

REGIMENT NOORD TRANSVAAL



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Regiment Northern Transvaal is a Reserve mechanised infantry unit of the South African Army.

Regiment Northern Transvaal was a reserve unit formed in 1963 and came into service in January 1964.[1] Regiment Northern Transvaal was initially an armoured unit. Its headquarters is close to the SA Army headquarters building.

In 1969, the regiment was split into two battalions 1RNT and 2RNT.

In those days 1RNT was part of 16 Armoured Brigade and later 81 Armoured Brigade.

In 1975, the regiment re-mustered to a reserve mechanised infantry unit and took part in the South African Border War in Namibia and at home in counter insurgency operations.

RNT stayed involved in that conflict to the end, taking part in Operations Moduler, Hooper, Packer and Prone in 1987-8.