

Lineage and Honors

9th FIELD ARTILLERY (THE MIGHTY NINTH)

Constituted 1 July 1916 in the Regular Army as the 9th Field Artillery

Organized 6 August 1916 at Schofield Barracks, Territory of Hawaii

Inactivated 1 September 1921 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

(1st and 2d Battalions activated 1 October 1922 at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, and Fort Sill, Oklahoma, respectively; 2d Battalion inactivated 31 December 1922 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma)

Assigned 24 March 1923 to the 7th Division

Relieved 15 August 1927 from assignment to the 7th Division and assigned to the 9th Division

(1st Battalion consolidated 15 September 1927 with the 2d Battalion, 18th Field Artillery, and consolidated unit designated as the 2d Battalion, 18th Field Artillery - hereafter separate lineage; new 1st Battalion concurrently constituted)

Relieved 1 January 1930 from assignment to the 9th Division and assigned to the 4th Division (3d Battalion concurrently constituted)

(1st Battalion activated 30 April 1930 at Fort Lewis, Washington)

Relieved 1 October 1933 from assignment to the 4th Division and assigned to the 3d Division (later redesignated as the 3d Infantry Division)

(2d Battalion activated 1 May-12 October 1939 at Fort Lewis, Washington)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1940 as the 9th Field Artillery Battalion

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Relieved 1 September 1950 from assignment to the 3d Infantry Division

Reassigned 17 January 1951 to the 3d Infantry Division

Relieved 1 July 1957 from assignment to the 3d Infantry Division; concurrently reorganized and redesignated as the 9th Artillery, a parent regiment under the Combat Arms Regimental System

Redesignated 1 September 1971 as the 9th Field Artillery

Withdrawn 17 January 1986 from the Combat Arms Regimental System and reorganized under the United States Army Regimental System

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Algeria-French Morocco (with arrowhead)
Tunisia
Sicily (with arrowhead)
Naples-Foggia
Anzio (with arrowhead)
Rome-Arno
Southern France (with arrowhead)
Rhineland

Ardennes-Alsace Central Europe

Korean War
UN Defensive
UN Offensive
CCF Intervention
First UN Counteroffensive
CCF Spring Offensive
UN Summer-Fall Offensive
Second Korean Winter
Korea, Summer-Fall 1952
Third Korean Winter
Korea, Summer 1953

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Vietnam
Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase II
Counteroffensive, Phase III
Tet Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase IV
Counteroffensive, Phase V
Counteroffensive, Phase VI
Tet 69/Counteroffensive
Summer-Fall 1969
Winter-Spring 1970

DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered COLMAR Pいこ(アルウン・エアム・マ

Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered QUANG NGAI PROVINCE

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1986

French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered COLMAR

French Croix de Guerre, World War II, Fourragere

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered UIJONGBU CORRIDOR

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered IRON TRIANGLE

Chryssoun Aristion Andrias (Bravery Gold Medal of Greece), Streamer embroidered KOREA

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