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APPENDIX A

BRITISH FLAG OFFICERS AND COMMODORES
WITH CHIEF STAFF OFFICERS

OPERATION "NEPTUNE"

Admiral Sir Bertram H. Ramsay, K.C.B., K.B.E., M.V.O.
Allied Naval Commander-in-Chief

STAFF

Chief of Staff	Rear-Admiral G. E. Creasy, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.V.O.
Deputy Chief of Staff	Captain M. J. Mansergh, C.B.E., R.N.
{ Chief Naval Admin- istration Officer (C.S.O.)	Rear-Admiral J. W. Rivett-Carnac, D.S.C.X
{ Rear-Admiral "Mulberry/Pluto" (C.S.O.)	Captain J. W. Grant, D.S.O., R.N.
Principal Salvage Officer	Rear-Admiral W. G. Tennant, C.B., M.V.O.
	Captain H. Hickling, D.S.O., R.N.
	Commodore T. McKenzie, R.N.V.R.

EASTERN TASK FORCE

Rear-Admiral Sir Philip Vian, K.B.E., D.S.O.
(Naval Commander, E.T.F.)

C. S. O. Act. Captain J. D. Luce, D.S.O., M.B.E., R.N.	Rear-Admiral A. G. Talbot, D.S.O.
{ Naval Commander, Force S. (C.S.O.)	Act. Captain R. P. Solby, R.N.
{ Naval Commander, Force G. (C.S.O.)	Commodore (1st Cl.) C. E. Douglas-Pennant, C.B.E., D.S.C.
{ Naval Commander, Force J. (C.S.O.)	Captain B. I. Robertshaw, O.B.E., R.N.
{ Naval Commander, Force L. (C.S.O.)	Commodore (1st Cl.) G. N. Oliver, D.S.O.
Rear-Admiral, 10th Cruiser Squadron	Captain A. G. V. Hubback, R.N.
Rear-Admiral, 2nd Cruiser Squadron	Rear-Admiral W. E. Parry, C.B.
Commodore, Depot Ships	Act. Captain E. V. Lees, D.S.O., R.N.
	Rear-Admiral F. H. G. Dalrymple-Hamilton, C.B.
	Rear-Admiral W. R. Patterson, C.B., C.V.O.
	Commodore (2nd Cl.) H. T. England, D.S.O.

X Flag Officer, British Assault Area (F.O.B.A.A.) designate.

+ Promoted Vice-Admiral 15th June, 1944.

APPENDIX A(1)

CLASSIFIED LIST OF H.M. SHIPS OF WAR, WITH
COMMANDING OFFICERS, AND ALLOCATIONS TO
OPERATION "NEPTUNE"

Note: Ships are shewn alphabetically in classes, squadrons or Flotillas: Squadrons and Flotillas are in numerical order. Names of Commanding Officers, other than those specifically mentioned in "Neptune" Reports, have been taken from the current Navy List, (June, 1944).

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation *	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
<u>BATTLESHIPS</u>			
NELSON	Captain A. H. Maxwell-Hyslop, A.M., R.N.	E or W.T.F. Reserve	As req.
RAMILLIES	Captain G. B. Middleton, C.B.E., A.D.C., R.N.	Bomb: Fce: D.	E.T.F.
RODNEY	Captain the Hon. R. D. Fitzroy, R.N.	E.T.F. Reserve	E.T.F.
WARSPITE	Captain M. H. A. Kelsey, D.S.C., R.N.	Bomb: Fce: D.	E.T.F.
<u>MONITORS</u>			
EREBUS	Act. Capt. J. S. P. Colquhoun, R.N.	Bomb: Fce: A.	W.T.F.
ROBERTS	Act. Capt. R. E. C. Dunbar, R.N.	" " D.	E.T.F.
<u>CRUISERS</u>			
SCYLLA	{Flag, Rear-Adl. Sir Philip Vian, {K.B.E., D.S.O. (N.C.E.T.F.) {Captain T. M. Brownrigg, C.B.E., (R.N.	Flag N.C.E.T.F.	Flag N.C.E.T.F.
AJAX	Captain J. J. Weld, M.V.O., R.N.	Bomb: Fce: K.	E.T.F.
ARETHUSA	Captain H. Dalrymple-Smith, R.N.	" " D.	E.T.F.
ARGONAUT	Captain E. W. L. Longley-Cook, C.B.E., R.N.	" " K.	E.T.F.
BELFAST	{Flag, Rear-Adl. F. H. G. {Dalrymple-Hamilton, C.B. (R.A. 10th C.S.) (Captain F. R. Parham, R.N.	" " E.	E.T.F.
BELLONA	Captain C. W. F. Norris, R.N.	W.T.F. Reserve	W.T.F.
BLACK PRINCE	Captain D. M. Lees, D.S.O., R.N.	Bomb: Fce: A.	W.T.F.
CAPETOWN	Act. Capt. H. F. Nash, R.N.	-	Depot Ship
CERES	Act. Capt. R. C. Allen, R.N.	-	Depot Ship
DANAE	Captain J. R. S. Haines, R.N.	Bomb: Fce: D.	Depot Ship

* Letters in brackets, (G) (J) (S) etc., indicate Assault Force.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation *		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>CRUISERS (Contd.)</u>				
DESPATCH	Act. Capt. C. H. Petrie, D.S.O., R.N.	-		("Mulberry" (B.H.Q. ship
DIADEM	Captain E. G. A. Clifford, R.N.	Bomb: Fce: E.		E.T.F.
EMERALD	Captain F. J. Wylie, R.N.	" " K.		E.T.F.
ENTERPRISE	Captain H. T. W. Grant, D.S.O., R.C.N.	" " A.		W.T.F.
FROBISHER	Captain J. F. W. Mudford, R.N.	" " D.		Depot Ship
GLASGOW	Captain C. P. Clarke, D.S.O., R.N.	" " C.		W.T.F.
HAWKINS	Captain J. W. Josselyn, D.S.C., R.N.	" " A.		Depot Ship
MAURITIUS	{Flag, Rear-Adl. W. R. Patterson, C.B., C.V.O. (R.A. 2nd C.S.) (Captain W. W. Davis, R.N.	" " D.		E.T.F.
ORION	Captain J. P. Gornall, R.N.	" " K.		E.T.F.
SIRIUS	Captain R. L. M. Edwards, C.B.E., R.N.	E.T.F. Reserve		E.T.F.
<u>FLEET DESTROYERS</u>				
<u>8th Destroyer Flotilla</u>				
FAULKNOR (D8)	Act. Com. C. F. H. Churchill, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (J))		As required by Assault Force Commanders
FURY	Lt.Com. T. F. Taylor, R.N.	E.T.F. (J))		
ISIS	Lt. H. D. Durrell, R.N.	E.T.F. (S))		
JERVIS	Lt.Com. R. P. Hill, D.S.O., R.N.	E.T.F. (G))		
<u>10th Destroyer Flotilla **</u>				
ASHANTI	Lt.Com. J. R. Barnes, R.N.	Plymouth		Plymouth
ESKIMO	Lt.Com. E. N. Sinclair, R.N.	"		"
HAIDA	Com. H. G. de Wolf, R.C.N.	"		"
HURON	Lt.Com. H. S. Rayner, D.S.C., R.C.N.	"		"
JAVELIN	Lt.Com. P. B. N. Lewis, D.S.C., R.N.	"		"
TARTAR (S.O.)	Com. B. Jones, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	"		"

* Letters in brackets (G) (J) (S) etc., indicate Assault Force.

** O.R.P. BLYSCAWICA and PIORUN, (see App.C) formed part of 10th D.F.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>FLEET DESTROYERS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>17th Destroyer Flotilla</u>				
OBEDIENT	Lt.Com. H. Unwin, D.S.C., R.N.	Dover	Dover	
OFFA	Lt.Com. R. F. Leonard, R.N.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
ONSLAUGHT	Com. the Hon. A. Pleydell-Bouverie, R.N.	"	"	
ONSLOW (D.17)	Capt. J. A. McCoy, D.S.C., R.N.	"	"	
OPPORTUNE	Com. J. Lee-Barber, D.S.O., R.N.	Dover	Dover	
ORIBI	Lt.Com. J. C. A. Ingram, D.S.C., R.N.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
ORWELL	Lt.Com. J. M. Hodges, D.S.O., R.N.	Dover	Dover	
<u>23rd Destroyer Flotilla *</u>				
IMPULSIVE	Lt.Cdr. P. Bekenn, R.N.	E.T.F. (S) }	As required by Assault Force Commanders	
KELVIN	Lt.Cdr. R. M. W. MacFarlan, R.N.	" (S) }		
SAUMAREZ (D.23)	Capt. P. G. L. Cazalet, D.S.C., R.N. (Capt.(D) 23rd D.F.)	" (S) }		
SAVAGE	Cdr. M. D. C. Meyrick, D.S.O., R.N.	Dover	Dover	
SCORPION	Lt.Cdr. W. S. Clouston, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (S) }		
SCOURGE	Lt.Cdr. G. I. M. Balfour, R.N.	" (S) }	As required by Assault Force Commanders	
SERAPIS	Lt.Cdr. E. L. Jones, D.S.C., R.N.	" (S) }		
SWIFT	Lt.Cdr. J. R. Gower, R.N.	" (S) }		
<u>25th Destroyer Flotilla</u>				
GRENVILLE (D.25)	Capt. H. P. Henderson, R.N. (Capt.(D) 25th D.F.)	E.T.F. (G) }		
ULSTER	Lt.Cdr. W. S. Donald, D.S.C., R.N.	" (G) }	As required by Assault Force Commanders	
ULYSSES	Lt.Cdr. R. J. Hanson, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	" (G) }		
UNDAUNTED	Lt.Cdr. A. A. Mackenzie, R.D., R.N.R.	" (G) }		
UNDINE	Cdr. T. G. Robinson, D.S.O., R.N.	" (G) }		

* H. NOR. M. S. STORD and SVENNER, (see App.C) formed part of 23rd D.F.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>FLEET DESTROYERS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>25th Destroyer Flotilla (Contd.)</u>				
URANIA	Lt.Cdr. D. H. P. Gardiner, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (G))	
URCHIN	Lt. D. R. Murdoch, R.N.	" (G))	
URSA	Cdr. D. B. Wyburd, D.S.C., R.N.	" (G))	
<u>26th Destroyer Flotilla</u>				
ALGONQUIN	Act. Lt.Cdr. D. W. Piers, D.S.C., R.C.N.	E.T.F. (J)	As required by Assault Force Commanders	
KEMPFENFELT (D.26)	Capt. M. L. Power, C.B.E., R.N. (Capt.(D) 26th D.F.)	" (J)		
SIOUX	Act. Lt.Cdr. E. E. G. Boak, R.C.N.	" (J)		
VENUS	Cdr. J. S. M. Richardson, D.S.O., R.N.	" (J)		
VERULAM	Lt.Cdr. W. S. Thomas, D.S.C., R.N.	" (S)		
VIGILANT	Lt.Cdr. L. W. L. Argles, R.N.	" (J)		
VIRAGO	Lt.Cdr. A. J. R. White, R.N.	" (S)		
<u>HUNT CLASS DESTROYERS</u>				
<u>1st Destroyer Flotilla *</u>				
BLANKNEY	Lt. B. H. Brown, R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	Portsmouth	
BLEASDALE (S.O.)	Com. H. M. S. Mundy, R.N.	" (J)	E.T.F.	
MIDDLETON	Lt. I. N. D. Cox, D.S.C., R.N.	" (S)	"	
STEVENSTONE	Act. Lt.Com. H. M. Duff-Still, D.S.O., R.N.V.R.	" (J)	"	
<u>15th Destroyer Flotilla</u>				
BRISSENDEN	Lt. the Hon. D. D. E. Vivian, R.N.	W.T.F. (B)	W.T.F.	
MELBREAK	Lt. G. J. Kirkby, D.S.C., R.N.	" (O)	"	
TALYBONT	Lt.Com. E. F. Baines, R.N.	" (O)	"	
TANATSIDIE	Com. B. J. de St.Croix, R.N.	" (O)	"	
WENSLEYDALE	Act. Lt.Com. W. P. Goodfellow, R.N.V.R.	" (B)	"	

* F.F.S. LA COMBATTANTE and H.Nor.M.S. GLAISDALE formed part of 1st D.F.
(see App.C).

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>HUNT CLASS DESTROYERS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>Part of 16th Destroyer Flotilla</u>		
COTSWOLD	Act. Lt.Com. J. W. Whittle, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (L)	Nore
EGLINTON	Lt.Com. F. M. Graves, R.N.	" (S)	Portsmouth
QUORN	Lt. I. Hall, R.N.	Nore	"
SOUTHDOWN	Lt. T. C. U. Fanshawe, R.N.	"	Nore
	<u>Part of 21st Destroyer Flotilla</u>		
GARTH (D.21)	Capt. C. R. L. Parry, D.S.O., R.N.	Nore	Nore
CATTISTOCK	Lt. R. G. D. Keddie, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F.
COTTESMORE	Lt. W. D. O'Brien, D.S.C., R.N.	" (G)	Portsmouth
FERNIE	Lt. J. A. Tricker, R.N.	Nore	Nore
MEYNELL	Lt. B. M. D. I'Anson, R.N.	"	"
PYTCHELY	Lt.Com. R. H. Hodgkinson, R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F.
BLENCATHRA	Lt. P. G. C. Dickens, D.S.O., M.B.E., D.S.C., R.N.	Milford Haven	Plymouth
HAMBLEDON	Lt. L. G. Toon, R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	"
MENDIP	Lt. P. D. Davey, R.N.	Milford Haven	"
	<u>ESCORT DESTROYERS</u>		
	<u>Part of 16th Destroyer Flotilla</u>		
MACKAY (D.16)	Capt. J. S. C. Salter, O.B.E., D.S.O., R.N. (Capt.(D) 16th D.F.)	Nore	Nore
MONTROOSE	Act. Cdr. G. N. Rolfe, D.S.C., R.N.	"	"
WALPOLE	Lt. G. C. Crowley, D.S.C., R.N.	"	"
WHITSHED	Lt. T. P. Baillie-Grohman, D.S.C., R.N.	"	"
WINDSOR	Lt. L. R. P. Lawford, R.N.	"	"
	<u>Part of 21st Destroyer Flotilla</u>		
CAMPBELL	Act. Cdr. E. C. Coats, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (S)	Nore
VIVACIOUS	Lt. F. D. Cole, R.N.	" (L)	"

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>ESCORT DESTROYERS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command</u>				
BEAGLE	Lt.Cdr. N. R. Murch, R.N.	E.T.F. (J)	Portland	
BOADICEA *	Lt.Cdr. F. W. Hawkins, R.N.	Plymouth	Milford Haven	
FORESTER	Lt.Cdr. J. A. Burnett, D.S.C., R.N.	Nore	Portsmouth	
KEPPEL	Cdr. I. J. Tyson, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
VANQUISHER	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. M. Osborne, D.S.C., R.A.N.V.R.	"	Falmouth	
VERSATILE	Lt. G. C. Potter, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (J)	Portland	
VESPER	Lt.Cdr. V. D. Ravenscroft, R.N.	W.T.F. (O)	Milford Haven	
VIDETTE	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. S. Woolley, R.N.V.R.	" (O)	"	
VIMY	Lt.Cdr. J. N. K. Knight, R.N.	" (B)	"	
VOLUNTEER	Lt.Cdr. J. E. R. Wilford, R.D., R.N.R.	" (B)	"	
WALKER	Lt.Cdr. A. N. Rowell, R.N.	Milford Haven	"	
WANDERER	Lt.Cdr. R. F. Whinney, R.N.	"	Falmouth	
WATCHMAN	Lt.Cdr. E. M. Thorpe, D.S.O., R.N.	"	Milford Haven	
WESTCOTT	Lt.Cdr. H. Lambton, R.N.	E.T.F. (Escort for RODNEY)	E.T.F.	
WHITEHALL	Lt.Cdr. P. J. Cowell, D.S.O., R.N.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
WRESTLER ↗	Lt.Cdr. R. W. B. Lacon, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (J)	-	
<u>SLOOPS</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command</u>				
CRANE	Lt.Cdr. R. G. Jenkins, R.N.	Nore	Portsmouth	
HART	Cdr. M. B. Sherwood, D.S.O., R.N. **	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
HIND	Cdr. R. W. Keymer, R.N. **	E.T.F. (G)	"	

* Torpedoed by Aircraft and sunk, 12th/13th June.

↗ Mined on passage, 5th/6th June, 1944.

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Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>SLOOPs (Contd.)</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command (Contd.)</u>				
KITE	Lt.Cdr. A. N. G. Campbell, R.N.	Nore	Portsmouth	
LAPWING	Act. Cdr. E. C. Hulton, R.N.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
LARK	Cdr. H. L. Pryse, R.D., R.N.R.	Nore	Portsmouth	
LONDONDERRY	Lt.Cdr. L. B. Philpott, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.	Portsmouth	"	
MAGPIE	Lt.Cdr. R. S. Abram, R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	Plymouth	
PELICAN	Lt. C. E. Sheen, D.S.C., R.N.	Milford Haven	"	
REDPOLE	Lt.Cdr. I. M. Cars, D.S.C., R.N.	E.T.F. (G)	Portsmouth	
ROCHESTER	Act. Cdr. J. V. Waterhouse, D.S.O., R.N. (S.O. 39th E.G.)	Portsmouth	"	
SCARBOROUGH	Lt.Cdr. E. B. Carnduff, R.N.	"	"	
STORK	Lt.Cdr. C. Gwinner, D.S.O., R.N.	E.T.F. (S)	"	
WHIMBREL	Cdr. E. Hewitt, R.D., R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
<u>FRIGATES</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command</u>				
CHELMER	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. A. Cherry, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (L)	Portsmouth	
DAKINS	Lt. R. S. Blacker, R.N.	Nore	Nore	
DEVARON	Lt.Cdr. R. E. H. Partington, R.D., R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Falmouth	
DUFF	Act. Ty. Lt. Cdr. F. Brock, R.C.N.V.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
HALSTEAD	Cdr. J. R. Westmacott, R.N. (S.O. 11th E.G.)	E.T.F. (L)	Nore	
HARGOOD	Cdr. P. G. MacIver, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Falmouth	
HOLMES	Lt. D. B. G. Dumas, R.N.	E.T.F. (Escort for WARSPITE) /	E.T.F. /	
HOTHAM	Act. Lt.Cdr. S. Ayles, R.N.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
NARBOROUGH	Lt.Cdr. W. R. Muttram, D.S.C., R.N.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
RETALICK	Lt. J. S. Brownrigg, R.N.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	

/ Or RAMILLIES.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>FRIGATES (Contd.)</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command (Contd.)</u>				
RIOU	Lt. F. L. Boyer, R.N.	E.T.F. (Escort for RODNEY)	E.T.F.	
ROWLEY	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. Brock, R.C.N.V.R. ≠	E.T.F. (Escort for WARSPITE) ≠	E.T.F.	
RUPERT	Lt. P. C. S. Black, R.N.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
SEYMOUR	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. J. Parry, R.N.R.	Nore	Portsmouth	
SPRAGGE	Lt.Cdr. G. S. Grant, R.D., R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
STAYNER	Lt.Cdr. H. J. Hall, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
STOCKHAM	Act. Lt.Cdr. B. C. Hamilton, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
STRULE	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. Johnston, R.N.R.	"	Falmouth	
TAVY	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. Ardern, R.N.R.	"	"	
THORNCROUGH	Lt.Cdr. C. G. H. Brown, R.N.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
TORRINGTON	Lt. C. F. Parker, R.N.	E.T.F. (S)	"	
TROLLOPE	Lt.Cdr. H. Westacott, R.N.	Portsmouth	"	
TYLER	Lt. C. H. Rankin, R.N.	Nore	"	
WALDEGRAVE	Lt. T. Hay, T.N.	Milford Haven	Plymouth	
WHITAKER	Lt. G. P. W. Edwards, R.N.	"	"	
<u>CORVETTES</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command</u>				
ABELIA	Act. Lt.Cdr. O. G. Stuart, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Falmouth	
ALBERNI	Act. Lt.Cdr. I. H. Bell, R.C.N.V.R. ≠	E.T.F.	Portsmouth	
ARMERIA	Lt.Cdr. F. Granger, R.D., R.N.R.	"	"	
AZALEA	Lt.Cdr. G. C. Geddes, R.D., R.N.R.	W.T.F. (B)	Milford Haven	
BADDECK	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. G. Hutchings, R.C.N.R.	With Mulberries	Portsmouth	
BALSAM	Act. Lt.Cdr. Sir J. H. S. Fayrer, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. ≠	Milford Haven	Falmouth	

≠ Or RAMILLIES.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>CORVETTES (Contd.)</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command (Contd.)</u>				
BLUEBELL	Lt. G. H. Walker, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Milford Haven	
BORAGE	Lt. W. S. Macdonald, M.B.E., D.S.C., R.N.V.R. /	Nore	Nore	
BURDOCK	Lt. H. M. Collier, R.N.R.	With F.D.T. 13	Portsmouth	
BUTTERCUP	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. Hunter, D.S.C., R.N.R. /	Nore	Nore	
CALGARY	Lt. A. A. R. Dykes, R.C.N.R.	With Mulberries	Portsmouth	
CAMELIA	Act. Lt.Cdr. A. H. Lyons, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore	
CAMPANULA	Lt. I. Bull, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (G)	Portsmouth	
CAMROSE	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. L. Pavillard, R.C.N.R.	With Mulberries	"	
CELANDINE	Act. Lt.Cdr. W. E. Warwick, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	"	
CHARLOCK	Lt. J. E. B. Healy, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore	
CLARKIA	Lt. J. O. Williams, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (J)	Portland	
CLEMATIS	Temp. Lt. R. H. Farrands, R.N.	" (L)	Nore	
CLOVER	Lt. T. E. Fanshawe, D.S.C., R.N.R.	" (S)	"	
DAHLIA	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. B. Bald, M.B.E., R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
DIANELLA	Lt. J. F. Tognola, R.N.V.R.	"	Falmouth	
DIANTHUS	Lt. B. J. Boniek, R.N.V.R.	"	Portsmouth	
DRUMHELLER	Lt. H. R. Beck, R.C.N.R.	With Corncobs	"	
GENTIAN	Act. Lt.Cdr. E.W.C. Dempster, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	"	
GERANIUM	Lt. G. Wallace, R.N.R.	"	Falmouth	
GODETIA	Act. Lt.Cdr. M. A. F. Larose, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (L)	Nore	
HEATHER	Lt. W. L. Turner, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Portsmouth	
HONEYSUCKLE	Lt. J. A. Wright, R.N.R.	"	Milford Haven	
KINGCUP	Act. Lt.Cdr. H. E. Petre, R.N.R.	Nore	Nore	
KITCHENER	Lt. J. E. Moles, R.C.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (B)	Milford Haven	

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>CORVETTES (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>From Western Approaches Command (Contd.)</u>		
LAVENDER	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. Butcher, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (S)	Portsmouth
LINDSAY	Lt. G. A. V. Thompson, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
LOOSESTRIFE	Act. Lt.Cdr. H. A. Stonehouse, D.S.C., R.N.R.	Nore	Nore
LOUISBURG	Lt. J. B. Emsley, R.C.N.V.R.	With Corncobs	Portsmouth
LUNENBURG	Lt. D. L. Miller, D.S.C., R.C.N.V.R.	With Mulberries	"
MAYFLOWER	Lt. D. S. Martin, R.C.N.R.	With Corncobs	"
MIGNONETTE	Lt. H. H. Brown, D.S.C., R.N.R.	E.T.F.	Nore
MIMICO	Lt. F. J. Jones, R.C.N.V.R.	"	Portsmouth
MOOSEJAW	Lt. H. Bryn Jolfson, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	"
NARCISSUS	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. T. S. Clampitt, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (L)	Nore
NASTURTIUM	Lt. W. N. Bishop-Laggett, R.N.R.	With Corncobs	Portsmouth
ORCHIS	Lt. B. W. Harris, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore
OXLIP	Lt. J. K. Craig, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F.	"
PENNYWORT	Lt. A. W. James, R.N.R.	" (S)	"
PETUNIA	Lt. G. L. Coles, R.N.V.R.	" (J)	Portland
PINK	Lt. W. K. Tadman, R.N.R.	" (L)	"
POPPY	Lt. D. R. C. Onslow, R.N.R.	Nore	Nore
PORt ARTHUR	Lt. K. T. Chisholm, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Portsmouth
POTENTILLA	Lt. R. H. Nossiter, D.S.C., R.A.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore
PRESCOTT	Act. Lt.Cdr. W. McIsaac, R.N.V.R.	With Mulberries	Portsmouth
PRIMROSE	Lt. R. F. Pembry, R.N.R.	"	"
REGINA	Lt. J. W. Radford, R.C.N.R.	Milford Haven	"
RHODODENDRON	Lt. O. B. Medley, R.N.V.R.	"	Milford Haven
RIMOUSKI	Lt. R. J. Pickford, R.C.N.V.R.	With Corncobs	Portsmouth
STARWORT	Act. Lt.Cdr. A. H. Kent, D.S.C., R.N.R.	Nore	Nore

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>CORVETTES (Contd.)</u>				
<u>From Western Approaches Command (Contd.)</u>				
STATICE	Lt. R. Wolfenden, R.N.R.	Nore	Nore	
SUMMERSIDE	Lt. G. St. A. Mongenais, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
SUNFLOWER	Act. Lt.Cdr. L. H. Stammers, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore	
SWEETBRIAR	Act. Lt.Cdr. W. Whitfield, R.N.R.	"	"	
TRENTONIAN	Lt. W. E. Harrison, R.C.N.R.	With Corncobs	Portsmouth	
VERVAIN	Lt. R. A. Howell, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore	
WALLFLOWER	Lt. G. R. Greaves, R.N.R.	"	Portsmouth	
WOODSTOCK	Lt. C. E. Wright, R.C.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	"	
<u>A/S TRAWLERS</u>				
ANNET	Lt. M. W. Bond, R.N.V.R.	Portland	Portland	
ASIE	Act. Lt. F. Oldman, R.N.R.	Falmouth	Plymouth	
BERN	Lt. H. Wivestad, R.N.R.	Nore	Portsmouth	
BOMBARDIER	Act. Lt. G. L. Oleson, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F.	
BRESSAY	Lt. J. E. Wilmot, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (O)	W.T.F.	
CAMBRIDGE-SHIRE	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. D. Craighead, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
CALDY	Lt. G. D. Cowley, R.N.V.R.	"	"	
COLL	Skipper H. Clarke, R.N.R.	W.T.F. (O)	W.T.F.	
CORNELIAN	Act. Lt.Cdr. S. Gorrell, D.S.C., R.N.R.	Plymouth	Milford Haven	
DAMSAY	Lt. A. Burke, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (L)	W.T.F.	
ELLESMORE	Lt. R. L. C. Boby, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Milford Haven	
FIARAY	Lt. H. H. Jones, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (L)	W.T.F.	
FLINT	Lt. G. Muego, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (U)	"	
FOULNESS	Lt. W. A. Mercer, R.N.V.R.	" (U)	"	
FUSILIER	Lt. F. M. Phillips, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (G)	Portsmouth	
GAIRSAY	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. H. Homer-Lindsay, R.N.R.	" (L)	W.T.F.	
GANILLY	Lt. M. W. Hampson, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
<u>A/S TRAWLERS (Contd.)</u>			
GATESHEAD	Lt. J. N. Bligh, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (B)	W.T.F.
GRASSHOLM	Lt. R. N. Simonsen, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
GRENADEIER	Act. Lt. A. G. Day, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F.
GRIMSBY TOWN	Act. Lt. W. A. Cormack, R.N.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
GWEAL	Act. Lt.Cdr. T. C. W. Blay, R.N.V.R.	"	"
HERSCHELL	Lt. J. E. Freestone, R.N.R.	"	"
HUGH WALPOLE	Lt. J. R. T. Broom, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (S)	Portsmouth
KINGSTON ANDALUSITE	Lt. G. W. J. Leeson, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
KINGSTON CHRYSOBERYL	Act. Lt. H. Rich, R.N.R.	Falmouth	Plymouth
LA NANTAISE	Act. Lt. S. J. Cory, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
LANCER	Act. Lt. J. A. Cornelius, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F. (S)
LINCOLNSHIRE	Act. Lt. S. L. Larner, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
LINDISFARNE	Act. Lt. G. T. Lilley, D.S.C., R.N.R.	W.T.F. (B)	W.T.F.
LORD AUSTIN	Lt. E. S. T. Robinson, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (J)	Portsmouth
LORD ESSENDON	Act. Lt. F. A. Yeomans, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Plymouth
LORD MIDDLETON	Lt. L. A. J. Berry, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (J)	Portsmouth
LORD STANHOPE	Act. Lt. S. G. Jinks, R.N.R.	Falmouth	Plymouth
LORD WAKEFIELD	Lt. H. E. Dodd, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	"
NEAVE	Lt. T. Ross, R.N.V.R.	"	Milford Haven
NORTHERN FOAM	Lt. J. A. Crockett, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (J)	E.T.F. (S)
NORTHERN GEM	Act. Lt. W. C. King, R.N.R.	" (S)	"
NORTHERN GIFT	Lt. F. N. Bentley, R.N.V.R.	" (S)	"

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>A/S TRAWLERS (Contd.)</u>		
NORTHERN PRIDE	Lt. D. O. Humphreys, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (J)	E.T.F. (S)
NORTHERN REWARD	Lt. J. Mackenzie, R.N.R.	" (S)	Portsmouth
NORTHERN SKY	Lt. G. O. T. D. Henderson, R.N.V.R.	" (S)	E.T.F.
NORTHERN SPRAY	Lt. F.A.J. Downer, R.N.R.	" (J)	"
NORTHERN SUN	Lt. S. G. Fowler, R.N.V.R.	" (J)	"
NORTHERN WAVE	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. P. Kilbee, R.N.R.	" (S)	"
NOTRE DAME DE FRANCE	Act. Lt. W. J. Salisbury, R.D., R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Plymouth
OLIVINA	Act. Lt. C. G. Spillings, R.N.R.	W.T.F. (B)	W.T.F.
PEARL	Lt. B. G. Barfoot, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Milford Haven
QUADRILLE	Lt. G. A. Peat, R.N.V.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth
RUBY	Lt. C. F. Unwin, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
SAPPER	Lt. R. C. Lees, R.N.R.	E.T.F. (G)	E.T.F.
SCALPAY	Lt. G. F. G. Pollard, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
SKOMER	Act. Lt. A. Robinson, D.S.C., R.N.R.	"	"
SKYE	Lt. J. M. Renton, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (O)	W.T.F.
STEEPHOLM	Lt. S. C. Dickinson, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
SWITHA	Lt. V. S. Jeffery, R.N.V.R.	Portland	Portland
TEXADA	Lt. C. N. Ribbeck, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. (U)	W.T.F.
ULVA	Act. Lt. E. R. Harris, R.N.R.	Milford Haven	Milford Haven
VELETA	Lt. G. F. Bryant, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. (J)	Portsmouth
VICTRIX	Lt. H. F. B. Ashby, R.N.V.R.	" (G)	"
	<u>SUBMARINES (Midgets)</u>		
X 23	Lt. G. B. Honour, R.N.V.R.	Area SWORD	-
X 20	Lt. K. R. Hudspeth, D.S.C., R.A.N.V.R.	Area JUNO	-

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation			
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault		
<u>MINELAYERS</u>					
ADVENTURE	Act. Capt. A. M. Sheffield, R.N.	-	Force G, (as L.S.E.)		
APOLLO	Capt. J. A. Grindle, R.N.	Operation MAPLE	(A.N.C.X.F. (Stand by M/L.)		
PLOVER	Lt. R. T. White, R.N.				
SOUTHERN PRINCE	Act. Capt. R. H. F. de Salis, O.B.E., D.S.C., R.N.	-	H.Q. Ship, F.O.B.A.A.		
<u>SEAPLANE CARRIER</u>					
ALBATROSS	Capt. D. S. McGrath, R.N. (ret.)	-	Force S, (as L.S.E.)		
<u>ANTI-SUBMARINE ESCORT GROUPS *</u> (From Western Approaches Command)					
<u>ESCORT CARRIERS(3)</u>					
EMPEROR	Capt. T. J. N. Hilken, D.S.O., R.N.	Western Approaches	Western Approaches		
PURSUER	Capt. H. R. Graham, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.				
TRACKER	Act. Capt. J. H. Huntley, R.N.				
<u>DESTROYERS(14)</u>					
<u>11th E.G. (R.C.N.)</u>					
CHAUDIERE	Act. Lt.Com. C. P. Nixon, R.C.N.	Plymouth Command	To Portsmouth Command D + 12 (18th June)		
GATINEAU	Act. Lt.Com. H. V. W. Groos, R.C.N.				
KOOTENAY	Act. Lt.Com. K. L. Dyer, D.S.C., R.C.N.				
OTTAWA	Com. H. F. Pullen, R.C.N.				
ST. LAURENT	Lt.Com. G. H. Stephen, D.S.C., R.C.N.R.				
<u>12th E.G. (R.C.N.)</u>					
Q'APPELLE	Com. D. C. Wallace, D.S.C., R.C.N.R.	Plymouth Command	Plymouth Command		
RESTIGOUCHE	Act. Lt.Com. D. W. Groos, R.C.N.				
SASKATCHEWAN	Com. R. C. Medley, D.S.C., R.N.				
SKEENA	Act. Lt.Com. P. F. X. Russel, R.C.N.				

* The A/S Escort Groups were not strictly speaking, part of the "Neptune" Forces, but they played an important part in the success of the Operation.

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>DESTROYERS (14) (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>14th E.G.</u>		
FAME	Com. R. A. Currie, R.N.	Plymouth Command	Plymouth Command
HAVELock	Lt.Com. R. Hart, D.S.C., R.N.		
HOTSPUR	Lt.Com. L. H. Landman, R.N.		
ICARUS	Lt.Com. R. Dyer, R.N.		
INCONSTANT	Lt.Com. J. H. Eaden, D.S.C., R.N.		
	<u>SLOOPs (3)</u>		
	<u>2nd E.G.</u>		
STARLING	Capt. F. J. Walker, C.B., D.S.C., R.N.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 4 (10th June)
WILD GOOSE	Lt.Com. D. E. G. Wemyss, D.S.C., R.N.		
WREN	Lt.Com. S. R. J. Woods, R.N.R.		
	<u>FRIGATES (38)</u>		
DOMINICA	Lt.Com. N. W. Duck, D.S.C., R.N.		
LOCH FADA	Lt.Com. B. A. Rogers, R.N.R.		
LOCH KILLIN	Lt.Com. S. Darling, R.A.N.V.R.		
LOCHY	Lt.Com. W. J. P. Roberts, R.N.R.		
	<u>1st E.G.</u>		
AFFLECK	Com. C. Gwinner, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 18 (24th June)
BALFOUR	Lt.Com. C. D. B. Coventry, R.N.R. (ret.)		
BENTLEY	Lt.Com. E. G. May, D.S.C., R.N.		
CAPEL	Lt. B. G. Heslop, D.S.C., R.N.		
GARLIES	Lt. R. L. Caple, D.S.C., R.N.		
GORE	Lt. J. V. Reeves-Brown, R.N.		
	<u>3rd E.G.</u>		
BLACKWOOD*	Lt.Com. L. T. Sly, R.D., R.N.R.	Plymouth Command	Plymouth Command
BRAITHWAITE	Lt.Com. E. M. Mackay, R.N.R.		
COOKE	Lt.Com. L. C. Hill, O.B.E., R.D., R.N.R.		
DGMETT	Act. Lt.Com. S. Gordon, R.N.V.R.		

* Torpedoed and sunk, 15th June, 1944.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>FRIGATES (38) (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>3rd E.G. (Contd.)</u>		
DUCKWORTH	Com. R. G. Mills, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	Plymouth Command	Plymouth Command
ESSINGTON	Act. Lt.Com. W. Lambert, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>5th E.G.</u>		
AYLMER	Lt. A. D. P. Campbell, R.N.		
BICKERTON	Com. D. G. F. W. MacIntyre, D.S.O., R.N.		
BLIGH	Lt. W. B. de Quincy, R.N.V.R.		
GOODSON	Act. Lt.Com. J. W. Cooper, R.N.R.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 4 (10th June)
KEATS	Lt.Com. N. F. Israel, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
MOURNE*	Lt.Com. R. S. Holland, R.D., R.N.R.		
	<u>6th E.G. (R.C.N.)</u>		
CAPE BRETON	Lt.Com. A. M. McLarnon, R.C.N.R.		
GROU	Act. Lt. H. G. Dupont, R.C.N.R.		
OUTREMONT	Lt.Com. H. Freeland, D.S.O., R.C.N.R.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 12 (18th June)
TEME	Lt.Com. D. G. Jeffrey, D.S.O., R.D., R.C.N.R.		
WASKESIU	Lt.Com. J. P. Fraser, R.C.N.R.		
	<u>9th E.G. (R.C.N.)</u>		
MATANE	Act. Com. A. F. C. Layard, D.S.O., R.N.		
MEON	Lt.Com. St. C. Balfour, R.C.N.V.R.		
PORT COLBORNE	Act. Lt.Com. C. J. Angus, R.C.N.R.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 12 (18th June)
ST. JOHN	Act. Lt.Com. W. R. Stacey, R.C.N.R.		
STORMONT	Lieut. G. A. Myra, R.C.N.R.		
SWANSEA	Com. C. A. King, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.C.N.R.		

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Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>FRIGATES (38) (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>15th E.G.</u>		
CAM	Lt. Com. J. P. Smyth, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.		
INGLIS	Lt. R. S. Beveridge, R.N.		
LAWSON	Lt. T. P. Somerville, R.N.	Western Approaches	To Plymouth Command D + 12 (18th June)
MOORSOM	Lt. A. C. Martyn, R.N.V.R.		
MOUNSEY	Lt. F. A. J. Andrew, R.N.		
	<u>FLEET MINESWEEPERS</u>		
	<u>1st M.S. Flotilla</u>		
BRITOMART	Lt.Cdr. A. J. Galvin, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.V.R.		
GLEANER	Lt.Cdr. F. J. G. Hewitt, D.S.C., R.N.		
HALCYON	Act. Lt.Cdr. L. J. Martin, R.N.V.R.		
HARRIER (S.O.)	Cdr. H. E. H. Nicholls, D.S.C., R.N. (S.O. 1st M/S Fl.)	Force S. Sweep Channel No. 9	Area between Channels 5 and 6 and as req.
HUSSAR	Lt.Cdr. R. C. Biggs, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.		
JASON	Act. Cdr. T. G. P. Crick, D.S.O., R.N.		
SALAMANDER	Act. Lt.Cdr. H. G. King, R.N.V.R.		
SEAGULL	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. W. Ellis, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
SPEEDWELL	Lt.Cdr. T. E. Williams, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.		
	<u>4th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
ALBURY	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. Bradley, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
ELGIN	Lt. N. Psaroudis, R.N.R.		
KELLETT (S.O.)	Cdr. J. S. Cochrane, R.N. (S.O. 4th M/S Fl.)	Force O. Sweep Channel No. 4	Area between Channels 3 and 4 and as req.
LYDD	Act. Lt.Cdr. H. G. Moore, R.N.V.R.		
PANGBOURNE	Act. Cdr. C. H. Pollock, D.S.C. R.N.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>FLEET MINESWEEPERS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>4th M.S. Flotilla (Contd.)</u>		
ROSS	Act. Lt.Cdr. A. E. Bird, R.N.V.R.		
SALTASH	Lt. M. D. Ballantine, R.N.V.R.	Force O.	Area between Channels 3 and 4 and as req.
SELKIRK	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. C. Goff, R.N.R.	Sweep Channel No. 4	
SUTTON	Act. Lt.Cdr. T. C. H. Lea, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>6th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
FRIENDSHIP	Act. Lt.Cdr. E. T. Durrant, R.N.R.		
GOZO	Cdr. F. R. G. Maunsell, R.N.		
LARNE	Lt.Cdr. J. E. Clark, D.S.C., R.N.		
LIGHTFOOT	Lt.Cdr. T. M. Williams, R.N.R.	Force G.	Area between Channels 5 and 6 and as req.
MELITA	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. R. May, R.N.R.	Sweep Channel No. 5	
PERSIAN	Lt.Cdr. A. Ecclestone, R.N.		
POSTILLION	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. S. Gordon-Christian, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
VESTAL (S.O.)	Cdr. J. C. Richards (S.O. 6th M/S Fl.)		
	<u>7th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
FANCY	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. A. Simmes, R.N.R.		
LENNOX	Lt.Cdr. T. T. Euman, R.N.		
PELOROUS	Act. Cdr. G. Nelson, R.N. (S.O. 7th M/S Fl.)		
PICKLE	Lt.Cdr. F. C. V. Brightman, R.N.	Force J.	Area between Channels 7 and 8 and as req.
PINCHER	Lt.Cdr. T. Fraser, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.	Sweep Channel No. 8	
PLUCKY	Lt.Cdr. R. Paterson, V.D., S.A.N.F.(V)		
RECRUIT	Cdr. G. E. W. W. Bayly, V.D., R.N.V.R.		
RIFLEMAN	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. L. Carroll, D.S.C., R.N.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>FLEET MINESWEEPERS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>9th M.S. Flotilla</u>				
BANGOR	Lt. H. Sobey, R.N.R.			
BLACKPOOL	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. H. Bird, R.N.V.R.			
BOSTON	Act. Lt.Cdr. H. L. Choppin, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.			
BRIDLINGTON	Lt. E. M. Betts, R.N.R.	Force J. Sweep Channel No. 7	As ordered by N.C.E.T.F.	
BRIDPORT	Lt.Cdr. F. G. Rogers, R.D., R.N.R.			
EASTBOURNE	Act. Lt.Cdr. E. B. Cutlack, R.N.R.			
SIDMOUTH (S.O.)	Cdr. R. W. D. Thomson, R.N.			
TENBY	Act. Cdr. R. W. Wainewright, R.N. (S.O. 9th M/S Fl.)			
<u>14th M.S. Flotilla</u>				
GUYSBOROUGH	Lt. B. T. R. Russell, R.C.N.R.			
KENORA	Lt. D. W. Lowe, R.C.N.V.R.			
POOLE	Lt. D. A. Pochon, R.N.			
ROMNEY (S.O.)	Act. Cdr. G. W. A. T. Irvine, D.S.C., R.N. (S.O. 14th M/S Fl.)	Force U. Sweep Channel No. 2	Area between Channels 3 and 4 and as req.	
RYE	Lt. F. Williams, R.N.			
SEAHAM	Act. Cdr. R. E. Brett, D.S.O., R.N.R.			
VEGREVILLE	Lt. T. B. Edwards, R.C.N.R.			
WHITEHAVEN	Lt. W. E. Halbert, R.N.R.			
<u>15th M.S. Flotilla</u>				
ARDROSSAN	Act. Lt.Cdr. G. F. Alderson-Smith, R.N.V.R.			
BOOTLE	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. Gibbons, R.N.R.			
DUNBAR	Lt. J. F. Borlace, R.N.	Force S. Sweep Channel No. 10	Force S till dusk D-Day	
FORT YORK	Lt. E. W. de la Mere, R.N.R.			
FRASERBURGH (S.O.)	Cdr. H. G. A. Lewis, R.N. (S.O. 15th M/S Fl.)			

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>FLEET MINESWEEPERS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>15th M.S. Flotilla (Contd.)</u>		
LLANDUDNO	Act. Lt.Cdr. F. G. Darnborough, R.N.V.R.		
LYME REGIS	Act. Cdr. J. C. Benson, D.S.C., V.D., R.N.V.R.		
WORTHING	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. P. Hamilton- Adams, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>16th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
BEAUMARIS	Act. Lt.Cdr. S. F. Harmer- Elliott, R.N.V.R.		
DORNOCH	Lt. P. H. Rawle, R.N.		
ILFRACOMBE	Act. Lt.Cdr. R. K. Hart, R.A.N.V.R.	Force U. Sweep Channel No. 1	
PARSBOROUGH	Act. Lt.Cdr. J. G. Raven, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
QUALICUM	Lt. H. Stevens, R.N.V.R.		
SHIPPIGAN (S.O.)	Cdr. M. H. Brown, D.S.C., R.N. (S.O. 16th M/S Fl.)		
TADOUSSAC	Act. Cdr. J. P. Apps, R.N.		
WEDGEPORT	Lt. G. Brown, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>18th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
COCKATRICE	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. W. Armstrong, R.N.R.		
HOUND	Act. Cdr. A. H. Wynne-Edwards, R.N.		
HYDRA	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. T. J. Wellard, R.N.R.		
LOYALTY	Lt.Cdr. J. E. Maltby, R.D., R.N.R.	Force G. Sweep Channel No. 6	Force G. Bombarding Area, and as req.
ONYX	Act. Lt.Cdr. C. C. L. Gaußen, R.N.V.R.		
ORESTES	Lt.Cdr. A. W. R. Adams, R.N.		
RATTLESNAKE	Lt.Cdr. A. E. Coles, R.D., R.N.R.		
READY (S.O.)	Cdr. A. V. Walker, R.N. (S.O. 18th M/S Fl.)		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>FLEET MINESWEEPERS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>31st M.S. Flotilla</u>		
BLAIRMORE	Lt. J. C. Marston, R.C.N.R.		
CARAQUET (S.O.)	Act.Cdr. A. H. G. Storrs, R.C.N.R. (S.O. 31st M/S Fl.)		
COWICHAN	Lt. K. W. N. Hall, R.C.N.R.	Force O.	
FORT WILLIAM	Lt. H. Campbell, R.C.N.R.	Sweep Channel No. 3	Force O. Fire support ships' Channel and as req.
MALPEQUE	Lt. D. Davis, R.C.N.V.R.		
MILLTOWN	Lt. E. H. Maguire, R.C.N.V.R.		
MINAS	Lt. J. B. Lamb, R.C.N.V.R.		
WASAGA	Lt. J. J. H. Green, R.C.N.R.		
	<u>40th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
CATHERINE (S.O.)	Act. Com. L. C. Windsor, R.N.		
CATO	Lt. R. W. E. Harris, R.N.	Force S. (Bombarding Ships)	
GAZELLE	Lt. J. D. Sutcliffe, R.N.		
GORGON	Ty. Lt.Com. F. Mugford, R.N.R.		
GRECIAN	Act. Com. C. D. A. Irvine, R.N.		
PIQUE	Ty. Lt.Com. W. J. C. Fuller, R.N.R.		
STEADFAST	Ty. Lt.Com. R. Mowbray, R.N.R.		
	<u>M.M.S. FLOTILLAS</u>		
	<u>101st M.S. Flotilla</u>		
M.M.S. 14	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. A. M. S. Mayne, R.C.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.M.S. 17	Ty. Lt. D. G. Silcock, R.N.V.R.		
M.M.S. 27	Ty. Lt. D. J. Scott, R.N.V.R.		
M.M.S. 28	Ty. Lt. G. W. Ellerby, R.N.V.R.		
M.M.S. 182	Ty. Lt. W. W. Jobson, R.N.V.R.		Mulberry
M.M.S. 186	Ty. Skip. Lt. G. W. Moore, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
M.M.S. 189	Skip. Lt. H. Green, R.N.R.		
M.M.S. 219	Ty. Lt. J. E. Lewis, R.N.V.R.		
M.M.S. 265	Ty. Lt. R. P. Jones, R.N.V.R.		
M.M.S. 266	Ty. Lt. D. J. Else, R.N.V.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>M.M.S. FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>102nd M.S. Flotilla</u>				
M.M.S. 8	Ty. Lt. J. H. Barrett, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 19	Ty. Lt. R. A. Snell, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 40	Ty. Lt. N. B. Lewis, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 44	Ty. Lt. G. E. Fox, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 45	Ty. Lt. E. A. Cash, R.N.V.R.	)	A.N.C.X.F. Reserve
M.M.S. 71	Ty. Lt. G. V. Gare, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 110	Ty. Act. Lt. Com. N. H. Jones, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer))		
M.M.S. 113	Ty. Lt. D. H. Hackett, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 115	Ty. Lt. W. A. McLaughlan, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 181	Ty. Lt. J. Grieve, R.N.V.R.)		
<u>104th M.S. Flotilla</u>				
M.M.S. 31	Ty. Lt. J. W. Plowright, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 37	Ty. Lt. M. W. Munro, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 74	Ty. Lt. A. Niblick, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 75	Ty. Lt. R. D. Bennett, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 84	Ty. Lt. W. Kyle, R.N.V.R.	)	W.T.F. Force O.
M.M.S. 86	Ty. Lt. A. Chancellor, R.N.V.R.	)	As required
M.M.S. 260	Ty. Lt. J. Addison, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 279	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. W. F. Salenius, D.S.C., R.N.R.)		
M.M.S. 280	Ty. Lt. R. Corney, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 305	Ty. Lt. G. A. Blair, R.N.V.R.)		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>M.M.S. FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>115th M.S. Flotilla</u>				
M.M.S. 6	Ty. Lt. T. C. Muir, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 7	Ty. Lt. J. Larson, R.A.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 22	Ty. Lt. J. M. C. Easton, G.C., R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 29	Act. Lt.Com. T. J. Ridd, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (S.O.))		
M.M.S. 49	Ty. Lt. A. J. Trundell, R.N.V.R.	)	Bomb: Force D.
M.M.S. 55	Ty. Lt. F. W. Holton, R.N.V.R.	)	Bomb: Force D.
M.M.S. 91	Ty. Lt. R. C. Christian, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 139	Ty. Lt. W. B. Bevis, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 165	Ty. Lt. E. G. Hudson, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 205	Ty. Lt. D. Stephenson, R.N.V.R.)		
<u>132nd M.S. Flotilla</u>				
M.M.S. 229	Ty. Lt. P. M. Smith, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 261	Ty. Lt. J. A. Ludlow, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 274	Ty. Lt. E. F. James, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 277	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. L. Oliver, R.N.R.)		
M.M.S. 288	Ty. Lt. K. H. Travis, R.N.V.R.	)	E.T.F.
M.M.S. 291	Ty. Lt. F. S. Franklin, R.N.V.R.	)	Force S.
M.M.S. 293	Ty. Lt. A. M. Goodwin, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 301	Ty. Lt. D. F. Clutterbuck, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 302	Ty. Lt. C. H. MacDermott, R.N.V.R.)		
M.M.S. 308	Ty. Skip. Lt. F. Hayward, R.N.R.)		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>M.M.S. FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>143rd M.S. Flotilla</u>		
M.M.S. 183	Ty. Lt. H. R. Kemble, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 218	Lt. M. Cameron, R.N.R. (Senior Officer))	
M.M.S. 247	Act. Skip. Lt. W. S. Hall, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 248	Ty. Lt. T. M. McLean, R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 251	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. T. G. C. Coombe, R.N.R.	)	N.C.E.T.F.
M.M.S. 252		)	As required
M.M.S. 253	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. J. C. Hodge, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 256	Ty. Lt. H. F. Diggle, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 257	Skip. Lt. C. W. Snape, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 268	Ty. Lt. R. A. Mason, R.N.V.R.)	
	<u>205th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
M.M.S. 62	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. A. H. Barrett, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 278	Ty. Lt. E. H. Batt, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 297	Ty. Lt. E. Anderson, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 1003	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. G. F. P. Swan, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 1006	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. J. A. H. Lumbus, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 1007	Ty. Lt. M. R. Mills, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.	-	A.N.C.X.F. Reserve
M.M.S. 1008	Ty. Lt. N. Butterworth, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 1009	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. J. E. Bywater, R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 1010	Act. Skip. Lt. J. Dinwoodie, D.S.C., R.N.R.)	
M.M.S. 1011	Ty. Lt. T. S. Stobbs, R.N.V.R.)	
M.M.S. 1037	Ty. Lt. B. Durrant-Robinson, R.N.V.R.)	

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>B.Y.M.S. FLOTILLAS</u>		
	<u>150th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
B.Y.M.S. 2001	Skipper W. Geddes, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2002	Act. Lt. Com. J. C. Clarke, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
B.Y.M.S. 2003	Ty. Lt. E. Cooper, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2004	Ty. Skip. Lt. R. H. Soanes, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2015	Ty. Lt. S. W. Hills, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2016	Ty. Lt. D. Shore, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. Force G.	
B.Y.M.S. 2030	Act. Skip. Lt. S. H. Duffield, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2042	Act. Skip. Lt. T. W. Kirby, M.B.E., R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2059	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. P. J. May, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2062	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. T. A. Phillipson, R.N.R.		With bombarding Destroyers of respec- tive Forces
	<u>159th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
B.Y.M.S. 2032	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. P. S. Farmery, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2039	Act. Skip. Lt. W. J. Scott, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2052	Ty. Lt. C. E. Haste, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2055	Ty. Lt. S. R. Wakefield, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2070	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. J. Hobbs, R.N.R.	E.T.F. Force J.	
B.Y.M.S. 2071	Ty. Lt. W. M. Dougall, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2078	Ty. Act. Skip. Lt. A. E. Fisher, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2157	Ty. Lt. D. McGrath, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2173	Ty. Lt. A. L. Mulcare, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2211	Ty. Act. Lt. Com. S. E. Davies, D.S.C., R.N.V.R., (S.O.)		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>B.Y.M.S. FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>165th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
B.Y.M.S. 2035	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. F. K. Butler, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2041	Ty. Lt. R. Gibson-Felming, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2058	Ty. Lt. G. Dodds, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2079	Ty. Lt. H. R. Walker, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2167	Ty. Sub.Lt. P. M. Wigzell, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. Force S.	
B.Y.M.S. 2202	Ty. Lt. F. Darton, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2205	Ty. Lt. E. V. Varley, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2206	Ty. Lt. J. R. Jensen, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2233	Ty. Lt. M. C. Rogers, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2252	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. F. T. C. Stoneman, D.S.C., R.N.V.R., (Senior Officer)		With bombarding destroyers of respec- tive Forces
	<u>167th M.S. Flotilla</u>		
B.Y.M.S. 2050	Ty. Skip. Lt. J. R. Flaxman, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2061	Ty. Lt. S. S. Mitchell, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2069	Ty. Skip. Lt. R. J. Read, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2154	Ty. Lt. G. Matthews, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2155	Ty. Lt. J. A. Booth, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2156	Act. Skip. Lt. J. J. McKenzie, R.N.R.	W.T.F. Force O.	
B.Y.M.S. 2182	Ty. Lt. L. G. W. Beazley, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2210	Ty. Lt. E. A. Parsons, R.N.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2255	Ty. Sub.Lt. G. R. Fisher, R.N.V.R.		
B.Y.M.S. 2256	Ty. Lt. J. S. Mackay, R.N.V.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
<u>DANLAYERS</u>			
ALEXANDER SCOTT	Ty. Skipper W. Lewis, R.N.R.		
COLSAY	Ty. Lt. J. H. Sulman, R.N.V.R.		
CRAFTSMAN	Ty. Skipper G. F. H. Fosdick, R.N.R.		
LORD ASHFIELD	Ty. Lt. J. B. Morpeth, R.N.R.		
FUDAY			
NEIL SMITH	Ty. Lt. G. H. Trill, R.N.V.R.		
RIGHTO	Ty. Lt. A. H. Mulligan, R.N.V.R.		
THUNDER			
FAIRWAY	Ty. Skipper G. E. Blowers, R.N.R.		
HANNA RAY	Ty. Lt. J. C. Staniland, R.N.V.R.		
LORD MELCHETT	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. G. Consadine, R.N.V.R.		
SYLVANA	Ty. Lt. N. Ross, R.N.V.R.		
FARNE	Ty. Lt. C. Hepplestone, R.N.V.R.		
ST. BARBE	Ty. Lt. D. P. Thomas, R.N.V.R.		
STELLA RIGEL	Ty. Act. Sk. Lt. H. W. Lang, R.N.R.		
STELLA LEONIS	Ty. Skipper A. Wood, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
BRYHER	Ty. Lt. F. C. C. Knight, R.N.V.R.		
DAIMATIA	Sk. Lt. C. Dale, R.N.R.		
IJUIN	Skipper T. W. Doddington, R.N.R.		
SIGMA	Ty. Skipper J. More, R.N.R.		
GEORGIAN			
PETERHEAD	Lt. D. P. Croom-Johnson, R.N.V.R.		
SIR GALAHAD	Ty. Skipper A. Hales, R.N.R.		
SIR LANCELOT	Ty. Lt. R. N. W. Smith, R.N.V.R.		
CALVAY	Ty. Lt. J. C. Fegen, R.N.V.R.		
DOROTHY LAMBERT			
JAMES LAY	Ty. Skipper W. Jordan, R.N.R.		
NIBLICK	Ty. Skipper J. F. Leighton, R.N.R.		
BLYTH	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. W. R. S. Smith, R.N.V.R.		
CANSO			
COMMANDER EVANS	Act. Lt. G. Hatton, D.S.C., R.N.R.		
KINGS GREY	Lt. A. L. G. Gillies, R.N.R.		
DOONE	Skipper C. J. Matthews, R.N.R.		
GILSAY	Ty. Lt. A. J. Coppock, R.N.V.R.		
HORNBEAM	Ty. Sub.Lt. W. L. Harrington, R.N.V.R.		
JUDE	Ty. Lt. L. D. Kettle, R.N.V.R.		
BAYFIELD			
GREEN HOWARD	Ty. Skipper J. Farquhar, R.N.R.		
GUNNER	Ty. Lt. E. Jansen, R.N.R.		
MULGRAVE			
CHAMOIS	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. D. P. Richardson, R.N.V.R.		
CHANCE	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. L. K. Stevenson, R.N.V.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
<u>L. L. TRAWLERS</u>			
<u>131st Group</u>			
CONWAY CASTLE	Ty. Lt. N. G. Nell, R.N.V.R.	Swansea	Captured ports
NORTHCOATES	Ty. Lt. A. G. Hallows, R.N.V.R.		
SIR AGRAVAINE	-		
SIR GARETH	Ty. Skipper C. A. Bell, R.N.R.		
SIR TRISTRAM	Ty. Skipper H. A. Hodds, R.N.R.		
<u>159th Group</u>			
PERDRANT	-		
PROBE	Ty. Act. Sub.Lt. P. P. Simpson, R.N.V.R.	Milford Haven	Captured ports
FROCTOR	Ty. Lt. S. G. Airy, R.N.V.R.		
PROOF	Ty. Sub.Lt. P. L. Sage, R.N.V.R.		
PROWESS	Ty. Lt. R. B. Evans, R.N.V.R.		
<u>181st Group</u>			
COURTIER	Ty. Lt. A. O. Hamilton, R.N.V.R.	Swansea	Captured ports
GEORGETTE	Ch. Skipper W. N. Hurn, R.N.R.		
SIR GERAINT	Ty. Skipper S. Ness, R.N.R.		
SIR KAYE	Ty. Ch. Skipper W. J. Tiller, R.N.R.		
SIR LAMORAK	Ty. Lt. J. B. McGowan, R.N.V.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post Assault	
<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS</u>				
(a) M.T.Bs.				
<u>1st M.T.B. Flotilla</u>				
M.T.B.412	Ty. Sub.Lt. F. J. R. Shadbolt, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.413	Ty. Sub.Lt. W. G. L. Salmon, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.414	Ty. Lt. F. J. Head, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.415	Ty. Lt. P. T. W. Beck, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.416	Ty. Sub.Lt. C. C. Gouch, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth		
M.T.B.430	Ty. Lt. F. J. Mathias, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		Plymouth Transferred to Portsmouth 9th June	
M.T.B.431	Ty. Lt. P. A. Baldwin, R.C.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.434	Ty. Sub.Lt. E. A. Archer, R.N.V.R.			
<u>5th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>				
M.T.B.24				
M.T.B.353				
M.T.B.354				
M.T.B.358		Dover	Dover	
M.T.B.359				
M.T.B.361				
M.T.B.362				
<u>13th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>				
M.T.B.205	Ty. Lt. P. G. A. Irvine, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.206	Ty. Lt. J. May, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.207	Ty. Lt. M. W. Tunnicliffe, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.208	Ty. Lt. P. J. Liddell, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.209	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. Ferguson, R.A.N.V.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	
M.T.B.210	Ty. Lt. P. R. Everett, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.211	Ty. Lt. N. W. G. Taylor, R.N.V.R.			
M.T.B.212	Lt. M. Arnold-Forster, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)			

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>14th M.T.B. Flotilla*</u>		
M.T.B. 246	Ty. Lt. C. D. Cobb, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 247	Ty. Sub.Lt. I. Brett, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 248	Ty. Lt. B. M. MacGinty, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 249	Ty. Sub.Lt. N. G. Qldfield, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 250	Ty. Lt. G. H. Baker, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 251	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. McC. Morrish, R.N.V.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth
M.T.B. 252	Lt. D. A. Shaw, D.S.C., R.N. (Senior Officer))	
M.T.B. 253	Ty. Lt. R. B. Laing, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 254	Ty. Lt. D. Rigg, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 255	Ty. Lt. P. Aspinall, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 256	Ty. Sub.Lt. C. Mounsey, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B. 257	Ty. Lt. A. W. B. Hawkes, R.N.V.R.)	
	<u>21st M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 223)	
M.T.B. 224)	
M.T.B. 225)	
M.T.B. 232		Nore	Nore
M.T.B. 233)	
M.T.B. 234)	
M.T.B. 244)	
	<u>22nd M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 25)	
M.T.B. 83)	
M.T.B. 88)	
M.T.B. 93		Nore	Nore
M.T.B. 238)	
M.T.B. 245)	
M.T.B. 347)	

* Six detailed as despatch boats.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>29th M.T.B. Flotilla *</u>		
M.T.B.459	Lt.Com. G. A. Law, R.C.N.V.R. (Senior Officer))	
M.T.B.460	Lt. D. A. Killman, D.S.C., R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.461	Lt. C. Burke, D.S.C., R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.462	Lt. R. J. Moizie, R.C.N.V.R.	)	Portsmouth E.T.F.
M.T.B.463	Lt. D. G. Greba, R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.464	Lt. L. C. Bishop, R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.465	Lt. C. D. Chaffey, R.C.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.466	Lt. S. B. Marshall, R.C.N.V.R.)	
	<u>35th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B.447	Ty. Lt. C. G. Glennis, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.448	Ty. Lt. R. T. Skyes, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.449	Sub.Lt. Ashby, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.450	Ty. Lt. J. D. Dixon, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer))	
M.T.B.451	Ty. Lt. J. Collins, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.452	Ty. Lt. L. E. Yock, R.N.V.R.	)	Portsmouth Portsmouth
M.T.B.453	Ty. Lt. N. Watson, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.454	Ty. Lt. R. J. Dyke, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.478	Ty. Lt. W. Warren, R.N.V.R.)	
M.T.B.481	Ty. Lt. B. M. MacGinty, R.N.V.R.)	

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>51st M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B.608	Ty. Lt. R. Ball, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.611	Ty. Lt. Com. I. D. Lyle, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.T.B.613	It. T. Ruck-Keene, R.N.	Dover	Dover
M.T.B.614	Ty. Lt. R. H. Newman, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.615	Ty. Lt. N. B. H. Lloyd, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.616	Ty. Lt. G. N. Johnstone, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.680	Ty. Lt. J. E. Barker, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>52nd M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B.664			
M.T.B.672	Ty. Lt. J. N. Wise, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.673	Ty. Act. Lt. Com. T. N. Cartwright, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.T.B.676			
M.T.B.677			
M.T.B.678		Plymouth	Plymouth
M.T.B.679			
M.T.B.713	Ty. Lt. G. D. Olivier, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.716	Ty. Lt. J. N. A. Buckmaster, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.717	Ty. Lt. B. H. C. Robinson, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.719	Ty. Lt. J. A. Caulfield, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.720	Ty. Lt. C. J. Wright, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>53rd M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B.689	Ty. Lt. W. Messenger, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.690	Ty. Lt. D. F. Marlow, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.691	Ty. Lt. J. Lambert, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.692	Ty. Lt. D. Currie, R.N.V.R.	Portsmouth	Portsmouth
M.T.B.693	Ty. Act. Lt. Com. D. H. E. McCowen, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.T.B.694	Ty. Lt. W. K. Foster, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B.695	Ty. Lt. D. L. W. MacFarlane, R.N.V.R.		

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>55th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 617	Lt. Com. D. G. Bradford, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.T.B. 621	Ty. Lt. J. A. H. Whitby, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 624	Ty. Lt. S. D. Marshall, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 628	Ty. Lt. R. E. Cunningham, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 629	Ty. Lt. R. R. Smith, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 630	Ty. Lt. N. W. Harton, R.N.Z.N.V.R.	E.T.F.	E.T.F.
M.T.B. 632	Ty. Lt. C. W. Ford, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 650	Ty. Lt. J. R. Fulton, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 652	Ty. Lt. G. W. Claydon, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 668	Ty. Lt. W. S. Strang, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 682	Ty. Lt. W. Benyon, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 773	Ty. Lt. W. S. Strang, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>59th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 697	Ty. Lt. D. H. Booth, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 698	Ty. Lt. J. R. F. Best, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 699	Lt. Com. D. H. Mason, R.N. (Senior Officer)		
M.T.B. 700	Ty. Lt. J. G. Fletcher, R.N.V.R.	Dover	Dover
M.T.B. 703	Lt. I. A. B. Quarrie, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 705	Ty. Lt. A. H. Lewis, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 706	Ty. Lt. J. A. Montgomerie, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 710	Ty. Lt. A. W. Bone, R.N.V.R.		

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>63rd M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 701	Ty. Lt. R. Q. Drayson, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 702	Ty. Lt. F. T. Goodfellow, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 704	Ty. Lt. H. E. Ascoli, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 707	Ty. Lt. O. J. E. Fontaine, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 714	Ty. Lt. J. A. Lyall, R.N.V.R.	5 E.T.F.	W.T.F.
M.T.B. 720	Ty. Lt. G. C. Davey, R.N.V.R.	2 W.T.F.	
M.T.B. 721	Ty. Lt. O. King, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 730	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. G. C. Fanner, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
	<u>64th M.T.B. Flotilla</u>		
M.T.B. 724	Ty. Lt. J. F. Humphrey, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 725	Ty. Lt. P. M. Cohen, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 728	Ty. Lt. F. N. Thompson, R.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 738	Ty. Lt.Com. D. Wilkie, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)	Portsmouth	Portsmouth
M.T.B. 739	Ty. Lt. W. L. Fesq, R.A.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 742	Lt. C. C. Maddow, R.N.		
M.T.B. 749	Ty. Lt. J. G. Fletcher, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>65th M.T.B. Flotilla *</u>		
M.T.B. 726	Ty. Lt. A. P. Morrow, R.C.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 727	Ty. Lt. L. R. McLernon, D.S.C., R.C.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 735	Ty. Lt. J. W. Collins, R.C.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 736			
M.T.B. 743		Plymouth	Plymouth
M.T.B. 744	Ty. Lt. G. M. Moors, R.C.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 745	Ty. Lt. O. B. Mabee, R.C.N.V.R.		
M.T.B. 746			
M.T.B. 748	Ty. Act. Lt. D. B. Wilson, R.C.N.V.R.		

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>(b) GUNBOATS</u>		
	<u>1st Coastal Force Flotilla</u>		
M.G.B.312	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. J. H. Coste, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer))	
M.G.B.316	Ty. Lt. G. D. A. Price, R.N.V.R.)	
M.G.B.317	Ty. Lt. H. A. Breeze, R.N.V.R.	)	E.T.F.(J) N.C.E.T.F.
M.G.B.324	Ty. Lt. A. R. Birrell, R.N.V.R.)	
M.G.B.326	Ty. Lt. W. J. Kempner, R.N.V.R.)	
M.G.B.330	Ty. Lt. A. M. Watson, R.N.V.R.)	
	<u>1st S.G.B. Flotilla</u>		
	S.O. Lt.Com. F. P. Baker, D.S.C., R.N.)	
GREY FOX	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. F. D. Russell- Roberts, R.N.V.R.)	
GREY GOOSE	Ty. Lt. P. N. Hood, R.N.V.R.)	
GREY OWL	Ty. Lt. R. M. Hall, R.N.V.R.	)	W.T.F. W.T.F.
GREY SEAL	Ty. Act. J. Southcott, R.N.V.R.)	
GREY SHARK	Lt. R. King, R.N.)	
GREY WOLF	Ty. Lt. C. E. C. Martin, R.N.V.R.)	
	<u>(c) MOTOR LAUNCHES</u>		
	<u>1st M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L.185	Ty. Lt. G. A. Ramsay, R.A.N.V.R.	9th M.S.F.	
M.L.206	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. H. Leslie, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer))	
M.L.207	Ty. Lt. W. M. Hicks-Beach, R.N.V.R.	)	6th M.S.F.
M.L.220	Ty. Lt. J. A. G. Williamson, R.N.V.R.	6th M.S.F.	Portsmouth
M.L.222	Ty. Lt. L. G. Bassle, R.N.V.R.	9th M.S.F.	
M.L.224	Ty. Lt. A. S. Batham, R.N.V.R.	6th M.S.F.	
M.L.450	Ty. Lt. J. R. Armstrong, R.N.V.R.	18th M.S.F.	
M.L.571	Ty. Sub.Lt. C. Lazenby, R.N.V.R.	9th M.S.F.	

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>2nd M.L. Flotilla</u>				
M.L. 112	Ty. Lt. Com. H. R. Ferdinando, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)	Nore }		
M.L. 113	Ty. Lt. R. F. Lynn, R.N.V.R.	Nore }	Nore	
M.L. 114	Ty. Lt. J. L. Honey, R.A.N.V.R.	Nore }		
M.L. 116	Ty. Lt. H. N. Albone, R.N.V.R.	14th M.S.F.		
M.L. 117	Ty. Sub.Lt. R. R. MacDonald, R.N.V.R.	14th M.S.F.	Plymouth	
M.L. 119	Ty. Lt. P. Johnstone, R.N.V.R.	}		
M.L. 120	Ty. Sub.Lt. A. E. Lee, R.N.V.R.	}		
M.L. 171	Ty. Sub.Lt. R. C. Staddon, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore	
M.L. 491	Ty. Lt. R. J. M. Edwards, R.N.V.R.	}		
<u>4th M.L. Flotilla</u>				
M.L. 122	Ty. Lt. H. M. Coghlan, R.N.V.R.	}		
M.L. 124	Ty. Lt. I. H. G. Thomson, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 208	Ty. Lt. J. S. E. Page, R.N.V.R.	16th M.S.F.	Plymouth	
M.L. 233	Ty. Lt. L. de D. C. Lucas, R.N.V.R.			
<u>5th M.L. Flotilla</u>				
M.L. 137	Ty. Lt. L. H. Hutchins, R.N.V.R.	1st M.S.F.		
M.L. 138	Ty. Lt. R. H. White, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 139	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. B. Foxlee, R.N.V.R.	7th M.S.F.		
M.L. 140	Ty. Lt. J. L. Stewart, R.N.V.R.	4th M.S.F.		
M.L. 141	Ty. Lt. A. E. Barnard, R.N.V.R.	1st M.S.F.		
M.L. 142	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. W. Mordin, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 143	Ty. Lt. A. B. McArthur, R.N.V.R. (S.O.)	4th M.S.F.	Portsmouth	
M.L. 203	Ty. Lt. A. Stansfield, R.N.V.R.	7th M.S.F.		
M.L. 255	Ty. Sub.Lt. G. D. DeLange, R.N.V.R.	4th M.S.F.		
M.L. 257	Ty. Lt. G. W. Lambert, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 275	Ty. Lt. F. E. T. Dann, R.N.V.R.	18th M.S.F.		
M.L. 293	Ty. Sub.Lt. T. F. Trevail, R.N.V.R.	1st M.S.F.		

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>7th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 131	Ty. Lt. J. S. Fullerton, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. Force G Portsmouth (3)	Force S(1) Force G(8) Portsmouth (3)
M.L. 136	Ty. Lt. J. A. Miller, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 150	Ty. Lt. H. A. Payne, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 154	Ty. Lt. J. E. Harrison, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 182	Ty. Lt. E. S. Jones, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 245	Ty. Lt. J. Winthorpe-Young, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 248	Ty. Lt. J. Davies, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 303	Ty. Lt. R. R. C. Gallichen, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 347	Ty. Lt. R. K. Stracey, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. Force G Portsmouth (3)	Force S(1) Force G(8) Portsmouth (3)
M.L. 594	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. A. S. Bennett, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 599	Ty. Lt. G. W. H. Robinson, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 904	Ty. Lt. M. N. Fox, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1391*	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. C. Stirrat, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Plymouth
H.D.M.L. 1392*	Ty. Sub.Lt. D. F. Merritt, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>10th M.L. Flotilla **</u>		
M.L. 157	Ty. Lt. T. B. Givenlan, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Plymouth
M.L. 159	Ty. Lt. B. D. Gerrans, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 179	Ty. Lt. F. T. Harvey, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 180	Ty. Lt. R. J. McCullagh, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 181	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. H. T. Kemsley, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 183	Ty. Lt. A. J. Wright, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 184	Ty. Lt. R. W. A. Winter, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 186	Ty. Lt. F. O. S. Man, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 259	Ty. Lt. H. W. E. Johnson, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 488	Ty. Lt. I. H. L. King, R.N.V.R.		

* Ex-149th M.L. Flotilla.

** Fitted as Minelayers.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>11th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 118	Ty. Lt. A. Wallace, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 153	Ty. Lt. G. S. Parsons, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 163	Ty. Lt. E. G. James, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 187	Ty. Lt. H. L. Langley, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 189	Ty. Lt. W. J. Court, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 194	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. E. T. Povall, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 214	Ty. Lt. H. E. Riddle, R.N.V.R.		Portsmouth Force O.
M.L. 230	Ty. Lt. W. C. E. Bacon, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 304	Ty. Lt. C. Beevor, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 448	Ty. Lt. R. H. Bruce, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 907	Ty. Lt. R. W. Crowe, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1383*			
H.D.M.L. 1387*	Ty. Sub.Lt. A. M. Liddiard, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>13th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 196	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. C. A. Jeff, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 197	Ty. Lt. A. M. Ward, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 200	Ty. Lt. D. A. Jefferson, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 201	Ty. Lt. G. T. Bruce, R.N.V.R.		E.T.F. Force S.
M.L. 202	Ty. Lt. J. O. Thomas, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 204			
H.D.M.L. 1415*	Ty. Lt. J. Foogie, R.N.Z.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1416*	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. M. Betty, R.N.V.R.		

* Ex 149th M.L. Flotilla.

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		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>				
<u>14th M.L. Flotilla</u>				
M.L. 155	Ty. Lt. A. I. F. Kindell, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 190	Ty. Lt. D. K. B. Bound, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 191	Ty. Lt. G. W. Walters, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 195	Ty. Lt. P. H. Bosanquet, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 490	Ty. Lt. G. W. Searle, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (S.O.)			
M.L. 591	Ty. Lt. R. F. Dickinson, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 905	Ty. Lt. R. G. Bell, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.			
H.D.M.L. 1295*	Ty. Lt. D. H. Brownridge, R.N.V.R.	W.T.F. Force U.	Plymouth	
H.D.M.L. 1309*	Ty. Sub.Lt. C. W. Court, R.N.V.R.			
H.D.M.L. 1389*	Ty. Lt. A. T. McLaren, R.N.V.R.			
H.D.M.L. 1409*	Ty. Sub.Lt. P. G. J. Kembery, R.N.V.R.			
H.D.M.L. 1421*	Ty. Lt. A. L. Hargraves, R.A.N.V.R.			
H.D.M.L. 1422*	Ty. Sub.Lt. G. N. Hardiman, R.N.V.R.			
<u>15th M.L. Flotilla</u>				
M.L. 212	Ty. Lt. G. T. Holden, R.N.V.R.	14th M.S.F.	Plymouth	
M.L. 300	Ty. Lt. F. C. R. Piessie, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 345	Ty. Lt. A. Priestley, R.N.V.R.			
M.L. 454	Ty. Lt. W. M. Russell, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)	31st M.S.F.		
M.L. 465	Ty. Lt. J. E. Ramsay, S.A.N.F.(V)			
M.L. 473	Ty. Lt. J. C. Sergeant, R.N.V.R.			

* Ex 149th M.L. Flotilla.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>19th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 217	Ty. Lt. R. L. Bullock, R.N.Z.V.R.		
M.L. 236	Ty. Lt. R. B. Fordham, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 243	Ty. Lt. H. P. Ford, R.N.V.R.	15th M.S.F.	Dover
M.L. 250	Ty. Lt. J. D. S. Hearder, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
	<u>20th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 123	Ty. Lt. W. W. Waugh, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 146	Ty. Sub.Lt. C. D. P. Cookson, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 147	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. D. W. S. Arnaud, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 151	Ty. Lt. D. H. Mason, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 198	Ty. Lt. D. H. Titcombe, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 205	Ty. Lt. W. A. Crossley, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 246	Ty. Lt. L. P. Mackie, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 247	Ty. Lt. J. A. St. H. Brook, R.N.V.R.	E.T.F. Force J.	Force J(8) Portsmouth (4)
M.L. 269	Ty. Lt. C. C. J. Brown, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 297	Ty. Lt. M. N. F. French-Williams, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 902	Ty. Sub.Lt. B. D. Jukes, R.N.Z.N.V.R.		
M.L. 903	Ty. Lt. J. C. Lewis, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1393*	Ty. Lt. E. J. King, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1407*	Ty. Lt. D. L. Hill, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>21st M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 252	Ty. Lt. T. R. Neale, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 254	Ty. Sub.Lt. L. Brown, R.N.V.R.	Dover	Dover
M.L. 276	Ty. Sub.Lt. R. A. Cragg, R.N.V.R.		

* Ex 149th M.L. Flotilla.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>21st M.L. Flotilla (Contd.)</u>		
M.L. 286	Ty. Sub.Lt. G. W. Haworth, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 442	Ty. Lt. R. W. Dunn, R.A.N.V.R.		
M.L. 445	Ty. Sub.Lt. B. T. Walker, R.N.V.R.	Dover	Dover
M.L. 452	Ty. Lt. G. W. Barns, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 466	Ty. Lt. C. M. Smith, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 467	Ty. Lt. S. E. Fowler, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>23rd M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 291	Ty. Lt. J. B. C. Lumsden, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 292	Ty. Lt.Com. G. Shaw-Brundell, D.S.C., R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 309	Ty. Lt. E. H. Walker, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 343	Ty. Lt. P. Rogers, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 344	Ty. Lt. K. R. Swan, R.N.V.R.	Plymouth	Portsmouth
M.L. 346	Ty. Lt. A. D. Fear, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 464	Ty. Lt. R. H. Davison, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 572	Ty. Lt. F. J. Smith, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>33rd M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 588	Ty. Lt. R. W. S. Goodman, R.A.N.V.R.		
M.L. 589	Ty. Sub.Lt. P. G. R. Spratt, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 596	Ty. Lt. H. J. Bick, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 597	Ty. Lt. H. L. Massey, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 598	Ty. Lt. W. T. F. Sanders, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore
M.L. 901	Ty. Lt. B. W. Kelley, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
M.L. 908			

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>50th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 101	Ty. Lt. A. G. Harrison, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)	Dover	Dover
M.L. 102	Ty. Lt. P. L. Fell, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 104	Ty. Lt. J. B. Wrightson, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 107	Ty. Lt. H. R. Boyd, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 125	Ty. Sub.Lt. A. L. Proctor, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>51st M.L. Flotilla</u>		
M.L. 100	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. E. Branch, R.N.V.R.	Nore	Nore
M.L. 105	Ty. Lt. R. G. Andrews, R.N.V.R.		
M.L. 106	Ty. Lt. W. G. Drake, R.N.Z.N.V.R.		
M.L. 110	Ty. Sub.Lt. M. K. Smellie, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>103rd M.L. Flotilla</u>		
H.D.M.L. 1009	Ty. Skip. W. Leiper, R.N.R.	Plymouth	Plymouth (4) Portsmouth (2)
H.D.M.L. 1013	Skipper A. F. Haigh, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1021	Skipper W. E. Bilton, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1025	Ty. Sub.Lt. S. A. Jones, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1027	Skipper E. E. Whitcombe, R.N.R.	Plymouth	Plymouth Portsmouth (2)
H.D.M.L. 1033	Ty. Lt. J. B. Leigh, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
H.D.M.L. 1034	Ty. Skip. L. Webster, R.N.R.		
H.D.K.L. 1035	Skipper C. Pennington, R.N.R.		
	<u>149th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
H.D.M.Ls.	Lt. A. L. Hargraves, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)	Divided among Assault Forces; see ante	Portsmouth (10) Capt. S.B. 2 Capt. N.B. 2

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault
	<u>COASTAL FORCE FLOTILLAS (Contd.)</u>		
	<u>150th M.L. Flotilla</u>		
H.D.M.L. 1055	Ty. Skip. V. Vicolini, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1056	Skipper J. Jappy, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1060	Skipper W. R. Durrant, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1081	Skipper L. C. Tomlinson, R.N.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1085	Ty. Lt. K. M. Banks, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
H.D.M.L. 1091	Act. Ch. Skip. R. J. Quinton, R.N.R.	7 Portsmouth 2 Plymouth	Portsmouth
H.D.M.L. 1279	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. G. Edwards, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1382	Ty. Lt. C. S. Calder, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1390	Ty. Sub.Lt. K. V. Eyre, R.N.V.R.		
	<u>151st M.L. Flotilla</u>		
H.D.M.L. 1379	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. R. Arber, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1396	Ty. Act. Sub.Lt. S. J. Mummary, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1403	Ty. Sub.Lt. J. M. Mathison, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1405	Ty. Sub.Lt. G. E. Crawford, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1408	Ty. Act. Sub.Lt. J. M. Mitchell, R.N.V.R.		Portsmouth
H.D.M.L. 1410	Ty. Sub.Lt. R. J. Smith, R.N.V.R.		Portsmouth
H.D.M.L. 1413	Ty. Lt. T. H. C. McPherson, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1417	Ty. Sub.Lt. L. H. Clarke, R.N.Z.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1419	Ty. Lt. W. W. Mackie, R.N.V.R. (Senior Officer)		
	<u>Unattached</u>		
H.D.M.L. 1001	Lt. R. T. Bailey, R.N.V.R.		
H.D.M.L. 1053	Skipper A. G. G. Jenner, R.N.R.		Hydrographic Duties

HEADQUARTERS SHIPS

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>ASSAULT FORCE H.Q. SHIPS</u>				
<u>L.S.H.</u>				
BULOLO	Act. Capt. C. A. Kershaw, R.N.	Broad Pt. N.C.	Force G	
HILARY	Act. Capt. Sir James F. Paget, Bt. R.N.	"	Force J	
LARGS	Capt. H. S. Allan, R.D., R.N.R.	Flag , N.C.	Force S	
<u>ASSAULT GROUP H.Q. SHIPS</u>				
<u>DESTROYERS</u>				
ALBRIGHTON	Lt. J. J. S. Hooker, R.N.	S.O.A.G.G. 3		
GOATHLAND	Lt.Com. B. G. B. Bordes, D.S.C., R.N.	S.O.A.G.S. 3	Captain Northbound sailings	
<u>FRIGATES</u>				
DACRES	Lt. K. Innes Hamilton, D.S.C., R.N.	S.O.A.G.S. 2		
KINGSMILL	Lt. C. H. Cook, R.N.	S.O.A.G.G. 2		
LAWFORD	Lt.Com. M. C. Morris, R.N.	S.O.A.G.J. 1	Captain, Patrols	
NITH	Lt.Com. D. E. Mansfield, R.N.	S.O.A.G.G. 1	Captain Southbound sailings	
WAVENY	Lt.Com. R. H. Bristowe, D.S.O., R.N.	S.O.A.G.J. 2		
<u>GUNBOAT</u>				
LOCUST	Lt.Com. W. J. Stride, M.B.E., R.N.	S.O.A.G.S. 1		
<u>L.S.I.</u>				
ROYAL ULSTERMAN	Act. Lt.Com. W. R. K. Clarke, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.	S.O.A.G.J. 3		

APPENDIX A (2)

LANDING SHIPS, CRAFT ETC. EASTERN TASK FORCE

I. Assault Force S.

II. " " J.

III. " " G.

IV. " " L.

NOTES:- (1) L.S.I. and L.S.T. are given in alphabetical or numerical order in their appropriate groups.

(2) Composition of Flotillas and numbers of craft structurally and mechanically fit for service (taken from the Green List, 6th June 1944) are shown in square brackets after each Flotilla.

I. FORCE S

H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. LARGS*

Flag, Rear-Admiral A. G. Talbot, D.S.O.

Captain, H. S. Allen, R.D., R.N.R.

Special Service Ship. H.M.S. ST. ADRIAN. Ty. Lt. J. C. E. Down, R.N.R.

ASSAULT GROUP S1

(Headquarters:- Commercial Buildings, Portsmouth)

S.O.A.G.S1. Captain W. R. C. Leggatt, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. LOCUST.* Lt.Cdr. W. J. Stride, M.B.E., R.N.

L.S.T. Squadron

1st L.S.T.(2) Flotilla.

Act. Com. A. B. Alison, R.N.R.

H.M.L.S.T.(2) No. 9

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. W. G. Lock, R.N.R.

" " " 302

" " " W. A. Burn, "

" " " 303

" " " F. Lawson-Baker, R.N.R.

" " " 304

Act. Lt.Com. J. F. G. Fotheringham, "

" " " 320

" " " D. Buckley, R.N.R.

" " " 324

" " " A. J. Bell, "

" " " 361

" Com. A. B. Alison, "

" " " 363

" Lt.Com. J. B. McReynolds, R.N.R.

5 L.C.P.(L). 3 L.C.P.(R)

3rd L.S.T.(2) Flotilla.

Act. Com. D. S. Hore-Lacy, R.N.

H.M.L.S.T.(2) No. 322

Act. Com. D. S. Hore-Lacy, R.N.

" " " 367

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. C. C. Page, R.N.R.

" " " 408

" " " R. Cook, R.N.R.

" " " 419

" " " H. A. Stanfield, R.N.R.

" " " 420

Lt.Com. J. F. Twite, R.N.R.

" " " 423

" " " R. M. Naylor, "

" " " 427

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. W. G. E. Rawlinson, R.N.V.R.

" " " 428

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. J. T. Hamlyn, R.N.R.

2 L.C.P.(L). 6 L.C.P.(R)

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP S1 (Contd.)5th L.S.T.(2) Flotilla.

H.M.L.S.T.(2) No. 162
 " " 163
 " " 164
 " " 364
 " " 365
 " " 412
 " " 415
 " " 430

3 L.C.P.(L). 5 L.C.P.(R)

Act. Com. G. F. Parker, R.D., R.N.R.
 Act. Lt.Com. R. E. J. Fox, R.N.R.
 Ty. Act. Lt.Com. F. E. Trout, R.N.R.
 " " " W. W. Hardy, "
 Act. Com. G. F. Parker, R.N.R.
 Ty. Lt. W. N. Pickering, R.N.R.
 Act. Lt.Com. P. R. Brown, "
 Ty. Lt.Com. H. C. Gaffney, R.N.R.
 Lt. P. V. M. Davey, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

"T" Squadron, Landing Craft.

Commander D. H. Rainier, R.N.

265th L.C.I.(L) Flot: [8], 266th L.C.I.(L) Flot: [5], 39th L.C.T. Flot: [14],
 47th L.C.T. Flot: [12].

ASSAULT GROUP S2

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. NEWT, Newhaven)

S.O.A.G.S2. Captain R. Gotto, D.S.O., R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. DACRES*. Lt. K. Innes-Hamilton, D.S.C., R.N.

"I" Squadron, Landing Craft.

Lt.Com. M. O. W. Miller, R.N.

251st L.C.I.(L) Flot: [9], 263rd L.C.I.(L) Flot: [12], U.S., L.C.I.(L)
 Group IV [11], 40th L.C.T. Flot: [12], 42nd L.C.T. Flot: [10],
 48th L.C.T. Flot: [12].

ASSAULT GROUP S3

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. VERNON, Portsmouth)

S.O.A.G.S3. Captain E. W. Bush, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. GOATHLAND*. Lt.Com. B. G. B. Boraes,
 D.S.C., R.N.

L.S.I.(L) S.O., Captain C. A. G. Hutchinson, D.S.O., R.N.

H.M.S. GLENEARN. Captain C. A. G. Hutchinson.

435th Ass: Flot: [12] 543rd Ass: Flot: [12].

S.S. EMPIRE BATTLEAXE. Mr. G. Brooke, Master, M.N.
 537th Ass: Flot: [18].

S.S. EMPIRE BROADSWORD. Mr. F. Patchet, Master M.N.
 538th Ass: Flot: [18].

S.S. EMPIRE CUTLASS. Mr. W. R. Thorburn, Master M.N.
 536th Ass: Flot: [18].

"E" Squadron, Landing Craft. Act. Commander, K. A. Sellar, R.N.

261st L.C.I.(L) Flot: [5], 14th L.C.T.(3) Flot: [9], 41st L.C.T.(4) Flot: [14],
 43rd L.C.T.(4) Flot: [10], 45th L.C.T.(4) Flot: [10].

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP S3 (Contd.)Support Squadron.

Commander E. N. V. Currey, D.S.C., R.N.

330th Support Flot: [4 L.C.F.(4), 3 L.C.G.(L), 1 L.C.T.(5) (C.B.)]

32nd L.C.T. Flot: [14 L.C.T.(4)]

38th L.C.T. Flot: [9 L.C.T.(4)]

100th L.C.T.(A) Flot: [8 L.C.T.(A)]

321st L.C.T.(R) Flot: [5 L.C.T.(R)]

592nd Assault Flot: [9 L.C.A.(H.R.)]

704th Assault Flot: [4 L.C.P.(L), 2 L.C.P.(Sy)]

707th Assault Flot: [12 L.C.P.(L)]

FORCE S. BUILD-UP SQUADRONS"C" Build-up Squadron.

Ty. Act. Major G. L. T. Robins, R.M.

803rd, 810th, 811th, 812th, 813th, 814th Build-up Flotillas,
[16 L.C.V.(P) each]"D" Build-up Squadron.

Ty. Act. Major P. E. F. Gladwin, R.M.

602nd, 603rd, Build-up Flotillas, [16 L.C.M.(1) each].

653rd Build-up Flot: [16 L.C.M.(3)]

"U" Landing Barge Squadron.

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. H. F. Brevilly, R.N.V.R.

5th, 6th, 16th L.B.V. Flotillas [12 L.B.V.(2) each]

35th L.B.V. (S and R) Flot: [1 L.C.E., 6 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K., 10 L.B.O.,

2 L.B.W. H.M.F.T. DAMITO, EMPIRIAN, VINDELICIA,] part of 30th L.B.V.

(S and R) Flot: [3 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K., 6 L.B.O., 2 L.B.W., H.M.F.T. TOKIO II, SANSON.]

II. FORCE JH.Q. Ship. H.M.S. HILARY,* Broad Pendant Commodore G. N. Oliver,

Act. Captain Sir J. F. Paget, Bt., R.N.

499th Auxiliary Flot: [6 L.C.P.(L)] embarked.

ASSAULT GROUP J1

(Headquarters:- Lepe House, Exbury)

S.O.A.G.J1. Captain A. F. Pugsley, D.S.O., R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. LAWFORD.* Lt.Com. M. C. Morris, R.N.

L.S.I.(L)

M.V. LLANGIBBY CASTLE.

557th Ass: Flot: [18]

L.S.I.(M)

H.M.C.S. PRINCE HENRY.

Captain V. S. Godfrey, R.C.N.

528th Ass: Flot: [8]

H.M.S. QUEEN EMMA.

Act. Com. T. L. Alkin, O.B.E., R.N.

526th Ass: Flot: [8]

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP J1 (Contd.)L.S.I.(H)

S.S. CANTERBURY.
509th Ass: Flot: [6]

S.S. DUKE OF ARGYLL.
517th Ass: Flot: [6]

H.M.S. INVICTA.
510th Ass: Flot: [6] Act. Lt.Com. W. J. Law, R.N.R.

S.S. ISLE OF THANET.
505th Ass: Flot: [6]

S.S. LAIRD'S ISLE.
516th Ass: Flot: [6]

S.S. MECKLENBURG.
511th Ass: Flot: [6]

H.M.S. ULSSTER MONARCH.
521st Ass: Flot: [5] Lt.Com. H. N. Thompson, R.N.R. (ret.)

"K" L.C.T. Squadron.

Commander R. F. C. Struben, R.N. (ret.)

L.C.H. No. 168

4th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(3)], 20th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)],
31st L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)], 102nd L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(5)]

1st Support Squadron.

Lt.Com. the Hon. J. D. Hotham, R.N.

333rd Support Flot: [1 L.C.F.(2), 1 L.C.F.(4), 2 L.C.G.(L), 1 L.C.T.(5)]
105th L.C.T.(A) Flot: [7 L.C.T.(A)]
320th L.C.T.(R) Flot: [8 L.C.T.(R)(3)]
900th Support Flot: [4 L.C.S.(L)(1)]
703rd Assault Flot: [8 L.C.P.(L)]

ASSAULT GROUP J2

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. SQUID, Southampton)

S.O.A.G.V2. Captain R. J. O. Otway-Ruthven, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. WAVENY,* Lt.Com. R. H. Bristowe, D.S.O., R.N.

L.S.I.(L)

S.S. CLAN LAMONT.
558th Ass: Flot: [17]

S.S. MONOWAI.
544th, 556th Ass: Flot: [10, 9]

L.S.I.(M)

H.M.C.S. PRINCE DAVID
529th Ass: Flot: [8] Tempy. Commander T. D. Kelly, R.C.N.

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP J2 (Contd.)L.S.I. (H)

S.S. BIARRITZ.

H.M.S. BRIGADIER.
513th Ass: Flot: [6]Act. Commander H. J. R. Paramore,
R.N. (retd.)H.M.S. DUKE OF WELLINGTON.
506th Ass: Flot: [6]

Lt.Com. J. F. H. Coombes, R.D., R.N.R.

S.S. ISLE OF GUERNSEY.
518th Ass: Flot: [6]S.S. LADY OF MANN
512th Ass: Flot: [6]Act. Lt.Com. A. W. Bradfield, R.N.R.
515th Ass: Flot: [6]"N" L.C.T. Squadron.

Lt. B. K. C. Arbuthnot, R.N.

L.C.H. No. 167

11th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(3)], 22nd L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)]
30th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)], 106th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(5)]2nd Support Squadron.

Lt.Com. J. J. S. Yorke, D.S.C., R.N.

331st Flot: [2 L.C.F.(4), 4 L.C.G.(L)4, 1 L.C.T.(5)]

103rd L.C.T. Flot: [8 L.C.T.(5)H.E.]

590th Assault Flot: [4 L.C.A. 13 L.C.A.(H.R.)]

702nd Assault Flot: [12 L.C.P.(L)]

ASSAULT GROUP J3

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. VECTIS, Cowes, I.O.Wight)

S.O.A.G.J3. Act. Captain A. B. Fanshawe, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. ROYAL ULSTERMAN.* Act. Lt.Com.

W. R. K. Clarke, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.

555th Ass: Flot: [6]

2nd L.S.T. (2) Flotilla.

Act. Com. C. M. V. Dalrymple-Hay, R.N.

H.M.L.S.T. (2) No. 323

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. N. Stewart, R.N.R.

" " " 368

" " " " J. Livingstone, R.N.R.

" " " 404

Act. Lt.Com. H. E. Shaw, R.N.R. (ret.)

" " " 405

" " " J. Tinsley-Sheffield, R.N.R.

" " " 409

Lt.Com. G. M. Dixon, R.A.N.V.R.

" " " 410

Ty. Lt.Com. J. K. Jones, R.N.R.

" " " 413

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. R. J. W. Crowdy, R.N.V.R.

" " " 425

Act. Com. C. M. V. Dalrymple-Hay, R.N.

7 L.C.P.(R)

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP J3 (Contd.)

<u>4th L.S.T.(2) Flotilla.</u>	Act. Com. C. B. S. Clitheroe, R.N.
H.M.L.S.T.(2) No. 8	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. R. R. Taylor, R.N.R.
" " " 11	" " " C. A. Payne, R.N.R.
" " " 62	Ty. Lt.Com. S. Rayer, O.B.E., D.S.C., R.N.R.
" " " 65	Act. Lt.Com. L. J. Smith, R.N.R.
" " " 159	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. F. H. Evans, R.N.R.
" " " 160	" " " J. I. Murray, D.S.C., R.N.R.
" " " 199	Act. Com. C. B. S. Clitheroe, R.N.
" " " 416	Lt.Com. H. E. Braine, R.N.R.
2 L.C.P.(L) 7 L.C.P.(R)	
<u>9th L.S.T.(2) Flotilla</u>	Act. Com. G. H. F. Owles, D.S.O., R.N.
H.M.L.S.T.(2) No. 80	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. T. H. Lowe, R.N.R.
" " " 180	Act. Com. G. H. F. Owles, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.
" " " 215	Ty. Lt.Com. J. M. Cunningham, R.N.R.
" " " 238	Lt.Com. G. A. Moore, R.N.R.
" " " 239	" " H. E. Sprigge, R.D., R.N.R.
" " " 402	Ty. Act. Lt.Com. J. V. Machin, R.N.R.
" " " 421	
7 L.C.P.(R) 1 L.C.V.(P)	
<u>"F" L.C.T. Squadron.</u>	Com. D. H. Griffiths, R.N. (retd.)

260th, 261st L.C.I.(L) Flots: [R.C.N. manned, 9, 12],
 35th, L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)], 36th, 37th L.C.T. Flots: [1 L.C.F.(4)
 12 L.C.T.(4) each], 705th Ass: Flot: [12 L.C.P.(L)].

ASSAULT GROUP J4COMMANDO and RANGER LIFTSBOTH TASK FORCES

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. SQUID, Southampton)
 S.O.A.G.J4. Act. Captain R. E. Jeffreys, D.S.C., R.N.

L.S.I.(H)

{S.S. AMSTERDAM.
 {522nd Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force O.

{S.S. BEN MY CHREE.
 {520th Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force O.

{S.S. MAID OF ORLEANS.
 {514th Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force S.

{S.S. PRINCESS MARGARET.
 {523rd Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force J.

{S.S. PRINCESS MAUD.
 {519th Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force O.

{S.S. VICTORIA.
 {508th Ass: Flot: [6]
 {Force G.

ASSAULT GROUP J4 (Contd.)L.S.I.(S)

(H.M.S. PRINS ALBERT. Lt.Com. H. B. Peate, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.
 {503rd Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force J.

(H.M.S. PRINSES ASTRID. Act. Lt.Com. C. E. Hall, R.N.R.
 {500th Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force S.

(H.M.S. PRINCE BAUDOIN. Lt.Com. W. E. Gelling, D.S.C., R.D.,
 {507th Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force O.

(H.M.S. PRINCE CHARLES. Act. Com. J. H. Dennis, D.S.C., R.N.
 {501st Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force O.

(H.M.S. PRINSES J. CHARLOTTE. Act. Lt.Com. J. E. Bromley, R.N.R.
 {502nd Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force G.

(H.M.S. PRINCE LEOPOLD. Lt.Com. J. A. Lowe, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.D.,
 {504th Ass: Flot: [8]
 {Force O.

Support Squadron

200th, 201st L.C.I.(S) Flots: [13 each], 202nd L.C.I.(S) Flot: [12]
 310th Support Flot: [9 L.C.S.(L)(2)*], 701st Ass: Flot: [6 L.C.P.(L)]

FORCE J, NOT ATTACHED TO ASSAULT GROUPS

H.M.S. NORTHWAY. Ty. Lt.Com. A. J. Anderson, R.N.R.

H.M. L.S.E. (2) Commander R. W. English, D.S.O.,
 (1 L.C.P.(R) 1 L.C.V.(P)) R.N. (ret.)

712th Assault Flotilla [6 L.C.P.(Sy)]

FORCE J. BUILD-UP SQUADRONS"A" Build-up Squadron

804th Build-up Flot: [16 L.C.V.(P)]

"F" Build-up Squadron

600th, 601st, 604th Build-up Flotillas, [16 L.C.M.(1) each]
 650th, 651st, 652nd Build-up Flotillas, [16 L.C.M.(3) each]

* 4 attached to Force G, 3 to Force S.

✓ 3 attached to Force G, 3 to Force J for duty with D D Tanks during the assault. After the assault, 2 each to Areas Sword, Juno, Gold.

FORCE J, BUILD-UP SQUADRONS (Contd.)"W" L.B. Squadron

1st, 2nd L.B.V. Flots: [11 L.B.V.(2) each], 3rd, Half 4th L.B.V. Flots: [18 L.B.V.(2)].

Part of 30th L.B. (S and R) Flot: [3 L.B.E., 4 L.B.O., 2 L.B.W., H.M.F.T.s CHASSEMARIE, GAROLA]

31st L.B. (S and R) Flot: [1 L.C.E., 6 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K., 10 L.B.O., 2 L.B.W., H.M.F.Ts. KING EMPEROR, LIBYAN, STRATHCOE, RAETIAI]

37th L.B. (S and R) Flot: [1 L.C.E., 6 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K., 10 L.B.O., 2 L.B.W., H.M.F.Ts. ORIZABA, RONSO, STAR OF BRITAIN]

Fighter Direction Tenders

H.M.F.D.T. No. 13

Lt.Com. R. A. Crozier, R.D., R.N.R.

" " " 216

" " G. D. Kelly, R.D., R.N.R.

" " " 217

Act. Lt.Com. F. A. Smyth, R.N.R.

6 L.C.P.(R)

III. FORCE G

H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. BULOLO,* Broad Pendant, Commodore Douglas-Pennant.
Act. Captain C. A. Kershaw, R.N.

ASSAULT GROUP G1

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. SQUID, Southampton)

S.O.A.G.1. Captain J. W. Farquhar, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. NITH.* Lt.Com. D. E. Mansfield, R.N.

L.S.I.(L)

S.S. EMPIRE ARQUEBUS.
524th Ass: Flot: [18]

S.S. EMPIRE CROSSBOW.
553rd Ass: Flot: [18]

S.S. EMPIRE SPEARHEAD.
525th Ass: Flot: [18]

H.M.S. GLENROY. Act. Captain S. Barry, R.N.
554th [11], 559th [12] Ass: Flots.

L.C.H.

L.C.H. No. 100
" " 317

Support Squadron

332nd Support Flotilla [3 L.C.F.(4), 3 L.C.G.(L)(3)]
108th L.C.T. Flotilla [6 L.C.T.(A)], 322nd L.C.T.(R) Flot: [4 L.C.T.(R)(3)],
591st Ass: Flot: [17 L.C.A.(H.R.)].

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP G1 (Contd.)

"D" L.C.T. Squadron.

Lt.Com. E. N. Langley, R.N.

15th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(3)] 23rd L.C.T. Flot: [11 L.C.T.(4)]
28th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)] 23rd L.C.T. Flot: [17 L.C.T.(4)]
53rd L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)]

L.B.F.

25th L.B.F. Flot: [7]

ASSAULT GROUP G2

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. SQUID, Southampton)

S.O.A.G. G2. Captain F. A. Ballance, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. KINGSMILL,* Lt. G. H. Cook, R.N.

L.S.I.(L)

S.S. EMPIRE HALBERD.
539th Ass: Flot: [16]

S.S. EMPIRE LANCE.
540th Ass: Flot: [17]

S.S. EMPIRE MACE.
541st Ass: Flot: [18]

S.S. EMPIRE RAPIER.
542nd Ass: Flot: [18]

L.C.H.

L.C.H. No. 187
" " 285

Support Squadron

332nd Support Flotilla. [4 L.C.F.(4), 1 L.C.G.(L)3]
109th L.C.T. Flot: [4 L.C.T.(A)]
322nd L.C.T.(R) Flot: [4 L.C.T.(R)(3)]

"L" L.C.T. Squadron.

Lt.Com. E. G. Robertson, R.N. (retd.)

12th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(3)] 24th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)]
34th L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)] 49th L.C.T. Flot: [6 L.C.T.(A)],
51st L.C.T. Flot: [12 L.C.T.(4)]

L.B.F.

26th L.B.F. Flot: [7]

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

ASSAULT GROUP G3

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. MASTODON, Beaulieu)

S.O.A.G.G3. Act. Captain G. V. M. Dolphin, R.N.

Assault Group H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. ALBRIGHTON, * Lt. J. J. S. Hooker, R.N.

L.S.T.Division 22

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	1
" "	"	359
" "	"	377
" "	"	378
" "	"	379
" "	"	519

Division 55

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	30
" "	"	52
" "	"	264
" "	"	287
" "	"	493
" "	"	503

Division 56

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	44
" "	"	229
" "	"	279
" "	"	280
" "	"	293

Division 65

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	2
" "	"	308
" "	"	312
" "	"	344
" "	"	345
" "	"	370

Division 101

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	17
" "	"	21
" "	"	25
" "	"	72
" "	"	73
" "	"	520

L.C.I.(L)

264th L.C.I. Flot: [6 L.C.I.(L) manned by R.C.N.]

U.S.S. Divs., 61 [6 L.C.I.(L)], 62 [6 L.C.I.(L)], 70 [3 L.C.I.(L)].

"U" L.C.T. Squadron.

Lt.Com. T. Ellis, R.N.

55th L.C.T. Flot: [11 L.C.T.(4)]

* Also shewn in App.A(1).

FORCE G, NOT ATTACHED TO ASSAULT GROUPS

H.M.S. ADVENTURE,* (as L.S.E.). Act. Captain A. M. Sheffield, R.N.
2 L.C.P.(R)

700th, 706th Assault Flot: [12 L.C.P.(L) each], 708th Assault Flotilla
[10 L.C.P.(L)].

FORCE G, BUILD-UP SQUADRONS"B" Build-up Squadron

805th [15 L.C.V.(P)] 806th, 807th, 808th, 809th [16 L.C.V.(P) each]
Build-up Flotillas.

"E" Build-up Squadron

605th [14 L.C.M.(3)], 606th [15 L.C.M.(3)], 607th 12 L.C.M.(1)
609th [11 L.C.M.(1)], 654th [16 L.C.M.(3)], 698th [12 L.C.M.(1)]
Build-up Flotillas.

"Z" L.B. Squadron

13th [8 L.B.V.(2)], 14th [9 L.B.V.(2)], 15th [12 L.B.V.(2)] Half of 4th
[6 L.B.V.(2)] L.B.V. Flotillas 36th L.B. (S and R) Flot: [6 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K.,
10 L.B.O., 1 L.B.W., H.M.F.Ts. ATHENIAN, MILFORD KING, RUGBY, YTHANBRAES].
38th L.B. (S and R) Flot: [6 L.B.E., 1 L.B.K., 10 L.B.O., 2 L.B.W.
H.M.F.Ts. CONGRE, NEW COMET, VIDONIA].

IV. FORCE L

(Headquarters:- St.Felix School, Southwold)
Rear-Admiral W. L. Parry.

NOT ATTACHED TO ASSAULT GROUPS

H.M.S. ALBATROSS* (as L.S.E.) Captain D. S. McGrath, R.N. (ret.)

ASSAULT GROUP L1

S.O.A.G.L1

Act. Captain F. J. C. Halahan, D.S.C., R.N.

L.S.T.

7th L.S.T.(2) Flotilla.

Act. Com. J. G. Sutton, R.N.

H.M.L.S.T.(2)	No.	214
" "	"	237
" "	"	301
" "	"	319
" "	"	321
" "	"	366
" "	"	406
3 L.C.P.(L) 4 L.C.P.(R)		

Ty. Act. Lt.Com. R. H. E. Hand, R.N.R.
Act. Lt.Com. W. D. Smith, R.N.R.
" " " R. F. Hoyle, R.N.R. (ret.)
Act. Com. J. G. Sutton, R.N.
Act. Lt.Com. C. H. Metcalfe, R.N.R.
Lt.Com. G. R. Grandage, R.D., R.N.R.
Act. Lt.Com. H. J. Chaloner, R.N.R.

* Also shewn in App.A(1)

ASSAULT GROUP L1 (Contd.)8th L.S.T. (2) Flotilla.

H.M.L.S.T. (2) No.	63
" "	165
" "	198
" "	200
" "	403

4 L.C.P. (R)

Act. Com. G. B. R. Rudyerd-Helpman, R.N.
Act. Lt.Com. V. Elsom, R.N.R.
Ty. Lt.Com. D. M. Macfarlane, R.N.R.
Act. Com. G. B. R. Rudyerd-Helpman, R.N.
Ty. Act. Lt.Com. J. Barnie, R.N.R.
" " " " W. R. G. Garling, R.N.R.

21st U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	327
" "	384
" "	385
" "	386
" "	540
" "	360
" "	383

98th U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	60
" "	295
" "	517
" "	535
" "	137
" "	534

99th U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	138
" "	139
" "	524
" "	527
" "	536
" "	537

100th U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	521
" "	528
" "	541
" "	542
" "	522
" "	529

102nd U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	175
" "	176
" "	208
" "	209
" "	261
" "	530

103rd U.S. Div.

U.S.L.S.T. No.	543
" "	682
" "	980
" "	981
" "	982
" "	983

ASSAULT GROUP L2

(Headquarters:- H.M.S. WOOLVERSTONE)
 S.O.A.G.L2. Act. Captain H. T. W. Pawsey, O.B.E., R.N.

"V" L.C.T. Squadron. Com. W. A. Lindsay-Watson, R.N. (ret.)

16th, 18th L.C.T. Flots: [11 L.C.T.(3) each], 19th L.C.T. Flot: [10 L.C.T.(3)]

"H" L.C.T. Squadron. Lt.Com. B. A. Gregory, R.N.

6th L.C.T. Flot: [11 L.C.T.(3)], 17th L.C.T. Flot: [10 L.C.T.(3)]

ASSAULT GROUP L3L.S.T.(1)

H.M.S. BACHAQUERO. Lt.Com. P. G. Britten, R.N.R.
 1 L.C.P.(R)

H.M.S. MISOA. Lt.Com. J. W. Grace, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.
 H.M.S. TASAJERA. " " C. M. Ramus, R.N.R.

"A" L.C.I.(L) Squadron. Act. Lt.Com. A. J. Villiers, R.N.V.R.

252nd [10], 253rd [9], L.C.I.(L) Flotillas.

APPENDIX A(3)
MISCELLANEOUS ANCILLARY SHIPS AND CRAFT

- I. Surveying Ships.
- II. Buoy Layers.
- III. Telephone cable Ships.
- IV. Depot and Repair Ships.
- V. Eagle Ships.
- VI. Ships employed in connection with Mulberries.
 - (i) H.Q. Ships etc.
 - (ii) Mooring Force.
 - (iii) Blockships.
 - (iv) Smoke making Trawlers.
- VII. Force PLUTO.
- VIII. Salvage vessels.
- IX. Colliers, Oilers, Tankers employed in Assault Area.

I. SURVEYING SHIPS

Ships	Commanding Officer	Duties
H.M.S. SCOTT*	Com. S. J. Hennessey, R.N.	(1) Buoy laying. (2) Assault Area.
" ASTRAL*	Lt.Com. C. J. Wood, R.N.	(1) Buoy laying. (2) As directed by C. in. C., Portsmouth.
" GULNARE	Lt.Com. W. M. Passmore, R.N.	Mulberry A.
" FRANKLIN	Lt.Com. E. E. G. Irving, R.N.	In reserve.
H.M.H.D.M.L. 1001	Lieut. R. T. Bailey, R.N.V.R.	Mulberry B.
H.M.H.D.M.L. 1053	Skipper A. G. G. Jenner, R.N.R.	In reserve.

II. BUOY LAYING VESSELS *

T.H.V. ALERT	T.H.V. G. DE JOLI
" DISCOVERY II	" A. BLONDEL
" WARDEN	

* H.M. Surveying Ships SCOTT and ASTRAL formed part of the Buoy laying force for the initial buoy laying, D-day to D + 1.

✓ Also shewn in App.A(1).

III. TELEPHONE CABLE SHIPS

G.P.O. Ship IRIS (cable 62 miles)	G.P.O. Ship MONARCH (cable 54 miles)
" Ship ALERT (cable 54 miles)	" Barge LESLIE (cable 5 miles)
" Ship ST. MARGARETS (cable 50 miles)	" Barge NORMAN (cable 5 miles)

IV. DEPOT AND REPAIR SHIPS

(Ferry Service)

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation
<u>EASTERN TASK FORCE</u>		
Commodore, Depot Ships - Commodore H. T. England, D.S.O., R.N. Broad Pennant H.M.S. HAWKINS		
H.M.S. FROBISHER*	Captain J. F. W. Mudford, R.N.	Gooseberry 3
" ADVENTURE	" A. M. Sheffield, R.N.	(Mulberry B)
S.S. THYSVILLE	Mr. Hewin Tengels, Master, M.N.	" "
Naval Party 1659	Act. Com. A. B. Russell, D.S.O., R.N.	
H.M.S. HAWKINS*	Captain J. W. Josselyn, D.S.C., R.N.	Gooseberry 4
" SOUTHERN	Act. Captain R. H. F. De Salis, O.B.E., D.S.C., R.N.	" "
PRINCE	Commander R. W. English, R.N. (retd.)	" "
H.M.L.S.E.II.	-	
S.S. ASCANIUS	Act. Com. C. R. Garrett, R.N.	" "
Naval Party 1658	-	
S.S. GEORGE-W-WOODWARD	Captain J. R. S. Haines, R.N.	Gooseberry 5
H.M.S. DANAE*	" D. S. McGrath, R.N. (retd.)	" "
" ALBATROSS	Act. Com. J. Sanders, R.N.	" "
S.S. CAP TOURANE		
Naval Party 1660		
<u>WESTERN TASK FORCE</u>		
H.M.S. CERES	Act. Captain R. C. Allen, R.N.	Gooseberry 1
U.S.S. ATLAS (A.R.L.)	Com. B. A. Nesbett, U.S.N.R.	" "
S.S. THOMAS	-	" "
B. ROBERTSON		
H.M.S. CAPE TOWN	Act. Captain H. F. Nash, R.N.	Gooseberry 2
U.S.S. ADONIS (A.R.L.)	Lieut. M. E. Thompson, U.S.N.R.	(Mulberry A)
S.S. ELEAZAR	-	" "
WHITLOCK		

* After completion of Bombarding Duties. (These ships are also shown in App.A(1)).

/ Also shown in App.A(1).

V. EAGLE SHIPS

(A/A DEFENCE)

EASTERN TASK FORCE

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation
H.M.S. ARISTOCRAT	Ty.Act.Lt.Com. P. E. BOWMAN, R.N.R.	Mulberry B
" GOLDEN EAGLE	Ty.Lt. T. Blairs, R.N.V.R.	Port en Bessin.
" DOUWE AWKES	Lt.Com. A. H. Straight, R.N. (retd.)	Port en Bessin.
" THAMES QUEEN	Ty.Act.Lt.Com. L. G. Horsham, R.N.R.	Ouistreham
" WHIPPINGHAM	Ty.Act.Lt.Com. J. McGlashan, R.N.R.	Courseulles
<u>WESTERN TASK FORCE</u>		
H.M.S. GOATFELL	Ty.Act.Lt.Com. F. A. DAVIES, R.N.R.	
" SCAWFELL*	Ty.Lt. J. M. Mennie, R.N.R.	
" SANDOWN*	Ty.Lt.Com. A. H. Dunkerley, R.N.R.	
" RYDE		

* Bombardon Control vessels, W.T.F. Area.

VI. SHIPS EMPLOYED IN CONNECTIONWITH MULBERRIES(i) H.Q. SHIPS, ETC.CONTROL SHIPS, DESPATCHING AREASSelsey. H.M.S. QUEEN OF THANET. Com. J. P. de W. Kitcat, R.N.Dungeness. H.M.S. QUEEN OF KENT. Lt.Com. H. V. Todd, R.D., R.N.R.BOMBARDONSS.N.O. Bombardons. Capt. C. N. E. Currey, R.N.*Bombardon Control Ship. H.M.S. FRATTON, Com. K. J. D. Hutchings, R.D., R.N.R.
Tenders. 12 Tugs, 1 U.S. Army Tug.MULBERRY B. (ARROMANCHES)H.Q. Ship. H.M.S. DESPATCH.† Act. Captain C. H. Petrie, D.S.O., R.N.
(N.O.I.C. Naval Party 1500).H.M.S. ARISTOCRAT.‡ Act. Ty.Lt.Com. P. E. Bowman, R.N.R.Control Ship. H.M.S. HASLEMERE. Com. R. K. Silcock, R.N.
Tenders. 2 M.F.V., 8 L.C.V.P.

* Embarked in H.M.S. FRATTON.

† Also shewn in App.A(1).

‡ Also shewn in App.A(3).V.

VI. MULBERRIES (contd.)(i) H.Q. SHIPS, ETC. (contd.)MULBERRY A. (ST. LAURENT)H.Q. Ship. U.S.S.S. THOMAS JOHNSON.Control Ships. U.S.S.C. 1352
1329(ii) MOORING FORCEW.T.F. AREA (GROUP A)S.O. Commander R. Hunter - Blair, D.S.C., R.N.

<u>Ship</u>	<u>Commanding Officer</u>
	<u>Boom Carrier</u>
H.M.S. FOSSBECK	Ty.Lt. D. C. Maclean, R.N.R.
	<u>Net Layers</u>
H.M.S. BRITTANY/	Act. Lt.Com. E. R. Crome, R.N.R.
H.M.S. MINSTER	Act. Lt.Com. W. Jackson, R.N.R.
	<u>Bar Vessels</u>
H.M.S. BARBAIN	Ty.Sk. J. Evans, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARCOMBE	Ty.Lt. H. W. Clouston, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARTHORPE	Ty.Lt. A. Lamont, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARTIZAN	Ty.Lt. J. Harrower, R.N.R.
H.M.S. DRAGONET	Ty.Boom. Sk. W. S. Thompson, R.N.R.
H.M.S. PLANTAGENET	Ty.Boom Sk. A. Lothian, R.N.R.
	<u>Boom Working Trawlers</u>
H.M.S. CHERWELL	Ty.Lt. G. J. Chidlis, R.N.V.R.
H.M.S. LAVEROCK	Ty. Boom Sk. J. Griffiths, R.N.R.
	<u>Trawler</u>
H.M.S. CORONATIA	Ty. Boom Sk. E. Mortimer, R.N.R.

/ Available for work in both British and U.S. Sectors.

VI. MULBERRIES (contd.)
(ii) MOORING FORCE (contd.)
E.T.F. AREA (GROUP B)

S.O. Commander C. I. Horton, R.N.

Ship	Commanding Officer
	<u>Boom Carrier</u>
H.M.S. FERMOOR	Capt. E. C. Stubbs, R.N. (ret.)
	<u>Net Layers</u>
H.M.S. ATALANTA	Act. Lt.Com. C. P. Sugg, R.N.R.
H.M.S. RINGWOOD	Act. Lt.Com. S. R. Berry, R.N.R.
	<u>Bar Vessels</u>
H.M.S. BARBERRY	Ty.Boom Sk. J. H. Wilson, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARCOCK	Ty. Lt. S. Rich, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARLOW	Sk.Ltd. D. Smith, R.D., R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARNWELL	Ch.Sk. R. Thompson, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BAROVA	Ty.Lt. J. R. Radley, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BARRAGE	Ty.Lt. G. W. Rosindale, R.N.R.
H.M.S. MARTINET	Sk.Lt. J. M. Gault, R.D., R.N.R.
H.M.S. SONNET	Sk. A. G. C. Sutherland, R.N.R.
	<u>Boom Working Trawlers</u>
H.M.S. ANDANES	Ty.Sk. W. E. Smith, R.N.R.
H.M.S. THE WAY	Boom Sk. G. A. Cass, R.N.R.
	<u>Trawlers</u>
H.M.S. ULVA	Sk.Lt. E. R. Harris, R.N.R.
	<u>IN RESERVE (GROUP C)</u>
	<u>Boom Carrier</u>
H.M.S. LEONIAN	Com. R. W. Lundy, O.B.E., R.N.R. (ret.)
	<u>Boom Working Trawlers</u>
H.M.S. NORTH LYNN	Ty.Ch. Boom Sk. C. F. Gladwell, R.N.R.
H.M.S. SCOMBER	Ty.Boom Sk. G. G. Harding, R.N.R.
H.M.S. SETTSU	Ch.Sk. J. McClelland, D.S.M., R.D., R.N.R.
	<u>Boom Ferry Craft</u>
H.M.S. CAVEROCK	

VI. MULBERRIES (contd.)

(iii) BLOCKSHIPS

Act. Captain L. B. Hill, D.S.O., O.B.E., R.N.

GOOSEBERRY SHELTERS

E.T.F. Area			W.T.F. Area		
Ship	Gross Tonnage	Goose-Gerry No.	Ship	Gross Tonnage	Gooseberry No.
(1) Merchant Ships*					
ALYNBANK	5151	3	ARTEMUS WARD	7176	2
AGHIOS SPIRIDON (Greek)	3338	3	AUDACIOUS	6861	2
BECHEVILLE	4228	5	BENYAMIN CONTEE	7176	1
BELGIQUE (Belgian)	4606	5	BAIALOIDE	6400	2
BENDORAN	5567	4	COURAGEOUS	7572	2
DOVER HILL	5815	5	DAVID O. SAYLOR	4826	1
ELSWICK PARK	4188	3	FLIGHT COMMAND	4190	2
EMPIRE BUNTING	6448	4	GALVESTON	6172	2
EMPIRE DEFIANCE	4632	5	GEORGE S. WASSON	7176	1
EMPIRE FLAMINGO	5207	4	G. W. CHILDS	7176	2
EMPIRE MOORHEN	5617	4	JAMES W. MARSHALL	7176	2
EMPIRE TAMAR	6561	5	JAMES IREDELL	7177	2
EMPIRE TANA	6275	5	MATT RANSOM	7176	1
EMPIRE WATERHEN	6004	4	OLAMBALA	4423	2
FLOWERGATE	5156	3	POTTER	6174	2
FORBIN	-	4	WEST HONAKER	5428	1
FORMIGNY	-	4	WEST GRAMA	5326	2
GIORGIOS P. (Greek)	4052	3	WEST CHESWALD	5711	1
INGMAN	3169	3	WEST NOHNO	5769	1
INNERTON	5276	4	WILSCOX	5861	2
LYNGHANG (Nor.)	2829	3	WILLIS A. SLATER	4310	1
MANCHESTER SPINNER	4767	4	VICTORY SWORD	4750	1
MARIPOSA	3807	4	VITRUVIUS	4826	1
MODLIN (Polish)	3569	3			
NYEGOS (J. SLAV.)	4393	3			
PANOS	4918	4			
PARKLAAN (Dutch)	3807	3			
SALTERSGATE	3940	3			
SIREHEI (Nor.)	3888	3			
VINLAKE (ex CSIKOS)	3938	3			
VERA RADCLIFFE	5587	4			
WINHA	3331	3			
(2) Warships+					
F.F.S. COURBET	22,189	5	H.M.S. CENTURION	25,500	2
H.M.S. DURBAN	4850	5			
H.N.M.S. SUMATRA	6670	5			

* Unless otherwise stated, merchant ships in British Gooseberries were British and in American Gooseberries were American.

+ O.R.P. DRAGON after suffering severe damage from a human torpedo 8th July was dismantled and added to Gooseberry No.4.

VI. MULBERRIES (contd.)

(iv) SMOKE-MAKING (ESSO) TRAWLERS

Ship	Commanding Officer
H.M.S. ADELPHI	Ty. Skipper Lt. J. W. Brown, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ALL HALLOWS	
H.M.S. AMBITION	
H.M.S. ANN MELVILLE	Ty. Skipper G. H. Grimmer, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ARABESQUE	Ty. Skipper C. A. Coxall, R.N.R.
H.M.S. AVONDEE	
H.M.S. BARNES NESS	Ty. Ch. Skipper S. Amos, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BEN GLAS	
H.M.S. BENJAMIN COLEMAN	
H.M.S. BERVIE BRAES	Ty. Skipper J. G. M. Taylor, R.N.R.
H.M.S. BONA	
H.M.S. BRAES O'MAR	
D. S. BRUINVISCH	
H.M.S. BUCEPHALUS	
H.M.S. CHOICE	
H.M.S. CLOUGHSTONE	Skipper B. Buchan, R.N.R.
H.M.S. CONTROLLER	Ty. Skipper G. H. Roach, R.N.R.
H.M.S. CORYPHENE	
H.M.S. CREVETTE	
H.M.S. DANDOLO	
H.M.S. EAST COAST	
H.M.S. ERIDANES	
H.M.S. EROICAN	Ty. Ch. Skipper, C. F. Mitten, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ETRUSCAN	(S.O. Act. Lt. Com. F. Scantlebury, R.N.V.R. (Ty. Sub. Lt. J. W. Thom, R.N.V.R.
H.M.S. GENERAL BIRDWOOD	Ty. Skipper F. B. Warman, R.N.R.
D. S. GOEREE	-
H.M.S. HEROINE	Ty. Skipper J. F. Eddom, R.N.R.
H.M.S. IBIS II	Ty. Skipper, A. Smith, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ISOBEL	Ty. Skipper J. Tipple, R.N.R.
H.M.S. JACQUELINE CLASINE	Ty. Skipper G. F. Pearson, R.N.R.
H.M.S. KERNEVEL	-
H.M.S. LEPHRETO	Ty. Sk. Lt. H. Lee, R.N.R.
D. S. MARIE ELIZABETH	-
H.M.S. MARIE JOSE ROSETTE	Ty. Skipper T. Cowie, R.N.R.
H.M.S. MIKASA	-

VI. MULBERRIES (contd.)

(iv) SMOKE MAKING (ESSO) TRAWLERS (contd.)

Ship	Commanding Officer
H.M.S. MIRABELLE	-
H.M.S. MUROTO	Ch. Skipper B. D. McP. BARNET, R.N.R.
N.S. NORDKAP	-
H.M.S. PEGGY NUTTEN	Skipper Lt. W. Boyle, D.S.C., R.N.R.
H.M.S. PITSTRUAN	Skipper C. Blundell, R.N.R.
H.M.S. PRINCE VICTOR	
H.M.S. RIANO	
H.M.S. RIGOLETTO	Ty. Skipper Lt. J. A. Whitelam, R.N.R.
H.M.S. RIVER LEVEN	Ty. Skipper J. F. Findlay, R.N.R.
H.M.S. RIVER SPEY	Ty. Skipper A. Murray, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ROXANO	Ty. Ch. Skipper R. Davey, R.N.R.
H.M.S. ST. MINVER	Act. Lt. Com. J. H. Blunt, R.N.V.R., S.O.
H.M.S. SALVINI	Skipper A. L. Davidson, R.N.R.
H.M.S. SHIELBURN	
H.M.S. SOUTHWARD HO	
H.M.S. STAUNCH	Skipper Lt. C. Sutcliffe, R.N.R.
H.M.S. STRATHALLADALE	
H.M.S. STRATHFINA	
H.M.S. STRATHMARTIN	
H.M.S. STURTON	Ty. Ch. Skipper S. Ames, R.N.R.
H.M.S. TAIPO	Skipper Lt. A. Slater, R.N.R.
H.M.S. TOCSIN	Ty. Skipper, J. C. Taylor, R.N.R.
H.M.S. UGIERANK	
H.M.S. VIKING DEEPS	Ty. Lt. R. M. Nesbit, R.N.V.R.
H.M.S. WAR STAR	Skipper W. G. Nicholas, D.S.M., R.N.R.
H.M.S. WILLIAM STROUD	
H.M.S. WITHAM	

VII. FORCE PLUTO

S.N.O. PLUTO Captain J. F. Hutchings, D.S.O., O.B.E., R.N. (in H.M.S.
CAMPANULA)

D/S. N.O. PLUTO Act. Captain H. B. Eagle, R.N.R.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Remarks
<u>CABLE SHIPS</u>		
H.M.S. LATIMER	Act. Com. H. T. Heale, R.D., R.N.R.	Cross Channel HAIS Cable layer. Capacity 100 miles HAIS.
" SANCRIFT	Ty.Com. J. A. Lee, R.N.R.	" " " "
" ALGERIAN	Ty.Act.Com. V. E. Kennard, R.N.R.	HAIS cable layer, capacity up to 30 miles.
" HOLDFAST	Act. Com. A. Bicker-Carten, R.N.R. (ret).	Storeship; shore end length of HAIS etc., capacity 15 miles.
" PERSEPHONE	Ty.Lt.Com. R. W. Watkin, R.N.R.	Converted Hopper barge with HAMEL cable; capacity 26 miles.
CONUNS I to VI	-	Steel drums each having up to 70 miles of 3" HAMEL pipe. Towed by tugs.
<u>TUGS</u>		
H.M.T. MARAUDER	Lt.Cdr. W. J. Hammond, R.N.R.	Ahead Tug for CONUN drums.
" BUSTLER		" " " "
" DANUBE V		Astern " " " "
<u>CABLE BARGES</u>		
H.M.C.B. GOLD BELL	Ty.Lt. G. T. Harris, R.N.V.R.	Cable laying barges for completing shore ends: capacity of each, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles HAIS.
" GOLD DRIFT	Ty.Lt. F. W. Bennett, R.N.V.R.	
" RUNIC	Ty.Lt. G. C. F. Bathmaker, R.N.V.R.	
" BRITANNIC	Ty.Lt. H. J. Latham, R.N.V.R.	
" OCEANIC	Ty.Sub.Lt. W. West, R.N.V.R.	
<u>ACCOMMODATION BARGES</u>		
H.M.B. LAWSON		
" GLENMORISTON	Ty.Sub.Lt. F. Capstick, R.N.V.R.	Barges specially fitted to accommodate working parties on shore ends.
" AETON		
" NYCTEA		

VII. FORCE PLUTO (contd.)

Ship	Commanding Officer	Remarks
<u>TRAWLERS</u>		
H.M.T. CEDAR	Ty. Skipper Lt. B. Godfrey, R.N.R.	For hauling out 6-in. pipe lines 2000 to 3000 feet in length, for Opn. TOMBOLA also assist in laying Tanker moorings.
" LILAC	Ty. Skipper C. Sarel, R.N.R.	
" GRAMPION	Act. Lt. Com. W. H. Gibbs, R.N.V.R.	
<u>YACHT</u>		
H.M.Y. CORONIA	Ty. Lt. J. A. Erikson, R.N.R.	Despatch vessel and spare accommodation.
<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>		
6 Motor Fishing vessels		For use of pilot directing the mooring of Tankers at TOMBOLA terminals.
2 Motor Boats		For diving parties on TOMBOLA operations.
2 Harbour Launches 2 Diesel Passenger Launches		Running warps and general service.

VIII. SALVAGE VESSELS

WESTERN TASK FORCE	EASTERN TASK FORCE
<u>SALVAGE VESSELS</u>	
U.S.S. DIVER " SWIVEL " BRANT S.S. HELP " ABIGAIL	UPLIFTER FOREMOST 17 LIFELINE SEA SALVOR FOREMOST 18 LINCOLN SALVOR SUCCOUR SALVEDA
<u>WRECK DISPERSAL VESSELS</u>	
H.M.S. MARIA Ty. Act. Lt. Com. J. E. Mackenzie, R.N.R. " AD. SIR J. LAWFORD " TEHANA Ty. Lt. B. H. Russell, R.N.R.	H.M.S. YEO Ty. Act. Lt. Com. K. H. E. Dagnall, R.N.R. " JACINTA Ty. Lt. J. Priestley, R.N.V.R. " LUNE Ty. Lt. D. T. Hood, R.N.V.R. RAMPANT BURKE LAUREL GLYNE CASTLE ARY COLCHESTER
<u>STORE SHIPS AND EXPLOSIVE CARRIERS</u>	
	H.M.S. MADDEN Ty. Skipper P. S. Stevenson, R.N.R. " SUNLIGHT Ty. Skipper J. Herd, R.N.R. " ONETOS Ty. Skipper J. H. Taylor, R.N.R. PALMSTON FORD CARMENITA DORITA POLITA ALITA
<u>RESCUE TUGS*</u>	
U.S.S. ARIKARA (A.T.) " BANNOCK " " KIOWA " " PINTO " " A.T.R.2 " A.T.R.3	SCHELDE JAUNTY THAMES U.S.S. A.T.R. 4 " A.T.R.15

* The following rescue Tugs were allocated to Home Commands:-
 ZWARTE ZEE (Portsmouth), AMSTERDAM (Nore), MASTODONTE (Plymouth).

IX. COLLIERs, OILERS, WATER-TANKERS

EMPLOYED IN ASSAULT AREA. (JUNE 1944)

WESTERN TASK FORCE			EASTERN TASK FORCE		
Ship	Capa-city (Tons)	Area	Ship	Capa-city (Tons)	Area
(i) COLLIERs*					
ARY LENSEN	5,000	OMAHA	BARON RUTHVEN	5,000	GOLD
EMPIRE BOSWELL	"	"	SINCERITY	800	JUNO
BILTON	800	UTAH	TOLSTA HEAD	"	"
COINWITH FORCE	"	OMAHA	METHYL HILL	"	SWORD
THE DUKE	"	UTAH	FELSPAR	"	JUNO
			KYLE BUTE	"	SWORD
(ii) OILERS ⁺					
6 "Y" Tankers)	650	(OMAHA	CHANT 24, 6	400	(GOLD
4 " " ")	each	(UTAH	" 25, 60,		{ JUNO
			67		{ SWORD
			" 26, 61,		
			7		
EMPIRE DWELLER	700	OMAHA	SAIT FLAT		
" AUDREY	"	"	LULING		
BRITISH ENGINEER	10,000	"	WALNUT BEND		
			PASS OF	750	JUNO
			BALLATER	to	
			EMPIRE CADET	1,350	
			WRESTLER		
			SETTLER		
			TROTWOOD		
(iii) WATER TANKERS ⁺					
DOLABELLA }	7,000	OMAHA	BRITISH PRINCESS	7,000	GOLD
GOLD SHELL }	to 10,000		" STATESMAN	to 10,000	
EMPIRE					
HOMESTEAD	400	OMAHA	BEN ROBINSON	400	GOLD
" COAST	"	UTAH	EMPIRE ALBANY	"	JUNO
			" CRICKETER	"	SWORD

* Two large and three small Colliers arrived in their respective areas on D+2, and remained there till relieved in accordance with a pre-arranged programme, when they returned to the United Kingdom to replenish in a N.E. Coast port or the Mersey.

+ The CHANT Oilers and "Y" Tankers and the small water tankers arrived at the Far Shore D+1/D+2 and remained there, being refilled as necessary by the larger oilers and water tankers, working to a pre-arranged programme.

APPENDIX A(4)

OFFICERS COMMANDING ASSAULT FORCE FORMATIONS

AND FAR SHORE ORGANISATIONS

EASTERN TASK FORCE (BRITISH ASSAULT) AREA

N.C.E.T.F. Rear-Admiral Sir Philip L. Vian, K.C.B., D.S.O. Flag in H.M.S. SCYLLA.

<u>N.C.E.T.F. (A)</u> later <u>F.O.B.A.A.</u>	Rear Admiral J. W. Rivett-Carnac, D.S.C.	H.M.S. SOUTHERN PRINCE. Ashore, Courseulles.
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ASSAULT FORCE S

Rear-Admiral A. G. Talbot, D.S.O.

Formation Unit	Commanding Officer	H.Q. Ship	Remarks
<u>ASSAULT PHASE</u>			
<u>Assault Group S3</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. E. W. Bush, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	GOATHLAND	-
D/S.O.A.G.	Act. Com. K. A. Sellar (ret.)	L.C.H.269	S.O. "E" L.C. Squadron.
P.B.M.	Act. Lt.Com. E. F. Gueritz, D.S.C., R.N.	-	"Queen" Beaches.
P.B.M.	Lt.Com. A. C. Macdonald, R.N.	-	"Roger" Beaches.
Support Squadron	Com. E. N. V. Currey, D.S.C., R.N.	L.C.H.185	-
<u>Assault Group S2</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. R. Gotto, D.S.O., R.N.	DACRES	Capt. Northbound sailings after assault.
<u>Assault Group S1 (Reserve)*</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. W. R. C. Leggatt, R.N.	LOCUST	Also N.O.I.C. Sword.
S.O.A.G.	Com. D. H. Rainier, R.N.	L.C.H.315	-

* The Reserve Group was commanded during the training period first by Capt. R. P. Selby, R.N., later by Capt. Leggatt, who landed shortly after H-hour as N.O.I.C. During the assault it was commanded by Commander Rainier.

ASSAULT FORCE S (Contd.)

Rear-Admiral A. G. Talbot, D.S.O.

Formation Unit	Commanding Officer	H.Q. Ship	Remarks
<u>ASHORE : SWORD AREA</u>			
N.O.I.C.	Capt. W. R. C. Legatt, R.N.	-	-
D/N.O.I.C.	(1) Act. Com. H. R. M. Nicholl* D.S.O., R.N.	-	-
	(2) Act. Lt.Col. G. A. Haward, R.N.	-	7th June.
S.O.F.C.	Com. I. H. Bockett-Pugh, D.S.O., R.N.	-	-
Ch.P.B.M.	Act. Com. T. I. S. Bell, D.S.O., R.N.	-	p.m. 6th June.
Naval Part 1660	Act. Com. J. Sanders, R.N.	CAP TOURANE	-
R.N.O. Ouistreham (N.P.1502C)	Lt.Com. J. D. Hayes, D.S.O., R.N.	-	Withdrawn 1st July.

ASSAULT FORCE J

Commodore G. N. Oliver, D.S.O.

<u>ASSAULT PHASE</u>			
<u>Assault Group J1</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. A. F. Pugsley, D.S.O., R.N.	LAWFORD	-
D/S.O.A.G.	Com. R. McC. B. Jonas, D.S.C., R.N.	L.C.H.168	Mike Red Beach.
D/S.O.A.G.	Com. R. F. C. Struben, R.N.	L.C.H.98	Nan Green Beach S.O. "K" L.C. Squadron.
P.B.M.	Lt.Com. W. E. C. Lowndes, R.N.	-	-
Support Squadron 1	Lt.Com. The Hon. J. D. Hotham, R. N.	-	-

* Wounded during assault.

ASSAULT FORCE J (Contd.)

Commodore G. N. Oliver, D.S.O.

Formation Unit	Commanding Officer	H.Q. Ship	Remarks
<u>ASSAULT PHASE</u>			
<u>Assault Group J2</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. R. J. Otway-Ruthven, R.N.	WAVENY	-
D/S.O.A.G.	Com. R. E. D. Ryder, V.C., R.N.	L.C.H.239	Nan White Beach.
D/S.O.A.G.	Lt.Com. B. K. Artbuthnot, R.N.	L.C.H.167	Nan Red Beach S.O. "N" L.C. Squadron.
P.B.M.	Lt.Com. E. S. D. Fremantle, R.N.	-	-
Support Squadron 2	Lt.Com. J. J. S. Yorke, D.S.C., R.N.	-	-
<u>Assault Group J3 (Reserve)</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. A. B. Fanshawe, R.N.	ROYAL ULSTERMAN	Capt. Southbound Sailings 11th June.
P.B.M.	Com. R. M. Prior, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	-	-
<u>Assault Group J4 (Commandos)</u>			
-	Capt. R. E. Jeffreys, D.S.C., R.N.	-	Commandos
<u>ASHORE : JUNO AREA</u>			
N.O.I.C.	Capt. C. D. Maud, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.	-	-
Principal F.C.O.	Act. Com. T. B. Brunton, R.N.	L.C.H.	-
S.O.F.C.	Act. Com. H. L. McCowan, R.N.V.R.	L.C.I.(S)	-
Naval Party 1659	Act. Com. A. B. Russell, D.S.C., R.N.	THYSVILLE	-
R.N.O. Courseulles Naval Party 1502B	Act. Com. A. E. Wilmott, D.S.C., R.N.R.	-	-

ASSAULT FORCE G

Formation Unit	Commanding Officer	H.Q. Ship	Remarks
<u>ASSAULT PHASE</u>			
<u>Assault Group G1</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. J. W. Farquhar, R.N.*	NITH	Captain Southbound sailings after assault.
D/S.O.A.G.	Lt.Com. R. Alexander, R.N.	L.C.H.100	Jig Green Beach.
D/S.O.A.G.	Com. H. V. Wheeler, R.N.	L.C.H.317	Jig Red Beach.
P.B.M.	Lt.Com. B. T. Whinney, R.N.V.R.	-	-
<u>Assault Group G2</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Capt. F. A. Ballance, R.N.	KINGSMILL	-
D/S.O.A.G. S.O. Support Squadron	Act. Com. E. N. Haines, R.N.	L.C.H.275	King Red Beach. Support Squadron was divided between Groups 1 and 2.
D/S.O.A.G.		L.C.H.187	King Green Beach.
P.B.M.	Lt.Com. F. Gregory-Smith, R.N.	-	-
<u>Assault Group G3 (Reserve)</u>			
S.O.A.G.	Act. Capt. G. V. M. Dolphin, R.N.	ALBRIGHTON	N.O.I.C. Gold.
<u>ASHORE : GOLD AREA</u>			
N.O.I.C.	Act. Capt. G. V. M. Dolphin, R.N.	-	-
S.O.F.C.	Act. Com. E. G. Heyward-Lonsdale, D.S.C., R.N. /	ALBRIGHTON	M.T. and Personnel.
S.O.F.C.	Act. Com. H. Nicholas, / R.D., R.N.R.	ALBRIGHTON	Stores.
Naval Party 1658	Act. Com. C. R. Garrett, R.N.	ASCANIUS	-
N.O.I.C. Port-en-Bessin	Com. C. Thomas, R.N.	-	-
N.O.I.C. Arromanches Naval Party 1500	(1)Act. Capt. C. H. Petrie, D.S.O., R.N. (2)Capt. H. Hickling, D.S.O., R.N.	DESPATCH	Mulberry B, till, 22nd June. From 22nd June, H.Q. Ashore, 24th June

* Captain Farquhar was wounded by a mine explosion on 11th June, and was succeeded as Captain, Southbound Sailings by Captain Fanshawe.

/ It was found inconvenient to have separate control for stores and M.T. etc., Com. Heyward-Lonsdale therefore took over both duties, Com. Nicholas becoming S.O. Gooseberry. It was also found desirable that S.O.A.G. and S.O.F.C. should work from the same H.Q. After some changes, both were eventually accommodated in H.M.S., ISLE OF THANET, (30th June).

APPENDIX B

UNITED STATES FLAG OFFICERS

AND COMMODORE

OPERATION "NEPTUNE"

WESTERN TASK FORCE

Rear-Admiral A. G. Kirk, U.S.N.
(Naval Commander, W.T.F.)

C.O.S. Captain A. D. Struble, U.S.N.

Naval Commander, Force O	:	Rear-Admiral J. L. Hall, Jr. U.S.N.
Naval Commander, Force U	:	Rear-Admiral D. P. Moon, U.S.N.
Naval Commander, Force B	:	Commodore C. D. Edgar, U.S.N.
Naval Commander, Cru:Div:7	:	Rear-Admiral M. L. Deyo, U.S.N.
Naval Commander, Bat:Div:5	:	Rear-Admiral C. F. Bryant, U.S.N.
Flag Officer, West	:	Rear-Admiral J. Wilkes, U.S.N.

APPENDIX B(1)

CLASSIFIED LIST OF U.S. SHIPS OF WAR, WITH
COMMANDING OFFICERS AND ALLOCATIONS TO
OPERATION "NEPTUNE"

NOTE:- Ships are shewn alphabetically in classes, squadrons or flotillas.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post Assault
<u>BATTLESHIPS</u>			
TEXAS	(Flag, Rear-Adl. Bryant, U.S.N. (Bat:Div:5) (Capt. C. A. Baker, U.S.N.	Bomb. Fce C	
ARKANSAS	Capt. F. G. Richards, U.S.N.	" " C	As required
NEVADA	" P. M. Rhea, U.S.N.	" " A	
<u>CRUISERS</u>			
AUGUSTA	(Flag, Rear-Adl. A. G. Kirk, U.S.N. (N.C.W.T.F.) (Capt. E. H. Jones, U.S.N.	Flag N.C.W. T.F.	Flag N.C.W.T.F.
QUINCY	Capt. Elliott Senn, U.S.N.	Bomb. Fce A	
TUSCALOOSA	(Flag, Rear-Adl. M. L. Deyo, U.S.N. (Cru:Div:7) (Capt. J. B. W. Waller, U.S.N.	" " A	As required
<u>DESTROYERS</u>			
DesRon 18*	Capt. H. Sanders, U.S.N.		
	DesDiv 35		
CARMICK	Com. R. O. Beer, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(0)	
DOYLE	" J. G. Marshall, U.S.N.	" (0)	As required
ENDICOTT	" W. S. Heald, U.S.N.	"	
FRANKFORD	(Capt. H. Sanders, U.S.N. (S.O. DesRon 18) (Lt.Com. J. L. Semmes, U.S.N.	" (0)	S.O. Area Screen
MC COOK	Lt.Com. R. L. Ramey, U.S.N.	" (0)	As required
	DesDiv 36		
BALDWIN	(Com. W. J. Marshall, U.S.N. (S.O. DesDiv. 36) (Lt.Com. E. S. Powell Jr., U.S.N.	W.T.F.(0)	
HARDING	Com. G. G. Palmer, U.S.N.	" (0)	As required

*DesRon - Destroyer Squadron.

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†DesDiv - Destroyer Division.

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post Assault
SATTERLEE	<u>DesDiv 36</u>	W.T.F.(O)	
THOMPSON	Lt.Com. R. W. Leach, U.S.N. " " A. L. Gebelin, U.S.N.	" (O)	As required
	<u>DesRon 60 Capt. W. L. Freseman, U.S.N.</u>		
BARTON	<u>DesDiv 119</u>	W.T.F.(O)	
LAFFEY	Com. J. W. Callahan, U.S.N. " F. J. Becton, U.S.N.	" (O)	
MEREDITH*	" G. Knuepfer, U.S.N.		
O'BRIEN	{Capt. W. L. Freseman (S.O. DesRon 60) (Com. W. W. Outerbridge, U.S.N.	" (O)	As required
WALKE	" J. C. Zahm, U.S.N.		
	<u>DesDiv 18</u>		
DAVIS	Com. W. A. Dunn, U.S.N.		
JOUETT	" J. C. Parham Jr., U.S.N.		
SOMERS	" W. C. Hughes Jr., U.S.N. (S.O. DesDiv 18)	Plymouth	Reserve Fire Support, W.T.F. Area
	<u>DesRon 17 Capt. A. C. Murdaugh, U.S.N.</u>		
GLENNON*	<u>DesDiv 33</u> Com. G. A. Johnson, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(U)	
JEFFERS	Lt.Com. H. Q. Murray, U.S.N.	" (U)	
MURPHY	Com. R. A. Wolverton, U.S.N.	" (O)	
NELSON	{Capt. A. C. Murdaugh (S.O. DesRon 17) (Lt.Com. T. D. McGrath, U.S.N.	" (O)	Area Screen
PLUNKETT	Com. W. Outerson, U.S.N.	" (O)	
	<u>DesDiv 34</u>		
BUTLER	{Com. W. L. Benson, U.S.N. (S.O. DesDiv 34) (Com. M. D. Matthews, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(U)	
GHERARDI	" N. R. Curtin, U.S.N.	" (U)	As required
HERNDON	" G. A. Moore, U.S.N.	" (U)	
SHUBRICK	Lt.Com. W. Blenman, U.S.N.	" (U)	

* Sunk, 8th June, (mines).

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post Assault
	<u>DesRon 10 Capt. A. F. Converse, U.S.N.</u>		
	<u>DesDiv 19</u>		
ELLYSON	{ Capt. A. F. Converse, U.S.N. (S.O. DesRon 10) { Com. E. W. Longton, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(B)	Area Screen
EMMONS	" E. B. Billingsley, U.S.N.	Plymouth	Reserve Fire Support, W.T.F.
HAMBLETON	" H. P. Renken, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(B)	
RODMAN	" J. F. Foley, U.S.N.	" (B)	Area Screen
	<u>DesDiv 20</u>		
CORRY*	Lt.Com. G. D. Hoffman, U.S.N.	W.T.F.(U)	
FITCH	Com. K. C. Walpole, U.S.N.	" (U)	
FORREST	{ " C. M. Jensen, U.S.N. (S.O. DesDiv 20) { " K. P. Letts, U.S.N.	" (U)	As required
HOBSON	Lt. Com. K. Loveland, U.S.N.	" (U)	
	<u>ESCORT DESTROYERS</u>		
AMESBURY		W.T.F.(O)	
BATES		" (U)	
BLESSMAN		" O	
BORUM	{ Com. W. L. Harmon, U.S.N. (S.O. CortDiv 47) { Lt.Com. J. K. Davis	" O	As required
BUNCH		" U	
RICH *		" U	Area Screen
	<u>PATROL CRAFT</u>		
P.C. 552	Lt. F. E. Pierce Jr., U.S.N.R.	W.T.F.(O)	
P.C. 553	" B. T. Fairchild Jr., U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 564	" S. Marsh, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 565	" C. P. Sheppard, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 567		"	
P.C. 568	" A. W. Walz, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 617	" R. B. Plumer, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 618	"	"	

* Sunk, 6th June, (shellfire or mine).

/ Sunk, 8th June, (mine).

Ship	Commanding Officer	Allocation	
		Assault Phase	Post Assault
	<u>PATROL CRAFT (Contd.)</u>		
P.C. 1225	Lt. T. B. Poole		
P.C. 484	" N. A. Ahlers, U.S.N.R.	Force U	
P.C. 619		"	
P.C. 1176	" J. B. Ricker, Jr., U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 1232	" W. E. Stevenson, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 1233	" I. I. Meller, U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 1252	" H. E. Wilkinson Jr., U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 1261	" R. F. Sewell Jr., U.S.N.R.	"	
P.C. 1262	" J. F. Ewing, U.S.N.R.	Force B	
P.C. 1263		"	
	<u>COASTAL CRAFT</u>		
2nd P.T. Squad. (M.T.B.s)	Lt. R. R. Read, U.S.N.R.		
34th P.T. " (M.T.B.s)	" A. M. Harris, U.S.N.R.		
	<u>MINESWEEPERS "A" Squadron</u>		
AUK			
BROADBILT			
CHICKADEE			
NUTHATCH		Force U	
PHEASANT (S.O.)	Com. H. Planter, U.S.N.		
STAFF			
SWIFT			
THREAT			
TIDE			
RAVEN			
OSPREY			
	<u>Y.M.S. Squadrons</u>		
Sweeper Unit 4.(11)	Lt. H. J. White, U.S.N.R.	Force U	
Sweeper Unit 5.(7)	Lt. C. I. Rich, U.S.N.R.	"	
	<u>HEADQUARTER SHIPS</u>		
ANCON	Com. M. S. Pearson, U.S.N.	Flag N.C. Force O	
BAYFIELD	Capt. L. Spencer, U.S.N.	Flag N.C. Force U	

APPENDIX B(2)

WESTERN TASK FORCE LANDING

SHIPS, CRAFT ETC.

I. Assault Force O.
II. " " U.
III. " " B.

I. FORCE O

H.Q. Ship. U.S.S. ANCON. Flag, Rear-Admiral J. L. Hall, U.S.N. Captain.

ASSAULT GROUP 01

S.O.A.G.01. Captain E. H. Fritzsche. U.S.C.G.
Deputy " Imlay. U.S.C.G.

A.P.A. (L.S.I.(L))

A.P.A.26. SAMUEL CHASE.
" 45. HENRICO.

Captain E. H. Fritzsche. U.S.C.G.
Comd. J. H. Willis. U.S.N.

S.S. EMPIRE ANVIL*
(550th Ass: Flot: [20])

L.S.T.

U.S.L.S.T. No. 309
" " " 314
" " " 357
" " " 373
" " " 374
" " " 376

Landing Craft

L.C.H. (L.C.I(L) No.87)

L.C.C. Nos. 10,20.

L.C.I.(L) [5]

L.C.T. [44]

L.C.M.(3) [18]

ASSAULT GROUP 02

S.O.A.G.02. Captain W. O. Bailey. U.S.N.
Deputy " Wright. "

A.P.A. (L.S.I.(L))

A.P.A.28. CHARLES CARROLL.
" 30. THOMAS JEFFERSON.

Captain W. O. Bailey. U.S.N.
" J. R. Barbard. U.S.N.

S.S. EMPIRE JAVELIN*

(551st Ass: Flot: [20])

L.S.T.
U.S.L.S.T. No. 310
" " " 315
" " " 316
" " " 317
" " " 332
" " " 372

* British manned.

ASSAULT GROUP 02 (contd.)Landing Craft

L.C.H. (L.C.I.(L) No.86)
 L.C.C. Nos. 30, 40, 50.
 L.C.I. (L) [17]
 L.C.T. [45]
 L.C.M. (3) [18]

ASSAULT GROUP 03

S.O.A.G.03. Captain L. B. Schulten. U.S.N.
 Deputy. Commander Unger. U.S.C.G.

X.A.P.

X.A.P.76 ANNE ARUNDEL
 " 67 DOROTHEA L DIX
 " 77 THURSTON

Captain L. B. Schulten. U.S.N.
 Com. W. I. Leahy U.S.N.
 " R. B. Vanasee. "

L.S.T.

U.S.L.S.T. No. 6
 " " " 51
 " " " 75
 " " " 133
 " " " 134
 " " " 157
 " " " 285
 " " " 286
 " " " 347
 " " " 350
 " " " 375
 " " " 502

Landing Craft

L.C.H. L.C.I.(L) 492
 L.C.I.(L) [11]
 L.C.T. [39]
 L.S.D. H.M.S. OCEANWAY

ASSAULT GROUP 04

S.O.A.G.04. Act. Commander S. H. Dennis, D.S.C., R.N.

L.S.I.(S)

S.S. PRINCE BAUDOIN*	Lt. Com. W. E. Gelling, D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.
507th Ass: Flot: [8]	
" PRINCE CHARLES*	Act. Com. S. H. Dennis, D.S.C., R.N.
501st Ass: Flot: [8]	
" PRINCE LEOPOLD*	Lieut. J. A. Lowe, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.D., R.N.R.
504th Ass: Flot: [8]	

L.S.I.(H)

S.S. BEN MY CHREE
 520th Ass: Flot: [6]
 " AMSTERDAM
 522nd Ass: Flot: [6]
 " PRINCESS MAUD
 519th Ass: Flot: [6]

L.C.T.(5) [1]

* British manned.

FORCE O (contd.)FORCE O GUNFIRE SUPPORT CRAFT

S.O. Captain Sabin, U.S.N.

L.C.H. (L.C.I.(L) 520)

Div. 1.L.C.F. [7]

Div. 1.L.C.G. (L) [5]

Div. 1.L.C.T. (R) [9]

Div. 1.L.C.T. (A) [8: 4 assigned to Grp. 01, 4 to Grp 02]

Divs. 4,5 L.C.T. (HE) [10: 5 " " " 5 " " "]

L.C.P. (L) [28]

FAR SHORE SERVICE GROUP OMAHA

S.O. Captain Camp, U.S.N.

Accommodation Ship S.S. ELEAZAR WHEELOCK.

A.R.L. ADONIS.

Lt. M. E. Thompson, U.S.N.R.

L.C.M. (CRU) [12]

L.C.I. (L) [8]

L.C.T. (5) and (6) [72]

R.H.F. [20]

L.C.M. (3) [139]

L.C.V.P. (lifted in L.S.T.s) [172]

"Y" L.B. Squadron*

7th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 18th L.B.V. Flotillas* [12 L.B.V. (2) each]

32nd L.B. (S and R) Flot: * [6 L.B.E, 1 L.B.K, 9 L.B.O, 2 L.B.W,
H.M.F.Ts CYELSE, FENTONIAN, LUDALORD, SHELDON]39th L.B. (S and R) Flot: * [8 L.B.E, 1 L.B.K, 4 L.B.O, 1 L.B.W,
H.M.F.Ts CEVIC, CLYTHENESS, OUR BAIRNS, OUTPOST,
QUERCIA, REGARDO, RETURNO, TRANSVAAL, TRITON]II. FORCE U

H.Q. Ship. A.P.A. 33 U.S.S. BAYFIELD. Flag, Rear-Admiral D. P. Moon, U.S.N.

Captain L. Spencer, U.S.C.G.

Relief Flagship, U.S.S. FORREST.

Com. K. P. Litts, U.S.N.

P.T.199.

Lt. R. R. Read, U.S.N.R.

* British manned.

FORCE U (contd.)
GREEN ASSAULT GROUP

App.B(2)

S.O.A.G. Green.
Deputy.

Comdr. A. L. Warburton, U.S.N. (in L.C.H.530)
" J. S. Bresnan, U.S.C.G.
(in L.C.I.(L)321)

A.P.A. (L.S.I.(L))

A.P.A.13. JOSEPH T. DICKMAN. Captain R. J. Mauerman, U.S.C.G.
S.S. EMPIRE GAUNTLET*
552 Ass: Flot: [20]

L.S.T.

Unit No.1 [3]

U.S.L.S.T. No. 48 Lieut. J. E. Chadwick, U.S.N.R.
" " 47
" " 281

Unit No.2 [8]+ Com. W. S. Blair, U.S.N.R.

U.S.L.S.T. No.49
" " 50
" " 491
" " 283
" " 492
" " 57
" " 290
" " 501

Unit No.3 [4]+

U.S.L.S.T. No.351
" " 500
" " 508
" " 539

L.C.I.(L) Unit [23] Comdr. J. S. Bresnan, U.S.C.G.

L.C.I.(L) Divs: 59 [6], 63, [5], 64 [6], 65 [5 + 1 from Div.60]

L.C.T. Unit [69] Lt. Com. C. P. N. Armstrong, R.N. (in S.C.1358)

L.C.T.(5) Divs: 19, [6], 104 [8]: L.C.T.(6) Divs: 22, [6]
23 [5], 24 [6], 67 [5], 70 [4].

L.C.T. Flots: 52**[14 L.C.T.(4)], 107/[15 L.C.T.(5)]

L.C.M. Unit Lieut. C. J. Alfke, U.S.N.R. (in S.C.1301).

L.C.M. [26]

L.C.G. [2]

L.C.C. No.60 (Secondary Control) Lt. S. S. Gauthier, U.S.N.R.
" 70 (Tertiary ") " S. Freeland "

R.H.F. Unit Lieut. W. R. Barrows, U.S.N.R.

3 R.H.F.

* British manned.

+ Follow up Convoys.

** British manned, part of "G" L.C.T. Squadron (Lt.Com. C. P. McG. Armstrong,
R.N.).

/ British manned, part of "O" L.C.T. Squadron (Com. C. J. Skrine, R.N. ret.).

FORCE U, SUPPORT GROUP

S.O. Lt.Com. L. E. Hart, U.S.N.R. (in L.C.H.209).

Fire Support Unit	6.	[4 L.C.G.(L)]
" "	7.	[5 L.C.T.(R)]
" "	8.	[12 L.C.S.(S)]
" "	9.	[4 L.C.F.]
" "	10.	[8 L.C.T.(A)]
" "	11.	[16 L.C.P.(L) Smoke]

FAR SHORE SERVICE GROUP, UTAH

N.O.I.C. UTAH. Captain J. E. Arnold, U.S.N.R.

Port Direction

Lieut. J. W. Baker, U.S.N.R.

28 Pontoon Causeways.

Accommodation Ship.

S.S. THOMAS B. ROBERTSON.

A.R.L. S.S. ATLAS.

Comdr. B. A. Nesbett, U.S.N.R.

Ferry Control L.C.H.95

Lieut. V. C. Koenig, U.S.N.R.

R.H.F. [6]

L.C.M.(3) [16]

"X" L.B. Squadron*

L.B.V. Flots: * 8th, [12], 19th [11], 20th [8]

33rd L.B. (S and R) Flotilla* [2 L.B.E, 10 L.B.O. 1 L.B.W,
H.M.F.T. THE ROMAN].

34th L.B. (S and R) Flotilla* [6 L.B.E, 2 L.B.K, 10 L.B.O, 2 L.B.W,
H.M.F.Ts BEN BREACH, GOOSANDER, MONTANO,
SATURN.]

Combat Salvage and Fire Fighting Unit "U". Lt.Com. M. L. McClung, U.S.N.R.

A.T.170 KIOWA.

" 81 BANNOCK.

A.T.R. 3.

III FORCE B

(Headquarters - Plymouth)

Commodore. C. D. Edgar, U.S.N.
Broad Pendant in U.S. Destroyer MALOY, Lieut. Kellogg, U.S.N.

L.S.T.

Division 23 [6]

U.S.L.S.T. No.	27
" " "	28
" " "	212
" " "	262
" " "	266
" " "	538

Division 60 [7]

U.S.L.S.T. No.	53
" " "	288
" " "	325
" " "	494
" " "	495
" " "	504
" " "	505

* British manned.

III. FORCE B (contd.)Division 61 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	54
" "	"	55
" "	"	289
" "	"	291
" "	"	496
" "	"	511

Division 62 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	56
" "	"	292
" "	"	497
" "	"	498
" "	"	506
" "	"	512

Division 70 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	7
" "	"	306
" "	"	331
" "	"	391
" "	"	392
" "	"	393

Division 71 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	5
" "	"	61
" "	"	307
" "	"	335
" "	"	355
" "	"	369

Division 72 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	336
" "	"	337
" "	"	338
" "	"	356
" "	"	388
" "	"	389

Division 97 [6]

U.S.L.S.T.	No.	59
" "	"	510
" "	"	516
" "	"	523
" "	"	532
" "	"	533

L.C.T.

"Q" L.C.T. Squadron* Lt. Com. A. D. S. Dunn, R.N.

54th, 56th, 59th L.C.T. Flots: [12 L.C.T.(4) each],
57th L.C.T. Flot: [10 L.C.T.(4)]

L.C.I.(L)

Divisions 68, [6] 69 [7]

* British manned.

APPENDIX C

ALLIED WARSHIPS (OTHER THAN U.S.A.)

Ship or Unit	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>FRANCE</u>				
<u>BATTLESHIP</u>				
COURBET	Capitaine de Vaisseau R.M. Wiertzel.	-	Blockship	
<u>CRUISERS</u>				
MONTCAIM	Capitaine de vaisseau Laurin.	Bomb:Fce:C.	W.T.F.	
GEORGES LEYGUES	Capitaine de vaisseau Laurin.	" " C.	"	
<u>DESTROYER</u>				
LA COMBATTANTE *	Capitaine de corvette Patou	E.T.F. (J)	Portsmouth	
<u>FRIGATES</u>				
L'AVENTURE	Capitaine de fregate Quierville.	W.T.F. (O)	Falmouth	
LA DECOUVERTE	Capitaine de corvette Recher.	E.T.F. (G)	Plymouth	
L'ESCARMOUCHE	" " " " De Lesquen Duplessis-Casso.	W.T.F. (O)	Falmouth	
LA SURPRISE	Capitaine de corvette Levasseur	E.T.F. (G)	Plymouth	
<u>CORVETTES</u>				
ACONIT	Lt. de vaisseau Le Millier	W.T.F. (U)	Falmouth	
RENONCULE	" " " Mithois	" (U)	"	
ROSELYS	Capitaine de fregate Kolb-Bernard	Milford Haven	Milford Haven	
<u>COASTAL FORCES</u>				
23rd M.T.B. Flot. (8)	Lt. de vaisseau Lehle	Plymouth	Plymouth	
<u>MINESWEEPERS</u>				
139th L.L. Trawler Group ANDRE ET LOUISE ANTIOCH II GASTON RIVIERE MONIQUE ANDRE NAZARETH		Milford Haven	Captured Ports	

* Attached to British 1st D.F.

Ship or Unit	Commanding Officer	Allocation		
		Assault Phase	Post-Assault	
<u>POLAND</u>				
<u>CRUISER</u>				
DRAGON	Commander Dzienisiewicz	Bomb:Fce:D.	E.T.F.	
<u>DESTROYERS</u>				
BLYSKAWICA *	Commander Namiesniowski	Plymouth	Plymouth	
PIORUN *	" Gorazdowski	"	"	
SLAZAK	" Tyminski	E.T.F. (S)	E.T.F.	
KRAKOWIAK	Lt. Com. Maracewicz	" (G)	"	
<u>NORWAY</u>				
<u>DESTROYERS</u>				
GLAISDALE /	Lt. Com. Kjeholt	E.T.F. (J)	E.T.F.	
STORD /	" " Storheil	" (S)	"	
SVENNER /	" " Holther	" (S)	Sunk 6/6/44	
<u>CORVETTES</u>				
ACANTHUS	Lt. Com. E. J. Bruen	Milford Haven	Falmouth	
EGLANTINE	" " Voltersvik	"	"	
ROSE	" "	"	Portsmouth	
<u>COASTAL FORCES</u>				
52nd M.L. Flot. (3)	Act. Lt. Com. Hegland	Dover	Dover	
<u>HOLLAND</u>				
<u>GUNBOATS</u>				
FLORES	Lt. Com. G. Koudys	Bomb:Fce:K.	E.T.F.	
SOEMBA	" " H. H. L. Propper	" " C.	W.T.F.	
<u>COASTAL FORCES</u>				
2nd M.T.B. Flot. (5)	Lt. W. A. de Looze, D.S.C.	Dover	Dover	
9th M.T.B. Flot. (8)	Act. Lt. Com. E. H. Larive	"	"	
<u>GREECE</u>				
<u>CORVETTES</u>				
KRIEZIS	Lt. Com. Kiosses	E.T.F. (G)	Portsmouth	
TOMBAZIS	" " Panagiotopoulos	" (G)	"	

* Attached to British 10th D.F.

/ " " " 1st "

/ " " " 23rd "

APPENDIX D

SHIPS OF HOME FLEET (6TH JUNE, 1944)

(DISTANT COVER)

(Ships acting under the orders of A.N.C.X.F. not included)

BATTLESHIPS

2nd Battle Squadron

DUKE OF YORK (Flag, C. in C., H.F.).

Admiral Sir Bruce A. Fraser, G.C.B., K.B.E.).
Captain the Hon. G. E. E. Russell, C.B.E., D.S.O.

ANSON (Flag, V.A., 2nd B.S.)

Vice-Admiral Sir H. R. Moore*, K.C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O.
Captain E. D. B. McCarthy, D.S.O., A.D.C.

HOWE

Captain H. W. U. McCall, D.S.O.

FLEET CARRIERS

FURIOUS

Captain G. T. Philip, D.S.O., D.S.C.

INDOMITABLE

Captain J. A. S. Eccles.

VICTORIOUS

Captain M. M. Denny, C.B., C.B.E.

CRUISERS

{ KENT, (Flag, R.A. 1st C.S.) Rear-Admiral R. R. McGrigor, C.B., D.S.O.
1st C.S. { BERWICK Captain G. A. B. Hawkins, D.S.C., M.V.O.
BERWICK Captain N. V. Grace.
{ DEVONSHIRE Captain D. K. Bain, D.S.O.
DEVONSHIRE
10th C.S. { BERMUDA Captain J. S. Bethell, C.B.E.
JAMAICA Captain J. Hughes-Hallett, D.S.O.
SHEFFIELD Captain C. T. Addis, D.S.O.

ROYALIST (Flag, R.A. Escort Carriers,) Rear-Admiral A. W. La T. Bisset.

Captain M. H. Evelegh, R.N.

DESTROYERS

Third Destroyer Flotilla

MILNE (D3)

Captain M. Richmond, D.S.O., O.B.E.

MARNE

Lt. Com. P. A. R. Withers, D.S.C.

MATCHLESS

" " E. N. Walmsley, D.S.C.

METEOR

" " D. J. B. Jewett.

MUSKETEER

Comdr. R. L. Fisher, D.S.O., O.B.E.

WAGER

Lt. Com. R. C. Watkin.

WAKEFUL

" " G. D. Pound, D.S.C.

WESSEX

" " R. Hornastle.

WHELP

Commander G. A. F. Norfolk.

WIZARD

Lt. Com. D. T. McBarnet, D.S.C.

* Succeeded Admiral Fraser as C.-in-C., 14th June, 1944.

APPENDIX E

DISPOSITION OF GERMAN NAVAL FORCES
BETWEEN HELIGOLAND BIGHT AND THE
BAY OF BISCAY, MARCH, 1944

	Biscay Ports	35	5	1	1	1	50	1	15	1	1	1
Brest		20	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1
Channel Islands to Brest		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	15	1	1	1
Cherbourg and Channel Islands		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Seine Bay		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	17	1	3	1
Le Havre		1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Den Helder to Dieppe (inclusive)		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	30	55	20	12
Heligoland Bight Ports		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	20	8	45

APPENDIX F

GUNNERY DETAILS OF BOMBARDING SHIPS AND SUPPORT CRAFT

Class, and No. of guns	Armament	Weight of shell in lbs.	Maximum effective range	Rate of fire in rounds per minute	Number of shell per gun
BATTLESHIPS					
RODNEY (9)	16 in.	2,461	38,400	1.5	116
(12)	6 in.	112	25,100	4-6	150
WARSPIRE (8) ^x	15 in.	1,938	32,200	1.5	110
(8)	6 in.	112	13,600	4-6	150
RAMILLIES (8) ^y	15 in.	1,938	25,500	1.5	110
(12)	6 in.	112	13,600	4-6	130
NEVADA (10)	14 in.	-	35,000	-	90
(16)	5 in.	-	18,200	-	500
TEXAS (10)	14 in.	-	35,000	-	140
(6)	5 in.	-	34,500	-	230
ARKANSAS (12)	12 in.	-	24,350	-	-
(6)	5 in.	-	34,500	-	-
MONITORS					
ROBERTS (2)	15 in.	1,938	30,000	1.5	110
EBERUS (2)					
CRUISERS					
FROBISHER (5)	7.5 in.	200	23,000	3	150
HAWKINS (7)					
DRAGON (6)	6 in.	100	19,000	4-6	250
DANAE (5)					
EMERALD (7)	6 in.	112	24,800	4-6	200
ENTERPRISE (6)					
MAURITIUS (12)	4.5 in.	-	-	-	-
BELFAST (12)					
GLASGOW (12)	5.25 in.	85	23,400	4-8	360
AJAX (8)					
ORION (8)	8 in.	-	38,000	-	-
ARETHUSA (6)					
SCYLLA (8)	5 in.	-	14,420	-	-
SIRIUS (10)					
DIADEM (8)	6 in.	-	-	-	-
BELLONA (8)					
BLACK PRINCE (8)	6 in.	-	-	-	-
ARGONAUT (10)					
AUGUSTA (9)	8 in.	-	-	-	-
(8)					
TUSCALOOSA (9)	6 in.	-	-	-	-
QUINCY (9)					
MONTCALM (9)	6 in.	-	-	-	-
GEORGES LEYGUES (9)					

^x Only A and B turrets in action.^y Only two turrets manned simultaneously.

Class, and No. of guns	Armament	Weight of shell in lbs.	Maximum effective range	Rate of fire in rounds per minute	Number of shell per gun
<u>DESTROYERS</u>					
Fleets (4-8)	4.7 in.	50	17,000	5-7	250
Hunts (4-6)	4 in.	36	19,000	5-10	250
U.S. (4-6)	5 in.	-	-	-	-
<u>GUNBOATS</u>					
FLORES {3}	5.9 in.	120	18,000	-	-
SOEMBA {3}					
<u>SUPPORT CRAFT</u>					
L.C.G. (L) (2)	4.7 in.	50	15,000	4	{140 S.A.P. (100 H.E. 2400
(2-7)	oerlikons	-	2,000	470	
L.C.T. (R)	800-1000 5 in rockets	29	3,500	-	2 outfits
L.C.S. (L) Mk. I. {1}	2 pdr.	2	1,500	10-12	1,800
{2}	.5 in.	-	2,000	700	2,400
{1}	4 in. mortar	10	500	6	120 ^{**}
{2}	oerlikons	-	2,000	470	2,400
L.C.S. (L) Mk. II. (1)	6 pdr.	6	2,000	10-12	{200 H.E. (200 A.P.
{2}	.5 in.	-	2,000	700	2,400
{1}	4 in. mortar	10	500	6	120 ^{**}
{2}	oerlikons	-	2,000	470	2,400
L.C.S. (M) (2)	.5 in.	-	2,000	700	2,400
(1)	4 in. mortar	10	500	6	120 ^{**}
L.C.F. (8) (4)	2 pdr. oerlikons	2	2,000	240	{1,800 (2 pdrs. 2,400 oerlikon
		-	2,000	470	
				240	
or (4) (8)	2 pdr. oerlikons	2	2,000	470	-
		-	2,000	-	-
L.C.A. (H.R.)	24-60 lb. bombs.	60	380	-	2 outfits

^{**} 60 H.E. 60, smoke.

APPENDIX F(2)

PRE-ARRANGED FIRE PLAN: EASTERN TASK FORCE

NOTE:- Batteries underlined. See also Plans No. 1A, 1B.

Name of Target	Description	Ship	Remarks
<u>Longues</u>	4-155 mm.	AJAX	
<u>Vaux-sur-Aure</u>	4-105 mm.	ARGONAUT	
<u>Arromanches I</u>	4-105 mm.	EMERALD	
<u>Arromanches II</u>	2-75 mm.	FLORES	
Le Hamel	Beach defences	3 Fleet Dest: Force G.	
Force G Assault Beaches	" "	4 Hunt Dest: Force G.	{ To close beaches in immediate support of (A.V.R.E., L.C.T.
-	" "	2 Fleet Dest: Force G.	
<u>Ver-sur-Mer</u>	4-150 mm.	BELFAST	{ Available for Force J when no longer required (on this target.
<u>Mont Fleury</u> [*]	4-105 mm.	ORION	
West of La Riviere	Beach defences	4 Fleet Dest: Force G.	
<u>Beny-sur-Mer</u>	4-105 mm.	DIADEM	
-	Beach defences	STEVENSTONE LA COMBATTANTE	
West of la Riviere	" "	FAULKNOR	
West of Courseulles	" "	FURY, VENUS	
Force J Assault Beaches	" "	BLEASDALE GLAISDALE	{ Close beaches in immediate support of (A.V.R.E., L.C.T.
St. Aubin-sur-Mer	" "	SIOUX ALGONQUIN	
Langrune-sur-Mer	" "	VIGILANT KEMPFENFELT	
Petit Enfer	" "	EGLINTON KELVIN	
Lion-sur-Mer	" "	VIRAGO, VERULAM, SERAPIS	

^{*} Medium Bombers, Civil Twilight + 10 to H-Hour.

Name of Target	Description	Ship	Remarks
Colleville-sur-Orne	4-105 mm.	DRAGON	
East of Le Brech C.	Beach defences	SCOURGE	
Ouistreham	" "	STORD, SCORPION.	
Force S. Assault Beaches	" "	MIDDLETON SLAZAK.	} Close beaches in immediate support of A.V.R.E., L.C.T.
Ouistreham II [#]	4-155 mm.	DANAE	
Ouistreham I ^{∅†}	6-155 mm.	FROBISHER	
Mouth of R. Orne	Beach defences	SAUMAREZ	
Franceville	" "	SWIFT	
Cabourg	" "	SVENNER	
Sallennelles ^{∅†}	4-150 mm.	ARETHUSA	
Le Mont	4-150 mm.	-	Alternative for ARETHUSA
Gonneville-sur-Mer	4-150 mm.	-	Alternative for ROBERTS
Houlgate ^{∅†}	6-155 mm. (?)	ROBERTS	
Benerville ^{∅†}	6-155 mm. (?)	RAMILLIES	Alternative, Le Havre
Villerville [∅]	6-155 mm. (?)	WARSPITE	
Le Havre [∅]	3-150 mm. (?)	-	Alternative for RAMILLIES
Le Havre Grand Clos [∅]	3-380 mm. (?)	-	Alternative for WARSPITE

[#] Medium Bombers, Civil Twilight + 10 to H-Hour.

[∅] Pre-D.Day Bombing.

[†] Heavy and Medium Bombers, night D-1/D.day.

APPENDIX G
SUPREME HEADQUARTERS
ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Soldiers, Sailors and Airmen of the Allied Expeditionary Force!

You are about to embark upon the Great Crusade, toward which we have striven these many months. The eyes of the world are upon you. The hopes and prayers of liberty-loving people everywhere march with you. In company with our brave Allies and brothers-in-arms on other Fronts, you will bring about the destruction of the German war machine, the elimination of Nazi tyranny over the oppressed peoples of Europe, and security for ourselves in a free world.

Your task will not be an easy one. Your enemy is well trained, well equipped and battle-hardened. He will fight savagely.

But this is the year 1944! Much has happened since the Nazi triumphs of 1940-41. The United Nations have inflicted upon the Germans great defeats, in open battle, man-to-man. Our air offensive has seriously reduced their strength in the air and their capacity to wage war on the ground. Our Home Fronts have given us an overwhelming superiority in weapons and munitions of war, and placed at our disposal great reserves of trained fighting men. The tide has turned! The free men of the world are marching together to Victory!

I have full confidence in your courage, devotion to duty and skill in battle. We will accept nothing less than full Victory!

Good Luck! And let us all beseech the blessing of Almighty God upon this great and noble undertaking.

(Signed) DWIGHT EISENHOWER.

APPENDIX G(1)

SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY BY
THE ALLIED NAVAL COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF,
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

It is to be our privilege to take part in the greatest amphibious operation in history - a necessary preliminary to the opening of the Western Front in Europe which, in conjunction with the great Russian advance, will crush the fighting power of GERMANY.

This is the opportunity which we have long awaited and which must be seized and pursued with relentless determination: the hopes and prayers of the free world and of the enslaved peoples of Europe will be with us and we cannot fail them.

Our task, in conjunction with the Merchant Navies of the United Nations, and supported by the Allied Air Forces, is to carry the Allied Expeditionary Force to the Continent, to establish it there in a secure bridgehead and to build it up and maintain it at a rate which will outmatch that of the enemy.

Let no one underestimate the magnitude of this task.

The Germans are desperate and will resist fiercely until we out-maneuvre and out-fight them, which we can and will do. To every one of you will be given the opportunity to show by his determination and resource that dauntless spirit of resolution which individually strengthens and inspires and which, collectively, is irresistible.

I count on every man to do his utmost to ensure the success of this great enterprise which is the climax of the European war.

Good luck to you all and God speed.

(Sgd.) B. H. RAMSAY,
ADMIRAL,

ALLIED NAVAL COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.