Type: Vehicle, Command, 4x2 Nomenclature: Funkkraftwagen Kfz 14

Country: Germany Date of Introduction: 1934

Physical Data:

Weight empty 4700 lbs (2134 kgs) 4850 lbs (2202 kgs) Weight loaded Length (OA) 165 in (4191 mm) 67 in (1702 mm) Width (OA) Height (OA) 59 in (1499 mm) Ground clr 7.2 in (183 mm) Wheel base 112 in (2845 mm) Wheel tread 56 in (1422 mm) Drive

4x2

Armor .32 in (8 mm) **NBC** protection Individual

Armament:

Crew side arms Main - Cal Elevation -35 to +65 degrees

Traverse n/a Fire control n/a Aux wpns n/a

Capacity:

Fuel Gas 18.5 gal

(70 liters)

Ammo/Qty unk Crew/Pass 3 Cargo Vol/Wgt na

Engine:

Type Gasoline HP at Rev/Min 59 hp (43.5 kW) Model Standard 2.9 L Mfr Adler

No. of Cyls Location Front Cooling Liquid

Transmission:

Type Manual Gear Fwd/Rev 4/1 Model unk Adler

Suspension System:

Leaf spring Type Steering Front axle Turning radius unk No/wheels Tire Size 6.75x18

General Data:

Elec voltage unk

Radio (3) As fitted by user

Night Vision: as fitted by user

Performance:

Speed/Land 43.5 mph (70 km/h)

Speed/Water

Range 155 mi (250 km) Fording depth(est) 12 in (305 mm)

Max grade unk Trench unk Step unk





Remarks: Both the Kfz 14 Funkkraftwagen (radio carrier) and Kfz 13 Maschinengewehrkraftwagen (machine gun carrier) were based on the same Adler 4x2 light passenger car chassis. Powered by a 6-cylinder gasoline engine producing 59 hp (43.5 kW), and carrying a .32-inch (8 mm) thick armored hull, both vehicles were still able to reach approximately 43.5 mph (70 km/h) on an improved surface and had acceptable if not outstanding cross-country performance. The major difference between the two vehicles was that while the Kfz 13 carried a single 7.92mm machine gun, the Kfz 14 had an antenna that could be folded upward and carried only individual

Top: Kfz 14 Funkkraftwagen in the field (second vehicle from the right). The Kfz 14 had a crew of three and a set of radios across the back wall of the crew compartment. Above: Kfz 14 loaded on a rail flatcar in Poland.

weapons for protection. Both vehicles were issued to reconnaissance units starting in 1932 and remained in service until 1941 after seeing combat in both Poland and France. While approximately 150 Kfz 13s were built, only 40 Kfz 14s were completed.

Usage: German Army during the 1930's and early WWII.

Manufacturer: Chassis Adlerwerke. Armored hull, Deutsche Edelstahlwerke AG.

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