



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

3d BATTALION, 60th INFANTRY REGIMENT

Constituted 15 May 1917 in the Regular Army as Company C, 60th Infantry

Organized 10 June 1917 at Gettysburg National Park, Pennsylvania

(60th Infantry assigned 17 November 1917 to the 5th Division)

Inactivated 2 September 1921 at Camp Jackson, South Carolina

(60th Infantry relieved 15 August 1927 from assignment to the 5th Division and assigned to the 8th Division; relieved 1 October 1933 from assignment to the 8th Division and assigned to the 5th Division; relieved 16 October 1939 from assignment to the 5th Division; assigned 1 August 1940 to the 9th Division [later redesignated as the 9th Infantry Division])

Activated 10 August 1940 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Inactivated 30 November 1946 in Germany

Activated 15 July 1947 at Fort Dix, New Jersey

Inactivated 1 December 1957 in Germany and relieved from assignment to the 9th Infantry Division; concurrently redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Battle Group, 60th Infantry

Redesignated 1 February 1966 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Battalion, 60th Infantry, assigned to the 9th Infantry Division, and activated at Fort Riley, Kansas (organic elements concurrently constituted and activated)

Inactivated 1 August 1969 at Fort Riley, Kansas

Activated 21 November 1972 at Fort Lewis, Washington

3d BATTALION, 60th INFANTRY REGIMENT

Inactivated 15 August 1988 at Fort Lewis, Washington, and relieved from assignment to the 9th Infantry Division

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 3d Battalion, 60th Infantry Regiment

Headquarters transferred 16 November 2005 to the United States Army Training and Doctrine Command and activated at Fort Jackson, South Carolina

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War I

- *St. Mihiel
- *Meuse-Argonne
- *Alsace 1918
- *Lorraine 1918

World War II

- *Algeria-French Morocco
(with arrowhead)
- *Tunisia
- *Sicily
- *Normandy
- *Northern France
- *Rhineland
- *Ardennes-Alsace
- *Central Europe

Vietnam

- *Counteroffensive, Phase II
- *Counteroffensive, Phase III
- *Tet Counteroffensive
- *Counteroffensive, Phase IV
- *Counteroffensive, Phase V
- *Counteroffensive, Phase VI
- *Tet 69/Counteroffensive
- *Summer-Fall 1969

DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered STE. COLOMBE

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered SCHWAMMANAUER DAMS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered SEDJENANE VALLEY

*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered MEKONG DELTA

*French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered COTENTIN
PENINSULA

3d BATTALION, 60th INFANTRY REGIMENT

*Belgian Fourragere 1940

*Cited in the Order of the Day of the Belgian Army for action at the Meuse River

*Cited in the Order of the Day of the Belgian Army for action in the Ardennes

*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM
1966-1968

*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM
1969

*Republic of Vietnam Civil Action Honor Medal, First Class, Streamer embroidered
VIETNAM 1966-1969

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