (indents must be lodged as to allow 7 clear days before necessary supply, a delay of 21 days should be expected.).

6. Supply. Stores detailed in Appendix 'E' are classified as 'BULK' and are normally held in Ord. Dump. Indents for these items will be met from that source. All other indents except as specified in para 8 to 16 inclusive below, are passed direct to J D.O.D. for supply and railled forward by them to Ord. Dump, Rome for distribution. Notification of receipt of such stores by Ord. Dump is made direct to unit who should collect from Tuscolana Station or their appropriate collection day (see para 7 below). Authority for units to collect stores direct from Base Ordnance Depots will NOT be granted.

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| Mondays -    | R.A., R.A.C., ORD., and R.E.          |
| Tuesdays -   | R.D. and Postal.                      |
| Wednesdays - | F.C., F.S., and M.C. units            |
| Thursdays -  | R.A.S.C. and Provost                  |
| Fridays -    | R.A.M.C. and all units of other arms. |

8. IT Spares - demands from PASC and RTE Workshop Units

PASC and RTE Workshop Units only will demand IT spares (except below) direct on J D.O.D. and collect under their own arrangements, see para 10 on other Sub Depots which may carry stores common to IT/Miscellaneous Sections. Demands from all other Units will be routed through this office.

9. Tyres and Tubes. All demands will be submitted through this office, this office by 1200 hrs. each Tridat. PASC unit forecasts to reach through DADST, Rome Area.

The following sizes of tyres and tubes are at present subject to control by D.O.S., G.H.Q.:-

525 x 19	1050} x 16	825 x 15
600 x 16	1100} x 24	1100 x 24
700 x 16	1050} x 20	1200 x 20
900 x 16	1100} x 20	
900 x 20	1350} x 20	
	1400} x 20	

Applications for release based on consolidation of unit indents and workshop forecasts are submitted to D.O.S. weekly by this office through ADOS 3 District. Tyres and tubes are released and despatched in bulk to Ord. Dump, Rome Area, which notifies units to collect. A minimum delay of two weeks must be expected between date of submission of indent and ultimate notification of availability in Ord. Dump.

10. Engine Assemblies. PASCO transport Units will demand their requirements of Engine Assemblies through S.& T., Rome Area, R.E.M.E. Units will demand weekly showing requirements as at 1800 hrs. each Thursday and send the demand to this office not later than 1100 hrs. each Friday.
11. DOS Reserved Stores. Certain stores other than those controlled by the Staff are in short supply and are controlled by DOS, GHQ and are known as "DOS Reserved Stores". A List of those items at present controlled is attached at Appendix 'C'. This list necessarily varies from time to time.
12. War Office Controlled Stores. The items listed on Census Form 45 are subject to Staff control. Indents for deficiencies will be submitted in the normal manner and application for release will be made by this office. Notification of release and place of collection or method of delivery will be made direct to the unit. It is essential that the following information is provided in respect of all these demands:-
  - (a) Number and date of ATG. 1098 under which entitled
  - (b) Full entitlement of items demanded - by types (and makes where specified).
  - (c) Actual holdings and deficiencies of serviceable stores against entitlement (including any items held "in lieu" of the authorised equipment).
  - (d) Quantity now demanded.
  - (e) Reason for demand.

Requirements of Enginee<sup>r</sup>s Lassemblies through S.C.T., Rome Area. R.E.M.E.  
Units will demand Form 3 showing requirements as at 1800 hrs. each Thursday  
and send the demand to this office not later than 1100 hrs. each Friday.

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known as "DOS Reserved Stores". A list of those items at present controlled  
is attached at Appendix 'C'. This list necessarily varies from time to time.

Indent for these items may be submitted at any time. Application  
for release is made as and when necessary only in the case of Part I items  
and monthly in the case of Part II items except in cases of operational  
urgency, and consequently supply of stores will normally be subject to an  
average delay of 3/4 weeks.

12. Tar Office Controlled Stores. The items listed on Census Form 45  
are subject to Staff control. Indents for deficiencies will be submitted  
in the normal manner and application for release will be made by this  
office. Notification of release and place of collection or method of delivery  
will be made direct to the unit. It is essential that the following  
information is provided in respect of all these demands:-

- (a) Number and date of ATG.1098 under which entitled
- (b) Full entitlement of items demanded - by types (and makes  
where specified).
- (c) Actual holdings and deficiencies of serviceable stores  
against entitlement (including any items held "in lieu"  
of the authorised equipment).
- (d) Quantity now demanded.
- (e) Reason for demand.

ATG.1043 (ELR Certificate) is required to support all applications  
for replacement of unserviceable watches, binoculars and instruments.

13. Vehicles. Vehicles may be demanded in the same manner as Tar Office  
Controlled Stores. The information to be shown is:-

- (a) Number and date of ATG or special authority under which entitled.
- (b) Entitlement by types of vehicles.
- (c) Holdings and deficiencies.
- (d) Now required.
- (e) Reason for demand.

Application for replacement vehicles will be supported by ATG.1043  
in respect of the condemned vehicles.

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14. Controlled Signal Stores. Demands for controlled signal stores as listed at Appendix 'D' attached will be placed by units direct on CSD 3 District.

15. Searchlight and AA Fire Control Instruments. Demands should be submitted as for DCS Reserved Stores and they will be forwarded through Ord. channels to Q(AZ) A.T.I.Q.

16. Radar Equipment. Demands for these items will be submitted through RA channels to AA & CD ATIQ.

17. Spares for Teleprinters TB, Teletypes E 97 and Cipher Machines Type 'X'. Demands will be submitted through Signal and Cipher channels respectively in accordance with Service instructions and not through this office.

18. Surgical Boots and Light Shoes. The conditions of issue are outlined in War Clothing Regs 1943, para 14 and 15. Indents for surgical boots must be supported by a recommendation from an Orthopaedic or Surgical Specialist. Indents for Boots Ankle No. 4 or Shoes require to be accompanied by a certificate from the Unit Medical Officer and must be countersigned by an OC. NOT below field rank (vide ACT 2124 of 1941 as amended by ACT 4307 of 1942).

#### CANCELLATION OF INDENTS.

19. Indents for "Bulk Items" passed to Ord. Direct for supply are automatically cancelled after issue of all availabilities and no "to follow" are maintained. BULK ITMS declared "NOT AVAILABLE" on such indents should, if still required, be redemanded on the next monthly bulk demand and the indent suitably endorsed "Redemand of Unit Indent No..... dated..... item previously declared not available".

"To follow's" are maintained for a period of two months in respect of all indents passed to 3 D.O.D. for supply, except where issue vouchers are specifically endorsed to the contrary. All such indents outstanding for more than two months from date of indent must be considered as having been automatically cancelled and fresh indents should be submitted.

20. Issues of Oxygen and Acet.lene. Indents for Oxygen and Acet.lene will be submitted through this office except where a bulk allocation has been made to the unit. Units having an allocation may draw direct without indent within their allocation and not exceeding 25% in any one week. Requirements in excess of allocation require countersignature from this office. Units wishing to obtain a monthly allocation should apply to Ord. office. Units local Head of Service (where applicable). Unclaimed portions of monthly allocations cannot be carried forward to succeeding months. Gases will be supplied on a cylinder for cylinder basis from Ordnance DWD, Rane.

21. Issues of Tentage. Tentage is in short supply and at the moment all issues are controlled by Q. Staff. Demands can only be met for tentage required for immediate essential use. Demands to complete to ANG. 1098 or other scale where not required for immediate use cannot be considered. Careful conservation of tentage in use will assist in alleviating the difficult supply position.

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- "To follow's" are maintained for a period of two months in respect of all indents passed to 3 D.C.O.D. for supply, except where issue vouchers are specifically endorsed to the contrary. All such indents outstanding for more than two months from date of indent must be considered as having been automatically cancelled and fresh indents should be submitted.
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21. Issues of Tentage. Tentage is in short supply and at the moment all issues are controlled by Q. Staff. Demands can only be met for tentage required for immediate essential use. Demands to complete to AUG. 1098 or other scale where not required for immediate use cannot be considered. Careful conservation of tentage in use will assist in alleviating the difficult supply position.
- SCALES.
22. Clothing. The current scale of winter clothing for all British and British maintained Allied Troops in this theatre is laid down in ATQ GHO 760/44.
- Italian cooperators will be clothed in accordance with the Scales authorised in para 53 of "Administration of Italian P.I. Cooperators in British Lands" issued by ATQ on 15 Nov. 44.
23. Accommodation Stores. Attention is directed to No. 3 District Routine Order Serial No. 31/576 dated 20 December 1944, Proformas as at Appendix 'D' to the above GHO will be distributed by this office.
24. Blankets. The summer scale of blankets for this area is 2 per man,

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25. Cleaning Materials. Authorised scales are laid down in GRO 423/44 as amended by GRO 702/44.

26. Soap.

- (a) There no laundry facilities are provided troops are entitled to a free issue of soap at a scale of 5 ozs per man per fortnight in winter and 7 ozs per man per fortnight in summer (vide GRO 538/44). This free issue may be extended to Officers where no W.D. laundry or laundry contract facilities exist and when Soap Yellow or equivalent is not obtainable from LFFU. Attention is, however, directed to para 31 below, which details laundry facilities available in this Area.

- (b) A free issue of 3 ozs per man per month is authorised for personnel detailed in Appendix to ACT 1566/42, with the addition of engine drivers. Individuals concerned are:-

Blacksmiths and Farnermen, Coppermiths and Welders,  
Constructional work personnel, Fitters and Turners,  
Motor mechanics, Drivers IC., Driver Mechanics  
Sanitary Orderlies, Engine Drivers (GRO 53/44) and Goods  
(GRO 188/43).

- (c) A special issue of 12 ozs per month per ambulance is authorised for units holding ambulance cars (GRO 465/43).

Soap for cleaning billets etc. will be drawn to scale in GRC 423/44.  
(see para 25 above).

RETURNED STORES.

27. Repairable and unserviceable Ordnance Stores and any serviceable stores surplus to requirements should be returned together with ACT 1C33 duly completed to the R.S.D. Section of Ordnance Dump. Clothing items so returned should be tied in bundles of ten articles.

RETURNS.

28. The following periods returns are required to be made by units in this area in connection with holdings of Ordnance Stores:-

- (a) Monthly vehicle state as laid down in GRO 395/46
- (b) Quarterly census of Warlike Stores - Form 45
- (c) Monthly Accommodation Stores Return (in accordance with GRO 376/44)
- (d) Fortnightly bulk type forecast (PASSE and RUE units only) as para 9 above.
- (e) Part X Orders as necessary - see GRO 395/46.

(b) A free issue of 5 ozs per man per month is authorised for personnel detailed in Appendix to ACI 1566/42, with the addition of engine drivers. Individuals concerned are:-

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Constructional work personnel, Fitters and Turners,  
Motor mechanics, Drivers IC., Driver Mechanics  
Sanitary Orderlies, Engine Drivers (GRO 53/44) and Cooks  
(GRO 488/43).

(c) A special issue of 12 ozs per month per ambulance is authorised for units holding ambulance cars (GRO 465/43).

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- (d) Fortnightly bulk tyre forecast (RASS® and RITE units only) as para 9 above.
- (e) Part X Orders as necessary - see GRO 395/46.
- (f) Weekly Engine Assembly requirements - as para 10 above.

OTHER SERVICES.

29. Hospitals and medical units arriving in area and requiring laundry facilities for hospital laundry will apply to Ordnance Laundry Officer, R.A.A.C.

Troops washing.

- (a) A centralised contract for units under Command is in existence between this office and The Bon Pastore Laundry who operate a steam Laundry located at Via delle Lungara 19, Roma
- (b) This laundry provides washing and pressing where required of clothing delivered to the Contractor under authority of this office in accordance with the terms of GRO 477/43 (as amended by GRO 572/43 and 338/44).

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(c) O'sC Units should apply to this office for copies of the contract and a price list showing the items authorised to be washed at the public expense. Applications must state the number of ORs whose laundry is to be washed under the contract.

(d) Laundry will be sent ~~via~~ in individual bundles. Responsibility for delivery, collection and checking rests with the unit.

(e) Payment will be made direct to the Contractor by unit from Imprest Account. Where possible this should be done at time of collection but there is no objection to the making of any arrangement for weekly payment which may be acceptable to the Contractor.

(f) Laundry will be checked in at the laundry by the civilian employees who will make out a numbered check list showing the date for collection and give one copy to the unit representative.

(g) Collection will be effected on the due date by presentation of the unit copy of this check list.

(h) Bills will be presented at time of collection. Two copies will be kept by the unit. One will be retained to support unit Imprest Account and the other forwarded to this office, endorsed to show that payment has been done and certified as correct. Unit imprest copy should be endorsed "Q.O. Contractor".

31. Boot Repair. Units holding a Boot Repairer on their W.E. or who have an O.R. employed under GRO 236/43 will submit indents for their griddery requirements to this office.

Units not having Boot Repairer will send all boots requiring repair to Ord. Dump, Ramo Area. Each pair of boots will be securely tied and clearly labelled in ink with the donor's name and unit.

GENERAL

32. First Aid LT Outfits. Unit requiring scaling in accordance with the terms of GRO 100/44 amended by 477 and 1047/44 should make application through this office.

33. Vehicles - Allotment of WD numbers. All WD vehicles, nominal WD types, requisitioned or captured vehicles, must bear a WD number. Numbers will be obtained from this office, to whom application should be made with a full details of the circumstances under which held. Numbers for captured enemy vehicles will bear the prefix "CAP" which must always be used. Numbers already allotted and painted on such vehicles will have prefix "CAP" added.

34. Local Purchases. Application for the local purchase of Ordnance Stores must be made to this office for onward routing to A.D.O.S. 3 District. No purchases will be made unless this authority is obtained. As a general rule purchase will be undertaken by Q.O. and not by the unit. It is emphasised that purchase will only be undertaken or authorised to meet deficiencies on normal scales of entitlement where stores are not available from Depot stocks, purchases

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35. Arrivals and Departures. Units are requested to notify arrival and departure to this office as early as possible. Stores due in from 3 D.O.D. will be redirected but indents for stores enumerated in Appendix 'B' will be cancelled.

*[Signature]*  
Capt.  
O.O.

Appendix 'A' to ADOS Circular  
No. 12 Dated 1st May 1945.

LIST OF VARIOUS SECTIONS.

<u>Section and</u>	<u>Stores</u>
<u>Sub Section</u>	<u>Accoutrements and Musical Instruments.</u>
A (1)	- Anti-Gas Stores
	- Small arms and their Components.
B (1)	- Small Arms Accessories, Tools and Packages.
	- Machine Guns, Mountings and Appurtenances for Ground service use.
C (1)	- Machine guns and their appurtenances for use in armoured Fighting Vehicles.
	- Bicycles.
D (1)	- Harness, Saddlery and Pack-saddlery.
	- Horse-Shoes and Nails.
E (1)	- Carts and Wagons
	- Bridging Equipment.
F (1)	- Lifting and Transporting Apparatus and Targets.
	- Tools and Workshop Equipment.
G (1)	- Tinsmith.
	- Metals
H (1)	- Oils, Paints, Chemicals and their Containers.
	- Cordage and Textile Materials.
I (1)	- JUNG Equipment
	- Portable Cookers and Cooking Equipment.
J (1)	- Cinematograph Apparatus and Stores
	- Photographic Apparatus and Stores.
K (1)	- Furniture and Woodware
	- Bedsteads and their Components
L (1)	- Games, Equitation, Gymnastics and Tertile Articles.
	- Crocker, and Glassware
M (1)	- Brooms, Brushes, Lamps, Coal-boxes, Garden Implements etc.
N (1)	- Domestic Tools etc.

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- (3) - Armoured Fighting Vehicles.
- Bicycles.
- D (1) - Harness, Saddlery and Pack saddles.
- (2) - Horse-Shoes and Nails.
- (3) - Carts and Wagons.
- Bridging Equipment.
- Lifting and Transporting Apparatus and Targets.
- E (1) - Tools and Workshop Equipment.
- (2) - Tinsmithery.
- (3) - Metals.
- (4) - Oils, Paints, Chemicals and their containers.
- F (1) - Cordage and Textile Materials.
- (2) - Camp Equipment.
- (3) - Portable Cookers and Cooking Equipment.
- (4) - Cinematographic Apparatus and Stores.
- G (1) - Photographic Apparatus and Stores.
- (2) - Furniture and Woodware.
- H (1) - Bedsteads and their components.
- (2) - Games, Equitation, Gymnastics and textile articles.
- I (1) - Crockery and Glassware.
- (2) - Brooms, Brushes, Lamps, Coal-boxes, Garden Implements etc.
- J (1) - Enamelled and Metal Household Utensils.
- K (1) - Fire Engines, Trailer Fire Pumps, Extinguishers and Fire Fighting Appliances. **1190**
- L (1) - Barrows and Trucks.

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Sub SectionStores

L.V. 1 - Cruiser, Infantry and Medium Tanks and Markers Parts.

L.V. 2. - Light Tanks and carriers and Markers' Parts.

L.V. 3. - Engines and Commercial Assemblies used in AFVs, and Markers' Parts.

L.V. 4. - Armament Mountings and their Appendages for Mechanical Vehicles.

L.V. 5. - Armoured Cars and Scout Cars and Markers' Parts

L.V. 6. - Miscellaneous Stores and Proprietary Equipment  
Parts for AFVs and B Vehicles.Sub-Division:-

IT1 - General IT Stores;  
 Adaptors, Boltine, Bins, Blocks, Cables, Speedometers, Cans, Clips, Extinguishers, Fire, Hoses, Keys, Woodruff, Jointing, Jacks Lifting, Lubricator Oil and Grease, - ns Paper and Split, Plugs, Pumps, Tool and Mechanical, Pressure Gauges, Shock Absorbers, Speedometers, Saddles, Taps, Tins, Unions, Washers, Vehicle Fixments for Mountings etc.

IT2 - Tools, Tool Chests, and list of Contents etc.

IT3 - Tapes, Tape Holders, Lamp Glasses, Bulbs, Horns, Mirrors, Timers etc.

IT4 - Cables Electric, Zincines, Switches, Starters, Chronometers, Plugs Soldering, Batteries etc.

IT5 - Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Rivets etc.

IT6 - Rubber Hose, Fire Repair Materials, Vulcanizing Materials, Amber Sheets, Strips etc.

IT7 - Bearings, Ball and Roller.

IT8 - Magnets, Distributors, Ignition Coils, Mergatron, Sparking Equipment etc.

IT9 - Unlabelled.

IT10 - Metals and Metal Tubing.

IT11 - Chains Driving, Non-skid and Overall.

L.V. 6. - Miscellaneous Stores and Proprietary Equipment  
Parts for AFVs and BT Vehicles.

Sub-Division:-

- MT1 - General IT Stores;  
Adaptors, Bolts, Pins, Blocks, cables, Speedometers, Cens, Clips, Extinguishers, Fire, Tunnels, Keys, Woofers, Joining, Jacks, Lighting, Lubricator Oil and Grease, - as paper and split, Plugs, Rumps, Foot and Mechanical, Pressure Gauges, Shock Absorbers, Speedometers, Saddles, Taps, Tins, Unions, Washers, Vehicle Fittings for Mountings etc.
- MT2 - Tools, Tool Chests, and List of Contents etc.
- MT3 - Lamps, Lamp Holders, Lamp Glasses, Bulbs, Horns, Mirrors, Windscreen Wipers etc.
- MT4 - Cables, Leadings, Dymos, Switches, Starters, Thermometers, Fluxes, Screening, Batteries etc.
- MT5 - Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Rivets etc.
- MT6 - Rubber Hose, Tyre Repair Materials, Vulcanizing Materials, Webber Sheets, Strips etc.
- MT7 - Bearings, Ball and Roller.
- MT8 - Magnos, Distributors, Ignition Coils, Magneto, Screening Equipment etc.
- MT9 - Unlabelled.
- MT10 - Metals and Metal Tubing.
- MT11 - Chains Driving, Non-Skid and Overall.
- MT12 - Carburettors, Petrol Filters, Air Cleaners, Autovacs, Fuel Injection Equipment etc.
- MT13 - Coach Materials, covers Motor roof, Helters, Riving attachments and Body Fittings etc.
- MT14 - Tyre Covers, Tubes and Valves, Wheels, Wheel Nuts and Studs, Wheel Flangers, Rims etc.

Section and  
Sub Section

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Stores

1715 - Special Miscellaneous Stores and Proprietary Equipment Parts for AFVs only.

- 1716 - Packing Cases.  
1717 - Instructional Stores.

1718 - "D" Vehicles - British and North American.

M.1. - Miscellaneous Weapons -

Bombs Throwers 2-in.  
Flames Throwers, Wheeled.  
Mortars Spigot 29-mm.  
Ordnance, M.L. 2-in mortar.  
" " 3-in "  
" S.B. 3-in gun.  
" " 4.2-in mortar  
Projector 2½-in  
" Chemical

M.2. - Artillery Equipment -

Ordnance QF 4.5-in A. gun.  
" 3.7-in A. gun  
" 3-20cwt A. gun  
" 2-pr Mk.VIII A. gun  
" 40-mm A. gun  
Guns Sub-Calibre QF 2-pr.  
Projectors Rocket 3-in

M.3. - Stores common to artillery equipments in two or more sections.

M.4. - Inspecting Officers' Stores

No.1. - Artillery Equipment -

Ordnance P 4.5-in How.  
" 2-pr gun  
" 16 pr gun  
" 17 pr gun  
" 13 pr gun

No.2. - Artillery Equipment -  
Ordnance P 3.7-in Howe.

No.3. - Artillery Equipment -  
Ordnance QF 3-in How.  
" 6-pr 6-cwt gun  
" Hotchkiss 6-pr 6-cwt.  
" 3-pr 2-cwt.  
" 6-pr 7-cwt.  
" "

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**Ordnance, M.L. 2-in mortar.**

- " " 3-in "
- " S.B. 3-in gun
- " " 4-in mortar

**Projector 2½-in.**

- " Chemical

**No. 2.**

- Artillery Equipment -
- Ordnance QF 4.5-in AA gun,
- " " 3.7-in AA gun
- " " 5-20cm L gun
- " " 2-pdr M.L. VIII AA gun
- " " 40-mm AA gun

Guns Sub-Calibre QF 2-pdr.

Projectors Projector 3-in

**No. 3.**

- Stores Section to Artillery Equipment
- more sections.

**No. 4.**

- Inspecting Officers' Stores
- Ordnance 4.5-in Mort.

" " 2-pdr gun,	" 10-pdr gun
" " 17-pdr gun	" 13-pdr gun

**No. 5.**

- Artillery Equipment -
- Ordnance QF 3.7-in How.

**No. 6.**

- Artillery Equipment -
- Ordnance QF 5-in How.

" " 6-inch gun	" Hotchkiss Gun 6-inch.
" " 5-pdr 2-inch	" 6-pdr 7-inch.
" " 2-pdr	

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- Artillery Equipment -
- Ordnance BL 6-in 26-cwt How.

" " 60-pdr gun	" 5-in gun
" " 4.5-in gun	" 7.2-in How.

**P. 7.**

- Artillery Equipment -
- Ordnance BL 9.2-in How.

" " 6-in How Mk XII.	" 7.2-in How Mk.
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<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
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- P.2. - Artillery Equipment -  
 Ordnance BL 15-in gun  
 " " 9.2-in gun  
 " " 6-in gun  
 " QF 6-in gun  
 " " 4.7-in gun  
 " " 12-or 12-cwt gun  
 " " 6-or 10-cwt gun

LIST OF VARIOUS STATIONS.

<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
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- G. - Materials -  
 Woollen, Cotton, Linen, Silk etc.  
 Printings  
 Metal Ribbon  
 Sewing  
 Buttons, Hooks and Eyes etc.
- GB & CS - Articles, badges, chevrons, titles.
- CD & CT - Necessaries and cognate articles
- CT & GR - Boots, shoes etc.,  
 tailors' and Shoemakers' tools and materials.
- CT & CO - Caps, Coats, Greatcoats, Hospital Clothing.
- CG - Bonnets, Caps, Hats, Helmets etc.
- CH - Battle Dress, Service Dress and Parachutists Clothing.
- CJ - Tropical Clothing, Waterproof clothing  
 Miscellaneous (Magazine Clothing Overalls etc.).
- JJ - Anti Gas Clothing.
- JK - AS and Nursing Services - Clothing and necessaries.
- CL - Officers' Clothing and necessaries.
- CI - old Climate Clothing.
- 2.2 - Artillerist's Equipment -  
 Ordnance QF 10-inch 6-pr gun  
 " " 10-inch 6-pr gun  
 Tans, sub calibre QF 6-pr  
 " "

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Section and Sub Section	Stores
G.	- Materials - Woolen, Cotton, Linen, Silk etc. Trimmings Medal Ribbon Sewing S. Buttons, Hooks and Eyes etc.
GB & GS	- Armlets, badges, chevrons, titles.
GC & GT	- Necessaries and cognate articles
GD & GT	- Boots, shoes etc. Seafarers' end Shoemakers' tools and materials.
GE & GR	- Caps, Coats, Greatcoats, Hospital Clothing.
GP & GQ	- Bonnets, Hats, Helmets etc.
GG	- Battle Dress, Service Dress and Parachutists Clothing.
GH	- Tropical Clothing, Waterpoof clothing Miscellaneous (Magazine Clothing Overalls etc.)
GI	- Anti Gas Clothing.
JK	- Laundry and Tanning Services - Clothing and Necessaries.
OJ	- Officers' Clothing and Necessaries.
AI	- Old Lime Clothing.
2.2	- Artiller. Equipment - Ordnance Q.M. Tools " " Miscellaneous 6-in Gun Guns, Sub Calibres 6-in " " " " 3-in " " " " 2-in Low Angle
Q to U	- Ammunition and Explosives.
V.1.	" Fire control Instruments and Associated Stores for Coast Artiller.
V.2	- Surveying and Drawing Instruments and Watches.
V.3.	- Flash Spotting, Sound Ranging and P.A. Survey Stores.
V.4.	- Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores for anti-aircraft.

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<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
V.1.	- Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores other than Coast Artillery and Anti-aircraft.
V.6	- Stores Common to two more sections in V series.
W.1.	- Field Works, Mining and Water Supply Stores.
W.2.	- Electric Cables and Wires, Primary Cells and Miscellaneous Electrical Stores.
W.3 part 1-	Provisional List of Machine Tools and Plant
Part 2-	Provisional List of Accessories common to Machine Tools and Plant.
W.4	- R.D.R, Wireless and Line Test Equipment.
W.5.	- Instruments for Testing Optical and Fire Control Instruments.
W.6.	- Searchlights, Sound Locators and Associated Stores.
W.7.	- Generating Sets and General Electric Lighting Stores.
W.8.	- Signal Stores - Line and Visual.
Z.1.	- Wireless Sets and Associated Stores.
Z.2.	- Signal Stores - Portable Secondary Batteries, Charging Sets, Power Units, Engines, Generators, Testing Apparatus, Measuring Sets, etc.

785020Part 2-  
Provisional List of Machine Tools and -Plant  
Tools and Plant.

- W.4 - R.D.R, Wireless and Line Test Equipment.
- W.5 - Instruments for Testing Optical and Fire Control Instruments.
- Z.1 - Searchlights, Sound Locators and Associated Stores.
- Z.2 - Generating Sets and General Electric Lighting Stores.
- Z.3 - Signal Stores - Line and Visual.
- Z.4 - Wireless Sets and Associated Stores.
- Z.5 - Signal Stores - Portable Secondary Batteries, Charging Sets, Tower Units, Engines, Generators, Testing Apparatus, Measuring Sets, etc.

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BULK ITEMS

Clothing and Necessaries

Blankets, Comforters, Sleeping Bags, Palliasses

Hospital Equipment or Ordnance Supply.

Accountants

Anti-Gas Appliances

Emery Cloth, Sand Paper, Nails, Glue

Leather, Grindery

Cordage

Accommodation Stores

Cooking Equipment

Lamps Electric, Bulbs, Batteries

Paint Oils, Brake Fluid, Electrolyte

Soap Soda.

Tentage

Fire extinguishers (Refills).

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ARTILLERY EQUIPMENTS AND TRAILERS.

Sheet - 1.

240 mm	5•7 in. A.
8 in	3 in 20 cwt.
7•2 in	40 mm Bofors towed
15 mm	3•7 inch. How.
5•5 in	3•7 in. Pack How.
4•5 in	75 mm Pack How
25 mm	Trailers Artillery No. 25
27 DR	" " No. 27
6 PR	9•5 mm How Mk II (Inf.)
2 prs	

MACHINE GUNS AND SMALL ARMS.

Pistols Revolver 38	M.G. 7•92 Bessa
" Signal 1 in.	M.G. 15 mm Bessa
" " 45	M.G. Vickers •303
Rifles No. 1.	M.G. Browning •30
" No. 4.	M.G. Browning •50
" No. 3.	20 mm Oerlikon
" "	2 in Mortar
" Telescopic	3 in Mortar
Gardines Sten	4•2 in Mortar
" Thompson	Fiat
Sab M.G. 1.3	Discharger Grenade Rifle
TMG Bren	Pistols Revolver •45
Rifles No. 5. (Lightened)	Pistols bolt auto •45

OTHER CONTROLLED STORES.

Sights Dial 7 and 72	Quadrants Gunner
" " No. 9	Circles aiming
" " M.C.	Mine Detectors Polish No. 3.
Compass Prismatic	Mine Detectors No. 4.
Watches G.S. (or IP)	Mine Detectors No. 5.
" Wristlet	Mine Detectors American
" Non magnetic	Lighting & Generating Sets 1 K.W.
Clinometers Vickers	" " "
Directors Artiller. No. 7.	Flare Thrower Equipment
" " " No. 9.	Tatty "E" Equipment.
Binoculars No. 2.	Tatty "K" Receivers
" No. 5.	Tatty Beacons
Rangefinders No. 2.	Tatty Reflectors
" No. 12.	/
" No. 13.	

MACHINE GUNS AND SMALL ARMS

Pistols Revolver	33	M. G. 7.92 Bessa
" Signal 1 in.	"	M. G. 15 mm Bessa
" " 4.5	"	E. C. Vickers .303
Rifles No. 1.	"	M. G. Browning .30
" No. 4.	"	M. G. Browning .50
" No. 5.	"	20 mm Oerlikon
" "	"	2 in Mortar
" Telescopic	"	3 in Mortar
Carbines Sten	"	4.2 in Mortar
" Thompson	"	Pistol
Sus M. G. M. 3	"	Discharger Grenade Razzo
IMG Zron	"	Pistols Revolver .45
Rifles No. 5. (lightened)	"	Pistols Colt Auto .45

CENTER SURVEYED STORES.

Sights Dial 7 and 7A	Quadrants Gunner
" " No. 9	circles aiming
" " K. G.	Mine Detectors Polish No. 3.
Compass Friemtic	Mine Detectors No. 4.
Watches G.S. (or TP)	Mine Detectors No. 5.
" Wristlet	Mine Detectors American
" Non magnetic	Fighting & Generating Sets 1 K.W.
Clinometers Vickers	" " " " 4 "
Directors Artiller	Generating Sets 2.75 K.V.A.
" " " " No. 7.	Flame Thrower Equipment
Binoculars No. 2.	Tabby "E" Equipment.
" " " " No. 5.	Tabby "K" Receivers
Rangefinders No. 2.	Tabb. Beacons
" " " " No. 12.	Tabb. Reflectors
" " " " No. 13.	

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ARTILLERY

Binoculars Testing Bore  
 Bodics, Barrels, Tubes and Liners  
 Carriers Dial Sight  
 Machines Fuse Setting  
 Muzzle Brakes 25 pr.  
 Ordnance QT and NL  
 Platform Firing No. 9.  
 Artillers - Artillery (other than those listed at  
 Appendix "C" Sheet 2.)

VENTS AXIAL

Sleeves, Bolts Vents axial  
 Crossbar Obturators, 4-5" and 5-5" Equipts.  
 Equilibrators 155 mm, 8 in and 240 mm  
 Recoil Mechanisms, 105 mm, 155 mm 8 in,  
 and 24 mm equipts.

MORTARS

Barrels Mortar  
 Baseplates 3 in. Mortar  
 Baseplates 4-2" Mortar  
 Sights Mortar

SMALL ARMS ASSORTED STORES

Barrels Vickers .303  
 Dischargers Smoke Generator  
 Lens - Line 1/3  
 Mountings Vickers  
 Mountings 2 pound Broding .30.  
 Mortars M.C.  
 Rifles Boys 1/12.

U.S. SMALL ARMS RIFLING AND SMALL ASSORTED STORES

Comparators S.R.  
 Instruments Flash Setting.  
 Microphones Linear  
 Machines Calculating min.  
 Recorders S.R.

SURVEYING AND DRAWING INSTRUMENTS AND TOOLS

Zero Parallax  
 Levels Telescopic  
 Stereoscopes  
 Tapes Measuring Steel  
 Theodolites  
 Tatches 3tcc.

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Sleeves, Bolts Vents - 261  
 Crosslay Obtrurators, 4.5" and 5.5" Equipts.  
 Equilibrators 155 mm, 8 in and 240 mm " "  
 Recoil Mechanisms, 105 mm, 155 mm 8 in.  
 and 24 mm equipts.

MORTARS

Barrels Mortar  
 Baseplates 3 in. Mortar  
 Baseplates 4, 2" Mortar  
 Sights Mortar

ESSENTIAL ASSOCIATED STORES

Barrels Vickers .303  
 Dischargers Smoke Generator  
 Lens Liner 1/2  
 Counters Trigon Vicksburg  
 Mountings Mount Boiling .30.  
 Vickers M.  
 Fuzes Boys 1/2",

LAST STOCKING SCUD RUMIC 112 R + STORE STORES.

Comparators S. R.  
 Instruments Flash S. otting.  
 Microphones Linear  
 Machines Calculating Min.  
 Recorders S. R.

SURVEYING AND BRITING INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPS.

Dars Parallel  
 Levels Telescopio  
 Stereoscopes  
 Tapes Measuring Steel  
 Theodolites  
 Watchs Stop.

785020Appendix "C" - Sheet 2FIELD WORKS LINING AND WATER SUPPLY. (SECTION W.1.)

Air Compressors  
 Auger's Earth  
 Camouflet Sets  
 Drives Flexible  
 Brodders Mine  
 Machines Line Grooving and Cutting  
 Tuns and Pumping Sets  
 Pneumatic Tools  
 Saws Petrol driven  
 Tools Field Screw cutting

CENTRIFUGAL SETS

1½ K.W. (For S.I.)  
 5 K.V.A. (For A-Ras)  
 22 K.W. (excluding A/SI)  
 24 K.W.

ANTI-SIGHTING.

Koolries  
 Koolries Scabbard

E.G.T. & ASSOCIATED STORES.

Boards Art. No.2.  
 Clinometers Field  
 " " Slight  
 " " Mortar  
 Stereoscopes  
 Parallelscopes  
 Plotters  
 Rules Slide Rule  
 Stands Instrument  
 Telescopes  
 Binoculars Night

ENGINE

ENGINES I, II, &amp; C.I.

All items in Sect. W.3 Part 1.  
 11. complete units in Section W.3.

UNITS AND TUBES OF FOLLOWING SIZES:

325	x 19
500	x 16
700	x 16
925	x 15
900	x 20
1160	x 24
1050	/1100 x 16
1050	/100 x 20

OLIVES FIGHTING.

1½ K.W. (For S.L.)  
5 K.V... (For X-Rays)  
22 K.W. (excluding A.M./SL)  
24 K.W.

Koolries  
Koolries Scabbard

P.C.I. & ASSOCIATED STORES.

Boards Art. No. 2.  
Clinometers Field  
" Sight  
" Mortar  
Periscopes  
Parallelscopes  
Plotters  
Rilles Slice 2.  
Stands Instrument  
Telescopes  
Binoculars Night

LITERATURE

EQUITIES I., II. & C.I.  
ITEMS AND QUANTITY OF following sizes:

325 x 19  
600 x 16  
700 x 16  
825 x 15  
900 x 16  
900 x 20  
1100 x 24  
1050/1100 x 16  
1050 x 100 x 20  
1200/1350 /1400 x 20

All items in Sect. IV.3 Part 1.  
All complete units in Section IV.3.

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785020Appendix C - Sheet 4.SEARCHLIGHT STORES AND FIRE CONTROL INSTRUMENTS.

Carbons Positive  
" Negative  
" Blocks  
Predictors L No. 1.  
Height Computers No. 1.  
H & R Finders No. 3.

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AUXILIARY GENERATORS FOR ALL TYPES OF A.V.V.'S.

Sherman LVI/US.	G104-08-0135 Generator, auxiliary.
	G104-CS-01365
	G104-16-96454
	G104-15-96451
	C104-15-96461
	G104-15-96456
	G103-15-96560 Generator auxiliary.
	TD 18002 Auxiliary Charging Set (Delco)
Stuart LVI/US.	TE 10103
Churchill LVI/VI	TF 23301

TABLE EQUIPMENT.

Batteries 4-5 volts  
Tubos t 20 JV 14+

SEARCHLIGHT EQUIPMENT.

Searchlight projectors	(all types)
" Reflectors	" "
" Lamps	" "
" Projectors Tents	" "
" Generators	Lorries (All types)

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LIST OF CONTROLLED SIGNAL STORES.

SECTION V.2.

Cable Assault 275 (and M130)  
Cable Electric D Class (all types and American equivalents)

Cable 2 Electric IIV 1 pr 12<sup>1</sup>/2

Cable Electric IIV 7 pair

Cable Electric UC Telephones (all types)

Cable Switchboards (all types)

Cable Electric Quad (all types)

Light Armoured Cables (14 pr/40 etc.)

Wire Copper Binding 50 lb.

Wire Electric Cadmium Copper 70 lb.

Wire Electric HDC 100 lb.

Wire Electric IIVC 200 lb.

Wire Electric 1 pair 12<sup>1</sup>/2

Wire Electric G1 200 lb (and heavier gauge)

Wire Electric G1 4/8 and BRL

Multi Airline Comp.  
Permanent Line "

SECTION V.1.  
Apparatus Cable Laying (all types)

Barrows Drum

Cable Layers Mechanical

Frames D & P 10 Wire

Pulle Phones

Ladders Field Telegraph

Ladders M.L

Paper Telegraph Horse (all types)

Paper Teleprinters (all types)

Paper Teletype (all types)

Layers Wheatstone

Paper Undulator

Reelshots and Songs No. 1 and No. 2.

Superposing Units

Switchboards (JB, U, F & P and C. American or all types)

Telephones Sets (all types)

Test Trances (all types)

Test Sets EZ 65

Test Sets I 56

Test Sets - or table

Vibrators Rington.

Multi Air Line Route

Permanent Line Route

SECTION V.2.

Apparatus At Terminal Equipment and Associated Assemblies.

Apparatus To Telegraph - Terminal Equipment and Associated Assemblies

Relays 299 M

Repeaters (J, J/F & circuit and commercial equivalents.)

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Wire Con or Binding 50 lb.  
 Wire Electric Cadmium Copper 70 lb.  
 Wire Electric HDU 100 lb.  
 Wire Electric HDU 200 lb.  
 Wire Electric 1 pair 12<sup>1</sup><sub>2</sub>  
 Wire Electric G1 200 lb (and heavier gauge)  
 Wire Electric G1 4/8 and BHL

SECTION V.1.

Apparatus Cable Taying (all types)

Barrows Drum

Cable Layers Mechanical

Frames D &amp; P 10 Wire

Fulla phones

Ladders Field Telegraph

Padlocks M.L.

Paper Telegraph Morse (all types)

Paper Teleprinters (all types)

Paper Teletype (all types)

Copers Throatstone

Paper Undulator

Ratchets and Wongs No. 1 and No. 2.

Superposing Units

Switchboards (CB, U, F &amp; P and C American or all types)

Telephones Sets ( all types)

Test Frames (all types)

Test Sets TE (6)

Test Sets T 56

Test Sets -ortable

Vibrators Ringing.

Multi Line Route

Permanent Line Route

SECTION V.2.

Apparatus at Terminal Equipment and associated assemblies.

Apparatus in Telegraph - Terminal Equipment and Associated Assemblies

Belts 299 AN

Repeaters (A, VP 3- circuit and commercial equivalents.)

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SECTION II. 2 (Contd.)

Supply Unit Recyclers,  
Switchboards Teleprinter  
Teleprinters and Terminal Units (all types)  
Telltowriters  
Units Signalling VT No. 5.  
Units Filter Block Balance and B.265 (all types)  
VT Spans, Teleprinter Squares, Cipher Squares & High Speed Squares.

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SECTION Z. 1.

Reception Sets (all types)  
Transmitters and Receivers (all types)  
Hancock Wireless  
Wireless Sets (all types including Installation Kits and Packs.)

SECTION 2.2.

Charging Sets (all types)  
Connecting Sets (all types provided for use with Signal Bpt.)  
Power Units " "  
Batts. Secy Port. " "  
Lithometers " "  
Detector Chargers No. 1.  
Cipher Machine Type A (all Mks)  
Convertors A/D (all types)  
Test Sets LC/DU

NOTE As Signal Stores not shown in detail, Code Letters has not been issued.

Appendix E

## ELIMINATE YOUR ACCESSORIES.

batteries à 2-cell. Bijou (NB 3064)  
Burkers (LR 239E)  
Catalytic Igniters  
Charging Pencils  
Screws.

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WILSON'S NATURE, 9.

THE SPACES OF THE EPIGRAPHIES

- Following the closure of MC, 1 (C) on 15 July 57, C. D., a small unit is being set up under control of HQ Group 185 (the anticipated opening date 18 June 45). This Dung Dung will be incorporated into the present ADOS unit under the joint designation of "5 TITAN" Command. The interim period between the closure of MC Sub Depo 04 and the opening of the new Dung Dung has been covered by the issue to Workshops of various stocks of祈願祭品.

- STANDARD MACHINERY will be offered to the contractors, (i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> selected parties) who will be engaged by the U.S. Government exclusively of Schenckers), and the interested parties will be entitled to inspect machinery supplied by Sub Depot 557 B. O. D., and 502 Works Workshops Stores Depot.

The following names and types of country are included:

DEVONIAN

4. Indents, which will occur naturally in duplicate copy of G-637 to client C.R.C. and C/O, "TUNIS QCT" in respect of separate indents will be submitted for each item. Items N.A. will be submitted in D.O. D form and units will be notified and available. Should such notification be demanded by client C.R.C. unit will re-demand. References will NOT be omitted as long as these would still involve extra time.

- There will be NO "over the counter" sales thru Dumb steamer - 33-28 W. 11th, O. D. Such a procedure would offend certain customers in other areas. Units and fares will be notified when structures are available.

2. STANDARD MAINTENANCE only will be entered for in the future, (i.e. 1st to 3rd echelon repairs as covered by Chancery A & B Standard Maintenance Schedules), and the initial holdings of 3 D.O.D. will consist solely of available standard maintenance spares transferred from Sub Depot 557 D.O.D. and 502 Base Workshops Stores Depot.

3. The following makes and types only are being selected:-

3 ton 4x2 GS TELEFORD	HULLY UNIT 4	WIT 4x2	NORL
3 ton 4x4 GS TELEFORD	Our 4x2	"	HUMBLE
3 ton 4x2 GS DODGE	HULLY UNIT 4	4x2	HUMBLE
3 ton 4x4 GS FORD	HULLY UNIT 2	"	HUMBLE
+ 3 ton 4x2 GS TELEFORD	"	"	MORRIS
15 cwt 4x2 GS CHRYSLER	"	"	STANDARD
15 cwt 4x2 GS DODGE	"	"	"
15 cwt 4x2 GS FORD	"	"	"
+ 15 cwt 2 TON	"	"	FORD/THIYS
+ 15 cwt CDT	"	"	"
+ 15 cwt CDT	"	"	BSA
Ambulance 4x2	"	"	MATCHLESS
			ARIEL

+ TOK STANDARD

4. Indents, which will cover actual requirements or, will be forwarded in duplicate on G1072 to Incident Clearing Office e/o, Sub Depot 557 D.O.D. Separate indents will be submitted for each item. "HULLY UNIT" in respect of items N.A. will be maintained by S.D.O.D. for a period of 5 months from date of indent and units will be notified automatically. All other items bco. available. Should such notification not be received within 5 months, units will re-demand. Requests will be limited to 10% of those would only involve waste of time and money.

5. There will be NO "over the counter" sales of S.D.O.D. In the first place the Depot staff would not be able to relate to customer and secondly such a procedure would give local units an advantage over units in other areas. Units and areas will be notified immediately as available for collection.

- Indents submitted covering items, not so far as Standard Maintenance Schedule, will be returned to units on 1st and "TOK STANDARD".
- Schedules will be submitted direct to units concerned.
- 7. Tyres & Tires - Demands for tyres and tires will be submitted direct to O.O. 3 D.O.D. accompanied by PMS confirmation of receipt.
- 8. Engines - Limited number of engines will be made available and

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9. It is the intention to replace Standard Vehicles beyond 3rd Echelon  
by the issue of non standard types. As non standard vehicles,  
other than those indicated above will not be issued for Standard  
Maintenance, it will be in the interests of all units to conserve their  
present holdings of the makes and types now notified by the most rigid  
economy in their use.



Lt-Col  
DOS  
(L. I. LEWIS)

LIL/JC

4 June 1946

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

Q/OS/11/3

Subject:- Oxygen Acetylene.

Ref : OS/100/8  
Tel : Rome 66588  
Date: 6 April 1945.

To :- All units

With effect from 9 April '45 Oxygen and Acetylene will be drawn only from production Plants, and empties returned there and NOT to A.D.O.S. Stores.

*W. L. C. - 100/8*  
Lt. Col. Capt  
A.D.O.S.

COPY TO:- R.A.C. 201 Sub Area  
(With sufficient copies for units in 201 Sub Area).

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ROME AREA ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

A.D.O.S. CIRCULAR No. 12  
Dated 17 Jan. '45

AMENDMENT No. 2

Subject:- ORDNANCES SERVICES - ROME AREA

Ref : OS/950/14  
 Tel : Rome 66587  
 Date: 17 Feb. '45

To :- See distribution

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List of D.O.S. Reserved Stores

1. Amend Appendix "C" Sheet 3 to A.D.O.S. Circular No. 12 dated 17th. Jan. '45  
 as follows:-

Add as under:-

PART 14

AUXILIARY GEN. ALGRS FOR ALL TYPES OF A.F.V.'S

Sherman LVI/USA	G104-03-01355	Generator, auxiliary
	G104-03-01365	
	G104-16-96454	
	G104-15-96451	
	G104-15-96461	
	G104-15-96456	
Stuart LVI/USA	G103-15-96360	Generator, auxiliary
Churchill LVI/VH	TP 13002	Auxiliary Changing Set (Delco Remy)
	TP 10103	
	TP 23301	

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Lt. Col.  
 A.D.O.S.  
 (R. CLIFFEINGH)

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ROUTE ARMED ALLIED COMMAND  
ORDNANCE (BRITISH)

A.D.O.S. CIRCULAR No. 12  
date 17 JAN 1945

APPENDIX No. 1

Subject:- Ordnance Services - Rome Area.

Ref : OS/950/14  
Tel : Rome 66587  
Date: 1 Feb. 1945.

To :-- See Distribution.

1. CONTROLLED AND RESTRICTED ORDNANCE STORES

After Appendix "C" to A.D.O.S. Circular No. 12 dated 17th Jan. 1945:

(1) Add new Appendix as follows:-

APPENDIX "E"

A.D.O.S. CIRCULAR No. 12 DATED 17 JAN. 1945.

FLAME THROWER ACCESSORIES

Batteries dry 2-cell Bajou (WB 3064)  
Burners (WB 2398)  
Catalytic Filters  
Charging Panels  
Spheres

2. LIST OF D.O.S. RESERVED STORES

Amend Appendix "C" to A.D.O.S. Circular No. 12 dated 17th Jan. 1945  
as follows:-

(1) Sheet 1: Insert PART 1 to PART 3 in margin against respective sub-headings as example under:

Viz:- PART 1 ARTILLERY

(1) Sheet 2: Insert PART 3 (cont) to PART 11 in margin against respective sub-headings, as example given above.

(1) Sheet 3: Insert PART 12 in margin against sub-heading = viz:- TYRES and TUBES of following sizes.

(iv) Sheet 3: after PART 12:-

Add as under:-

PART 13 SEARCHLIGHT STORES & FIRE CONTROL INSTRUMENTS.

Carbons Positive  
" Negative  
" Blocks

(1) Add new Appendix as follows:-

APPENDIX "E"

A.D.O.S. CIRCULAR NO. 12 DATED 17 JAN. '45.

FLAME THROWER ACCESSORIES

Batteries dry 2-cell Bijou (WB 3064)  
Burners (ME 2398)  
Catalytic Igniters  
Charging Panels  
Spheres

2. LIST OF D.O.S. RESERVED STORES

Amend Appendix "C" to A.D.O.S. Circular No. 12 dated 17th Jan. '45  
as follows:-

(i) Sheet 1: Insert PART 1-to-PART 3-in margin against respective sub-headings as example under:

Viz:- PART 1 ARTILLERY

(ii) Sheet 2: Insert PART 3 (cont) to PART 11 inclusive in margin against respective sub-headings, as example shown above.

(iii) Sheet 3: Insert PART 12 in margin against sub-heading - viz:- TYRES and TUBES of following sizes.

(iv) Sheet 3: After PART 12:-  
Add as under:-

PART 13 SERPENTINE STORES AND IN FIRE CONTROL INSTRUMENTS.

Cabins Positive

" Negative

" Blocks

Projectors ME No. 1

Night Computers No. 1

3 & 3 Finders No. 3

*M. J. M.*  
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(A. REED)

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ADS DIRECTOR NO. 12

Subject:- INDIAZI SUPPLY'S - ROME AREA.

1. This Circular is published for the information and guidance of British Units in Rome Area, and is an endeavour to indicate what facilities are available and how advantage can best be taken of them. The strict observance by Units of such instructions as may be incorporated in this Circular is a necessary adjunct to the efficient maintenance of such facilities.

The contents of this Circular are applicable to Units under Command 201 Sub Area in so far as general subjects are concerned, but NOT as concerning such particular Sections of this Circular (e.g. Channels of Demand etc.) which are or may be the subject of separate instructions issued by ADS 201 Sub Area.

INFORMATION

2. This Office is designated as INDIAZI (BRITISH) ROME AREA  
ALLIED COMMAND.

Communications should be addressed as under:-

Correspondence: ADS Rome Area Allied Command

Signature: OAD (D) Rome Area

An ADS Dir is located in Direz. prov. di Cagliari, via (P. METRONIA  
Etruria, Rome (T. P. ROMA) 65649) and is controlled by this  
office, to whom all communications should be addressed.  
—AFG. Ettore (1)

STORES - SUPPLY THROUGH MILITARY CHANNELS

3. Channels of Demand. All demands for Ordnance Stores (including those for vehicles and War Office Controlled Stores) from Units in Rome Area, other than those under command 201 Sub Area and except as do filed in para. 6, 10, 14 and 15 below, will be submitted through this office

4. Method of demand. Demands will be submitted on AFG. 994, AFG. 997 or AFG. 1053 in triplicate and must be signed by an officer. These Army Forms vary considerably in form and accordingly a detail of the information required to be shown is listed below. Lack of relevant information will necessitate the return of the incents in question and consequent delay in supply or stores.

Information required to be shown on all incents:-

- a) The contracts and all designation of unit demanding.
- b) A brief statement of the demand.

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but NOT as affecting such particular Sections or the subject of  
(e.g. Channels of Demand etc.) which are or may be the subject of  
separate instructions issued by DUCS 201 Sub Area.

INFORMATION

2. This office is designated as MEDIUM (BRITISH) ROLE AREA  
ALLIED COMMAND.

Communications should be addressed as follows:

Correspondence: ADOCS Ratio Area Allied Command

Situations: OED (Fr) Ratio Area

An ADOCS Direct is located in Directionne D'assigueria, Via  
Etturio, Bono (Tel. Pescenico 765645) and is controlled by this  
office, to whom all communications should be addressed.

STORES - SUPPLY THROUGH MOBILE CHANNELS

3. Channels of Demands. All demands for Ordnance Stores  
(including those for vehicles and War Office Controlled Stores)  
from Units in Role Area, other than those under command 201 Sub Area  
and except as detailed in para's 6, 10, 14 and 15 below, will be  
submitted through this office.

4. Method of demands. Demands will be submitted on AFC. 924,  
AFC. 997 or AFC. 1053 in triplicate and must be signed by an officer.  
These Army forms vary considerably in form accordingly a detail  
of the information required to be shown is listed below. Lack of  
relevant information will necessitate the return of the incents in  
question and consequent delay in supply or storage.

Information required to be shown on ALL incents:-

- a) The correct and full designation of the unit demanding.
- b) A unit indent number and date of signature (to facilitate  
reference)
- c) The VADS Section in which the item is listed. A  
list of VADS sections is shown as Annex A.
- d) Part or catalogue number of item(s) quoted (if known)
- e) The unit's entitlement, to each item showing, where applicable,  
the scale it is listed (e.g. 2 per man, 5 per man per week,  
1 per vehicle or 6 per battery etc.)

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- f) The authority from which the unit entitlement is derived (e.g. the appropriate Clothing Scale, the AFG, 1098 number and date or Special Equipment List or War Office Letter, the reference of the appropriate AFHQ or Lower Command C40 or c.c. letter or such other recognisable written authority as may be relevant).
- g) Present serviceable unit holdings of each item demanded, including any quantities held in Units Stores.
- h) Unit strength (in terms of personnel, vehicles, weapons etc., as applicable).
- i) Make and type of vehicle or equipment (or MT stores and Assemblies and all technical spares).
- j) A proper explanation of the circumstances under which the requirement is considered justified in ALL cases where the demand cannot be supported by a known authority.

Care should be taken to observe the following additional points:-

- k) Only items in any one VAOS Section may be demanded on any one Indent. Failure to observe this rule means that items incorrectly demanded must be extracted in this office with consequent delay both to the individual indent and to the general flow of work.
- l) The certificate at the top left of AFG. 994 and the bottom left of AFG. 997 must be completed.
- m) Neither the completion of this certificate nor the use of such endorsements as "To replace unserviceable", "To complete to Scale" etc, constitute in themselves authority for issue and will NOT be accepted as such.
- n) Thoughtless use of the space headed "to be sent to" (AFG. 994) and "Address for Stores" (AFG. 997) can lead to considerable difficulty in receipt of stores. The inserting of the sentence "Unit will collect" may well result in stores being held indefinitely in Base Ordnance Depots awaiting collection. In case of doubt the unit designation should be inserted in the space.
- o) Units for whom no specific AFG. 1098 has been notified or who are in the process of forming can demand normal requirements of non-controlled Ordnance Stores up to the Section shown in AFG. 1098/1000 on the basis of the strength authorised in their W.Z. or the posted strength, whichever is the lesser.
- p) Indents for MT Spares in respect of which the Catalogue or Makers Part Numbers are not known must show either the contract number of the vehicle or in case of Ammunition the Supply Stock number to allow for identification.
- q) Not more than ten items should be demanded on any one indent

j) A proper explanation of the circumstances under which the requirement is considered justified in ALL cases where the demand cannot be supported by a known authority.

Care should be taken to observe the following additional points:-

- k) Only one VADS Section may be demanded on any one Indent. Failure to observe this rule means that items incorrectly demanded must be extracted in this office with consequent delay both to the individual indent and to the general flow of work.
- l) The certificate at the top left of ATG. 994 and the bottom left of ATG. 997 must be completed.
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- o) Units for whom no specific ATG. 1093 has been notified or who are in the process of forming can demand normal requirements of non-controlled Ordnance Stores up to the Scale shown in ATG. 1098/1000 on the basis of the strength authorised in their Unit W.E. or the posted strength, whichever is the lessor.
- p) Indents for M7 Spares in respect of which the Catalogue or Valuers Part Numbers are not known must show either the contract number of the vehicle or in case of American makes the Supply Stock number to allow for identification.
- q) Not more than ten items should be demanded on any one indent.
5. Frequency of Submission. Indents for Bulk Items (i.e. those detailed at Appendix B) will be submitted fortnightly only, on the 10th and the 25th of each month. Indents for all other stores (including M7 Spares) may be submitted as and when necessary. In all cases indents must be lodged as to allow of 7 clear days before anticipated date of collection (except that in the case of indents passed to BODs for supply, a delay of 21 days should be expected.)
6. Supply. Stores detailed in Appendix B are classified as "Bulk Items" and are normally held in ADOS Dumps. Indents for these items will be met from that source. All other items except as specified in paras 8 to 16 inclusive below, are passed direct to Base Ordnance Depots for supply and railed forward by them to ANS Dumps, Home for distribution. Notification of receipt of such stores by ADOS Dump is made direct to unit who should

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collect from the Transit Section, ADOS Det., or their appropriate collection day (see para. 7 below). Authority for unit to collect stores direct from Base Ordnance Det. will only be granted in cases of operational urgency.

7. Days for collection. In order to facilitate working at ADOS Damp, units are required to effect collection of stores on specified days of the week according to their arm of Service. Days are allotted as below and stores will not normally be issued to units except on these days:-

- |           |   |
|-----------|---|
| Monday    | - RA., C.C. and RTT   |
| Tuesday   | - RTT (all RTT units under command CRE)   |
| Wednesday | EO., ES., Ferial and HQ units   |
| Thursday  | RASC and Tyros  |
| Friday    | AMO., AC., LC or S. and Nov and Tr.   |
| Saturdays | RAO and all units other arms than above.  |
| Sundays   | Issues of stores from ADOS Damp will not be made on Sundays except in cases of operational necessity. |

#### ITEMS, DEMANDS FOR THE REQUITE SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS.

##### 8. MT Spares - demands from RASC and RTT Workshop units

RASC and RTT Workshop Units only will demand MT Spares (except for tyres and tubes, see para. 2 below) and engine assemblies, see para 10 below) direct on to Sub Depot, 557 Base Ordnance Depot and collect under their own arrangements. It is stressed that this authority does not extend the placing demands on other Sub Depots which may carry stores common to MT/Miscellaneous Sections. Demands from all other units will be routed through this office.

9. Tyres and Tubes. All demands will be submitted through this office. This office by 12.0 hrs. each Saturday. RASC units forecasts will be routed through ADST., Rome Area.

The following sizes of tyres and tubes are at present subject to control by DOS., ADHQ:-

325 x 19	150 } x 16	325 x 15
600 x 16	1100 }	1100 x 24
750 x 16	105 }	1200 x 20
900 x 16	1100 }	1350 x 20
900 x 21		1400 }

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## TUESDAYS - 1200 hrs APPROX.

- Fridays - RASC, - AGO, , HQ or S. and Mov and Trn.  
 Saturdays - DAC and all units of other arms than above.  
 Sundays - Issues of stores from ADGS Dump will not be made on Sundays except in cases of operational necessity.

ITEMS, DEMANDS FOR WHICH REQUIRE SPECIAL ROUTING.

## 8. MT Spares - demands from RASC and REE Workshop Units

RASC and REE Workshop Units only will demand MT Spares (except for tyres and tubes, see para. 9 below) and engine assemblies, see para. 10 below) direct on 1 Sub Depot, 557 Base Ordnance Depot and collect under their own arrangements. It is stressed that this authority does not extend the placing demands on other Sub Depots which may carry stores common to MT/Miscellaneous Sections. Demands from all other Units will be routed through this office.

9. Tyres and tubes. REE Workshop Units will be submitted through this office. RASC and REE Workshop Units will submit weekly bulk forecasts to reach this office by 1200 hrs each Saturday. ADGS unit forecasts will be routed through ADST, Rome Area.

The following sizes of tyres and tubes are at present subject to control by DOSs, AUTH:-

325 x 19	1120) x 16	325 x 15
600 x 16	1100)	1100 x 24
720 x 16	105 ) x 2	1200 x 20
900 x 16	1100)	
900 x 2	1350) x 20	
	(1400)	

Applications for release based on collection of unit indent and workshop forecasts are submitted to DOS weekly by this office through ADOS 3 District. Tyres and tubes are released and despatched in bulk to ADOS Dump Rome Area, which notifies units to collect. Minimum delay of two weeks ~~7779~~ of availability in ADGS Dump.

10. Engine Assemblies, RASC MT Units will demand their requirements of Engine Assemblies through Ss & C, Rome Area. These units will demand weekly showing requirements as at 1800 hrs, each Saturday and send the demand to this office not later than 1100 hrs. o.n. Sunday.

11. DOS Reserved Stores. Certain stores older than those controlled by the Staff are in short supply and are controlled by DOS, REE and are known as "DOS Reserved Stores". A list of these items at present controlled is attached at Appendix X. This list necessarily varies from time to time.

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Indents for these items may be submitted at any time. Application for release is made as and when necessary only in the case of Part I items and monthly in the case of Part II items except in cases of operational urgency, and consequently supply of stores will normally be subject to an average delay of 3/4 weeks.

12. War Office Controlled Stores. The Items listed on Census Form 45 are subject to Staff control. Indents for deficiencies will be submitted in the normal manner and application for release will be made by this office. Notification of release and place of collection or method of delivery will be made direct to the unit. It is essential that the following information is provided in respect of all these demands:-

- a) Number and date of AFG. 1098 under which entitled
- b) Full entitlement of items demanded - by types (and makes where specified).
- c) Actual holdings and deficiencies of serviceable stores against entitlement (including any items held "in lieu" of the authorised equipment).
- d) Quantity now demanded.
- e) Reason for demand.

AFG. 1043 (HLR. Certificate) is required to support all applications for replacement of unserviceable watches, binoculars and instruments.

13. Vehicles. Vehicles may be demanded in the same manner as War Office Controlled Stores. The information to be shown is:-

- a) Number and date of TE or special authority under which entitled.
- b) Entitlement by types of vehicles
- c) Holdings and deficiencies.
- d) Now required.
- e) Reason for demand.

Application for replacement vehicles will be supported by AFG. 1043 in respect of the condemned vehicles.

14. Controlled Signal Stores. Demands for controlled signal stores as listed at Appendix D attached will be placed by units direct on CSO 3 District.

15. Searchlight and AA Fire Control Instruments. Demands should be submitted as for DOS Reserved Stores and they will be forwarded through Ord Channels to Q(AE) AFHQ.

16. Radar Equipment. Demands for these items will be submitted through RA Channels to M & O AFHQ.

17. Spares. For teleprinters TB, Teletypes TE 97 and Cipher Machines Type 'X'.

Demands will be submitted through Signal and Cipher channels respectively in accordance with Service instructions and not through this office.

- c) Actual holdings and deficiencies of serviceable stores against entitlement (including any items held "in lieu" of the authorised equipment).  
d) Quantity now demanded.  
e) Reason for demand.

AFC. 1043 (BLR. Certificate) is required to support all applications for replacement of unserviceable watches, binoculars and instruments.

13. Vehicles. Vehicles may be demanded in the same manner as War Office Controlled Stores. The information to be shown is:-

- a) Number and date of TE or special authority under which entitled.
- b) Entitlement by types of vehicles
- c) Holdings and deficiencies.
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16. Radar Equipment. Demands for those items will be submitted through PA Channels to AF & CD AFHQ.

17. Spares for teletypewriter 7B, teletypewriter 97 and Cipher Machines Type 'X'.

Demands will be submitted through Signal and cipher channels respectively in accordance with Service instructions and not through this office.

18. Surgical Boots and Night Shoes. The conditions of issue are outlined in War Clothing Regs 1943, Parts. 14 and 15. Indents for Surgical Boots must be supported by a recommendation from an Orthopaedic or Surgical Specialist. Indents for Boots Ankle No. 4 or Shoes require to be accompanied by a certificate from the Unit Medical Officer and must be countersigned by an OC. Not below field rank (vide ACI 2124 of 1941 as amended by ACT 4307 of 1942).

#### CANCELLATION OF INENTS

19. Indents for "Bulk Items" passed to ADOS Disp for supply are automatically cancelled after issue of all availabilities and no 'to follow' are maintained. BULK ITEMS declared 'NOT AVAILABLE' on such indents should, if still required, be redemanded on the next fortnightly bulk demand and the client suitably endorsed.

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"Redemand of Unit Indent No. .... dated..... item previously declared Not available".

"To follows" are maintained for a period of two months in respect of all indents passed to Base Ordnance Depots for supply, except where issue vouchers are specifically endorsed to the contrary. All such indents outstanding for more than two months from date of indent must be considered as having been automatically cancelled and fresh indents should be submitted.

SPECIAL ISSUES

20. Issues to Voluntary Organisations Demands may be made by Voluntary Organisations for essential items of normal Ordnance supply not obtainable through their own channels. No demands in excess of the existing scales authorised for military units will be considered. All issues will be on repayment and Debit Vouchers will be rendered by this office to the Command Paymaster in accordance with the terms of ACT 1152 of 1941 (as amended).

21. Issues of MT Spare Parts from Salvage Units. Under the terms of Q(4E) AFHQ Admin. Instruction No. 5, Issues may be made from Vehicle Disposal Units as follows:-

"Items, other than engine assemblies and associate sub-assemblies (e.g. carburetors, fuel pump etc.) and which are included in the Schedules of assemblies and parts to be recovered by Vehicle Disposal units may be issued by OC, Vehicle Disposal Unit to Units on production of an Ordnance Issue Voucher showing non-availability of the item(s) at the OFF., AOD or BOD on which the unit is based for supply".

It is stressed that this instruction is intended as a means to ensure that vehicles are not kept off the road through lack of essential spares where these can be found available with Salvage Units. It does not entitle units to obtain and hold quantities of MT Spares in excess of scales or expendable items in excess of reasonable requirements.

22. Issues of Oxygen and Acetylene. Indents for Oxygen and Acetylene will be submitted through this office except where a bulk allocation has been made to the unit. Units having an allocation may draw direct without indent within their allocation and not exceeding 75% in any one week. Requirements in excess of allocation require countersignature from this office. Units wishing to obtain a monthly allocation should apply to ADOS through their Local Head of Service (where applicable). Unclaimed portions of monthly allocations cannot be carried forward to succeeding months. Gases will be supplied on a cylinder for cylinder basis from ADOS Dump, Rome.

23. Issues of Tentage. Tentage is in short supply and at the moment all issues are controlled by Q Staff. Demands can only be met for tentage required for immediate essential use. Demands to complete to AFG, 1098 or other scale

SPECIAL ISSUES

20. Organisations for essential items of normal Ordnance supplies may be made by voluntary through their own channels. No demands in excess of the existing scales authorised for military units will be considered. All issues will be on repayment and Debit Vouchers will be rendered by this office to the Command Paymaster in accordance with the terms of ACT 1132 of 1941 (as amended).

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It is stressed that this instruction is intended as a means to ensure that vehicles are not kept off the road through lack of essential spares where these can be found available with Salvage Units. It does not entitle units to obtain and hold quantities of MT Spares in excess of scales or expendable items in excess of reasonable requirements.

22. Issues of Oxygen and Acetylene. Incents for Oxygen and Acetylene will be submitted through this office except where a bulk allocation has been made to the unit. Units having an allocation may draw direct without indent within their allocation and not exceeding 35% in any one week. Requirements in excess of allocation require countersignature from this office. Units wishing to obtain a monthly allocation should apply to ADOS through their Local Head of Service (where applicable). Unclaimed portions of monthly allocations cannot be carried forward to succeeding months. Gases will be supplied on a cylinder for cylinder basis from ADOS Dump, Rome.

23. Issues of Tentage. Tentage is in short supply and at the moment all issues are controlled by Q Staff. Demands can only be met for tentage required for immediate essential use. Demands to complete to AFG.1098 or other scale where not required for immediate use cannot be considered. Careful conservation of tentage in use will assist in alleviating the difficult supply position.

SCALES

24. Clothing. The current Scale of winter clothing for all British and Italian co-operators will be clothed in accordance with the Scales authorised in para. 53 of "Administration of Italian P.W. Co-operators in British Hands" issued by AFHQ on 15 Nov. '44.

25. Accommodation Stores. Attention is directed to No. 3 District Routine Order Serial No. 31/376 dated 20 December '44. Performas as at Appendix D to the above DRO will be distributed by this office.

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26. Blankets. The winter scale of blankets for this Area is 4 per man or 2 blankets and 1 comforter per man (vide GRO 837/44). Comforters are only issuable to troops billeted in covered accommodation as they are not suitable for use under canvas.

27. Cleaning Materials. Authorised scales are as laid down in GRO 423/44 as amended by GRO 702/44.

28. Soap.

a) Where no laundry facilities are provided troops are entitled to a free issue of soap at a scale of 5 ozs per man per fortnight in winter and 7 ozs per man for fortnight in summer (vide GRO 538/44). This free issue may be extended to Officers where no WD Laundry or "laundry Contract facilities exist and when Soap Yellow or equivalent is not obtainable from E.F.I. Attention is, however, directed to para 31 below, which details laundry facilities available in this Area.

b) A free issue of 3 ozs per man per month is authorised for personnel detailed in Appendix to A.R.T. 1566/42, with the addition of engine drivers. Individuals concerned are:-

Blacksmiths and Harnessmen, Coopersmiths and Welders,  
Constructional work personnel, Fitters and Turners,  
Motor Mechanics, Drivers IC., Driver Mechanics  
Sanitary Officers, Engine Drivers (GRO 53/44) and Cooks  
(GRO 188/43).

c) A special issue of 12 ozs per month per ambulance is authorised for units holding ambulance cars (GRO 465/43).

Soap for cleaning billets etc. will be drawn to scale in GRO 423/44 (see para. 27 above)

RETURNED STORES.

29. Repairable and unserviceable Ordnance Stores and any serviceable stores surplus to requirements should be returned together with A.R.T. 1033 duly completed to the RSD Suction of ADOS Dump. Clothing items so returned should be tied in bundles of ten articles.

RETURNS.

30. The following periodic returns are required to be made by units in this Area in connection with holdings of Ordnance Stores:-

- a) Monthly vehicle state as laid down in GRO 474/43
- b) Monthly Census of Warlike Stores - Form 45
- c) Monthly Accommodation Stores Return (in accordance with D.R.O. 376/44.)
- d) Weekly bulk tyre forecast (RASC and F.M.E. Units only) as para 9 above.

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Constructional work personnel, Fitters and Turners,  
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Sentry Orderlies, Engine Drivers (GRO 53/44) and Cooks  
(GRO 138/43).

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  - e) Part X Orders as necessary - see GRO 465/44 as amended by GRO 737/44
  - f) Weekly Engine assembly requirements - as para 10 above.

OTHER SERVICES

31. Hospital Laundry. This is handled by 16 Mobile Laundry operating at the Italian Red Cross Stores building in Via Ostiense, Rome. Hospitals should contact the OC Laundry direct (Telephone 66013). No other class of laundry will be accepted by this Unit.

785020**32. Troops Washing.**

a) A centralised contract for Units under Command is in existence between this office and The General Bleach Manufacturing and Applying Co., who operate a steam Laundry previously known as Tarantola Laundry located behind the Foro D'Italia.

b) This Laundry provides washing and pressing where required of clothing delivered to the Contractor under authority of this office in accordance with the terms of GRO 477/43 (as amended by GRO 572/43 and 538/44).

c) OSC Units should apply to this office for copies of the contract and a price list showing the items authorised to be washed at the public expense. Application must state the number of QRS whose laundry is to be washed under the contract.

d) Laundry will be sent tied in individual bundles. Responsibility for delivery, collection and checking recs with the unit.

e) Payment will be made direct to the Contractor by unit from Interest Account. Where possible this should be done at time of collection but there is no objection to the making of any arrangement for weekly payment which may be acceptable to the Contractor.

f) Laundry will be checked in at the Laundry by the civilian employees who will make out a numbered check list showing the date for collection and give one copy to the unit representative.

g) Collection will be effected on the due date by presentation of the unit copy of this check list.

h) Bills will be presented at time of collection. Two copies will be kept by the unit. One will be retained to support Unit Interest Account; and the other forwarded to this office, endorsed to show that payment has been made and certified as correct. Unit Interest copy should be endorsed "ADOS Contract".

**33. Blanket Exchange Facilities.** Exchanges can be arranged by contacting 16 Mobile Laundry (address as in para 31 above). Exchanges of over 200 blankets at one time must have the prior sanction of this office. In all cases at least 7 days' notice of proposed exchange should be given.

**34. Disinfection.** Disinfection will be undertaken by 25 Field Sanitary Section RAMC. Units can contact by telephone - No. 478369.

**35. Boot Repairs.** Units holding a Boot Repairer on their WE or who have an OR employed under GRO 236/43 will submit indentents for their grindery requirements to this office.

Units not having Boot Repairer will send all boots requiring repair to ADOS Dmp, Roma Arca. Each pair of boots will be securely

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requiring repair to ADCS Damp, Roma Area. Each pair of boots will be securely  
tied and clearly labelled in ink with the owner's name and unit.

Facilities exist for the repair of Officers' and  
Nursing Officers' footgear at No. 10 Officers Shop PAOC, 1-7 Corso Vittorio  
Emanuele, Rome.

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36. First Aid Kit Outfits. Units requiring scaling in accordance with  
the terms of GRO 100/44 amended by 475 and 1047/44 should make application  
through this office.

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37. Vehicles - Allotment of WD Numbers. All WD vehicles, normal WD types, requisitioned or captured vehicles, must bear a WD number. Numbers will be obtained from this office, to whom application should be made with a full detail of the circumstances under which held. Numbers for captured enemy vehicles will bear the prefix "GSP" which must always be used. Numbers already allotted and painted on such vehicles will have prefix "QAP" added.

38. Local Purchase. The authority for Local Purchases of Ordnance Stores in this Area is vested in this office and no such purchase will be made without prior application to ADOS. As a general rule purchases will be undertaken by ADOS and not by the unit. It is emphasised that purchases will only be undertaken or authorised to meet deficiencies on normal scales of entitlement where stores are not available from Depot stocks. Purchases of items for which there is no entitlement will only be undertaken when Staff authority to hold in excess of scale is in possession.

Spare parts for WD requisitioned cars are stores of Ordnance supply and will be demanded in the normal manner and NOT purchased indiscriminately.

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40. Arrivals and Departures. Units are requested to notify arrival and departure to this office as early as possible. Failure to give prompt notification of departure results in records of unit holdings and indents not being forwarded to the next appropriate HQ., who are thereby handicapped and may require the unit to resubmit indents and demands. This can be avoided by prompt departmental action to redirect stores due in off outstanding demands if adequate notice is given by units.

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LIST OF VADS SECTIONS

<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
A 1	- Accountments and Musical Instruments
A 2	- Anti-gas Stores
B 1	- Small Arms and their Components
B 2	- Small Arms Accessories, Tools and Packages
C 1	- Machine Guns, Mountings and Appurtenances for Ground Service use.
C 2	- Machine Guns and their Appurtenances for use in Armoured Fighting Vehicles
C 3	- Bicycles
D 1	- Harness, Saddlery and Packaddlery
D 2	- Horseshoes and Nails
E 1	- Carts and Wagons
E 2	- Bridging Equipment
E 3	- Lifting and Transporting Apparatus and Targets
F 1	- Tools and Workshop Equipment
G 2	- Ironmongery
H 1	- Metals
H 2	- Oils, Paints, Chemicals and their containers
I 2	- Cordage and Textile Materials
J 1	- Camp Equipment
J 2	- Portable Cookers and Cooking Equipment
K 3	- Cinematographic Apparatus and Stores
K 4	- Photographic Apparatus and Stores
K 5	- Furniture and Woodware
K 6	- Bedsteads and their Components
K 7	- Games, Equitation, Gymnastic and Textile Articles

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Mechine Guns and their Appurtenances for use  
in Armoured Fighting Vehicles  
Bicycles

- - - - - Harness, Saddlery and Pack saddle

- - - - - Carts and Wagons

- - - - - Bridging Equipment

- - - - - Lifting and Transporting Apparatus and Targets

- - - - - Tools and Workshop Equipment

Ironmongery

- - - - - Metals

- - - - - Oils, Paints, Chemicals and their containers

- - - - - Cordage and Textile Materials

- - - - - Camp Equipment

- - - - - Portable Cookers and Cooking Equipment

- - - - - Cinematographic Apparatus and Stores

- - - - - Photographic Apparatus and Stores

- - - - - Furniture and Woodware

- - - - - Bedsteads and their Components

- - - - - Games, Gymnastic, Gymnastic and Textile Articles

- - - - - Crockery and Glassware

- - - - - Brooms, Brushes, Lamps, Coal-baskets, Garden Implements etc.

- - - - - Enamelled and Metal Household Utensils

- - - - - Fire Engines, Tailor Fire Pumps, Extinguishers and Fire Fighting Appliances

- - - - - Barrows and Trucks

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**Section and  
Sub Section**

**Stores**

- | <b>L.V 1</b> | - | Cruiser, Infantry and Medium Tanks and Makers' Parts                                 |
|--------------|---|--|
| <b>L.V 2</b> | - | Light Tanks and Carriers and Makers' Parts   |
| <b>L.V 3</b> | - | Engines and Commercial Assemblies used in AFVs. and Makers' Parts                    |
| <b>L.V 4</b> | - | Armament Mountings and their Appendages for Mechanical Vehicles                      |
| <b>L.V 5</b> | - | Armoured Cars and Scout Cars and Makers' Parts                                       |
| <b>L.V 6</b> | - | <u>Miscellaneous Stores and Proprietary Equipment Parts for TVs and 'B' Vehicles</u> |

**Sub-Divisions : -**

- |             |   |  |
|-------------|---|--|
| <b>MT1</b>  | - | General LT Stores -<br>Adaptors, Bolting, Bins, Blocks, Cables, Speedometer, Cans, Clips, Extinguishers, Firs, Funnels, Keys Woodruff, Jointing, Jacks Lifting, Lubricator Oil and Grease, Pins Taper and Split, Plugs, Pumps Foot and Mechanical, Pressure Gauges, Shock Absorbers, Scotchcs, Sockets, Saddles, Taps, Tins, Unions, Washers, Vehicle Fixments for AA Mountings etc. |
| <b>MT2</b>  | - | Tools, Tool Chests and List of Contents etc  |
| <b>MT3</b>  | - | Lamps, Lamp Holders, Lamp Glasses, Bulbs, Horns, Mirrors, Wipers etc.  |
| <b>MT4</b>  | - | Cables Electric, Dynamos, Switches, Starters, Hydromotors, Plugs Splicing, Batteries etc   |
| <b>MT5</b>  | - | Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Rivets etc.  |
| <b>MT6</b>  | - | Rubber Hose, Tyre Repair Materials, Vulcanizing Materials, Rubber Sheets, Strip etc.   |
| <b>MT7</b>  | - | Bearings, Ball and Roller  |
| <b>MT8</b>  | - | Magnos, Distributors, Ignition Coils, Magnetics, Scrubbing Equipment etc.  |
| <b>MT9</b>  | - | Unallocted   |
| <b>MT10</b> | - | Metals and Metal Tubing  |
| <b>MT11</b> | - | Chains Driving, Non-skid and Overall, Ropes Towing   |
| <b>MT12</b> | - | Carburators, Petrol Filters, Air Cleaners, Autovacs, Fuel Injection Equipment etc.   |
| <b>MT13</b> | - | Coach Materials, Covers Waterproof, Shelters,  |

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Adaptors, Bolting, Bushes, Blocks, Cables,  
Speedometer, Cans, Clips, Extinguishers  
Fire, Funnels, Keys Woodruff, Jointing,  
Jacks Lifting, Lubricator Oil and Grease,  
Pins Taper and Split, Plugs, Pumps Foot  
and Mechanical, Pressure Gauges, Shock  
Absorbers, Scotches, Speedometers, Saddles,  
Taps, Tins, Unions, Washers, Vehicle Fit-  
ments for AA Mountings etc.
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- MT3 - Lamps, Lamp Holders, Lamp Glassos, Bulbs,  
Horns, Mirrors, Windscreen Wipers etc.
- MT4 - Cables Electric, Dynamos, Switches, Starters,  
Hydromotors, Plugs Sparking, Batteries etc
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- MT11 - Chains Driving, Non-skid and Overall,  
Ropes Towing
- MT12 - Carburetors, Petrol Filters, Air Cleaners,  
Autovacs, Fuel Injection Equipment etc.
- MT13 - Coach Materials, Covers Waterproof, Shelters,  
Towing Attachments and Body Fixments etc.
- MT14 - Tyre Covers, Tubes and Valves, Wheels, Wheel  
Nuts and Studs, Wheel Flangers, Rims etc.
- MT15 - Special Miscellaneous Stores and Proprietary  
Equipment Parts for AFVs only.
- PK - Packing Gasos
- PS - Instructional Stores.
- L.V 7 - 'B' Vehicles - British and North American

Section and  
Sub Section

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- M 1 - Miscellaneous Weapons -  
    Bomb Throwers 2-in.  
    Flame Throwers, Wheeled  
    Mortars Spigot 29-mm  
    Ordnance, H. L. 2-in Mortar  
    " " 3-in "  
    " " S. P. 3-in gun  
    " " 4.2-in Mortar  
    Projector 2½-in  
    " Chemical
- M 2 - Artillery Equipments -  
    Ordnance QF 4.5-in AA gun  
    " " 5.7-in AA gun  
    " " 3-in 20-cwt AA gun  
    " " 2-pr. Mc. VIII AA gun  
    " " 40-mm AA gun  
    Guns Sub-Calibre QF 2-pr.  
    Projectors Rocket 3-in.
- M 3 - Stores common to Artillery Equipments in  
    Two or more Sections.
- M 4 - Inspecting Officers' Stores
- N 1 - Artillery Equipments -  
    Ordnance QF 4.5-in Howr.  
    " " 25-cwt gun  
    " " 10-pr  
    " " 17-pr "  
    " " 13-pr "
- N 2 - Artillery Equipments -  
    Ordnance QF 3.7-in Howr
- N 3 - Artillery Equipments -  
    Ordnance QF 3-in Howr  
    " " 6-pr 6-cwt gun  
    " " Hotchkiss 6-pr 6-cwt  
    " " 3-pr 2-cwt  
    " " 6-pr 7-cwt  
    " " 2-pr
- O - Artillery Equipments -  
    Ordnance BL 6-in 26-cwt Howr  
    " " 60-pr gun  
    " " 5.5-in gun  
    " " 4.5-in gun

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## Artillery Equipments -

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M 3 - Stores common to Artillery Equipments in  
Two or more Sections.

## M 4 - Inspecting Officers' Stores

## N 1 - Artillery Equipments -

Ordnance QF 4.5-in Howr.  
 " " 2-pr. gun  
 " " 18-pr. "  
 " " 17-pr. "  
 " " 13-pr. "

## N 2 - Artillery Equipments -

Ordnance QF 3.7-in Howr

## N 3 - Artillery Equipments -

Ordnance QF 3-in Howr  
 " " 6-pr 6-cwt gun  
 " " Hotchkiss 6-pr 6-cwt  
 " " 3-pr 2-cwt  
 " " 6-pr 7-cwt  
 " " 2-pr

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Ordnance BL 6-in 26-cwt Howr  
 " " 60-pr gun  
 " " 5.5-in gun  
 " " 4.5-in gun

## P 1 - Artillery Equipments -

Ordnance BL 9.2-in Howr  
 " " 8-in Howr Mk. VIII  
 " " 7.2-in Howr  
 " " 6-in gun Mk. XIX

## P 2 - Artillery Equipments -

Ordnance BL 15-in gun  
 " " 9.2-in gun  
 " " 6-in gun  
 " QF 6-in gun  
 " " 4.7-in. B gun  
 " " 12-pr 12-cwt gun  
 " " 6-pr 10-cwt gun

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LIST OF VAOS SECTIONSClothing and Necessaries

<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
CA	Materials - Woollen, Cotton, Linen, Silk etc. Trimmings Medal Ribbon Sewings Buttons, Hooks and Eyes etc.
CB and CS	Armlets, badges, chevrons, titles.
CC and CT	Necessaries and cognate articles
CD and CR	Boots, shoes etc. Tailors' and Shoemakers' tools and materials
CE and CR	Capes, coats, greatcoats Hospital Clothing
CF and CO	Bonnets, caps, hats, helmets etc.
DE	Battle Dress, Service Dress and Parachutists clothing.
DM	Tropical clothing, waterproof clothing, Miscellaneous (Magazine clothing, goggles, etc.)
DT	Anti Gas Clothing
DS	ATS and Nursing Services - clothing and necessities
DU	Officers' Clothing and necessities
DU	Cold climate clothing.

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<u>Section and Sub Section</u>	<u>Stores</u>
P 2	- Artiller Equipment - Ordnance QF Hotchkiss 6-pr gun " Nordenfelt 6-pr gun Gun, Sub Calibre QF 6-pr " " 3-pr " " 2-pr Low Angle
Q to U	- Ammunition and Explosives
V 1	- Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores for Coast Artillery
V 2	- Surveying and Drawing Instruments and Watches
V 3	- Flash Spotting, Sound Ranging and R.A. Survey Stores
V 4	- Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores for Anti-Aircraft
V 5	- Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores other than Coast Artillery and Anti-Aircraft
V 6	- Stores common to two or more Sections in V Series
W 1	- Field Works, Mining and Water Supply Stores
W 2	- Electric Cables and Wires, Primary Cells and Miscellaneous Electrical Stores
W 3	Part 1 - Provisional List of Machine Tools and Plant Part 2 - Provisional List of Accessories common to Machine Tools and Plant
W 4	- RADAR, Wireless and Link Test Equipment
W 5	- Instruments for Testing Optical and Fire Control Instruments
X 1	- Searchlights, Sound Locators and Associated Stores
X 2	- Generating Sets and General Electric Lighting Stores
Y	- Signal Stores - Line and Visual
Z 1	- Wireless Sets and Associated Stores

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- V 3 - Flash Spotting, Sound Ranging and R.A. Survey Stores
- V 4 - Fire Control Instruments and Associated Stores for Anti-Aircraft
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  - W 5 - Instruments for Testing Optical and Fire Control Instruments
  - X 1 - Searchlights, Sound Locators and Associated Stores
  - X 2 - Generating Sets and General Electric Lighting Stores
  - Y - Signal Stores - Line and Visual
  - Z 1 - Wireless Sets and Associated Stores
  - Z 2 - Signal Stores - Portable Secondary Batteries, Charging Sets, Power Units, Engines, Generators, Testing Apparatus, Measuring Sets, etc.

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BULK ITEMS

Clothing and Necessaries

Blankets, Comforters, Sleeping bags, Pillows

Hospital Equipment or Ordnance Supply

Accoutrements

Anti-gas appliances

Emery Cloth, Sand paper, Nails, Glue

Leather, Grindery

Cordage

Accommodation Stores

Cooking Equipment

Lamps Electric, Bulbs, Batteries

Paint, Oils, Brake fluid, Electrolyte

Soap, Soda

Tentage

Fire Extinguishers (refills).

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Emery Cloth, Sand paper, Nails, Glue

Leather, Grindery

Cordage

Accommodation Stores

Cooking Equipment

Lamps Electric, Bulbs, Batteries

Paint, Oils, Brake fluid, Electrolyte

Soap, Soda

Tentage

Fire Extinguishers (refills).

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LIST OF DOS RESERVED STORES

GENERAL ITEMS	Lamps High Pressure, Paraffin. Lamps High Pressure, Petrol. Officers Camp Kit-All items except Buckets Water Canvas. Shelters Portable all types. Tables G.S. or L.P. Cookers Portable Nos. 1, 2 and 3 complete. Cookers Triplex No. 4. Cookers Triplex No. 6. Lamps Hurricane. Stoves Oil Heating. Jerkins Leather Coats Oilskin Jackets Oilskin Sou'westers Oilskin. Trousers Oilskin. Boots rubber knee Boots Rubber Thigh Stockings Seaboot, short Coats Sheepskin Coats Kayak (Tropical) All tentage Mountain Welfare Equipment Disinfectors and Disinfectors of all types (D.O.S., A.F.H.Q. obtains approval from D.M.S., A.F. Q., before release). Jars Thermos 1-quart Lifebelts Inflatable Cans Water 2-Gall. Cans Water 4½-Gall. Overalls Denim Blouses. Overalls Denim Trousers Suits, Cam. Snipers Tank Suits Denim Cylinders of all types for Industrial Gases, initial issues only.
ARTILLERY	Bolts, Vents Axial Sleeves, Bolts Vents Axial Crossley Obturators, 4.5" and 5.5" equipments Equilibrium 155-mm, 8-in and 240-mm equipments Recoil Mechanisms, 105-mm, 155-mm -in and 240-mm equipments Vents Axial

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## Cooker's Triplex No. 6

Lamps Hurricane.

Stoves Oil Heating.

Jerkins Leather.

Coats Oilskin.

Jackets Oilskin.

Sou'westers Oilskin.

Trousers Oilskin.

Boots rubber knee.

Boots Rubber Thigh.

Stockings Seaboot, short.

Coats Sheepskin.

Coats Kapok (Tropical)

All tentage Mountain Welfare Equipment  
Disinfectors and Disinfestors of all types  
(D.C.S., A.F.H.Q. obtains approval from  
D.M.S., A.F. "Q.", before release).

Jars Thermos 1-quart

Lifebelts Inflatables.

Cans Water 2-Gall.

Cans Water 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -Gall.

Overalls Denim Blouses.

Overalls Denim Trousers.

Suits, Cam. Snipers

Oversuits Tank Crews.

Tank Suits Denim

Cylinders of all types for Industrial  
gases, initial issues only.ARTILLERY

Bolts, Vents Axial

Sleeves, Bolts Vents Axial

Crossley Obturators, 4.5" and

5.5" equipments

Equilibrators 155-mm, 8-in and

240-mm equipments

Recoil Mechanisms, 105-mm, 155-mm

-in and 240-mm equipments

Binoculars Testing Bore  
Bodies, Barrels, Tubes and Liners  
Carriers Dial Sight  
Machines Fuse Setting  
Muzzle Brakes 25-pr.

Ordnance QT and EL

Platform Firing No. 9

Trailers Artillery (other than Trailers

Artillery Nos. 23 and 27 which are Staff

controlled).

Vents Axial

Barrels Mortar

Baseplates 3-in Mortar

Baseplates 4.2-in "

Sights Mortar

SMALL ARMS AND ASSOCIATED STORES

Barrels Vickers .303

Dischargers Smoke Generator

Lamps Aiming MG

Mountings Tripod Vickers

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785020Appendix C - Sheet 2.List of DOS Reserved Stores - cont'dSMALL ARMS AND ASSOCIATED STORES

Mountings Ground Browning.30  
Plotters MG  
Rifles Boys A/Tk.

FLASH SPOTTING, SOUND RANGING AND RA SURVEY STORES

Comparators S.R.  
Instruments Flash Spotting  
Microphones Linear  
Machines Calculating Twin  
Recorders S.R.

SURVEYING AND DRAWING INSTRUMENTS AND WATCHES

Bars Parallax  
Levels Telescopic  
Stereoscopes  
Tapes Measuring Steel  
Theodolites  
Watches Stop

FIELD WORKS AND WATER SUPPLY (SECTION W.1)

Air compressor  
Augers Earth  
Comonflet Sets  
Drives flexible  
Excavators Mine  
Machine Pipe Grooving and Cutting  
Pumps and Pumping Sets  
Pneumatic Tools  
Saws Petrol Driven  
Tools Field Screw Cutting

GENERATING SETS  
1½ KW (for S.L.)  
5 KVA (for X-Rays)  
22 KW (excluding AA/SL)  
24 KW

KNIVES FIGHTING Kookries  
Kookries Scabbard

F.C.I. and ASSOCIATED STORES

Boards Arty No. 2  
Clinometers Field  
" " Sight  
" " Mount

Machines Calculating Twin  
Recorders S.R.

SURVEYING AND DRAFTING INSTRUMENTS AND WATCHES

Bars Parallax  
Levels Telescopic  
Stereoscopes  
Tapes Measuring Steel  
Theodolites  
Watches Stop

FIELD WORKS AND WATER SUPPLY (SECTION W.1)

Air compressor  
Augers Earth  
Camouflet Sets  
Drives Flexible  
Locators Mine  
Machine Pipe Grooming and Cutting  
Pumps and Pumping Sets  
Pneumatic Tools  
Saws Portable Driven  
Tools Field Screw Cutting

GENERATING SETS       $1\frac{1}{2}$  KW (for S.L.)  
                              5 KW (for X-Rays)  
                              22 KW (excluding AA/SL)  
                              24 TW

KNIVES FIGHTING      Kookries  
                              Kookries Scabbard

E.C.I. and ASSOCIATED STORES

Boards Arty No. 2  
Clinometers Field  
" " Sight  
" " Mortar  
Perisocopes  
Parallel Loscopes  
Plotters  
Riles Slide RA  
Stands Instrument  
Telescopos  
Binoculars Night  
MACHINERY      All items in Section W 3 Part 1  
ENGINES I.C. and C.I.

All complete units in Section X 3

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## TYRES AND TUBES of following sizes:-

329 x 19  
609 x 16  
700 x 16  
825 x 15  
906 x 16  
900 x 20  
1160 x 24  
1050/1100 x 16  
1150/1160 x 20  
1200/1350/1400 x 26

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900 x 16  
900 x 20  
1180 x 24  
1050/1100 x 16  
1050/1100 x 20  
1200/1350/1400 x 28

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LIST OF CONTROLLED SIGNAL STORES

SECTION W 2

Cable Assault FFC (and W 130)  
 Cable Electric D Glass (all types and American equivalents)  
 Cable Electric IRV 1-pr 12 $\frac{1}{2}$   
 Cable Electric IRV 1-pr  
 Cable Electric IRV 7-pr  
 Cable Electric UC Telephones (all types)  
 Cable Electric Switchboards (all types)  
 Cable Electric Quad (all types)  
 Light Armoured Cables (14-pr/40 etc.)  
 Wire Copper Binding 50 lb W1  
 Wire Electric Cadmium Copper 70 lb  
 Wire Electric HDC 100 lb  
 Wire Electric HDC 200 lb  
 Wire Electric 1 pair 12 $\frac{1}{2}$   
 Wire Electric GI 200 lb (and heavier gauge)  
 Wire Electric HI 4/8 and BE1

} Multi-Airline Components  
 } Permanent Line Components  
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SECTION Y 1

Apparatus Cable Laying (all types)  
 Barrows Drum  
 Cable Layers Mechanical  
 Frames D & P 10 wire  
 Fullerphones  
 Ladders Field Telegraph  
 Ladders MAI  
 Paper Telegraph Morse (all types)  
 Paper Teleprinters (all types)  
 Paper Teletype (all types)  
 Paper Whetstone  
 Paper Undulator  
 Patches and Tongs No. 1 and 2  
 Superposing Units  
 Switchboards (CB, UC, F & F Comd.) and  
 American of all types  
 Telephone Sets (all types)  
 Test Frames (all types)  
 Test Sets ED 65  
 Test Sets I 56  
 Test Sets Portable  
 Vibrators Ringing  
 Multi-Airline Route  
 Permanent Line Route

SECTION Y 2

Apparatus OT Terminal Equipment and  
 Associated Assemblies  
 Apparatus VF Telegraph-Terminal Equip-  
 ment and Associated Assemblies  
 Relays 299 LN  
 Relays (JT, VT, 8-circuit and  
 commercial equivalents)  
 Switchboards Teletypewriter  
 Teleprinters and Criminal Units (all  
 types)  
 Teletypewriters  
 Units Sighting VT No. 3  
 Units Filter Balance and Bypass (all  
 types)  
 VF Spares, Teletypewriter Spares, Cipher  
 Spares and High-Speed Spares  
 Supply Unit Rectifiers

SECTION Z 1

Reception Sets (all types)  
 Transmitters and Transceivers, Motors (all  
 types)

SECTION Z 2

Charging Sets (all types)  
 Generating Sets (all types)  
 all types provided

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Wire Copper Binding 50 lb WT  
 Wire Electric Admum Copper 70 lb  
 Wire Electric HDG 100 lb  
 Wire Electric HDG 200 lb  
 Wire Electric 1 pair 12<sup>2</sup>  
 Wire Electric GI 200 lb (and heavier gauge)  
 Wire Electric HT 4/8 and BB

} Multi-Airline Components  
 Permanent Line Components

SECTION 2.1

Apparatus Cable Laying (all types)  
 Barrows Drum  
 Cable Layers Mechanical  
 Frames D & P 10 wire  
 Fullphones  
 Ladders Field Telegraph  
 Ladders MAL  
 Paper Telegraph Morse (all types)  
 Paper Teleprinters (all types)  
 Paper Teletype (all types)  
 Paper Wheatstone  
 Paper Undulator  
 Relevents and Tongs No. 1 and 2  
 Superposing Units  
 Switchboards (CB, UC, F & F Comd.) and  
 American of all types  
 Telephone Sets (all types)  
 Test Frames (all types)  
 Test Sets HE 65  
 Test Sets I 56  
 Test Sets Portable  
 Vibrators Riving  
 Multi-Airline Route  
 Permanent Line Route

SECTION 2.2

Apparatus OT Terminal Equipment and  
 Associated Assemblies  
 Apparatus VT Telegraph-Terminal Equipment  
 and associated assemblies  
 Relays 299 LN  
 Repeaters (T, VF, 8-circuit and  
 commercial equivalents)  
 Switchboards Teleprinter  
 Teleprinters and terminal Units (all  
 types)  
 Teletypewriters  
 Units Signalling VT No. 3  
 Units Filter Balance and Bypass (all  
 types)  
 VT Spares, Teleprinter Spares, Cipher  
 Spares and High-Speed Spares  
 Supply Unit Rectifiers

SECTION 2.1

Reception Sets (all types)  
 Wavemotors and Frequency Motors (all  
 types)  
 Handcart Wireless  
 Wireless Sets (all types including  
 Installation Kits and Packs)

SECTION 2.2

Charging Sets (all types) 1170  
 Generating Sets } all types provided  
 Power Units } for use with Sig-  
 Batteries Buc Port } nal Equipment  
 Hydrometers  
 Battery Chargers No. 1  
 Cipher Machine Type (all marks)  
 Convertors AC/DC (all types)  
 Test Sets AC/DC

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