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FROM: Ministry of War

Ref. 13160/S/1

TO MMIA

Date: 1 Dec. 44

Subject: Issue of rations - 25/11 - 9/12/44

Ref. AQ/2/7-9 dated 23/11/44

It is mentioned that for the fortnight detailed above the number of rations for the CCRR is 44,088 while for the army the number of daily ration required is 256,038.

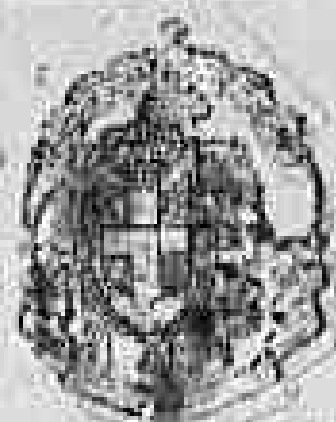
However, with reference to the a/m letter the issue of authorized rations for the CCRR was 40,600 and 259,526 for the Army. The total number of rations was 300,126. This Ministry modified the assignment according to the actual requirement in issuing to the CCRR rations assigned in excess to the Army.

May please the above procedure be sanctioned.

Sgd. PELLIGRA

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P.M. 151 22 Novem. 1944



Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

-Ufficio Situazioni-

Inviato

Det. N. 696 /SA. Magg.

LA LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA)ROMA

Rappresent. f. l. l.

Dir.

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A.

OGGETTO: Trasmissione specchi quindicinali
forza vettovagliata.-

e, per conoscenza :

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA = GABINETTO =
Ufficio C.A.S. E. D. E.

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Con riferimento al foglio ST/40 del  
4 settembre 1944 si trasmettono gli specchi  
della forza vettovagliata al 9 novembre 1944,  
tratta dalla situazione compilata dallo  
S.M.R.E..-

p. IL MINISTRO

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMM/TO MILITARE  
- Ufficio Situazioni -

9 NOVEMBRE 1944

FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL .....

|                                             | ESERCITO | MARINA | AERONAUTICA | T O T A L E |
|---------------------------------------------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| SETTORE DI PALERMO<br>(Sicilia)             | 17.220   | 5.110  | 842         | 23.172 ✓    |
| SETTORE DI CAGLIARI<br>(Sardegna e Corsica) | 25.119   | 6.029  | 3.731       | 34.879 ✓    |
| SETTORE DI GROTONI<br>(Calabria)            | 10.901   | 495    | 158         | 11.554 ✓    |
| SETTORE DI TARANTO                          | 18.209   | 41.782 | 7.959       | 67.950 ✓    |
| SETTORE DI NAPOLI (1)                       | 155.355  | 11.599 | 2.160       | 169.114 ✓   |
| SETTORE DI BARI (2)                         | 52.207   | 2.078  | 10.266      | 64.521 ✓    |
| SETTORE DI ROMA                             | 21.115   | 1.750  | 4.599       | 27.464 ✓    |
| T O T A L E                                 | 300.126  | 68.843 | 29.715      | 398.684     |

- (1) - Comprese le truppe avanzate dislocate nel Settore Tirrenico.-  
 (2) - " " " " " " Settore Adriatico.-



9 NOVEMBRE 1944

FORMA VECNOVIAGIATA AL .....

|                          | CST    | CVST    | SUD     | TOTAL   |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| FUORI CURA DI OPERAZIONE | 36.794 | 115.862 | 71.449  | 224.105 |
| 8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA    | 11.734 | 15.413  |         | 27.147  |
| 5 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA    |        | 8.821   |         | 8.821   |
| P. B. S.                 |        | 40.053  |         | 40.053  |
| REGIA MARINA             | 2.078  | 13.349  | 53.416  | 68.843  |
| REGIA AERONAUTICA        | 10.256 | 6.759   | 12.690  |         |
| TOTALE                   | 60.872 | 200.257 | 137.555 |         |

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMM/TO MILITARE  
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9 NOVEMBRE 1944

FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL .....

|                                             | ESERCITO | MARINA | AERONAUTICA | T O T A L E |
|---------------------------------------------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| SETTORE DI PALERMO<br>(Sicilia)             | 17.220   | 5.110  | 842         | 23.172      |
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| SETTORE DI CROTONE<br>(Calabria)            | 10.901   | 495    | 158         | 11.554      |
| SETTORE DI TARANTO                          | 18.209   | 41.782 | 7.959       | 67.950      |
| SETTORE DI NAPOLI (1)                       | 155.355  | 11.599 | 2.160       | 169.114     |
| SETTORE DI BARI (2)                         | 52.207   | 2.078  | 10.266      | 64.521      |
| SETTORE DI ROMA                             | 21.115   | 1.750  | 4.599       | 27.464      |
| T O T A L E                                 | 300.126  | 68.843 | 29.715      | 398.684     |

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FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL ..... 9 NOVEMBRE 1944

|                          | EST    | OVEST   | SUD     | TOTALE  |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| FUORI ZONA DI OPERAZIONE | 36.794 | 115.862 | 71.449  | 224.105 |
| 8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA    | 11.734 | 15.413  |         | 27.147  |
| 5 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA    |        | 8.821   |         | 8.821   |
| P. B. S.                 |        | 40.053  |         | 40.053  |
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SUBJECT: Ration Release 10-NOV thru 4 NOV 44.

Land Forces Sub Commission A.C.

M.M.I.A.

ROME

30/2/7 - 2/10

9 November 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 10-Nov thru 24 Nov 44. In accordance with your letter 8991/s of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

## 2. TOTAL STRENGTH

- a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY          | NAVY   | AIR FORCE | CCRR   |
|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| 260,150       |        |           |        |
| 259,526       | 67,678 | *30,998   | 40,750 |
| TOTAL 309,582 |        |           | 40,600 |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ/2/7 of 3 August 44.  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

## REMINDEES

- b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 of 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

- (1) The following will NOT be issued with Army rations:-

|     |                                                                  |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a) | Any Civilian                                                     |
| (b) | Personnel on leave                                               |
| (c) | Personnel absent without leave                                   |
| (d) | Red Cross personnel                                              |
| (e) | Personnel confined in civil jails                                |
|     | (My letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers) |
| (f) | Royal Forestry Guards                                            |
| (g) | Guardia di Finanza                                               |

3. No repayment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by IAHIA. Italian Units



2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

|       | <u>ARMY</u>        | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CORR</u>       |
|-------|--------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|
|       | <del>240,150</del> | 67,678      | *30,998          | <del>40,750</del> |
|       | 259,526            |             |                  | 40,600            |
| TOTAL | 309,582            |             |                  |                   |
|       | 303,126            |             |                  |                   |
|       | 398,802            |             |                  |                   |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AG/2/7 of 3 August 44.

SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AG/2 of 23 June, Army Sub Commission AGC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following will NOT be issued with Army rations:-

- .. (a) Any Civilian
- .. (b) Personnel on leave
- .. (c) Personnel absent without leave
- .. (d) Red Cross personnel
- .. (e) Personnel confined in civil jails
- (My letter AG/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza

3. No repayment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by MMIA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.

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for Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

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*Ministero della Guerra*DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

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Divisione

Sect. 1. 539 / SA Allegati 2

Riposta al f. del

Da

ROMA

OGGETTO Situazione mensile della forza vetto-  
vagliata .-

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO GUERRA = GABINETTO =  
-Ufficio C.A. -S E D E

Con riferimento al foglio AQ/27 del 6 agosto 1944 si trasmette la segnalazione mensile della forza vettovagliata al 24 ottobre 1944, tratta dalla situazione compilata dallo S.M.R.E.-

Si aggiunge tuttavia, che i dati relativi al R.Esercito per la Sicilia e Sardegna sono desunti dalla precedente Situazione, non essendo inclusi nella segnalazione al 24 ottobre 1944 pervenuta dallo S.M.R.E.-

p. IL MINISTRO



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## SITUAZIONE FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 24 OTTOBRE 44 delle FF.AA. ITALIANE

| DISLOCAZIONE                                                | R. ESERCITO | R. MARINA | R. AERONAUTICA | CC. RR. | TOTALE  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|---------|---------|
| CON LE FORMAZIONI INGLESI DELL'8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA        | 10.175      |           |                |         | 10.175  |
| CON LE FORMAZIONI DEL 5 <sup>o</sup> CORPO D'ARMATA POLACCO |             |           |                |         |         |
| CON LE FORMAZIONI DELLA 5 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA               | 9.346       |           |                | 52      | 9.398   |
| NELLA ZONA A SUD LINEA OPERAZIONI                           | 199.644     | 56.763    | 26.379         | 29.928  | 312.714 |
| SARDEGNA (1)                                                | 26.501      | 6.265     | 3.830          | 3.309   | 39.905  |
| SICILIA (2)                                                 | 9.516       | 4.650     | 789            | 7.461   | 22.416  |
| CORSICA                                                     | 4.974       |           |                |         | 4.974   |
| ESTERO                                                      |             |           |                |         |         |
| TOTALE                                                      | 260.156     | 67.678    | 30.998         | 40.750  | 399.582 |

(1)-(2) I dati relativi al R.Esercito per la Sardegna e Sicilia sono stati desunti dalla precedente Situazione, non essendo ancora pervenute le nuove segnalazioni dallo S.M.R.E.-



## SITUAZIONE FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 24 OTTOBRE 44 delle FF. AA. ITALIANE.

| DISLOCAZIONE                                                | R. ESERCITO | R. MARINA | R. AERONAUTICA | CC. RR. | TOTALE  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|---------|---------|
| CON LE FORMAZIONI INGLESI DELL'8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA        | 10.175      |           |                |         | 10.175  |
| CON LE FORMAZIONI DEL 5 <sup>o</sup> CORPO D'ARMATA POLACCO |             |           |                |         |         |
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| CORSICA                                                     | 4.974       |           |                |         | 4.974   |
| ESTERO                                                      |             |           |                |         |         |
| TOTALE                                                      | 260.156     | 67.678    | 30.998         | 40.750  | 399.582 |

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SUBJECT: Rations for the Period  
25 Oct thru 9 Nov. 1944

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MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY  
R O M E  
AQ/2/7-7  
30 October 1944.

TO : Ministry of War.

Ref to your letter 11754/S/1 of 28 October 1944.

1. This is your authority to change our letter AQ/2/7-6 dated 24th October 1944 to read as follows:

Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

ARMY  
301,122

NAVY  
70,222

AIR FORCE  
30,856

*Tommy T. Rose*  
TOMMY T. ROSE, Major  
for Major General  
NMIA.

TRC/ag

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## Translation

From : Ministry of W.  
To ; M.M.I.A.

Ref. 11754/S/1  
date 28/10/44

Subject : Ration allotment for fortnight ending 9/11/44

Your AQ/2/7/6/ dated 24/10/ authorized issue of 412.113 ration strength fed according to 210/SA dated 11/10/.

Since at present the strength has been reduced 402.200 men, as per return enclosed with letter 371/SA dated 24th Oct. instructions have been issued for rations to be drawn in accordance with the more recent return.

Will you please authorize the measures taken by this Ministry the rations being split as follows.

Army 301.122

Navy 70.222

Ar. Force 30.856

General Pelligra



*Def*

*10-24 Nov 44*

SUBJECT: Ration Release ~~25 Oct~~ thru 3 Nov 44.

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY

ROME

AQ/2/7 - 6-8

2 October 1944

TO : Ministry of War

*10 Nov 44*

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of ~~25 Oct~~ thru 3 Nov 44. In accordance with your letter 8991/s of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY                 | NAVY          | AIR FORCE       | COER          |
|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| <i>272,520</i>       | <i>68,648</i> | <i>* 29,916</i> | <i>40,929</i> |
| <i>260,156</i>       | <i>63,678</i> | <i>* 20,998</i> | <i>40,730</i> |
| TOTAL <i>394,822</i> |               |                 |               |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ/2/7 of 3 August 44,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 of 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following will NOT be issued with Army rations:-

- (a) Any Civilian
- (b) Personnel on leave
- (c) Personnel absent without leave
- (d) Red Cross Personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails  
(My letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza



accordance with your letter 8991/s of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

## 2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

|         |         |         |           |        |
|---------|---------|---------|-----------|--------|
|         | ARMY    | NAVY    | AIR FORCE | CORR   |
|         | 272,819 | 68,848  | * 29,916  | 40,829 |
| 260,156 | 709,000 | 67,678  | * 30,998  | 40,753 |
|         | TOTAL   | 390,582 |           |        |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ/2/7 of 3 August 44,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

## REMINDEES

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 of 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

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- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails  
(My letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza

3. No repayment to allied depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by MMIA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.

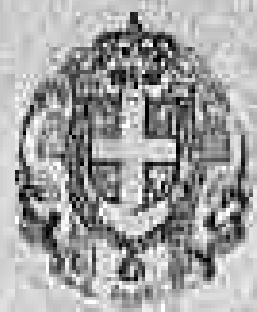
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for Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE  
- Ufficio Situazioni -Divisione Sez.  
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PER L'ESERCITO DELLA  
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Int. N. 209OGGETTO: Situazione mensile della forza vet-  
tovagliata.

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA = CABINETTO = S E D E  
- Ufficio C.A. -

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Con riferimento al foglio AQ/27 del  
6 agosto 1944 si trasmette la segnalazione  
mensile della forza vettovagliata al 25 set-  
tembre 1944 tratta dalla situazione compila-  
ta dallo S.M.R.E.-

P. G. C.  
IL CAPO UFFICIO  
(Cap. Cesare Maramotti)

p. IL MINISTRO  
F.to Pelligra



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SUBJECT: Ration Release 28 Oct thru 9 Nov 44.

MILITARY MISSION ITALIAN ARMY

R O M E

AQ/2/7 - 6-8

24 October 1944

TO : Ministry of War

*10 Nov 24*

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of ~~28 Oct~~ thru 9 Nov 44. In accordance with your letter B991/s of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY           | NAVY           | AIR FORCE       | CGMR          |
|----------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 272,500        | 88,848         | * 29,916        | 40,820        |
| <i>789,100</i> | <i>63,678</i>  | <i>* 30,998</i> | <i>40,750</i> |
| TOTAL          | <i>399,582</i> |                 |               |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ/2/7 of 3 August 44, SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMARKS

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 of 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following will NOT be issued with Army rations:-

- (a) Any Civilian
- (b) Personnel on leave
- (c) Personnel absent without leave
- (d) Red Cross Personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails  
(My letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza

Unissued depot rations issued to Italian



1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of ~~25 Oct~~ thru 3 Nov 44. In accordance with your letter 8991/s of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

## 2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

|       | ARMY    | NAVY   | AIR FORCE | CCFR   |
|-------|---------|--------|-----------|--------|
|       | 272,500 | 63,048 | * 29,016  | 40,829 |
|       | 260,156 | 67,678 | * 20,998  | 40,750 |
| TOTAL | 418,443 |        |           |        |
|       | 399,582 |        |           |        |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ/2/7 of 3 August 44,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

## REMINDERS

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- (d) Red Cross Personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails
- (f) letter AQ/3 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza

3. No repayment to allied depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by MILA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.

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for Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

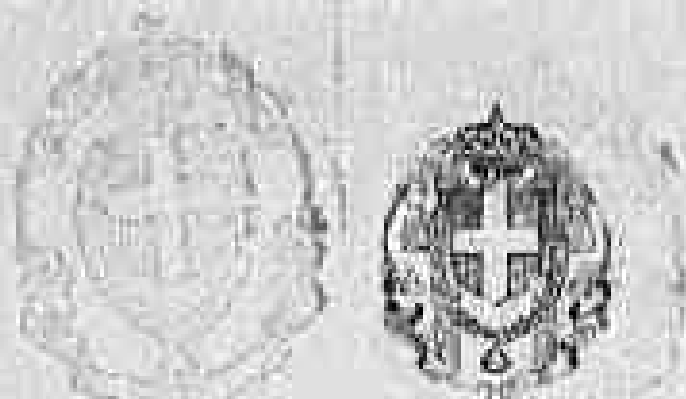
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PER L'ESERCITO DELLA  
A.S.C. ROMARappresentante del  
Gen. 1. 1OGGETTO: Situazione mensile della forza vet-  
tovagliata.

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA = GABINETTO = S E D E  
- Ufficio C.A. -

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Con riferimento al foglio AQ/27 del  
6 agosto 1944 si trasmette la segnalazione  
mensile della forza vettovagliata al 25 set-  
tembre 1944 tratta dalla situazione compila-  
ta dalle S.M.R.E.-

P. C. C.  
IL CAPO UFFICIO  
(Cap. Cesare Maramotti)

p. IL MINISTRO  
F.to Pelligra



## SITUAZIONE FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 25 SETTEMBRE 194

| DISLOCAZIONE                                                | R. ESERCITO | R. MARINA | R. AERONAUTICA |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|
| CON LE FORMAZIONI INGLESI DELL'8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA        | 8.629       |           |                |
| CON LE FORMAZIONI DEL 5 <sup>o</sup> CORPO D'ARMATA POLACCO |             |           |                |
| CON LE FORMAZIONI AMERICANE DELLA 5 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA     | 14.431      |           |                |
| NELLA ZONA SUD LINEA OPERAZIONI                             | 194.107     | 57.421    | 24.572         |
| SARDEGNA                                                    | 40.043      | 6.575     | 4.567          |
| SICILIA                                                     | 10.175      | 4.852     | 777            |
| CORSICA                                                     | 5.135       |           |                |
| ESTERO                                                      |             |           |                |
| TOTALE                                                      | 272.520     | 68.848    | 29.916         |



SITUAZIONE FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 25 SETTEMBRE 1944 DELLE FF.AA. ITAL.

|      | R. ESERCITO  | R. MARINA     | R. AERONAUTICA | DD. RR.      | T O T A L E  |
|------|--------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
|      | <i>8.629</i> | <i>57.421</i> | <i>24.572</i>  | <i>CC RR</i> | <i>13</i>    |
| MATA | 8.629        |               |                | 63           | 8.392        |
|      |              |               |                |              |              |
| MATA |              |               |                |              |              |
|      | 14.431       |               |                | 46           | 14.477       |
|      | 194.107      | 57.421        | 24.572         | 28.909       | 305.009      |
|      | 40.043       | 6.575         | 4.567          | 3.796        | 54.981       |
|      | 10.175       | 4.852         | 777            | 8.015        | 23.819       |
|      | 5.135        |               |                |              | 5.135        |
|      |              |               |                |              |              |
|      | 272.520      | 68.848        | 29.916         | 40.829       | 412.113 ✓    |
|      |              |               |                |              | <i>TOTAL</i> |



SUBJECT: Ration Release 10 Oct thru 24 Oct

Military Mission  
Italian Army,  
ROME  
AQ/2/7-4  
7 October 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 10 Oct thru 24 Oct 1944. In accordance with your letter 8991/S of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH  
Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY          | NAVY   | AIR FORCE | CCRR   |
|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| 309,000       | 68,848 | * 28,708  | 37,912 |
| TOTAL 444,456 |        |           |        |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

#### REMINDERS

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

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- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails  
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- (g) Guardia di Finanza

3. No repayment to allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by IMIA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.



2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| <u>ARMY</u> | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CCRR</u> |
|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|
| 309,000     | 68,848      | 28,708           | 37,912      |
| TOTAL       |             |                  | 444,468     |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

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3. No repayment to allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by MMIA, Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.

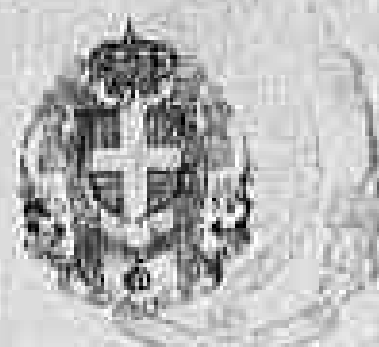
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CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel,  
for Major General,  
M.M.I.A.

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Ufficio Situazioni -

L. 2/10 /SA Allegato 2

LA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE  
PER L'ESERCITO DELLA  
A.S.C. ROMARapportat. all.  
Dic. L. 1°

OGGETTO: Trasmissione specchi forza vettovagliata.

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA = GABINETTO =  
- Ufficio C.A. -S E D E

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Con riferimento al foglio ST/40 del  
4 settembre 1944 si trasmettono gli spec-  
chi della forza vettovagliata al 24 settem-  
bre 1944, tratta dalla situazione compilata  
dallo S.M.R.E.-

p. IL MINISTRO

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA  
DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMM/TO MILITARE  
- Ufficio Situazioni -

FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL .24. Settembre. 1944..

|                                             | ESERCITO | MARINA | AERONAUTICA | T O T A L E |
|---------------------------------------------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| SETTORE DI PALERMO<br>(Sicilia)             | 18.190   | 4.852  | 777         | 23.819      |
| SETTORE DI CAGLIARI<br>(Sardegna e Corsica) | 48.974   | 6.575  | 4.567       | 60.116      |
| SETTORE DI CROTONE<br>(Calabria)            | 14.402   | 461    |             | 14.863      |
| SETTORE DI TAPANTO                          | 22.012   | 40.882 | 7.370       | 70.264      |
| SETTORE DI NAPOLI (L)                       | 123.040  | 12.167 | 2.831       | 138.038     |
| SETTORE DI BARI                             | 64.201   | 2.161  | 11.630      | 77.992      |
| SETTORE DI ROMA                             | 22.530   | 1.750  | 2.741       | 27.021      |
| T O T A L E .....                           | 313.349  | 68.848 | 29.916      | 412.113     |

(1) Compresi 4 Reparti Italiani vettovagliati dal P.B.S. ed i Gruppi di Combattimento ad eccezione del Gruppo di Combattimento "Polgore" e del Gruppo di Combattimento "Piceno" ed i Reparti Italiani con la 5<sup>a</sup> Armata.



|                                             |         |        |        |         |
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| SETTORE DI BARI                             | 64.201  | 2.161  | 11.630 | 77.992  |
| SETTORE DI ROMA                             | 22.530  | 1.750  | 2.741  | 27.021  |
| T O T A L E .....                           | 313.349 | 68.848 | 29.916 | 412.113 |

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## FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 24 Settembre 1944.....

|                                                      | EST<br><i>East</i> | OVEST<br><i>West</i> | SUD<br><i>South</i> |
|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| FUORI ZONA DI OPERAZIONE<br><i>Zone of Operation</i> | 55.571             | 76.463               | 103.479             |
| 8 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA<br><i>8th Army</i>             | 8.629              |                      |                     |
| 5 <sup>a</sup> ARMATA<br><i>5th Army</i>             |                    | 14.431               |                     |
| P. B. S.<br><i>P</i>                                 |                    | 54.776               |                     |
| REGIA MARINA<br><i>navy</i>                          | 2.161              | 13.917               | 52.770              |
| REGIA AERONAUTICA<br><i>Air Force</i>                | 1 1.630            | 5.572                | 12.714              |
| TOTALE                                               | 77.991             | 165.159              | 168.963             |



FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 24 Settembre 1944.....

| EST<br><i>East</i> | OVEST<br><i>West</i> | SUD<br><i>South</i> | T O T A L E |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 55.571             | 76.463               | 103.479             | 235.513     |
| 8.629              |                      |                     | 8.629       |
|                    | 14.431               |                     | 14.431      |
|                    | 54.776               |                     | 54.776      |
| 2.161              | 13.917               | 52.770              | 68.848      |
| 1 1.630            | 5.572                | 12.714              | 29.916      |
| 77.991             | 165.159              | 168.963             | 412.113     |



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SUBJECT: Rations for the period  
10th Oct thru 24th Oct  
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Military Mission Italian Army  
Rome  
AQ/2/7-5  
12 October 1944  
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TO: Ministry of War

Ref to your letter 10867/S/1 of 10th Oct.

1. This is your authority to change our letter  
AQ/2/7-4 of 7th October 1944 to read as follows:

Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CCRR</u> | <u>TOTAL</u> |
|------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 29,916           | 40,829      | 448,592      |

2. Your request to change the release period  
from the 1st. to the 15th, and from the 15th to the  
30th of the month is disapproved. We will continue  
to release rations on a 15 day period, from the 9th  
through the 24th, and from the 25th through the 9th.

TTR:ri

*Tommy T. Rose*  
TOMMY T. ROSE, Major  
for Major General  
MMIA

all 57  
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## Translation

From: M of W

Ref: 10867/s/1

To : MMIA

Date: 10 Oct 44.

Subject: Rations for the period 10-24th Oct.

With reference to letter AQ/2/7/4 dated Oct. 7th, MMIA, for the period 10-24th Oct, has granted authority to draw rations from the Special Depots in the same quantity as in the preceeding fortnight.

This Ministry has not been able to forward to MMIA strength data, because SMRE, that is in charge of strength returns, had not given same data to us.

SMRE has confirmed that strength returns will be ready to-night and therefore MMIA will receive them tomorrow, 11th inst.

The authorized rations for CCRR & R. Air Force are not sufficient and we beg you kindly to take into consideration the necessity of issuing rations according to their actual strength which is the following:

|              |       |                         |
|--------------|-------|-------------------------|
| R. Air Force | 29916 |                         |
| CCRR         | 40829 | strength fed            |
|              | 47463 | actual strength } 6.5 } |

In the return which will be sent tomorrow, location of units will be shown. a/m rations could be eventually taken from the general allotment made for R. Army which does not reach the maximum authorized strength of 309,000 men.

In the meantime we beg you to examine the possibility of:



a either having SMRE to send strength returns before the usual time.

b or of bringing date of ration drawing from special depots to the 1st and 15th of each month.

This will enable us to give MMIA strength data in time and prevent authorities granted by MMIA from not agreeing with the actual strength of the Units. We wait for you kindly to answer as soon as possible

Pillegra

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SUBJECT: Ration Release 10 Oct thru 24 Oct

Military Mission  
Italian Army,  
ROME  
AQ/2/7-4  
7 October 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 10 Oct thru 24 Oct 1944. In accordance with your letter 8991/S of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY    | NAVY    | AIR FORCE | CCRR   |
|---------|---------|-----------|--------|
| 309,000 | 68,848  | * 28,708  | 37,912 |
| TOTAL   | 444,468 |           |        |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

b. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following will NOT be issued with Army rations:-

- (a) Any Civilian
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- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails  
(by letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 24 May 1944)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards
- (g) Guardia di Finanza

3. No repayment to allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by MIA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this headquarters or in emergency.



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| <u>ARMY</u>   | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CCRR</u> |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|
| 309,000       | 58,848      | * 28,708         | 57,912      |
| TOTAL 444,463 |             |                  |             |

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SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

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DISTRIBUTION: (see over)

CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel,  
for Major General,  
M.M.I.A.

*See Index 58*



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| DATE   | 27 |
| TIME   | 9  |

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FLAT OFFICER, LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

25th September, 1944.

No. 1,181.

MINISTRY OF DEFENSE TO THE  
ITALIAN ARMY.

ESTIMATE FOR FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian  
army for the period 9th to 23rd October, 1944, is  
forwarded herewith.



FOR REAR ADMIRAL.

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NAPOLI ..... 11,239  
Castellammare di Stabia ..... 738  
Totale ..... 12,167

Roma {  
Ministero Marina ..... 1,560  
Reale Carabinieri ..... 34  
Pol. Milit. Serv. Alleati ..... 356  
Totale ..... 1,750

La Maddalena ..... 4,697  
Cagliari ..... 1,878  
Totale ..... 6,575

STORIA {  
Augusta (prolata da Reg. R. di Calabria) ..... 3,650  
Messina ..... 1,522  
Trapani ..... 750  
Totale ..... 4,052 ✓

TOTALE ..... 63,848 ✓

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SUBJECT: Ration Release 25 Sept thru 9 Oct 1944

Military Mission  
Italian Army,  
ROME  
AQ/2/7-2  
23 September 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 25 Sept thru 9 Oct 1944. In accordance with your letter 8991/S of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| ARMY          | NAVY   | AIR FORCE | CORR   |
|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| 309,000       | 69,069 | *28,708   | 37,912 |
| 17,327        |        |           |        |
| TOTAL 444,689 |        |           |        |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944,  
SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

#### REMARKS

1. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter AQ/2 23 June, Army Sub Commission ACC, SUBJECT: Italian Army.

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|---------------|--------|-----------|--------|
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| 117,237       |        |           |        |
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TTR/wk

CLAYTON P. KERR, Colonel,  
for Major General,  
M. M. I. A.

DISTRIBUTION: (see over)







## Traslation

From ; MOW

Ref. 10001/S/1

To : M.M.I.A.

Date 20 Sept.

Subject: Strength return

We refer to Letters AQ/2/7 and ST/40/3 respectively of the 6/8/44 and 14/9/44.

This Ministry has found impossible to send the strength situation on the 19 Sept as requested by M.M.I.A. as they had not received it from the operation Office of S.M.R.E.

We will however send it as soon as the S.M.R.E. ops office will be able to send it to us .

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Subject: Strength Reports

Army Sub Commission (MMIA)  
H.Q. A.C.C.  
ROME  
AQ/2/7-1  
17 September 1944

To : War Ministry

Ref. your 9705/S 15 September 1944

- Ref 42

1. The strength return requested in our AQ/27 6 August 1944 will continue to be furnished to this office until otherwise notified.

*Tommy T. Rose*  
TOMMY T. ROSE, Major  
for Major General,  
Army Sub Commission MMIA

TTR:ri

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COPY OF TRANSLATION

Ref. 9705/S  
15 Sept. 44

From: M.O.W

To : MMIA

Subject: Strength reports.

I beg you to inform us if it is still necessary to send the strength return requested with letter Ref. AQ/3 dated 31-3-44. This because the same data are shown on the returns requested with letter Ref. S/40 dated 4/9/44, which are sent to MMIA on the 9th. and 24th. of each month.

Please inform us moreover of the way and the time strength returns of the Italian army have to be sent in for, the request for the authorization for withdrawal of rations from Italian Depots.

Pelligra

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FLAG OFFICER LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

14th September, 1944.

No. L.181.

MILITARY MISSION TO THE  
ITALIAN ARMY.

|           |     |
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| MAILED    | AR  |
| EX-100    | 2/7 |
| Dis. Recd | 159 |

ESTIMATE FOR FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian  
navy for the period 24th September to 8th October is  
forwarded herewith.

S. J. Blackburn.

for REAR ADMIRAL

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COPY

COPIA PER IL P.S.I.

PREVENTIVO DI VINCORRIMENTO DEL PERSONALE DELLA R. MARINA

per la quindicina dal 24.5. al 8.10.44.

| Data di decorrenza      | Località di distribuzione           | Regioni tipo |       |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------|
|                         |                                     |              | unico |
| MARTOCCHI TARANTO       | Taranto .....                       | 32.749       |       |
|                         | Brindisi .....                      | 8.153        |       |
|                         | Gallipoli .....                     | 437          |       |
|                         | Crotone .....                       | 400          |       |
|                         | Vibo Valentia .....                 | 45           |       |
| MARTOCCHI S. S. CROTONE | Ragusa Calabria .....               | 52           |       |
|                         | Barz .....                          | 2.152        |       |
| Totale .....            |                                     | 44.027       |       |
| MARTOCCHI NAPOLI        | Napoli .....                        | 11.018       |       |
|                         | Castellammare di Stabia .....       | 375          |       |
| Totale .....            |                                     | 11.393       |       |
| MARTOCCHISEZ ROMA       | Ministero Marina .....              | 1.360        |       |
|                         | Roma Reali Carabinieri .....        | 63           |       |
|                         | Polizia Milit./-me Serv. Alleati .. | 322          |       |
|                         | Totale .....                        | 1.750        |       |
| MARTINA CAGLIARI        | La Maddalena .....                  | 4.970        |       |
|                         | Cagliari .....                      | 2.022        |       |
| Totale .....            |                                     | 6.992        |       |



MACERINO R.L. CRISTONE  
 {  
 {  
 {  
 Vibo Valentia ..... 45  
 Reggio Calabria ..... 52  
 Bari ..... 2.152  
 Totale ..... 11.327

MARCONI NAPOLI  
 {  
 {  
 {  
 Napoli ..... 11.013  
 Castellammare di Stabia ..... 375  
 Totale ..... 11.393

MARCONI NAPOLI  
 {  
 {  
 {  
 Ministero Marina ..... 1.360  
 Rome Reali Carabinieri ..... 68  
 Polizia Milit./res. Serv. Allenti ..... 322  
 Totale ..... 1.750

MARINA CAGLIARI  
 {  
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 {  
 La Maddalena ..... 4.970  
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 Augusta (preleva da Mag. R.E. di  
 Catania)  
 Messina ( " " Messina )  
 3.703.  
 454  
 Trapani ( " " Palermo )  
 750  
 Totale ..... 4.907  
 TOTALE GENERALI ..... 69.069



SUBJECT: Ration Release 1 Sept. thru 24 Sept. 1944.

ARMY SUB COMMISSION (MMIA)

HQ ACC

ROME

AQ 2/7

August 1944

TO : Ministry of War.

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 1 Sept. thru 24 Sept. 1944. In accordance with your letter 8991/S of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| <u>ARMY</u>   | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CCRR</u> |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|
| 309,000       | 70,561      | *28,552          | 46,761      |
| TOTAL 455,874 |             |                  |             |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944 SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

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- (g) Guardia di Finanza.

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2.

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DISTRIBUTION: (see over)

CLAYTON P KERR, Colonel  
for Major General  
Army Sub Commission ACC



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FLAG OFFICER LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

25th August, 1944.

No. L.181.

MILITARY MISSION TO THE  
ITALIAN ARMY.

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ESTIMATE FOR FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian navy  
for the period 9th September to 23rd September is  
forwarded herewith.

*W. Palmer*

For REAR ADMIRAL.

*W. Palmer*

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SUBJECT: Ration Release 1 Sept. thru 24 Sept. 1944.

ARMY SUB COMMISSION (MIA)

HQ ACC

ROME

AQ 2/7

August 1944

TO : Ministry of War.

1. This is your authority for the daily issue of rations for the Italian armed forces for a period of 1 Sept. thru 24 Sept. 1944. In accordance with your letter 8991/S of 30 August which lists the unit, location, strength and depot from which the unit will draw rations.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

| <u>ARMY</u> | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>CORR</u> |
|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|
| 309,000     | 70,561      | *28,552          | 46,761      |
| TOTAL       | 455,974     |                  |             |

\*To be issued in accordance with letter AQ 2/7 of 3 August 1944 SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMINDERS

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(My letter AQ/6 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards.
- (g) Guardia di Finanza.

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|---------|---------|-----------|--------|
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| TOTAL   | 455,874 |           |        |

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DISTRIBUTION: (see over)

CLAYTON P KERR, Colonel  
for Major General  
Army Sub Commission ACC



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 HQ No 2 District  
 HQ No 3 District  
 PBS  
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 AIR FORCE SUB COMMISSION ACC  
 COL SIMMONS thru ALLIED GARRISON CMD. SARDINIA  
 PBS for MMIA IO  
 LT COL ALBERT thru HQ REGION 1 ACC APO 394 SICILY  
 MMIA IO with FIFTH ARMY  
 " " " REAR EIGHTH ARMY  
 " " " 2 DISTRICT  
 " " " 3 DISTRICT  
 " " " 60 SUB AREA  
 " " " 55 AREA  
 " " " 1 DISTRICT  
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FLAG OFFICER LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

25th August, 1944.

No. L.181.

MILITARY MISSION TO THE  
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ESTIMATE FOR FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian navy  
for the period 9th September to 23rd September is  
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*Salerno*

for REAR ADMIRAL.

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FLAG OFFICER LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

25th August, 1944.

No. L.181.

MILITARY MISSION TO THE  
ITALIAN ARMY.

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ESTIMATE FOR FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian navy  
for the period 9th September to 23rd September is  
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*W. Palmer*  
for REAR ADMIRAL.

*W. Palmer*

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Copia per il E.O.L.I.

PREVENTIVO DI VETROVAGLIAMENTO DEL PERSONALE DELLA R. MARINA

per la quindicina dal 9/9/44 al 23/9/1944

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| Ante di ricezione                  | Località di distribuzione                                               | Ragione tipo X unico |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| MARICOMI TARANTO                   | Taranto.....                                                            | 33.666               |
|                                    | Brindisi.....                                                           | 8.967                |
|                                    | Gallipoli.....                                                          | 471                  |
|                                    | Crotone.....                                                            | 790                  |
|                                    | Vibo Valentia.....                                                      | 37                   |
|                                    | Reggio Calabria.....                                                    | 298                  |
| MARAZZANI P. ESER-<br>CITO CROTONE | Bari.....                                                               | 2.010                |
| MARINA BARI                        | Totale                                                                  | 46.239               |
| MARICOMI NAPOLI                    | Napoli.....                                                             | 10.398               |
|                                    | Castellammare di Stabia.....                                            | 299                  |
| MARICOMI MANDALINA                 | Totale                                                                  | 10.697               |
| MARINA CAGLIARI                    | La Maddalena.....                                                       | 6.932                |
|                                    | Olbia.....                                                              | 1.866                |
| MARICOMI POMA                      | Cagliari.....                                                           | 6.798                |
| MARICOMI POMA                      | Totale                                                                  | 1.750                |
| MARINA AUGUSTA                     | Roma.....                                                               | 1.750                |
| STOI-MARINA AUGUSTA                | Totale                                                                  | 1.750                |
| MARINA AUGUSTA                     | Augusta { ritirano i viveri<br>dal Magazzino R.E.<br>Messine di Catania | 5.712                |
| STOI-MARINA AUGUSTA                |                                                                         | 595                  |



|                      |   |                              |        |
|----------------------|---|------------------------------|--------|
| CICLO CROTONI        |   | Reggio Calabria.....         | 37     |
| MARINA BARI          |   | Bari.....                    | 298    |
|                      |   | Totale                       | 2.610  |
|                      |   |                              | 46.239 |
| MARICOMI NAPOLI      | { | Napoli.....                  | 10.398 |
|                      |   | Castellammare di Stabia..... | 299    |
|                      |   | Totale                       | 10.697 |
| MARICOMI MADDALENA   | { | La Maddalena.....            | 4.932  |
|                      |   | Olbia.....                   |        |
| MARINA CAGLIARI      |   | Cagliari.....                | 1.866  |
|                      |   | Totale                       | 6.798  |
| MARICOMISEZ ROMA     |   | Roma.....                    | 1.750  |
|                      |   | Totale                       | 1.750  |
| MARINA AUGUSTA       | { | Augusta { ritirano i viveri  |        |
| SICOT-MARINA MESSINA | { | dal magazzino R.E.           | 3.712  |
| LLA                  | { | Messina { di Catania         |        |
| MARINA TRIPANI       |   | Trepani idem c.s. di Palermo | 595    |
|                      |   | Totale                       | 770    |
|                      |   |                              | 5.077  |
|                      |   | Totale generale              | 70.561 |



MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA

DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLEATA DI

CONTROLLO PER L'AERONAUTICA

Prot. N° 1334/817

= R O M A =

OGGETTO: Situazione Forza Vettoreggiata della R. Aeronautica alla data del 15 Agosto 1944.=

Si trasmettono in allegato n° 5 specchi riflettenti la situazione della forza Vettoreggiata della R. Aeronautica alla data del 15 Agosto 1944.=

Detta forza è così ripartita:

IV<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T.

Campania

III<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T.

- Sardegna

Palermo

Catania

TRUPPE OPERANTI

5131

1001

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TRUPPE TERRITORIALI

13198

1804

1154

5584 (17)

636

379 (2)

|        |      |   |              |
|--------|------|---|--------------|
| Totale | 6162 | + | 22755= 28917 |
|--------|------|---|--------------|

(1) di cui 352 militari del R. Esercito aggregati per vitto  
(2) " " " " " " " " " " " "

Depositi presso i quali sono state richieste le assegnazioni al Ministero della Guerra, per la quindicina 25 Agosto - 8 Settembre:

|          |            |                     |                     |
|----------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Deposito | Dari n°    | 12033               | razioni giornaliere |
| "        | Taranto "  | 6296                | "                   |
| "        | Napoli "   | 2805                | "                   |
| "        | Roma "     | 1184                | "                   |
| "        | Cagliari " | 5584                | "                   |
| "        | Palermo "  | 636                 | "                   |
| "        | Catania "  | 379                 | "                   |
| Totale   | n° 28917   | razioni giornaliere |                     |

365

28552

Per il MINISTRO



Si trasmettono in allegato n° 5 specchi riflettenti la situazione della forza vettovagliata della R. Aeronautica alla data del 15 Agosto 1944.=

Detta forza è così ripartita:

|                         |                 |                     |
|-------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| IV <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T.  | TRUPPE OPERANTI | TRUPPE TERRITORIALI |
| Campania                | 5131            | 13198               |
| III <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. | IOCI            | 1804                |
| - Sardegna              | 30              | 1154                |
| Palermo                 | --              | 5584 (1)            |
| Catania                 | --              | 636                 |
|                         |                 | 379 (2)             |

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|                  |       |                     |
|------------------|-------|---------------------|
| Deposito Bari n° | I2033 | razioni giornaliere |
| " Taranto "      | 6296  | " "                 |
| " Napoli "       | 2805  | " "                 |
| " Roma "         | 1184  | " "                 |
| " Cagliari "     | 5584  | " "                 |
| " Palermo "      | 636   | " "                 |
| " Catania "      | 379   | " "                 |

Totale n° 28917 razioni giornaliere

365

28,552

Per il MILITARE

IL DIRETTORE-COLONNELLO COMMISSARIO

( F. Fucile )

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*Passante request for 1944 ration allocation*

*A. V. Eliot*

A. V. ELIOT  
Col., Signal Corps





SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DELLA IV<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. ALLA DATA DEL

15 AGOSTO 1944

| Z N T I                                           |                      | TERRITORIALI |          | OPERANTI |
|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------|----------|
| Aeroporto                                         | PALESE               |              | 823      |          |
| Mense Ufficiali Presidio                          | BARI                 |              | 302      |          |
| " Sottufficiali "                                 | BARI                 |              | 437      |          |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Battaglione Autonomo               | BARI                 |              | 814      |          |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Reggimento Avieri                  | BARI                 |              | 1333     |          |
| Reparto Servizi della IV <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. BARI |                      |              | 1108     |          |
| Battaglione Arditi                                | COZZE DI MOLA        |              | 1285     |          |
| Aeroporto                                         | BRINDISI             |              | 498 (+)  |          |
| "                                                 | GICIA DEL COLLE      |              | 104      |          |
| "                                                 | S. VITO DEI NORMANNI |              | 263 (+)  |          |
| "                                                 | LEVERANO             |              | 32 (+)   |          |
| "                                                 | REGGIO CALABRIA      |              | 60       |          |
| "                                                 | FOGGIA               |              | 140      |          |
| Compagnie e Nuclei Vari                           | FOGGIA               |              | 1744     |          |
| Aerodistaccamento                                 | TERLIZZI             |              | 648      |          |
| "                                                 | CAFURSO              |              | 320      |          |
| "                                                 | MUNCIACCA            |              | 263      |          |
| "                                                 | BITONTO              |              | 390      |          |
| "                                                 | CROTONE              |              | 189      |          |
| "                                                 | GROTTAGLIE           |              | 85       |          |
| "                                                 | VICO TALENTIA        |              | 43       |          |
| 54 <sup>o</sup> Dep. e Comp. G.A.T.               | TARANTO              |              | 322 (+)  |          |
| Presidio                                          | LECCE                |              | 140 (+)  |          |
| Aeroporto                                         | LECCE                |              | 800 (+)  |          |
| Aeroporto                                         | TARANTO              |              | 800 (+)  |          |
| 156 <sup>a</sup> Deposito                         | NOICATTARO           |              | 255      |          |
| Comando Unità Aerea                               | BARI                 |              | 170      |          |
| Squadriglia Autonoma                              | PALESE               |              | 119      |          |
| Reparti Caccia                                    | NUOVA                |              | 1249     |          |
| Aeroporto                                         | S. NICOLA VARANO     |              | 83       |          |
| Raggrupp. Idro e SRAM                             | TARANTO              |              | 810 (+)  |          |
| SRAM Bombardamento                                | LECCE                |              | 1885 (+) |          |
| 83 <sup>o</sup> Gruppo Idro                       | BRINDISI             |              | 361 (+)  |          |
| SRAM E Scuola Caccia                              | LEVERANO             |              | 385 (+)  |          |
| 140 <sup>a</sup> Squadriglia                      | ELMAS                |              | 69       |          |
|                                                   |                      |              | 13198    |          |
|                                                   |                      |              | 5131     |          |

Deposito Bari

12033 razioni giornaliere

Taranto

6296

Totale no 18329

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|                         |                      |      |     |
|-------------------------|----------------------|------|-----|
| "                       | GIOLA DEL GOLLE      | 104  |     |
| "                       | S. VITO DEI NORMANNI | 263  | (+) |
| "                       | LEVERANO             | 32   | (+) |
| "                       | REGGIO GALABRIA      | 60   |     |
| "                       | FOGGIA               | 140  |     |
| "                       | FOGGIA               | 1744 |     |
| "                       | TERLIZZI             | 648  |     |
| "                       | CAPURSO              | 320  |     |
| "                       | MUNGIVACCA           | 263  |     |
| "                       | BITONTO              | 390  |     |
| "                       | CROTONE              | 189  |     |
| "                       | GROTTAGLIE           | 85   |     |
| "                       | VIBO VALENTIA        | 43   |     |
| "                       | TARANTO              | 322  | (+) |
| "                       | LECCE                | 140  | (+) |
| "                       | LECCE                | 800  | (+) |
| "                       | TARANTO              | 800  | (+) |
| "                       | NOICATTARO           | 255  |     |
| 54° Dep. e Comp. G.A.T. | BARI                 | 170  |     |
| Presidio                | PALESE               | 119  |     |
| Aeroporto               | NUOVA                | 1249 |     |
| Aeroporto               | S. NICOLA VARANO     | 83   |     |
| Aeroporto               | TARANTO              | 810  | (+) |
| Reggrupp. Idro e SRAM   | LECCE                | 1885 | (+) |
| SRAM Bombardamento      | BRINDISI             | 361  | (+) |
| 83° Gruppo Idro         | LEVERANO             | 385  | (+) |
| SRAM E Scuola Caccia    | ELIAS                | 69   |     |
| 140° Squadriglia        |                      | 5131 |     |

|          |           |       |                     |
|----------|-----------|-------|---------------------|
| Deposito | Bari      | 12033 | razioni giornaliere |
| "        | Taranto   | 6296  | "                   |
|          | Totale n° | 18329 |                     |

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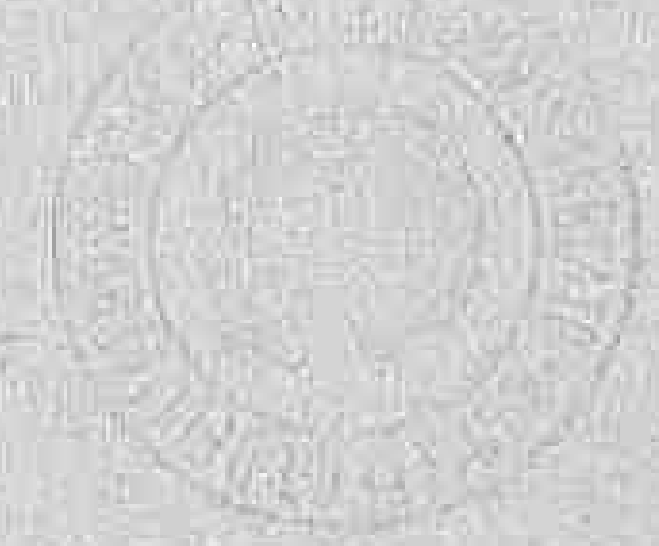


SITUAZIONE DELL'FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DELLA AERONAUTICA DELLA  
CAMPANIA ALLA DATA DEL 15 AGOSTO 1944

ENTI E REPARTI TERRITORIALI CEFERANTI

|                          |                        |       |      |
|--------------------------|------------------------|-------|------|
| Mensa Presidio           | NAPOLI                 | 305   |      |
| Mensa Caserma            | CASANOVA               | 336   |      |
| Personale a disposizione |                        | 200   |      |
| 3° CE. EA. RA.           | CASALEA                | 300   |      |
| Centro R.A.              | MONTESARCHIO           | 82    |      |
| Presidio R.A.            | CASERTA                | 75    |      |
| 1ª Compagnia Guardie     | CAPODICCHINO           | 105   |      |
| 2ª " "                   | CAPODICCHINO           | 58    |      |
| Compagnia Guardie        | FORTICI                | 89    |      |
| Compagnie Guardie        | CASTELLAMARE di STABIA | 54    |      |
| Personale di passaggio   |                        | 200   |      |
| Reparti Caccia           | VESUVIO                | 385   |      |
| Reparti Bombardamento    | VESUVIO                | 527   |      |
| Reparti Caccia           | CAPODICCHINO           | 27    |      |
| Reparti Bombardamento    | MONTECORVINO           | 62    |      |
|                          |                        | <hr/> |      |
|                          |                        | 1804  | 1001 |

Deposito Napoli n° 2805 razioni giornaliere





SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVACLIATA DELLA III<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. ALLA DATA DEL  
15 AGOSTO 1944

| ENTI E REPARTI                                              | TERRITORIALI         | OPERANTI |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------|
| Comando Nucleo Aeronautica<br>della III <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. | 1154                 | 30       |
|                                                             | <hr/> Totale N° 1154 | <hr/> 30 |

Deposito Roma n° 1184 razioni giornaliere

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DELL'AERONAUTICA DELLA SARDEGNA  
ALLA DATA DEL 15 AGOSTO 1944

## ENTI E REPARTI

## TERRITORIALI

## OPERANTI

Enti Vari

5584 (1)

Totale

5584 (1)

(1) di cui n° 352 militari del R.Esercito aggregati per vitto .

Deposito Cagliari n° 5584 razioni giornaliere.-

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DELL'AERONAUTICA DELLA SICILIA  
ALLA DATA DEL 15 AGOSTO

## ENTI E REPARTI

## TERRITORIALI

## OPERANTI

Palermo

636

Catania

379 (I)

Totale

1015

(I) di cui n° 13 militari del R. Esercito aggregati per vitto -

Deposito Palermo n° 636 razioni giornaliere

" Catania " 379 " "

n° 1015 razioni giornaliere

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SUBJECT: Rations - Period 23 August thru 31 August 1944

ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ALIA)

HQ AGO

ROME

40/27

August 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. Authority is given for the daily issue of rations to the Italian Forces for period 23 August through 31 August 1944, up to, but not exceeding the totals shown below.

2. Another release will be made for period beginning 1st September 1944.

REGION STRENGTH OF THE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES

DAILY SUMMARY

| <u>LOCATION</u>         | <u>ARMY</u> | <u>NAVY</u> | <u>AIR FORCE</u> | <u>S.C.R.A.</u> |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Mainland<br>Combat Zone | 45,042      |             |                  | 372             |
| Rear of<br>Combat Zone  | 177,526     | 39,236      | 22,318           | 25,010          |
| SICILY                  | 13,217      | 5,000       | 1,015            | 8,406           |
| SARDINIA                | 78,784      | 7,099       | 5,584            | 3,951           |
| CORSICA                 | 4,932       |             |                  |                 |
| TOTALS                  | 320,301     | 71,335      | 28,918           | 37,769          |
| CALLED TOTAL            | 458,322     |             |                  |                 |

To be issued in accordance with letter 40/27 of 3 Aug 44, SUBJECT: Rations Italian Air Force.

REMARKS

1. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter 40/2 23 Aug, Army Sub Commission AGO SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following shall NOT be issued with Army rations:-

- (a) Army Civilian personnel
- (b) Personnel on leave
- (c) Personnel absent without leave
- (d) Red Cross Personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails (by letter 40/8 of 23 Aug 44 amended by letter of 27 May 1945)
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards.
- (g) Guardia di Finanza.

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Headland  
Combat Zone

15, 112

372

Rear of  
Combat Zone

177,526

58,236

22,318

25,040

STAFF

13,217

5,000

1,015

8,406

SAFETY

78,784

7,099

5,584

3,951

GRAND TOTAL

4,932

TOTALS

329,301

71,335

28,917

37,769

GRAND TOTAL

458,322

To be issued in accordance with letter 22/2/7 of 3 May 14, SUBJECT.  
Rations Italian Air Force.

# REMARKS

1. Rations will be issued in line with instructions in letter 20/2  
23 June, Army Sub Commission 101 SUBJECT: Italian Army.

(1) The following will NOT be issued in Army rations:-

- (a) Any Civilian personnel
- (b) Personnel on leave
- (c) Personnel absent without leave
- (d) Red Cross Personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails
- (f) Personnel of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May referred
- (g) Royal Forestry Guard.
- (h) Guardia di Finanza.

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3. No repayment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units  
will be made by Italian Depots except as authorized in each case by HQ.  
Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied sources only as  
approved by this headquarters or in emergency.

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DISTRIBUTION: (see over)

CLAYTON P. WILSON, Colonel  
for Major General  
Army Sub Commission 101



ENT 5511,  
S.I.R.E.,  
NY 10011

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## Translation.

From : War Ministry.

Ref: 8576/1/s/

To : M. M. I. A.

Date: 19 August.

Subject: Food ration required for period 25/8 - 8/9/44.

Ref. Aq/2/7 dated 6 Aug.

We enclose the data requested with letter referenced above.

The strength reported refers to S.M.R.E's August 5th returns, according to S.M.R.E's letter which stated that by agreement with M. M. I. A. the report on the 15th instant was not compiled.

The Strength of the Supreme Command and of the Ministry was calculated, in conformity with S.M.R.E.'s reports of No. 1.121 and 1.512 men respectively(excluding the Carabinieri).

However, in the assignment of rations, we will be in mind the maximum strength fixed by M.M.I.A.(600 for supreme Command and 1 3000 for this Ministry)

- Please authorize withdrawal of rations shown on list period 25/8/ - 8/9/44.

Pelligra

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*Rations required for Italian Navy & Air Force  
period Aug 25 - Sept 5 '44*

SITUAZIONE RAZIONI VIVERI OCCORRENTI PER L'ESERCITO, MARINA, E AERONAUTICA ITALIANA PER LA QUINDICINA 25 AGOSTO 8 SETTEMBRE 1944

| Z O N A                                                                                 | F O R Z A G I O R N A L I |           |                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|----------------|
|                                                                                         | R. ESERCITO               | R. MARINA | R. AERONAUTICA |
| ZONA D'OPERAZIONI NELLA PENISOLA                                                        | 45.842                    | =.        | =.             |
| ZONA DELLA PENISOLA RETROSTANTE<br>ALLA ZONA DI OPERAZIONE<br><i>Non operation zone</i> | 177.526                   | 59.236    | 22.318         |
| SARDEGNA                                                                                | 78.784                    | 7.099     | 5.584          |
| SICILIA                                                                                 | 13.217                    | 5.000     | 1.015          |
| CORSICA                                                                                 | 4.932                     | -         | -              |
| T o t a l e .....                                                                       | 320.301                   | 71.335    | 28.917         |

I dati dell'Esercito e dei CC.RR. sono tratti dalla situazione al 5 agosto dello Stato

*The data on the Army & Carabinieri have been taken from  
an Aug 5*



*... required for Italian Navy & Air Corps ...  
period Aug 25 - Sept 8 '44*

NE RAZIONI VIVERI OCCORRENTI PER L'ESERCITO, MARINA, E AERONAUTICA  
ITALIANA PER LA QUINDICINA 25 AGOSTO 8 SETTEMBRE 1944

| F O R Z A      G I O R N A L I E R A |           |                |                   |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------------------|
| R. ESERCITO                          | R. MARINA | R. AERONAUTICA | CARABINIERI REALI |
| 45.842                               | ==        | ==             | 372               |
| 177.526                              | 59.236    | 22.318         | 25.040            |
| 78.784                               | 7.099     | 5.584          | 3.951             |
| 13.217                               | 5.000     | 1.015          | 8.406             |
| 4.932                                | -         | -              | -                 |
| 320.301                              | 71.335    | 28.917         | 37.769            |

I CC.RR. sono tratti dalla situazione al 5 agosto dello Stato Maggiore R. Esercito.-

*Army & Carabinieri have been taken from SMRE's return*



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| M. A.     | AQ      |
| FILE REF  | 217     |
| Date Recd | 18/8/44 |

FLAG OFFICER LIAISON, ITALY,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
HEADQUARTERS,  
ROME.

17th August, 1944.

No. L.161.

MILITARY MISSION TO THE  
ITALIAN ARMY.

ESTIMATE OF FOOD ALLOCATION.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian navy  
for the period 24th August to 7th September is forwarded  
herewith.

COMODORE.

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NAVY MINISTRY

Cabinet

Rome Aug. 12th, 1944

To F.O.L.I.  
Rome

Subject: Estimate of food allocation.

SECRET

We send you the estimate of food allocation of the Royal Navy Personnel for the period of fifteen days from 24th of August 1944 up to 7th September 1944.

THE MINISTER.  
(s) Illegible.

ESTIMATE OF THE FOOD ALLOCATION FOR THE ROYAL NAVY PERSONNEL FOR THE PERIOD OF FIFTEEN DAYS FROM 24th.8.1944 up to 7.9.1944 .

| ENTE WHICH WILL RECEIVE THE FOOD | DISTRIBUTION AREA                                                                                                                 | STANDARD TYPE RATIONS              |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| MARICOMMI TARANTO . . . . .      | ( Taranto . . . . .<br>( Gallipoli . . . . .<br>( Crotone . (I) . . . . .<br>( R. Calabria . . . . .<br>( Vibo valentia . . . . . | 34.430<br>470<br>400<br>298<br>312 |
| MARICOMMI BRINDISI . . . . .     | Brindisi                                                                                                                          | 9.195                              |
| MARINA BARI . . . . .            | Bari                                                                                                                              | 2.266                              |
|                                  | Total . . . . .                                                                                                                   | 47.371                             |
| MARICOMMI NAPOLI . . . . .       | Napoli . . . . .<br>Castellammare di Stabia . . . . .                                                                             | 10.051<br>64                       |
|                                  | Total . . . . .                                                                                                                   | 10.115                             |
| MARICOMMI LA MADDALENA           | ( La Madalena . . . . .<br>( Olbia                                                                                                | 5.106                              |
| MARICOMMI CAGLIARI               | ( Cagliari . . . . .<br>( S. Antioco . . . . .                                                                                    | 1.993                              |
|                                  | Total . . . . .                                                                                                                   | 7.099                              |
| MARICOMMISEZ ROMA . . . . .      | Roma . . . . .                                                                                                                    | 1.300                              |
| SICILIA . . . . .                |                                                                                                                                   | 5.000                              |

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## ENTE WHICH WILL RECEIVE THE FOOD      DISTRIBUTION AREA      STANDARD TYPE RATIONS

|                             |                             |        |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| MARICOMMI TARANTO . . . . . | ( Taranto . . . . . )       | 34,430 |
|                             | ( Gallipoli . . . . . )     | 470    |
|                             | ( Crotone . (I) . . . . . ) | 400    |
|                             | ( R. Calabria . . . . . )   | 298    |
|                             | ( Vibo Valentia . . . . . ) | 312    |

|                              |          |       |
|------------------------------|----------|-------|
| MARICOMMI BRINDISI . . . . . | Brindisi | 9,195 |
|------------------------------|----------|-------|

|                       |      |       |
|-----------------------|------|-------|
| MARINA BARI . . . . . | Bari | 2,266 |
|-----------------------|------|-------|

|                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| Total . . . . . | 47,371 |
|-----------------|--------|

|                            |                             |        |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| MARICOMMI NAPOLI . . . . . | Napoli . . . . .            | 10,051 |
|                            | Castellammare di Stabia . . | 64     |

|                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| Total . . . . . | 10,115 |
|-----------------|--------|

|                        |                           |       |
|------------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| MARICOMMI LA MADDALENA | ( La Madalena . . . . . ) | 5,106 |
|                        | ( Olbia . . . . . )       |       |

|                    |                          |       |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------|
| MARICOMMI CAGLIARI | ( Cagliari . . . . . )   | 1,993 |
|                    | ( S. Antioco . . . . . ) |       |

|                 |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Total . . . . . | 7,099 |
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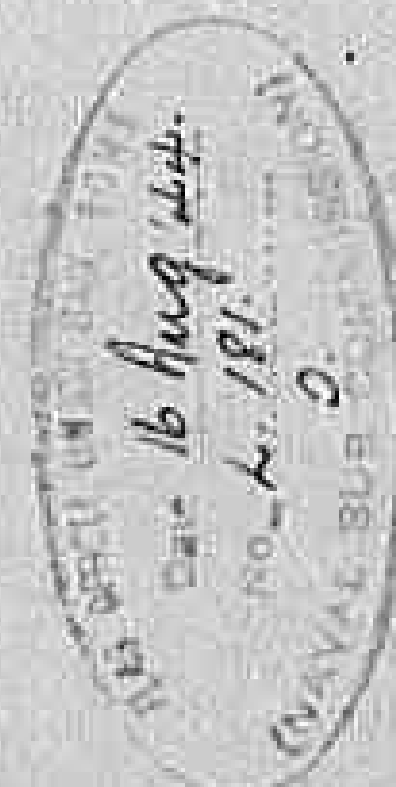
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|-----------------------------|----------------|-------|
| MARICOMMISEZ ROMA . . . . . | Roma . . . . . | 1,300 |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-------|

|                   |  |       |
|-------------------|--|-------|
| SICILIA . . . . . |  | 5,000 |
|-------------------|--|-------|

|             |        |
|-------------|--------|
| GRAND TOTAL | 70,945 |
|-------------|--------|

## REMARKS :

(I.) The allocation for Crotone is to be made from the central warehouse of Taranto.  
 Rome, 9th August 1944.









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Colonello C. F. M. R. Guerra)

(NMTA) Att. Col. KERR

From: Air Forces Sub-Commission ACC. To: Army Sub-Comm. (MMIA) Att. Col. KERN.  
Above, Italian Air Force Ration breakdown for period 9.8.44 to 24.8.44.  
It will be noted that in the total strength are comprised 381 personnel of  
Italian Army who by arrangement with the R.E. authorities are being fed by  
the I.A.F. but do not(R) not come within I.A.F. "ceiling" strength.



Ch. 3. 2. 1.

A. V. ELIOT

Col., Signal Corps



# STEV IONE DELLA FORZA VETTONAGLIATA DALLA 4<sup>a</sup> Z.A.F. ALLA DATA DEL

5 AGOSTO 1944

| UNITI E REPARTI                                         | Territoriali | Operanti |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------|
| Aeroporto                                               | 803          |          |
| Mensa Ufficiali Presidio                                | 342          |          |
| Mensa Sottufficiali Presidio                            | 380          |          |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Battaglione Autonomo R.A.                | 823          |          |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Reggimento Avieri                        | 1333         |          |
| Battaglione Presidiario R.A.                            | 1252         |          |
| Battagl. Arditi R.A.                                    | 1285         |          |
| Aeroporto                                               | (+) 491      |          |
| "                                                       | (+) 118      |          |
| "                                                       | (+) 288      |          |
| "                                                       | (+) 202      |          |
| "                                                       | 78           |          |
| Compagnie e Nuclei Vari                                 | 73           |          |
| Aerodistaccamento                                       | 1744         |          |
| "                                                       | 854          |          |
| "                                                       | 324          |          |
| "                                                       | 263          |          |
| "                                                       | 380          |          |
| "                                                       | 189          |          |
| "                                                       | (+) 103      |          |
| "                                                       | 44           |          |
| "                                                       | 42           |          |
| 54 <sup>o</sup> Depaereo e Comp.G.A.I.                  | 314          |          |
| Presidio R.A.                                           | 150          |          |
| 158 <sup>o</sup> Deposito R.A.                          | 281          |          |
| Aeroporto                                               | 800          |          |
| "                                                       | 800          |          |
| Comando Unità Aerea                                     |              | 163      |
| Squadriglia Autonoma                                    |              | 119      |
| Reparti Caccia                                          |              | 1125     |
| Aeroporto                                               |              | 80       |
| Reparti Caccia                                          |              | 607      |
| Raggr.to Idro e SRAM                                    |              | 734      |
| Raggr.to Bombard.to e SRAM                              |              | 1653     |
| 83 <sup>o</sup> Gruppo Idro ORM e 334 <sup>o</sup> Wing |              | 433      |
| SRAM e Scuola Caccia                                    |              | 221      |
|                                                         | 13756        | 5135     |



|                                          |                   |       |     |  |      |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-----|--|------|
| "                                        | S. VITO NORMANNI  | 116   | (+) |  |      |
| "                                        | LEVERANO          | 288   | (+) |  |      |
| "                                        | REGIO CALABRIA    | 202   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | FOGGIA            | 78    |     |  |      |
| Compagnie e Nuclei Vari                  | FOGGIA            | 73    |     |  |      |
| Aerodistaccamento                        | TERLIZZI          | 1744  |     |  |      |
| "                                        | CAPURSO           | 854   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | MUNGIVACCA        | 324   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | BITONTO           | 253   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | GROTONE           | 380   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | GROTTAGLIE        | 189   |     |  |      |
| "                                        | CASTROVILLARI     | 103   | (+) |  |      |
| "                                        | VIBO VALENTIA     | 44    |     |  |      |
| "                                        | TARANTO           | 42    |     |  |      |
| 54° Depaereo e Comp. G.A.I.              | LECCE             | 314   | (+) |  |      |
| Presidio R.A.                            | NOICATTARO        | 150   | (+) |  |      |
| 158° Deposito R.A.                       | LECCE             | 281   |     |  |      |
| Aeroporto                                | TARANTO           | 800   | (+) |  |      |
| "                                        | PARI              | 800   | (+) |  |      |
| Comando Unità Aerea                      | PALESE MACCHIE    |       |     |  | 163  |
| Squadriglia Autonoma                     | NUOVA             |       |     |  | 119  |
| Reparti Caccia                           | S. NICOLA TARANTO |       |     |  | 1125 |
| Aeroporto                                | LECCE             |       |     |  | 80   |
| Reparti Caccia                           | TARANTO           |       |     |  | 607  |
| Raggr.to Idro e SRAM                     | LECCE             |       |     |  | 734  |
| Raggr.to Bombard.to e SRAM               | LECCE             |       |     |  | 1653 |
| 83° Gruppo Idro ORM e 334° Wing BRINDISI |                   |       |     |  | 433  |
| SRAM e Scuola Caccia                     | LEVERANO          |       |     |  | 221  |
|                                          |                   | 13756 |     |  | 5135 |

Deposito Bari Razioni tipo unico n° I2095 giornaliero  
 Deposito Taranto (+) " " 6796 giornaliero  
 Totali n° I8891 giornaliero

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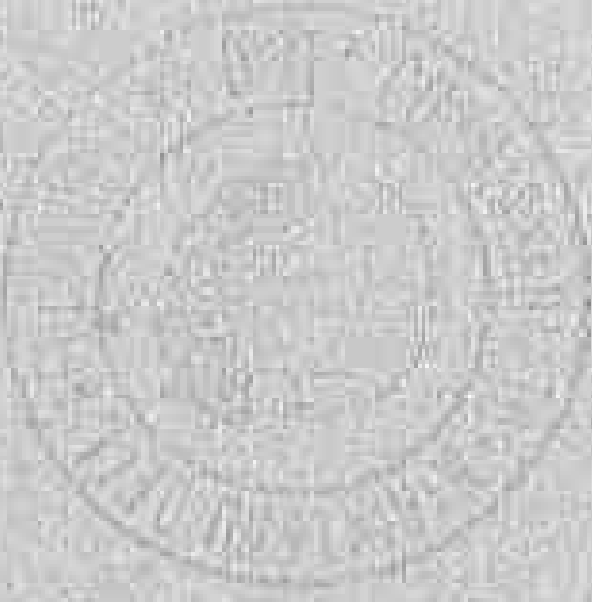
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Deposito Matelli razioni tipo unico n° 2677 giornaliera



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|------------------------|------|
| Deposito R. A.         | 82   |
| 1. Compagnia Guardia   | 75   |
| 2. Compagnia Guardia   | 105  |
| Compagnia Guardia      | 58   |
| Compagnia Guardia      | 89   |
| Personale di passaggio | 54   |
|                        | 200  |
| Reparti Caccia         | 315  |
| Reparti Bombardamento  | 481  |
| Reparti Caccia         | 22   |
| Reparti Bombardamento  | 55   |
| CASTELLAMARE STABIA    |      |
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| CAPODICHILO            |      |
| MONTESCORVINO          |      |
|                        | 1804 |
|                        | 873  |

Deposito Napoli razioni tipo unico n° 2677 giornaliere



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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DEL NUCLEO AERONAUTICA  
DELLA SICILIA ALLA DATA DEL 5 AGOSTO 1944

| ENTI E REPARTI | Truppe<br>Territoriali | Truppe<br>Operanti |
|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Palermo        | 587                    | =====              |
| Catania        | 386 (I)                | =====              |
|                | 973                    | =====              |

Deposito Palermo razioni tipo unico 587 giornaliere  
 " Catania " " " 386 "

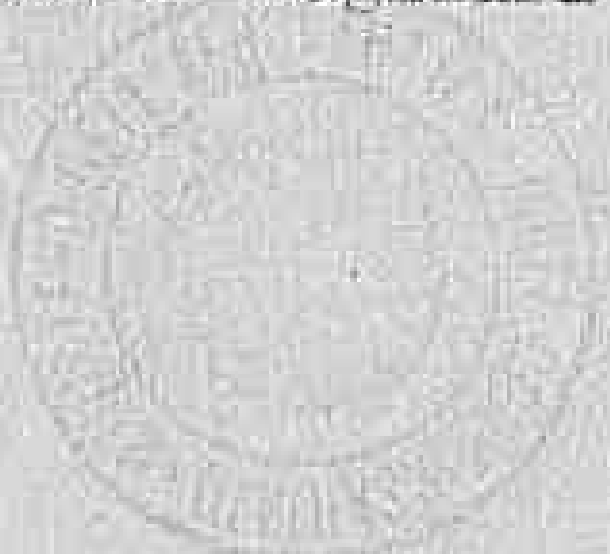
(I) di cui n° 13 militari R.E. aggregati per vitto



*Sardegna*  
SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA ZETTOVAGLIATA DEL NUCLEO AERONAUTICA  
NELLA SARDEGNA ALLA DATA DEL 5 AGOSTO 1944

| ENTI E REPARTI | Truppe<br>Territoriali | Truppe<br>Operanti |
|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| ENTI VARI      | 5746 (I)               | =====              |
| Tot.           | 5746                   | =====              |

(I) di cui n° 368 militari del R.E. aggregati per vitto  
Deposito Cagliari razioni tipo unico n° 5746 giornaliero





SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DEL COMANDO NUCLEO AERONAU-  
TICO DELLA III<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. ALLA DATA DEL 5 AGOSTO 1944

| ESITI E REPARTI                                             | Truppe<br>Territoriali | Truppe<br>Operanti |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Comando Nucleo Aeronautico<br>della III <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. | 1154                   | ----               |
| Tot.                                                        | 1154                   | -----              |

Deposito Roma razioni tipo unico n° 1154 giornaliera





Subject: Rations - Period 10 Aug through 24 Aug 44.

Army Sub Commission (MMIA)  
H.Q., A.C.C.  
R O M E  
AQ/2/7.

Aug 44

MINISTRY OF WAR

1. Authority is given for the daily issue of rations to the Italian Armed Forces for 15 day period 10 Aug through 24 Aug in accordance with the following details :-

2. Total Strength :

Daily ration strength will NOT exceed -

|                 |          |          |        |
|-----------------|----------|----------|--------|
| (a) ARMY        | NAVY     | CORR     |        |
| 318000          | 75000    | 55000    |        |
| (b) AIR FORCE * | MAINLAND | SARDINIA | SICILY |
|                 | 22722    | 5746     | 973    |

TOTAL :- 477471.

\* To be issued in accordance with letter this HQ AQ/2/1bf 3 Aug 44, Subject "Rations Italian Air Force".

- REMINDERS -

3. Rations will be issued in accordance with instructions contained in this HQ letter AQ/2 of 30 Jul 44.

4. The following will NOT be issued with Army rations :-

- (a) Civilian Personnel
- (b) Personnel on Leave.
- (c) Personnel absent without Leave.
- (d) Red Cross Personnel (other than Nurses and Nuns specifically employed in Military Hospitals and in accordance with this HQ letter AQ/2 of 1 Jul 44).
- (e) Personnel confined in Civil Jails and personnel employed to guard Civil Jails.
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards.
- (g) Guardia di Finanza.

5. No repayment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots, except as authorized in each



(a) ARMY NAVY CORR  
315000 75000 55000

(b) AIR FORCE \* MAINLAND SARDINIA SICILY  
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- (g) Guardia di Finanza.

5. No repayment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian Units will be made by Italian Depots, except as authorized in each case by MMIA. Italian Units are authorized to draw rations from Allied Sources only as approved by this HQ or in emergency.

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DISTRIBUTION:- (See over)

CLAYTON P. KERR  
 Colonel  
 For Major General  
 Army Sub Commission (MMIA)



SUBJECT:- Rations Strength Return 15 Day Period.

ARMY SUB COMMISSION (ASCA)

HQ AGC

RCSE

AQ/2/7

6 August 1964

TO : Ministry of War.

1. In order that authority for the issue of rations can be released covering the period 10 August through 24 August, will you please render your strength return to reach this HQ without further delay.

2. It is requested that this return will in the future be dispatched to arrive here on the 5th and 19th of each month and will be submitted in accordance with the attached Pro Forma, appendix A.

3. Prompt rendition of the return is essential to avoid delay in releasing the necessary authority.

J. J. R.  
TOMMY T. ROSE, Major  
for Major General  
Army Sub Commission, AGC.

Copy to:  
S/C

see 26



## MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE  
DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

N 8080/3 di prot.

Risposta al foglio N.

del

P. M. 107, li agosto 1944

Carte annesse

OGGETTO: vettovagliamento FF.AA. italiane per il periodo 10 - 24/8/44.-

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE ALLIATA PER L'ESERCITO DELLA A.C.C.

ROMA

Sulla base della forza desunta dalla situazione al 15/7 per venuta dallo S.M.R.E., si riporta qui appresso il quadro di ripartizione delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali Viveri per il vettovagliamento delle FF.AA. italiane durante il periodo 10 - 24/8/44:

| DEPOSITI                | FORZA GIORNALIERA       |            |                |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|----------------|
|                         | R. ESERCITO<br>e CC.RR. | R. MARINA  | R. AERONAUTICA |
| Deposito Centr. Taranto | (1) 24.322              | (4) 46.483 | 6.777          |
| " Spec. Bari            | 79.565                  | 2.134      | 12.512         |
| " " Napoli              | (2) 123.755             | 9.719      | 3.704          |
| " " Crotone             | 19.325                  | = = =      | = = =          |
| " " Cagliari            | (3) 87.652              | 7.711      | 5.746          |
| " " Palermo             | 22.866                  | 3.401      | 1.053          |
|                         | (5) 357.485             | 69.448     | 29.792         |

- (1) Non sono compresi 3.906 militari della Divisione " PICENO " inviati in provincia di Foggia per lavori agricoli.-
- (2) Compresi 32 ufficiali e 595 militari del Raggruppamento " GUIDE ". Il prelevamento delle razioni per tale reparto viene effettuato in considerazione che è ancora allo studio da parte di cotesa Sotto



venuta dallo S.M.R.E., si riporta qui appresso il quadro di ripartizio  
 ne delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali  
 Viveri per il vettovagliamento delle FF.AA. italiane durante il perio-  
 do 10 - 24/8/44:

| DEPOSITI                | FORZA GIORNALIERA       |            |                |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|----------------|
|                         | R. ESERCITO<br>e OC.RR. | R. MARINA  | R. AERONAUTICA |
| Deposito Centr. Taranto | (1) 24.322              | (4) 46.483 | 6.777          |
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 considerazione che è ancora allo studio da parte di cotesa Sotto-  
 commissione l'impiego e la futura destinazione del predetto Rag-  
 gruppamento.
- (3) Non è compreso il Comando delle truppe allogene in Corsica dalla  
 forza complessiva di 4.932 .-
- (4) Sono comprese n.711 razioni finora prelevate su Grotone, avendo il  
 Ministero della Marina comunicato che d'ora innanzi il Commissaria-  
 to Militare Marittimo di Taranto provvederà alla somministrazione  
 delle razioni occorrenti in Calabria prelevandole dal Deposito  
 Centrale Viveri.-

%  
*quella di 1/8 Day*



(5) Sono stati esclusi i reparti della R. Guardia di Finanza.-

Pregasi cotesta Sottocommissione volersi compiacere autorizzare per il periodo considerato il prelevamento del numero di razioni indicato nel prospetto.-

P. IL MINISTRO

*Salerno*



SUBJECT: Rations- Italian Air Force

ARMY SUB COMMISSION ACC

HQ (MIA)

RCME

AQ/2/7

3 AUG 1944

TO 1 Ministry of War

1. My AQ/2/7 of 30 Jul 44 is amended in respect of the Italian Air Force as under.

2. Units and Formations of the Italian Air Force will be rationed for the period 1 thru 9 Aug 44 to a total of NOT exceeding 29411 as per attached list.

3. The unit and formation will not exceed the totals given for each unit and rations will be issued to these units only in the localities given in this instruction.

4. No other units will be rationed.

  
CLAYTON F. KERR  
Colonel  
for Major General  
Army Sub Commission ACC

Copies to: ST MMIA, and All L.O.'s  
A.F.S.C.



MAINLAND

| UNIT                                   | STRENGTH |
|----------------------------------------|----------|
| Aeroporto PALESE MACCHIE               | 846      |
| Mensa Ufficiali Presidio BARI          | 350      |
| Mensa Sottufficiali Presidio BARI      | 370      |
| 1 Battaglione Autonomo R.A. BARI       | 846      |
| 1 Reggimento Avieri BARI               | 1,254    |
| Battagl. Arditi R.A. COZZE DI MOLA     | 1,335    |
| Battaglione Presidiario R.A. BARI      | 1,208    |
| Aeroporto BRINDISI                     | 551      |
| " GIOIA DEL COLLE                      | 102      |
| " S. VITO NORMANNI                     | 276      |
| " LEVERANO                             | 202      |
| " REGGIO CALABRIA                      | 80       |
| " FOGGIA                               | 89       |
| Compagnie e Nuclei Vari FOGGIA         | 1,744    |
| Aerodistaccamento TERLIZZI             | 950      |
| " " CAPURSO                            | 446      |
| " " MUNGIVACCA                         | 298      |
| " " BITONTO                            | 445      |
| " " CROTONE                            | 186      |
| " " GROTTAGLIE                         | 103      |
| " " CASTROVILLARI                      | 44       |
| " " VIBO VALENTIA                      | 42       |
| 54 % Depesereo e Comp. G...I. TARANTO  | 332      |
| Presidio R.A. LECCE                    | 140      |
| 158 Deposito R.A. NOICATTARO           | 211      |
| Aeroporto LECCE                        | 800      |
| " TARANTO                              | 800      |
| Comando Unità Aerea BARI               | 183      |
| Squadriglia Autonoma PALESE MACCHIE    | 119      |
| Reparti Caccia NUOVA                   | 1,284    |
| Aeroporto S. Nicola Varano             | 80       |
| Reparti Caccia LECCE                   | 540      |
| Raggr. to Idro e SRM TARANTO           | 714      |
| Raggr. to Bombard. to e SRM LECCE      | 1,653    |
| 83 Gruppo Idro ORM e 334 Wing BRINDISI | 381      |
| SRM e Scuola Caccia LEVERANO           | 217      |
| 140 Squadriglia ELMA.S                 | 68       |
|                                        | 19,289   |

c/f 19,289

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CAMPANIA

| UNIT                                      | STRENGTH |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| Mensa Presidio NAPOLI                     | 305      |
| Mensa Caserma CAS. BOVA                   | 336      |
| Personale a disposizione                  | 200      |
| 3 C.E.P.A.R.A. CAS. LBA                   | 300      |
| Centro M.A. MONTESARCHIO                  | 82       |
| Presidio R.A. CASTELNA                    | 75       |
| 1 <sup>a</sup> Comp. Guardia CAPODICHIINO | 105      |
| 2 <sup>a</sup> Comp. Guardia CAPODICHIINO | 58       |
| Compagnia Guardia PORTICI                 | 89       |
| Comp. Guard CASTELLAMARE STABIA           | 54       |
| Personale di passaggio NAPLES             | 200      |
| Reparti Caccia VESUVIO                    | 331      |
| Reparti Bombarda to VESUVIO               | 492      |
| Reparti Caccia CAPDICHINO                 | 22       |
| Reparti Bomb to MONTECORVINO              | 55       |
|                                           | 2,704    |

b/r 19,289  
21,993

3620



SARDINIA

| UNIT      | STRENGTH               |
|-----------|------------------------|
| Enti vari | 5,378                  |
|           | 5,378                  |
|           | b/f 21993<br>c/f 27371 |

SICILY

| UNIT                  | STRENGTH               |
|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Presidio R.A. PALERMO | 653                    |
| Presidio R.A. CATANIA | 387                    |
|                       | 1,040                  |
|                       | b/f 27371<br>c/f 28411 |

ROME

| UNIT                                                      | STRENGTH           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Comando Nucleo Aeronautica<br>della 3 <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. | 1000               |
|                                                           | 1000               |
|                                                           | 3019               |
|                                                           | b/f 28411<br>29411 |



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CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Ration Period 1 August 44 to 9 August 44

Army Sub Commission ACC  
Hq (MIA)  
RCVE  
AQ/2/7

July 1944

TO : Ministry of War

1. Authority is given for the issue of rations to the Italian Armed Forces on the following maximum strength only for the period 1 August thru 9 August 1944.

2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

|        |       |           |       |      |
|--------|-------|-----------|-------|------|
| ARMY   | NAVY  | AIR FORCE | CCRR  | CCFR |
| 318000 | 75000 | 31000     | 55000 | NIL  |

TOTAL:- 479000

b. Separate instructions are being issued to reduce the total strength to 470000.

c. My letter AQ/2 of 28 July 1944 Subject: "Rations Italian Air Force" is rescinded.

3. ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION

Rations will NOT be issued to troops in Italian Administration exceeding 27000. The issue within the ceiling of 27000 will be in accordance with the categories and strengths defined in my AQ/8 dated 29 July 1944 Subject: "Strength of the Administrative Hq and services of the Italian Army"

4. POLICY OF ISSUE

a. Rations will be issued in accordance with the policy laid down in my AQ/2 of 23 June 1944 Subject: "Italian Army"

b. Rations will NOT be issued to:

- a. Any civilian personnel.
- b. Personnel on leave.



2. TOTAL STRENGTH

a. Daily ration strength will NOT exceed

|        |       |           |       |      |
|--------|-------|-----------|-------|------|
| ARMY   | NAVY  | AIR FORCE | CCRR  | CCRR |
| 118000 | 75000 | 31000     | 55000 | NIL  |

TOTAL:- 479000

b. Separate instructions are being issued to reduce the total strength to 470000.

c. My letter AQ/2 of 28 July 1944 Subject: "Rations Italian Air Force" is rescinded.

3. ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION

Rations will NOT be issued to troops in Italian Administration exceeding 27000. The issue within the ceiling of 27000 will be in accordance with the categories and strengths defined in my AQ/8 dated 29 July 1944 Subject: "Strength of the Administrative HQ and services of the Italian Army"

4. POLICY OF ISSUE

a. Rations will be issued in accordance with the policy laid down in my AQ/2 of 23 June 1944 Subject: "Italian Army"

b. Rations will NOT be issued to:

- any civilian personnel.
- Personnel on leave.
- Personnel absent without leave
- Red Cross personnel
- Personnel confined in civil jails

(My letter AQ/8 of 23 May as amended by letter of 27 May refers)

- Royal Forestry Guards
- Guardia di Finanza.

FUN/jra

COPIES TO: (OVER)

CLAYTON P KERR

Colonel

for Maj. Gen.

Army Sub Commission ACC



|           |         |
|-----------|---------|
| M.M.I.A.  | AD      |
| FILE REF  | 217     |
| Date Recd | 30/7/44 |

## RATION STRENGTH ESTIMATE.

FROM.... THE FLAG OFFICER, TARANTO AND ADRIATIC.

DATE.... 26th July, 1944.

No. T.A. 1030/13A.

TO .... MILITARY MISSION TO THE ITALIAN ARMY.

Ration strength estimate for the Italian Navy  
for the period 9th August to 23rd August is forwarded  
herewith.

*B. Morgan*

REAR-ADMIRAL.

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**Preventivo di vettoviaggiamento del personale della Regia Marina**  
 per la decade dal 9th. August al 23rd. August

| Ente di ricezione            | Località di distribuzione    | Razioni tipo A | Razioni tipo B |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Maricommi Taranto . . .      | Taranto . . .                | 14,899         | 20,797         |
|                              | Gallipoli . . .              | 111            | 576            |
|                              | Crotone . . .                | 120            | 280            |
|                              | R. Calabria . . .            |                | 279            |
|                              | Vibo Valentia . . .          |                | 32             |
| Maricommi Brindisi . . .     | Brindisi . . .               | 2,247          | 7,242          |
| Marina Bari . . . . .        | Bari . . .                   | 755            | 1,379          |
|                              | <i>Totale</i> .              | 18,232         | 30,585         |
| Maricommi Napoli . . . .     | Napoli . . .                 | 4,925          | 4,659          |
|                              | Castellamare di Stabia . . . | 40             | 95             |
|                              | <i>Totale</i> .              | 4,965          | 4,754          |
| Maricommi La Maddalena . . . | La Maddalena . . .           | 924            | 4,616          |
|                              | Olbia . . .                  |                |                |
|                              | Cagliari . . .               | 224            | 1,947          |
|                              | S. Antioco . . .             |                |                |
|                              | <i>Totale</i> .              | 1,148          | 6,563          |
| Sicilia . . . . .            |                              | 1,546          | 1,853          |
|                              | <i>Totale generale</i> .     | 25,893         | 43,555         |

Osservazioni:



|                                 |                                 |        |        |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|
|                                 | <i>Totale</i> .                 | 18,232 | 30,385 |
| Maricocchi Napoli . . . .       | Napoli . . . . .                | 4,225  | 4,659  |
|                                 | Castellammare di Stabia . . . . | 40     | 95     |
|                                 | <i>Totale</i> .                 | 4,265  | 4,754  |
| Maricocchi La Maddalena . . . . | La Maddalena . . . . .          | 924    | 4,616  |
|                                 | Olbia . . . . .                 |        |        |
| Marina Cagliari . . . . .       | Cagliari . . . . .              | 224    | 1,947  |
|                                 | S. Antioco . . . . .            |        |        |
|                                 | <i>Totale</i> .                 | 1,148  | 6,563  |
| Sicilia . . . . .               |                                 | 1,548  | 1,853  |
|                                 | <i>Totale generale</i> .        | 25,893 | 43,555 |

Osservazioni:

925 893  
 43 555  
 69,448

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785020

FROM: AIR FORCES SUB-COMMISSION,  
ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION,  
BARI.

TO: HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SUB-COMMISSION,  
M.M.I.A. LEQUILE, LECCE.

DATE: 25th July 1944.

REF: AFSC/601/1/EQ.

|           |         |
|-----------|---------|
| MM-A      | AD      |
| REF.      | 27      |
| Date Recd | 29/7/44 |

*see* **RATIONS - ITALIAN AIR  
FORCE.**

Enclosed herewith latest detailed ration figures  
for the Italian Air Force.

2. For greater convenience, the figures are summarised  
into Scale "A" and Scale "B" hereunder:-

Scale "A" Rations for  
Operational personnel.

7,739.

Scale "A" Rations for civilian labourers  
authorised in accordance with 214 Groups  
214G/2901/P3 dated 13/6/44.

1,343.

Scale "B" Rations for  
Non-operational personnel.

22,032.

31,114.

*TTR What is this?*  
*ask to Air Force*  
*Sub Com. does not enter*  
*into our ration at*  
*all - Row*

*J. Walton*  
J. WALTON, S/LDR,  
AIR VICE-MARSHAL,  
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING.

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SITUAZIONE DELLA 1<sup>a</sup> ZONA VETTOVAGLIATA DELLA 4TH Z.A. ALLA DATA 25TH JULY.

NON-OPERATIONAL. CIVILIANS.  
"B" RATIONS. "A" RATIONS

Aeroporto PALESE MACCHIE.  
Mensa Ufficiali Presidio BARI.  
Mansa Suttoff. li Presidio BARI.  
1 Battaglione Autonoma BARI.  
1 Reggimento Avieri BARI.  
Battaglione Presidiario B.A. BARI.  
Aeroporto BRINDISI.  
Aeroporto GIOIA DEL COLLE.  
Aeroporto S.VITO NORMANNI.  
Aeroporto LEVERANO.  
Aeroporto REGGIO CALABRIA.  
Aeroporto FOGGIA.  
Compagnie e Nuclei Vari FOGGIA.  
Aerodietaccamento TERLIZZI.  
CAPURSO.  
MUNGIVACCA.  
BITONTO.  
CROTONE.  
GROTTAGLIE.  
CASTROVILLARI.  
VIBO VALENTIA.  
54th Depaereo e Comp. G.A.I. TARANTO.  
Presidio R.A. LECCE.  
158 Deposito R.A. NOICATTARO.

Comando Unita Aerea BARI.  
Squadriglia Autonoma PALESE MACCHIE.  
Reperti Caccia NUOVA.  
Aeroporto SAN NICOLA VARANO.  
Reperti Caccia - LECCE.  
Raggr to Idro - Aerop SPAM TARANTO.  
Aeroporto - Raggr. to Bomb. to e SPAM Lecce.  
83 Gruppo Idro ORM e 334 Wing - BRINDISI.  
SPAM e Scuola Caccia LEVERANO.  
140 Squadriglia - ELIAS.

183  
119  
1,284  
80  
540  
1,514  
2,453  
381  
217  
68

12,748 6,839 1,111

Deposito BARI: Rations "A" 36290  
Deposito TARANTO: " " 32100 Rations "B" 124060  
Rations "A" 4730  
" " 6380  
127480 11110



Aerodietaccamento TERLIZZI.  
 " CAPURSO.  
 " MUNGIVACCA.  
 " BITONTO.  
 " CROTONA.  
 " GROTTAGLIE.  
 " CASTROVILLARI.  
 " VIBO VALENTIA.  
 54th Depaereo e Comp. G.A.I. TARANTO.  
 Presidio R.A. LECCE.  
 158 Deposito R.A. NOICATTARO.

Comando Unita Aerea BARI.  
 Squadriglia Autonoma PALESE MACCHE.  
 Reparti Caccia NUOVA.  
 Aeroporto SAN NICOLA VARANO.  
 Reparti Caccia - LECCE.  
 Raggr to Idro - Aerop SRAM TARANTO.  
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12,748 6,839 1,111

| Deposito BARI:    | Rations "A" 36290 | Rations "B" 124060 | Rations "A" 4730 |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Deposito TARANTO: | " "A" 32100       | " "B" 3420         | " "A" 6380       |
|                   | 68390             | 127480             | 11110            |

\* Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in accordance with 2146/2901/P4 dated 13/6/44.

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SITUATION DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA, NUCLEO AERONAUTICA  
DELLA CAMPANIA ALLA DATA 25TH JULY.

|                                              | NON-OPERATIONAL<br>"B" RATIONS. | OPERATIONAL<br>"A" RATIONS | CIVILIANS<br>"A" RATIONS |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mensa Presidio NAPOLI                        | 305                             |                            |                          |
| Mensa CasarMO CASANOVA                       | 336                             |                            |                          |
| Personale a disposizione                     | 200                             |                            |                          |
| 3 C.F.F.A.R.A. Casalba.                      | 300                             |                            |                          |
| Centro R.A. MONTESARCHIO.                    | 82                              |                            |                          |
| Presidio R.A. CASERTA.                       | 75                              |                            |                          |
| 1st Compagnia Guardia CAPODICHIINO.          | 105                             |                            |                          |
| 2nd Compagnia Guardia CAPODICHIINO.          | 58                              |                            |                          |
| Compagnia Guardie PORTICI.                   | 89                              |                            |                          |
| Compagnie Guardie - CASTELLAM MARE DI STABIA | 54                              |                            |                          |
| Personale de passaggio.                      | 200                             |                            |                          |
| Reparti Caccia - Vesuvio.                    |                                 | 331                        | 3                        |
| Reparti Bombard. to Vesuvio.                 |                                 | 492                        | 10                       |
| Reparti Caccia Capodichino.                  |                                 | 22                         | 3                        |
| Reparti Bombard. to Montecorvino.            |                                 | 55                         | -                        |
|                                              | 1,804                           | 900                        | 16                       |

Deposito Napoli "Rations "A" 9,000  
" " "B" 18040  
"Special "A" 160

Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in



1st Compagnia Guardia Capodichino. 105  
 2nd Compagnia Guardia Capodichino. 58  
 Compagnia Guardia Portici. 89  
 Compagnie Guardie - Castellam Mare di Stabia 54  
 Personale de passaggio. 200  
 Reparti Caccia - Vesuvio.  
 Reparti Bombard. to Vesuvio.  
 Reparti Caccia Capodichino.  
 Reparti Bombard. to Montecorvino.

331 3  
 492 10  
 22 3  
 55 -

1,804 900 \* 16

Deposito Napoli "Rations "A" 9,000  
 " " "B" 18040  
 "Special "A" 160

\* Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in accordance with 214G/2901/P4 dated 13/6/44.

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SICILY 25th JULY

| NON OPERATIONAL.<br>"B" RATIONS. | OPERATIONAL<br>"A" RATIONS | CIVILIANS<br>"A" RATIONS. |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 647                              | -                          | 4                         |
| 389                              | -                          | -                         |
| 1,036                            | -                          | 4                         |

Presidio R.A. Palermo.  
Presidio R.A. Catania.

|                   |             |       |                     |    |
|-------------------|-------------|-------|---------------------|----|
| Deposito PALERMO. | Rations "B" | 6470  | Rations Special "A" | 40 |
| Deposito CATANIA. | Rations "B" | 3890  |                     |    |
|                   |             | 10360 |                     | 40 |

Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in accordance with 2145/2901/P4 dated 13/6/44.

SARDINIA 25TH JULY.

| NON OPERATIONAL.<br>"B" RATIONS. | OPERATIONAL<br>"A" RATIONS | CIVILIANS.<br>"A" RATIONS. |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 6,444                            | -                          | 212                        |

Enti Vari.

Deposito CAGLIARI  
Rations "B" 64,440  
Rations "A" 212

Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in



10360

40

• Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in accordance with 214G/2901/P4 dated 13/6/44.

SARDINIA 25TH JULY.

| NON OPERATIONAL.<br>"B" RATIONS. | OPERATIONAL<br>"A" RATIONS | CIVILIANS.<br>"A" RATIONS. |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|

6,444

• 212

Enti Vari.

Deposito CAGLIARI Rations "B" 64,440  
Rations "A" 212

• Special rations for civilian labourers authorised in accordance with 214G/2901/P4 dated 13/6/44.

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Army Sub Commission ACC  
HQ (MMIA)  
ROME  
AQ/2/7  
21 July 1944

TO: MINISTRY OF WAR

Ref this HQ letter AQ/2/7 dated 21 July 44.

Amend para 1 to read as follows:-

The period for which authority to draw daily issue of rations has been extended from 24 Jul to 31 Jul 44. Para 1 therefore of the A/Q letter will be amended to read "for period 10 July 44 through 31 July 44."

*Tommy J. Rose*  
for Maj. Gen.  
Army Sub Commission ACC

Copies to: HQ AAI for DCAO  
HQ No 2 District  
HQ No 3 District  
PBS  
IBS  
ADDC  
FCT LI  
FCMIT  
Navy Sub Commission ACC  
Air Force Sub Commission ACC  
Col Simmons thru Allied Garrison Cmd SARDINIA  
Lt Col Albert % ACC SICILY REGION HQ  
MMIA LO at ACC Naples  
" " with 31 Italian Corps  
" " " 5th Army  
" " " Rear 8th Army  
" " " " 5 Corps  
" " " 56 Area  
" " " 2 District  
" " " 3 District  
HQ 56 Area  
HQ 60 Sub Area  
S.A.R.E.  
ST MMIA

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## Translation

From : War Ministry ref. 7479/5  
To : M.M.I.A. Date July 24  
Subject : Feeding of It, Armed Forces for period July  
25 to Aug. 9.

On the basis of the strength deduced from the situation on July 5 received from S.M.R.E., we report here the foreseen distribution of the rations which should be withdrawn from special ration depots for the feeding of It, Armed Force during the period July 25-August 9.

- (1) Including 34 officers and 545 men of the "GUIDE" Group. The withdrawal of rations for said unit is being effected in consideration that, as per telephone communications received from S.M.R.E., M.M.I.A. is still studying the use and the future destination of said group.
- (2) To be distributed by It. Army Depots.
- (3) The considerable increase in strength of the It. Army in regard to the 15 day period July 10-24 (9784 units) is represented by military who were found in the territory recently occupied by the Allied Armies.

Please authorize the withdrawal of said quantities of rations for the period considered.

Pelligra

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*Trasmissione*  
*7/4/44*  
*Urgentissimo*  
*Amj g/c*

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE  
DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

*N. 7439/S di prot.*  
Risposta al foglio N.                      del                                                                 
*P. M. 107, li 24* *Luglio 1944*

*Carte annesse*  
OGGETTO: Vettovagliamento M.A.A. italiane per il periodo 25 luglio - 9/8/44

*Al LA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'Esercizio della A.C.C.*

ROMA

Sulla base della forza desunta dalla situazione al 5 luglio, pervenuta dallo S.M.R.E., si riporta qui appresso il quadro di ripartizione delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali Vivieri per il vettovagliamento delle M.A.A. italiane durante il periodo 25 luglio - 9 agosto 1944.

| FORZA GIORNALIERA - <i>Daily strength</i> |                     |           |       |                |       |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|-------|----------------|-------|
| DEPOSITI                                  | R. ESERCITO         | R. MARINA |       | R. AERONAUTICA |       |
|                                           | "A"                 | "B"       | "A"   | "B"            | "A"   |
| <i>Dep. Centr. Taranto</i>                | 33744               | 17329     | 31350 | 3848           | 342   |
| <i>Dep. Spec. Bari</i>                    | 26888               | 43073     | 812   | 4102           | 12406 |
| <i>" " Napoli</i>                         | 28348 (4)           | 78235     | 5253  | 916            | 1804  |
| <i>" " Crotone</i>                        | 22458               |           | 411   | -              |       |
| <i>" " Gallipoli</i>                      | 109979              | 1332      | 6616  | 212            | 6061  |
| <i>" " Palermo</i>                        | 25781               | 948       | 1332  | 4              | 1036  |
|                                           | 314079 <sub>3</sub> | 125729    | 46191 | 9032           | 21649 |

(1) compresi n. 24 ufficiali e n. 545 militari del Raggruppamento "GUIDE". - Il prelevamento delle razioni per tale reparto via ne effettuato in considerazione che, come da comunicazione te



Sulla base della forza decunta dalla situazione al 5 luglio, pervenute dallo S.M.R.E., si riporta qui appresso il quadro di ripartizione delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali Viveri per il vettovagliamento delle F.F.AA. italiane durante il periodo 25 luglio - 9 agosto 1944.-

*Daily strength*

| DEPOSITI                                    | FORZA GIORNALIERA |           |         |           |      |       |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|------|-------|
|                                             | R. ESERCITO       |           |         | R. MARINA |      |       |
|                                             | "A"               | "B"       | "A"     | "B"       | "A"  | "B"   |
| <i>Central depot</i><br>Dep. Centr. Taranto | 33714             | 17329     | 31350   | 3848      | 342  |       |
| <i>Special Depot</i><br>" " Spec. Bari      | 26838             | 43873     | 312     | 1467      | 4102 | 12406 |
| " " Napoli                                  | 28348             | (1) 78235 | 5258    | 4465      | 916  | 1804  |
| " " Crotone                                 |                   | 22458     | (2) 411 | -         |      |       |
| " " Cagliari                                |                   | 109979    | 1382    | 6616      | 212  | 6061  |
| " " Palermo                                 |                   | 25781     | 948     | 1832      | 4    | 1036  |
|                                             | 25236             | 314070    | 25729   | 46191     | 9082 | 21649 |

- 7192*
- (1) compresi n. 34 ufficiali e n. 545 militari del Raggruppamento "GUIDE". - Il prelevamento delle razioni per tale reparto viene effettuato in considerazione che, come da comunicazione telefonica ricevuta dallo S.M.R.E., è ancora allo studio, da parte di codesta Sottocommissione, l'impiego e la futura destinazione del predetto Raggruppamento.
  - (2) da distribuirsi a cura dei Magazzini del R. Esercito
  - (3) L'aumento sensibile di forza del R. Esercito rispetto alla quinta di luglio 1944 (9784 unità) è rappresentato dai militari che trovavansi nel territorio di recente occupato dalle Armate Alleate.

o/o

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Pregasi cedere alla Sottocommissione Volerei, il piacere autorizzare per il periodo considerato il prelevamento del suddetto numero di razioni.

P. IL MINISTRO

*Telega*



## MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA

UFFICIO DI COMANDO

SPECCHIO RIEPILOGATIVO DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DALLA

R. AERONAUTICA ALLA DATA DEL 25/7/1944

| E N T I               | Truppe territoriali | Truppe operanti | Civili addetti a lavori pesanti | Militari R.M. aggregati per vitto. |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|                       |                     |                 |                                 |                                    |
| Comando 4° Z.A.T.     | 14050               | = 5239          | 1111                            | =                                  |
| " Aeron. ca Sardegna  | 5378                | =               | 178                             | 368                                |
| " Nucleo Aer. Sicilia | 1040                | =               | 4                               | 13                                 |
| " " Campania          | 1804                | = 900           | 16                              | =                                  |
| " " 3° Z.A.T.         | 1000                | =               | =                               | =                                  |
|                       | 23272               | 6139            | 1309                            | 381                                |


 DIREZIONE DI DISTRETTO  
 (OM. V. G. E. R. A. E. R.)



|       |       |      |     |
|-------|-------|------|-----|
| 5378  | ==    | 178  | 368 |
| 1040  | ==    | 4    | 13  |
| 1804  | = 900 | 16   | =   |
| 1000  | =     | =    | =   |
| 23272 | 6139  | 1309 | 581 |



DIRETTORE GENERALE  
(Sede in Roma)

3608



*Mantero*

MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA  
SITUAZIONE DELL'ARMAMENTO AEREO DELLA 4<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. ALLA DATA

DEL 25 LUGLIO 1944.

| UNITA E REPARTI                                                  | Situazione | Territoriali Operanti | Civili addetti a lavori pesanti |  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|
|                                                                  |            |                       |                                 |  |
| Aeroporto PALERME MACCHIE                                        |            |                       | 846                             |  |
| Mensa Ufficiali Presidio BARI                                    |            |                       | 350                             |  |
| Mensa Sottufficiali Presidio BARI                                |            |                       | 370                             |  |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Battaglione Autonomo R.A. BARI                    |            |                       | 846                             |  |
| 1 <sup>o</sup> Reggimento Avieri BARI                            |            |                       | 1254                            |  |
| Battaglione Presidario R.A. BARI                                 |            |                       | 1208                            |  |
| Battagl. Arditi R.A. COZZE DI MOLA                               |            |                       | 1332                            |  |
| Aeroporto BRINDISI                                               |            |                       | 551                             |  |
| " GIOIA DEL COLLE                                                |            |                       | 102                             |  |
| " S. VITO NORMANNI                                               |            |                       | 276                             |  |
| " LEVERANO                                                       |            |                       | 202                             |  |
| " REGGIO CALABRIA                                                |            |                       | 80                              |  |
| " FOGGIA                                                         |            |                       | 89                              |  |
| Compagnie e Nuclei Vari FOGGIA                                   |            |                       | 1744                            |  |
| Aerodistaccamento TIRANZI                                        |            |                       | 950                             |  |
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| " MUNGIVACCA                                                     |            |                       | 298                             |  |
| " BITONTO                                                        |            |                       | 445                             |  |
| " CROTONE                                                        |            |                       | 186                             |  |
| " GROTTACELLE                                                    |            |                       | 103                             |  |
| " CASTROVILLARI                                                  |            |                       | 44                              |  |
| " VIBO VALENTIA                                                  |            |                       | 42                              |  |
| 54 <sup>a</sup> Depaereo e Comp. G.A.I. TARANTO                  |            |                       | 332                             |  |
| Presidio R.A. LECCE                                              |            |                       | 140                             |  |
| 158 <sup>o</sup> Deposito R.A. NOICANTARO                        |            |                       | 211                             |  |
| Aeroporto LECCE                                                  |            |                       | 800                             |  |
| " TARANTO                                                        |            |                       | 800                             |  |
| Comando Unità Aerea BARI                                         |            |                       | 183                             |  |
| Squadriglia Autonomia PALERME MACCHIE                            |            |                       | 119                             |  |
| Reparti Caccia NUOVA                                             |            |                       | 1284                            |  |
| Aeroporto S. Nicola Varano                                       |            |                       | 80                              |  |
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| 83 <sup>o</sup> Gruppo Idro ORM e 334 <sup>o</sup> Wing BRINDISI |            |                       | 381                             |  |
| SRAM e Scuola Caccia LEVERANO                                    |            |                       | 217                             |  |
| 140 <sup>o</sup> Squadriglia ELIAS                               |            |                       | 68                              |  |
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| Mensa Presidio NAPOLI                | 305                    |                    |                                         |
| Mensa Caserma CASALNOVA              | 338                    |                    |                                         |
| Personale a disposizione             | 200                    |                    |                                         |
| 3° C.E.P.A.R.A. CASALEA              | 300                    |                    |                                         |
| Centro R.A. MONTESARCHIO             | 82                     |                    |                                         |
| Presidio R.A. CASERTA                | 75                     |                    |                                         |
| 1° Comp. Guardia CAPODICHIO          | 105                    |                    |                                         |
| 2° Comp. Guardia CAPODICHIO          | 58                     |                    |                                         |
| Compagnia Guardia PERTICI            | 89                     |                    |                                         |
| Comp. Guard. CASTELLAMARE STABII     | 54                     |                    |                                         |
| Personale di passaggio <i>Napoli</i> | 200                    |                    |                                         |
| Reparti Caccia VESUVIO               |                        | 331                |                                         |
| Reparti Bombard. to VESUVIO          |                        | 492                |                                         |
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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETROVAGLIATA DEL COMANDO AERONAUTICA DELLA  
SARDEGNA ALLA DATA DEL 25 LUGLIO 1944

| E N T I   | Truppe<br>territoriali | Truppe<br>operanti | Civili ad<br>detti a la-<br>vari pesantiti | Militari del<br>R.E. aggrega-<br>ti per vitto |
|-----------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Enti vari | 5.378                  | = =                | <del>178</del>                             | <del>368</del>                                |
| Totale    | 5.378                  | = =                | <del>178</del>                             | <del>368</del>                                |

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DIRETTORE GENERALE  
(Gen. G. E. Rossi)

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MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA  
DIREZIONE DI COMMISSARIATO

SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DEL NUCLEO AERONAUTICA DELLA  
SICILIA ALLA DATA DEL 25 LUGLIO 1944

| E N T I               | Truppe<br>territoriali | Truppe<br>operanti | Civili ed<br>addetti a lavori pesanti | Militari del<br>R.E. aggregati<br>per vitto |
|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Presidio R.A. PALERMO | 653                    | ==                 | 4                                     | ==                                          |
| Presidio R.A. CATANIA | 387                    | ==                 | =                                     | 15                                          |
|                       | 1040                   | ==                 | 4                                     | 13                                          |



IL DIRETTORE DI COMMISSARIATO  
(Col. G. G. o. P. Roscia)

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MINISTERO DELL'AERONAUTICA  
 SERVIZIO DI COMMISSARIATO  
 SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA DAL COMANDO NUCLEO AERONAUTICA  
 DELLA 3<sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. ALLA DATA DEL 25 LUGLIO 1944

| E N T I                                                   | Truppe<br>Territor. | Truppe<br>Operanti | Civili<br>addetti lav.<br>pesanti | Militari R.E.<br>aggregati per<br>vitto |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Comando Nucleo Aeronautica<br>della 3 <sup>a</sup> Z.A.T. | 1000                | ==                 | ==                                | ==                                      |
| <i>Rome</i>                                               |                     |                    |                                   |                                         |
| Totali                                                    | 1000                | ==                 | ==                                | ==                                      |



DIRETTORE DI COMMISSARIATO  
 (Col. G. G. F. Russia)

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Subject: Ration Period.

Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.  
Main HQ. MMIA  
R O M E.  
AO/2/7.

21 Jul 44.

TO: MINISTRY OF WAR

Ref this HQ letter AO/2/7 dated 6 Jul 44.

1. The period for which authority to draw daily issue of rations has been extended from 24 Jul to 31 ~~Aug~~ <sup>July</sup> 44. Para 1 therefore of the a/q letter will be amended to read "for period 10 July 44 through 31 Aug. 44."
2. A further authority covering period 1 Aug 44 through 9 Aug 44 will be issued in due course.

*F. J. Noan*  
Major General.  
Army Sub Commission, A.C.C.

FAC/hh

Copies to:

- HA AAI for DCAO
- HQ No. 2 District
- HQ No. 3 District
- FBS.
- IBS
- ABDG
- POTALI
- FOVIT
- Navy Sub Commission ACC
- Air Force Sub Commission ACC
- Col Simmons thru Allied Garrison Cmd. SARDINIA
- Lt. Col. Albert o/o ACC SICILY REGION HQ.
- MMIA LO at ACC Naples.
- " " with 31 Italian Corps
- " " " 5th Army
- " " " Rear 8th Army
- " " " 5 Corps
- " " " 56 Area
- " " " 2 District
- " " " 3 District
- HQ 56 Area
- HQ 60 Sub Area
- S.M.R.E..
- ST MMIA.

*see*  
3003

FROM : Air Forces Sub-Commission,  
Allied Control Commission,  
BARI.

TO : Headquarters, Army Sub-Commission,  
M.M.I.A. Lequile, Lecce.

DATE : 12th July 1944

REF. : AFSC/601/1/EQ.

AD 2/7  
18/7

Rations Italian Air Force

Enclosed herewith latest detailed ration figures for the Italian Air Force.

2. For greater convenience, the figures are summarised into Scale "A" and Scale "B" hereunder.

|           |       |
|-----------|-------|
| SCALE "A" | 8680  |
| SCALE "B" | 22313 |
|           | <hr/> |
| TOTAL     | 30993 |
|           | <hr/> |

3. The Italian Rationing Section has been instructed to prepare returns w.e.f. 25th July 1944, in accordance with your letter G/11/1 of 28th June 1944.

*J. Walton*  
J. WALTON, SQUADRON LEADER,  
AIR VICE-MARSHAL,  
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORA VETTOVACIATA DEITA IV Z.A.T. ALLA DATA DEL

5 luglio 1944.

ENTI

Operanti.

Territoriali

|                                                      |                  |      |      |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------|------|
| Aeroporto                                            | PALESE MACCHIE   | 852  | 180  |
| 100sa Ufficiali Presidio                             | BARI             | 416  | 125  |
| " Sott./li                                           | BARI             | 330  | 1015 |
| Reparto Servizi Ministero                            | BARI             | 489  | 83   |
| 1 Battg. Autonomo R.A.                               | BARI             | 894  | 2632 |
| 1 Regg./to Avieri R.A.                               | BARI             | 1478 | 1863 |
| Battaglione Presidiario                              | BARI             | 1078 | 1038 |
| " Armati R.A.                                        | BARI             | 1180 | 243  |
| Aeroporto                                            | COZZE DI MOLA    | 548  | 385  |
| "                                                    | BRINDISI         | 87   | 200  |
| "                                                    | GIOLIA DEL CONTE | 273  | 68   |
| "                                                    | S. VITO NORMANTI | 188  | 90   |
| "                                                    | LEVERANO         | 77   |      |
| "                                                    | REGGIO CALABRIA  | 84   |      |
| "                                                    | FOGGIA           | 1744 |      |
| "                                                    | FOGGIA           | 886  |      |
| "                                                    | TERLIZZI         | 463  |      |
| "                                                    | CAPURSO          | 296  |      |
| "                                                    | MUNGIVACCA       | 420  |      |
| "                                                    | BITONTO          | 212  |      |
| "                                                    | CROTONE          | 103  |      |
| "                                                    | GROTTACIE        | 44   |      |
| "                                                    | CASERUILLARI     | 43   |      |
| "                                                    | VIBO VALENTIA    | 352  |      |
| "                                                    | TARANTO          | 140  |      |
| "                                                    | LECCE            | 189  |      |
| "                                                    | MOICATTARO       |      |      |
| "                                                    | BARI             |      |      |
| "                                                    | PALESE MACCHIE   |      |      |
| "                                                    | NUOVA            |      |      |
| "                                                    | S. NICOLA VARANO |      |      |
| "                                                    | LECCE            |      |      |
| "                                                    | TARANTO          |      |      |
| "                                                    | LECCE            |      |      |
| "                                                    | BRINDISI         |      |      |
| "                                                    | C.T. LEVERANO    |      |      |
| "                                                    | BRINDISI         |      |      |
| "                                                    | EMAS             |      |      |
| "                                                    | TRICASE          |      |      |
| 54 Deposito R.A. Comp. GAI                           |                  |      |      |
| Presidio R.A.                                        |                  |      |      |
| 158 Deposito R.A.                                    |                  |      |      |
| Comando Unita Aerea                                  |                  |      |      |
| Squadriglia Autonoma                                 |                  |      |      |
| Reparto Caccia                                       |                  |      |      |
| Aeroporto                                            |                  |      |      |
| Raggruppamento Bom/to                                |                  |      |      |
| Ragg/to Idro Aerop. e SRM                            |                  |      |      |
| Aerop. SRM Bom/to e Rep.                             |                  |      |      |
| Caccia                                               |                  |      |      |
| 83 Gruppo Idro                                       |                  |      |      |
| SRM e Scuola Caccia                                  |                  |      |      |
| 8 Gruppo                                             |                  |      |      |
| ORL e 334 Wing.                                      |                  |      |      |
| 140 Squadriglia                                      |                  |      |      |
| Convalescenziario                                    |                  |      |      |
| BARI : Razioni "A" n. 37.970: Razioni "B" n. 125.180 |                  |      |      |
| LECCE : " " n. 41.450: " " n. 3.280                  |                  |      |      |
| n. 79.420                                            |                  |      |      |
| n. 128.460                                           |                  |      |      |
| 12.846                                               |                  |      |      |
| 7942                                                 |                  |      |      |

BARI : Razioni "A" n. 37.970: Razioni "B" n. 125.180  
 LECCE : " " n. 41.450: " " n. 3.280  
 n. 79.420  
 n. 128.460

|                                                     |     |            |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----|------------|
| "                                                   | 463 | 130        |
| "                                                   | 296 | 425        |
| "                                                   | 420 | 1015       |
| "                                                   | 212 | 83         |
| "                                                   | 103 | 2632       |
| "                                                   | 44  | 1883       |
| "                                                   | 43  | 1038       |
| 54 Deposito R.A.Comp.GAI                            | 332 | 243        |
| Presidio R.A.                                       | 140 | 385        |
| 153 Deposito R.A.                                   | 189 | 200        |
| Comando Unita Aerea                                 |     | 68         |
| Squadriglia Autonoma                                |     | 90         |
| Reparto Caccia                                      |     |            |
| Aeroporto                                           |     |            |
| Raggruppamento Bom/to                               |     |            |
| Ragg/to Idro Aerop.e SRM                            |     |            |
| Aerop.SRM Bomb/to e Rep.                            |     |            |
| Caccia                                              |     |            |
| 83 Gruppo Idro                                      |     |            |
| SRM e Scuola Caccia                                 |     |            |
| 8 Gruppo                                            |     |            |
| ORL e 334 Wing.                                     |     |            |
| 140 Squadriglia                                     |     |            |
| Convalescenziario                                   |     |            |
| CAPURSO                                             |     |            |
| LUNGIVACCA                                          |     |            |
| BITONTO                                             |     |            |
| CROTONE                                             |     |            |
| GROTTACELLE                                         |     |            |
| CASTROVILLARI                                       |     |            |
| VIBO VALENTIA                                       |     |            |
| TARANTO                                             |     |            |
| LECCE                                               |     |            |
| NOICATTARO                                          |     |            |
| BARI                                                |     |            |
| PALESE MACCHIE                                      |     |            |
| NUOVA                                               |     |            |
| S.NICOLA VARANO                                     |     |            |
| LECCE                                               |     |            |
| TARANTO                                             |     |            |
| LECCE                                               |     |            |
| BRINDISI                                            |     |            |
| C.T. LEVERANO                                       |     |            |
| BRINDISI                                            |     |            |
| ERAS                                                |     |            |
| TRICASE                                             |     |            |
| BARI : Razioni "A" n.37.970: Razioni "B" n. 125.130 |     |            |
| LECCE : " " n.41.450: " " n. 3.230                  |     |            |
| n.79.420                                            |     | n. 128.450 |
| 12.846                                              |     | 7942       |

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVACIATA DELL'AERONAUTICA DELLA CAMPANIA  
ALLA DATA DEL 5 LUGLIO 1944.

| ENTI                     | Territoriali      | Operanti |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mensa Presidio R.A.      | Napoli            | 305      |
| Mensa Caserma            | Casanova          | 336      |
| Personale a disposizione |                   | 200      |
| 3 CE. FA. RA.            | Casalba           | 300      |
| Centro L.R.              | Montesarchio      | 82       |
| Presidio R.A.            | Caserta           | 75       |
| 1 Compagnia Guardie      | Capodichino       | 105      |
| 2 Compagnia Guardie      | Capodichino       | 58       |
| Compagnia Guardie        | Portici           | 69       |
| Compagnia Guardie        | Castellumare di   |          |
|                          | Stalva            | 54       |
| Personale di passaggio   | (Aggregato        |          |
| Reparti Caccia           | Vesuvio           | 125      |
| " Bombardamento          | Vesuvio           | 488      |
| " Caccia                 | Capodichino       | 20       |
| " Bombardamento          | Montecorvino      | 31       |
| Convalescenziario R.A.   | Villa Montechiaro | 14       |
|                          |                   |          |
|                          | 1804              | 678      |

|          |        |   |         |     |           |
|----------|--------|---|---------|-----|-----------|
| Deposito | Napoli | : | Razioni | "A" | n. 6.780  |
| "        | "      | : | "       | "B" | n. 18.040 |

" Bombardamento 20  
 Convalescenziario R.A. 31  
 Villa Montechiaro 14

1304 678

Deposito Napoli : Razioni "A" n. 6.730  
 " " : " "B" n. 13.040

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTORELLATA DELL'AERONAUTICA DELLA SARDEGNAALLA DATA DEL 26 GIUGNO 1944.

| ENTI      | Territoriali | Operanti. |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| Enti vari | 6.740        | <u>60</u> |
| Totali    | <u>6.740</u> | <u>60</u> |

|          |          |             |           |   |
|----------|----------|-------------|-----------|---|
| Deposito | Cagliari | Razioni "B" | n. 67.400 | ) |
| "        | "        | "A"         | n. 6.000  | ) |

|          |          |             |    |        |   |
|----------|----------|-------------|----|--------|---|
| Deposito | Cagliari | Razioni "B" | n. | 67.400 | } |
| "        | "        | "           | n. | 6.000  |   |

6.740

Totale

60

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SITUAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETROVAGHIATA DELL'AERONAUTICA DELLA SICILIA

ALLA DATA DEL 5-7-44.

| ENTI                     | TERRITORIALI | OPERANTI. |
|--------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Presidio R.A. di Palermo | 621          | ---       |
| " " " Catania            | 302          | ---       |
| Totali                   | 923          | ---       |

|                     |          |
|---------------------|----------|
| Razioni "A" Palermo | n. 6.240 |
| " " Catania         | n. 3.030 |
| Totali              | n. 9.270 |

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|             |             |    |       |
|-------------|-------------|----|-------|
| Razioni "B" | Palermo     | n. | 6.210 |
| "           | "B" Catania | n. | 3.020 |

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|        |    |       |
|--------|----|-------|
| Totale | n. | 9.230 |
|--------|----|-------|



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**SUBJECT.****RATIONS FOR ITALIAN NAVY.** *10/7*

**FROM** THE FLAG OFFICER, TARANTO AND ADRIATIC.  
**DATE** 7th July, 1944. **No.** T.A. 1030/13A.  
**TO** MILITARY MISSION TO ITALIAN ARMY.

The ration strength estimate for the Italian Navy for the ten day period 13th July to 22nd July 1944, is forwarded herewith. An error has occurred in computing the additional rations required consequent upon the return of the battleships. 1200 "A" rations were overdrawn at Taranto during the period 3rd July to 12th July, 1944, and the present "A" ration strength for Taranto is 1200 too high. It is requested therefore that 2400 rations may be deducted from Taranto's "A" rations and that the issue of only 12,932 "A" rations be authorised for the coming period.

*not returned*  
*14/7/44* → 2. The monthly complement return for the Italian Navy was forwarded to you on 3rd July, in error. Should this be of interest, however, it is requested that it be examined and returned as soon as possible.

3. With reference to your letter No. AQ/2/7 of 1st July, ration strength estimates will in future be sent to cover a 15 day period. It is requested that the attached estimate be considered as covering the period up to 24th July, 1944.

*SUT*  
*HAD*  
*HM*  
*C. Morgan*  
REAR-ADMIRAL.  
3597



# Preventivo di vettovagliamento del personale della Regia Marina

per la decade dal 13th. July al 22nd. July

| Ente di ricezione            | Località di distribuzione    | Razioni tipo A | Razioni tipo B |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Maricommi Taranto . . .      | Taranto . . .                | 15,332 (1)     | 21,440         |
|                              | Gallipoli . . .              | 116            | 376            |
|                              | Crotone . . .                | 89             | 66             |
|                              | R. Calabria . . .            |                | 440            |
|                              | Vibo Valentia . . .          |                | 23             |
| Maricommi Brindisi . . .     | Brindisi . . .               | 2,407          | 8,037          |
|                              | Totale . . .                 |                |                |
| Marina Bari . . . . .        | Bari . . . . .               | 1,213          | 1,215          |
|                              | Totale . . .                 | 12,137         | 31,567         |
| Maricommi Napoli . . . . .   | Napoli . . . . .             | 4,692          | 3,212          |
|                              | Castellamare di Stabia . . . | 39             | 23             |
|                              | Totale . . .                 | 4,731          | 3,305          |
| Maricommi La Maddalena . . . | La Maddalena . . . . .       | 940            | 1,874          |
|                              | Olbia . . . . .              |                |                |
| Marina Cagliari . . . . .    | Cagliari . . . . .           | 186            | 2,600          |
|                              | S. Antioco . . . . .         |                |                |
| Sicilia . . . . .            | Totale . . .                 | 1,126          | 7,474          |
|                              | (2)                          | 1,515          | 1,312          |
| Totale generale . . .        |                              | 26,592         | 46,658         |

Osservazioni:

(1) 3,118 rations previously issued to personnel engaged on heavy work and unloading



|                                  |                                  |           |        |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|--------|
| Marina Bari . . . . .            | Bari . . . . .                   | 1,213     | 1,215  |
|                                  | <i>Totale</i> .                  | 19,187    | 34,567 |
| Maricommi Napoli . . . . .       | Napoli . . . . .                 | 4,692     | 3,212  |
|                                  | Castellamare di Stabia . . . . . | 39        | 33     |
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|                                  | <i>Totale</i> .                  | 1,126     | 7,474  |
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|                                  | <i>Totale generale</i> .         | 26,592    | 46,656 |

Osservazioni:

(1) 3,118 rations previously issued to personnel engaged on heavy work and unloading merchant ships have been deducted and "B" ration is now issued to them.  
1,200 rations have been added for 2 battleships due to arrive.

"A" rations drawn at TAPAYO, BRINDISI and BARI are distributed as follows:-

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Afloat                      | 15,352 |
| Afloat in auxiliary vessels | 3,853  |
| <i>TOTAL</i>                | 19,187 |

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(2) 1,200 rations have been deducted for 2 battleships (see para. 1).

Rations Period 10 July through 24 July

Army Sub Commission ACC  
Main Hq (MMIA)  
LECCE  
AQ/2/7  
6 July 44

TO: Ministry Of War

1. Authority is given for the daily issue of rations to the Italian Armed Forces for period 10 July through 24 July, up to, but not exceeding the totals shown below.

RATION STRENGTH OF ITALIAN ARMED FORCES

15 Day period : 10 July through 24 July 44

| LOCATION.    | DAILY STRENGTHS |         |        |     |           |        |
|--------------|-----------------|---------|--------|-----|-----------|--------|
|              | ARMY            |         | NAVY   |     | AIR FORCE |        |
|              | "A"             | "B"     | "A"    | "B" | "A"       | "B"    |
| Mainland:    |                 |         |        |     |           |        |
| Combat Zone. | 53,449          |         |        |     |           |        |
| Rear of      |                 |         |        |     |           |        |
| Combat Zone. | 542             | 156,746 | 23,918 |     | 37,872    | 8,559  |
| Sicily       |                 | 24,851  | 1,548  |     | 1,312     |        |
| Bardonia     |                 | 123,934 | 1,126  |     | 7,474     |        |
| TOTALS       | 53,991          | 305,531 | 26,592 |     | 46,658    | 8,559  |
|              |                 |         |        |     |           | 22,433 |

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(1) The following will NOT be issued with army rations:-

- (a) Any civilian personnel
- (b) Personnel on leave
- (c) Personnel absent without leave
- (d) Red Cross personnel
- (e) Personnel confined in civil jails
- (f) Royal Forestry Guards

2. The only Italian unit authorized to draw rations from Allied (British) Depots is Comando Supremo, Salerno. No re-payment to Allied Depots for rations issued to Italian units will be made by Italian depots, except as authorized in each case by M.E.I.A. Italian units are authorized to draw rations from Allied sources only as approved by this Hq., or in emergency.

*Johnny T. Lane*



| LOCATION.    | DAILY STRENGTHS |         |        |        |           |
|--------------|-----------------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|
|              | ARMY            |         | NAVY   |        | AIR FORCE |
|              | "A"             | "B"     | "A"    | "B"    | "A"       |
| Mainland:    |                 |         |        |        |           |
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*Tommy T. Rose*

TOMMY T ROSE, Maj.  
w/ Msj. Gen.  
Army Sub Commission ACC

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14 457  
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31 Aug?

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**Urgentissimo** (20)  
A mezzo corriere



# MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE  
DIVISIONE SUSSISTENZE

N. 6976/ di prot. 6 P. M. 107, li 6 luglio 1944  
Risposta al foglio N. \_\_\_\_\_ del \_\_\_\_\_ Carte annesse

OGGETTO: Vettevagliamento P.M., italiani per il periodo 10 - 24 luglio  
*feeding of 10 Italian soldiers for period July 10 - 24*

ALLA SOTTOCOMMISSIONE PER L'ESERCITO DELL'A.S.C.  
- Comando Principale -

ITALIA

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Sulle base della forza desunta dalla situazione al 25 giugno pervenuta dallo Stato Maggiore R. Esercito, si riporta qui appresso il quadro di ripartizione delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali Vivieri per il vettevagliamento delle P.M. Italiane durante il periodo quindicinale 10 - 24 luglio 1944.

## FORZA GIORNALIERA

| R. ESERCITO          | R. MARINA |        | R. AERONAUTICA |         |
|----------------------|-----------|--------|----------------|---------|
|                      | "A"       | "B"    | "A"            | "B"     |
| Dep. Centre. Taranto | 8.000     | 17.355 | 32.853         |         |
| " Spec. Bari         | 26.446    | 1.243  | 1.215          | 12.422  |
| " " Lecce            | 27.000    |        |                | 410     |
| " " Napoli           | 62.107    | 4.731  | 3.305          | 1.618   |
| " " Crotone          | 20.582    | (2) 89 | (2) 499        | (2) 398 |
| " " Gallipoli        | 120.914   | 1.126  | 7.474          | 6.740   |
| " " Palermo          | 24.851    | 1.548  | 1.312          | 845     |



pervenire dallo Stato Maggiore R. Esercito, si riporta qui espresso il quadro di ripartizione delle razioni che dovranno essere prelevate dai Depositi Speciali Viveri per il vettovagliamento delle F.M. italiane durante il periodo quindicinale 10 - 24 luglio 1944.-

| DEPOSITI           |  | FORZA GIORNALIERA |         |           |         |                |         |
|--------------------|--|-------------------|---------|-----------|---------|----------------|---------|
|                    |  | R. ESERCITO       |         | R. MARINA |         | R. AERONAUTICA |         |
|                    |  | "A"               | "B"     | "A"       | "B"     | "A"            | "B"     |
| Dep. Cent. Taranto |  |                   | 8.000   | 17.055    | 22.053  |                |         |
| " Spec. Bari       |  | 26.446            | 30.577  | 1.243     | 1.215   | 3.390          | 12.422  |
| " " Lecce          |  |                   | 27.000  |           |         | 4.370          | 410     |
| " " Napoli         |  | 27.545            | 62.137  | 4.731     | 3.305   | 299            | 1.618   |
| " " Crotone        |  | (1)               | 20.982  | (2) 89    | (2) 492 |                | (2) 398 |
| " " Ceglie         |  |                   | 123.934 | 1.126     | 7.474   |                | 6.740   |
| " " Palermo        |  |                   | 24.851  | 1.548     | 1.312   |                | 845     |
|                    |  | 53.931            | 305.231 | 26.592    | 46.658  | 8.559          | 22.433  |

(1) di cui 542 per il Comando Supremo e due di terreno accantonate per il reintegro al D.I.D. inglese da cui detto Ente è autorizzato a prelevare.

(2) da distribuirsi a cura dei Magazzini del R. Esercito.

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