

APPENDIX A-6—FIXED BED STRENGTH AND BED OCCUPANCY, MEDITERRANEAN  
THEATER, NOVEMBER 1942—SEPTEMBER 1945

Date	Troop Strength <sup>a</sup>	Authorized Beds <sup>b</sup>	T/O Beds <sup>c</sup>	Bed Ratio <sup>d</sup>	Beds Established <sup>e</sup>	Beds Occupied <sup>f</sup>
<b>1942</b>						
30 November.....	128,560	7,714	2,500	1.9	†	†
31 December.....	227,092	13,626	7,900	3.5	†	†
<b>1943</b>						
31 January.....	260,771	15,647	8,400	3.2	4,410	3,212
28 February.....	298,545	17,913	10,800	3.6	6,709	5,161
31 March.....	344,488	20,669	13,075	3.8	10,144	7,586
30 April.....	395,461	23,728	15,175	3.8	14,084	10,856
31 May.....	483,172	28,990	24,725	5.1	16,956	13,693
30 June.....	520,087	31,205	23,825	4.6	27,204	17,572
31 July.....	528,608	31,716	24,075	4.6	32,901	20,305
31 August.....	545,740	32,744	24,125	4.4	31,460	25,215
30 September.....	610,965	36,658	25,225	4.1	36,947	25,567
31 October.....	632,744	41,761	34,825	5.5	41,406	27,929
30 November.....	584,596	38,583	35,375	6.1	42,049	31,468
31 December.....	597,658	39,445	36,275	6.1	51,508	37,316
<b>1944</b>						
31 January.....	621,831	41,041	36,275	5.8	60,201	43,431
29 February.....	642,658	42,415	36,275	5.6	59,273	39,673
31 March.....	670,234	44,235	36,275	5.4	52,711	33,737
30 April.....	697,785	46,054	36,275	5.2	47,634	28,160
31 May.....	723,552	47,754	36,925	5.1	51,743	38,390
30 June.....	717,693	47,368	46,175	6.4	55,384	37,541
31 July.....	724,057	47,788	45,525	6.3	55,884	37,174
31 August.....	742,700	49,018	44,025	5.9	51,675	32,205
30 September.....	712,915	47,052	43,775	6.1	41,950	31,344
31 October.....	712,218	47,006	42,875	6.0	49,859	40,579
30 November.....	495,497	32,703	29,125	5.9	33,600	26,085
31 December.....	498,675	32,913	29,125	5.8	31,765	21,559

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1945						
31 January.....	507,668	33,506	28,875	5.7	35,882	21,472
28 February.....	498,120	32,876	28,775	5.8	36,303	19,520
31 March.....	497,427	32,830	29,000	5.8	32,535	15,894
30 April.....	493,876	32,596	29,000	5.9	35,550	19,656
31 May.....	452,214	29,846	28,300	6.3	32,787	13,370
30 June.....	408,714	26,975	22,200	5.4	23,065	10,656
31 July.....	356,529	23,531	16,200	4.5	16,953	7,114
31 August.....	248,802	16,421	13,950	5.6	15,305	5,515
30 September.....	193,894	7,755	10,550	5.4	10,110	4,237

<sup>a</sup> From Strength of the Army, STM-30.

<sup>b</sup> 6 percent of troop strength through September 1943; 6.6 percent of troop strength to 15 September 1945; thereafter 4 percent of troop strength.

<sup>c</sup> Compiled from unit reports. Does not include mobile hospitals, except when acting as fixed units assigned to a base section. Does not include convalescent beds.

<sup>d</sup> Ratio of T/O beds to troop strength.

<sup>e</sup> From daily bed status reports of the theater.

<sup>f</sup> Not available.

<sup>g</sup> Includes 8,750 T/O beds in southern France.

<sup>h</sup> Includes 4,000 beds established in southern France.

<sup>i</sup> Includes an estimated 4,000 beds occupied in southern France.

<sup>j</sup> Includes 13,750 T/O beds in southern France.

<sup>k</sup> Includes 12,482 beds established in southern France.

<sup>l</sup> Includes 10,377 beds occupied in southern France.

Source: Tables A-3, A-4, A-5. Southern France data from 1944 Annual Reports, Delta Base Section, CONAD, and individual hospitals.