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1. The Railroad Police (part of the Trapo, Transportation Police since 1 January 1950) consists of eight sections.
2. The sections of the Railroad Police are stationed where railroad administrations are located.
3. The Railroad Police has an authorized strength of about 11,000 assigned as follows to individual sections:

Section	Location	Strength
1st	Berlin	1,800
2d	Magdeburg	1,600
3rd	Halle	900
4th	Erfurt	1,400
5th	Dresden	2,100
6th	Cottbus	650
7th	Greifswald	950
8th	Schwerin	1,300

4. Auxiliary police increase the authorized strength of the Railroad Police. They are detailed to the individual sections by the Land police authorities, usually for three months. During this period they are trained and committed to railroad police service.
5. The Railroad Police school is in Luetzow (L 54/T 46). Courses held there are attended by 160 to 200 trainees and last for eight weeks.

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