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1941/12/28	Wehrkreis IV	Activation of the 384.ID (18.Welle), formation under code name "Rheingold" with personnel of Wehrkreis IV, VIII, and XVII	
1942/01/10	Dresden	Formation of the division staff	C.O.: Gen.Maj. Kurt Hoffmann, 1942/01/06-1942/02/13
1942/01/16	Truppenuebungsplatz Koenigsbrueck	Formation, training	Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. IV, 1942/01/15-1942/03/31
1942/04/01	Gorlovka, Soviet Union	Transfer	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Eccard Frhr. v. Gablenz, 1942/02/13-1943/01/26 Subordinate to: AOK 17, 1942/04/01-1942/04/16
1942/04/10	Konstantinovka	Assembly	AK 44, 1942/04/17-1942/05/22
1942/05/02	Kramatorsk	Movement, defensive operations	
1942/05/16	Yasnogorka, Slavyansk, Brazhkovka, Suligovka, Petropolye, Berestyanka, Izyum, Chepel', Bobrov	Advance, offensive engagements, defensive operations	AK 3 Pz, 1942/05/22-1942/05/30 AK 11, 1942/05/30-1942/06/04
1942/06/05	Merefa, Taranovka, Zmiyevka	Movement, rehabilitation	AK 44, 1942/06/04-1942/06/11 AK 11, 1942/06/11-1942/06/13 HGr. Sued, 1942/06/13-1942/06/15
1942/06/18	Andreyevka, Balakleya, Dudnikovka, Kupyansk, Bugayevka, Oskol River sector	Movement, offensive engagements, pursuit, security	AOK 6, 1942/06/15-1942/06/17 Gruppe von Mackensen, 1942/06/17-1942/06/18 AK 51, 1942/06/18-1942/06/22 Gruppe von Mackensen, 1942/06/22-1942/06/26
1942/06/29	Kryuchki, Belyy Kolodez'	Movement, defensive operations	AK 11, 1942/06/27-1942/06/29 AK 51, 1942/06/29-1942/07/05
1942/07/01	Bulatselovka, Chugunovka, Artemovka, Shipovatoye, Kuleshovka, Tverdokhlebovka, Don River sector	Advance, offensive engagements, security	AK 17, 1942/07/05-1942/07/15 AK 8, 1942/07/16 AK 29, 1942/07/17-1942/07/28
1942/07/24	Makarov, Perelazovskiy, Bokovskaya	Advance, offensive engagements	AK 17, 1942/07/29-1942/07/30 AK 8, 1942/07/30-1942/08/31
1942/08/01	Kalmykov, Nizhne-Buzinovka, Glazkov, Malo-Golubinskiy, Sukhanov, Laptev, Nizhniy Akatov, Verkhne-Gnilovskiy, Kotluban, Panshino, Don River	Advance, offensive engagements, establishing a bridgehead	

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1942/12/05	Bol'shaya-Rassoshka near Stalingrad to Morozovsk	Evacuation by air (source: situation maps of Lage Ost)	AK 48 Pz, 1942/12/07-1942/12/25
1942/12/09	Nizhne-Chirskaya, Chir River, Kustovskiy, Pristenovskiy, Surovikino, Belozеровskiy, Tormosin	Movement, defensive operations, withdrawal	AK Mieth, zbV, 1942/12/25-1943/02/18
1943/01/01	Chekalov, Aleksandrovskiy, Kondakov, Lisichkin, Verkhne-Zhuravskiy, Avilovskiy, Mikhaylovskiy, Krymskiy	Disengagement movements, defensive operations	
1943/02/07	Mokryy Log, Markin, Alekseyevka, Dar'yevka, Platovo-Knyazevskiy, Novospasovka, Yasinovskiy, Poltavskiy, Avilofedorovka	Disengagement movements by remnants	
1943/02/18	Aire, France	Setting up of Aufstellungsstab for the reconstitution of the division	AK 82, 1943/02/18-1943/06/15
1943/02/25	Aire, Saint-Omer, Hazebrouck	Formation as a Kampfgruppe, arrival of the staff and remnants from the eastern front	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Hans de Salengre-Drabbe, 1943/02/24-1944/08/28 (killed in action)
1943/04/20	Aire, Saint-Omer, Hazebrouck	Redesignation as the 384.ID, formation, training	
1943/06/10	Redon, Saint-Nazaire, Vannes, Blain, Auray, La Baule	Movement, coastal defense, security, training	.Subordinate to: AK 25, 1943/06/15-1943/10/02
1943/10/01	Lisieux, Yvetot	Preparations for transfer to the eastern front, security, training	AK 81, 1943/10/03-1943/10/23
1943/10/23	Kirovograd, Soviet Union	Transfer	
1943/10/31	Novaya Praga, Spasovo, Novo-Starodub	Movement, defensive and offensive operations	AK 57 Pz, 1943/11/01-1943/11/03 AK 52, 1943/11/04-1944/01/31
1943/11/14	Verblyuzhka, Dubovyy, Kutsovka, Chervona-Kamenka, Novgorodka	Defensive operations	

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1944/01/01 Semenovka, Verblyuzhka,  
Shevchenkovo Defensive operations

Records of the 384.ID are reproduced on rolls 2184-2192 of NARS Microfilm Publication T315 and are described following the unit history.

Although no records of this division were available in the National Archives for the period 1942/09/06-1942/12/06 or after 1944/01/31, situation maps of Lage Ost and records of OKH/AHA/Abwicklungsstab, H 41/3 (T78, roll 139), an afteraction report concerning the operations of remnants of the 384.ID, 20-22 Aug 1944, described in Guide 29, p. 39 show:

1944/08/17- Cobusca Veche, Rezeny, Tomay,  
1944/08/30 NW of Bendery (Tighina), Russia  
SE of Jassy, Rumania Disengagement movements,  
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1944/10/09 Disbandment,  
remnants used for the reconstitution of the  
76.ID and the reformation of the 15.ID  
(source: records of OKH/GenStdH/Org.Abt., H 1/131  
(T78, roll 412) and H 1/38 (T78, roll 398))

1944/10/23 Official disbandment  
(source: OKH/AHA/Abwicklungsstab, H 41/57 (T78, roll 142))

Manuscript in the Foreign Military Studies series, MS T-9, 1. Ausfertigung, I. Teil (Die Operationen der Heeresgruppe Suedukraine (Sued) in Rumaenien, Ungarn und Oesterreich (Mai 1944 bis Kriegsende)) by Gen.Lt. Otto Heidkaemper contains reference to this division.

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Ia, KTB 1. War journal concerning formation of the division staff in Dresden, Wehrkreis IV, 10-15 Jan 1942, movement to Truppenuebungsplatz Koenigsbrueck, 16 Jan, and formation and training, 17 Jan-21 Mar. Includes strength reports.	1942/01/10-1942/03/21	384.ID 18155/1	2184	1
Ia, Uebersicht ueber Ausbildungszustand; Ic, IIa/b, TB, Tages- und Statstehle als Anlagen zum KTB 1. Surveys showing status of training of the division in Koenigsbrueck; an activity report concerning formation of the intelligence branch, 17 Jan 1942, and special orders regarding training in the intelligence service, interrogating prisoners of war, and troop indoctrination; orders of the day, staff orders, and activity reports of the personnel branch regarding formation and training of division personnel; and lists of officers duty assignments.	1942/01/10-1942/03/21	384.ID 18155/2	2184	24
Ia, Anlagenbuch 2 zum KTB 1. Correspondence and orders of Wehrkreiskommando IV and XVII of 6 and 15 Nov 1941, in reference to an order by OKH/Chef H.Ruest. u. Bfh. des Ersatzheeres/Allgemeines Heeresamt, 28 Oct, regarding the activation of the 384.ID by issuing the code name "Rheingold" and assignment of personnel, weapons, and equipment by Div.Nr. 177 and 187 to the place of mobilization in Truppenuebungsplatz Koenigsbrueck near Dresden, Wehrkreis IV. Orders, directives, and radio messages pertaining to formation, equipment, and training of the division and planned transfer to Russia on 23 Mar 1942.	1941/11/06-1942/03/17	384.ID 18155/3	2184	149
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Ia, KTB 2 der 384.ID (ab 10.4.42 Ersatzstab Gablenz). War journal concerning preparations for and transfer from Dresden and Koenigsbrueck to Gorlovka, Russia, 1-9 Apr 1942; assembly of Ersatzstab Gablenz in Konstantinovka, 10 Apr-1 May; movement to and defensive operations in the Kramatorsk area, 2-15 May; advance and offensive engagements in the Yasnoqcrka, Slavyansk, Brazhkovka, Suliqovka, Petropolye, and Berestyanka areas, 16-22 May; and defensive and offensive engagements in the Berestyanka, Izyum, and Chepel' areas, 23-31 May. Lists of casualties and officers duty assignments and combat and ration strength reports.	1942/03/23-1942/05/31	384.ID 20025/1	2184	839
Ic, IIa/b, TB u. Sonder- u. Divisionsbefehle (Ersatzstab Gablenz). Activity report of the intelligence branch and special orders relating to counteract enemy propaganda, handling prisoners of war, evaluation of enemy fighting power, use of civilians in the army, military security, and counterintelligence. Activity report of the personnel branch with orders of the day concerning the granting of promotions, awards, and decorations; assignments; transfers; and other personnel matters; and interrogation summaries.	1942/03/22-1942/05/31	384.ID 20025/2	2184	996

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<p>Ia, Ib, Ic, III, IVa, V, Anlagen 1-180 zum KTB 2 (Ersatzstab Gablenz). Activity report of the advance detachment regarding transfer to Gorlovka, Russia, by moving via Breslau, Cracow, Lvov, Rovno, Zhitomir, Kiev, Lubny, Poltava, and Dnepropetrovsk, 16 Mar-28 Apr 1942; daily reports and messages, orders, directives, tables, maps, and overlays pertaining to movement of units to Sella near Dresden for training, 23-31 Mar; transfer of the division to Gorlovka, Russia, and assembly of Ersatzstab Gablenz in the Konstantinovka area, 1 Apr-1 May; and movement to and defensive and offensive operations in the Kramatorsk area, 2-15 May, the Yasnoqorka, Slavyansk, Biazhkovka, Suligovka, Petropolye, and Berestyanka areas, 16-22 May, and in the Izyum and Chepel' areas, 23-31 May. Activities of artillery, engineer and signal corps units, and the administrative, intelligence, and supply branches; formation of new units; setting up military courts; loss of weapons and equipment; and regrouping and training of division units. An activity report of the intelligence branch, 15-31 May; casualty, strength, status, and periodic intelligence reports; special directives concerning signal communications; an afteraction critique of AK 44 relating to defensive battles, 18 Jan-31 Mar 1942; army and corps orders for battle conduct, antitank defense, air raid protection, securing rear areas, and corps operations south of Kharkov; and data on enemy operations. An order on the completion of formation of the 384.ID, 30 May.</p>	1942/03/16-1942/05/31	384.ID 20025/3	2185	1
<p>Ia, Anlagenbuch 2 zum KTB 2 (Ersatzstab Gablenz). Daily reports and orders of the division and Ersatzstab Gablenz concerning defensive and offensive engagements in the Donets River sector, 15-31 May 1942; notes on</p>	1942/03/15-1942/05/31	384.ID 20025/4	2186	1

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Ic, TB als Anlagen zum KTB 3. Activity report concerning enemy operations and losses, counterintelligence, and troop indoctrination; an intelligence report; overlays showing tactical disposition of enemy forces facing the 384.ID; interrogation summaries; and a division order relating to securing of the rear area and operations against partisans.	1942/06/01-1942/06/30	384.ID 21587/6	2187	14
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Ic, TB als Anlagen zum KTB 4 Ia. Activity report of the intelligence branch concerning enemy operations and military situation, counterintelligence, and troop indoctrination. Includes an order relating to securing division quarters and an intelligence bulletin.	1942/07/01-1942/07/31	384.ID 21972/6	2188	15
Ia, KTB 5. War journal concerning advance, offensive engagements, and regrouping in the Kalmykov, Nizhne-Buzinovka, Glazkov, Osinovskiy, and Laptev areas west of the Don River, 1-15 Aug 1942; and attack across the Don River and formation and enlarging the bridgehead in the Nizhniy Akatov, Verkhne-Gnilovskiy, Kislyakov, Kotlutan, and Panshinc areas east of the Don River, 16-31 Aug.	1942/08/01-1942/08/31	384.ID 23351/1	2188	24

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<p>Ia, Anlagenband zum KTB 8; Ic, IIa/b, TB. Daily reports and messages, division orders, and maps pertaining to defensive operations in the Morozovsk and Nizhne-Chirskaya areas, 10-14 Dec 1942; withdrawal behind the Chir River, defensive operations, and regrouping in the Kustovskiy, Pristenovskiy, and Surovikino areas, 15-29 Dec; and withdrawal to and defense of the Belozеровskiy and Tormcsin areas on the Solenaya River, 30-31 Dec. An activity report of the intelligence branch, 10-31 Dec, concerning enemy operations, unit identification, losses, evaluation of enemy tactics and battle conduct, morale of enemy troops, methods of the NKVD (Peoples Commissariat for Internal Affairs), and German and enemy propaganda; counterintelligence; and maps showing the tactical disposition of the Soviet 5th Assault Army and other enemy units facing the 384.ID.</p> <p>An activity report of the personnel branch including corps staff orders relating to personnel matters; status, combat, and ration strength reports; and casualty lists.</p>	1942/12/10-1942/12/31	384.ID 25596/2	2188	1051
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- Ia, Anlagenband zum KTF 9. Daily reports and radio messages, division and corps orders, command directives, maps, and overlays pertaining to disengagement movements from Chekalov to Lisichkin, 1-5 Jan 1943, and from Verkhne-Zhuravskiy to Krymskiy, 14-21 Jan; and defensive operations in the Lisichkin area, 6-13 Jan, and in the Krymskiy area, 22-31 Jan. Orders relating to artillery operations, an order-of-battle chart, and strength reports.
- Ia, KTB 10. War journal concerning defensive operations in the Krymskiy area, 1-7 Feb 1943, and disengagement movements to the Mokryy Loq, Markin, Alekseyevka, Dar'yevka, Platovo-Knyazevskiy, Novospasovka, Yasinovskiy, and Avilofedrovka areas, 8-20 Feb. Includes casualty lists.
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Jun, at which date it was operationally ready; and detraininq and billeting surveys concerning movement from Saint-Omer to Redon, Saint-Nazaire, Vannes, La Baule, Blain, and Auray for training, coastal defense, securing the rear area, air raid protection, alert exercises, and regroupinq, 10 Jun-31 Jul. Status, combat, and ration strength reports; order-of-battle charts; alert regulations and plans; notes on command inspections; an activity report of the Ausbildungsstab regarding the reconstitution of the division as a Kampfgruppe, 18 Feb-19 Mar; and daily reports pertaining to personnel matters.

Ic, IIa/b, TB. Activity report of the intelligence branch concerning enemy military situation and propaganda; counterintelligence, mail security, accidents, self-mutilation, special events, troop indoctrination and entertainment, German propaganda, and French publications. Activity report of the personnel branch, 15 Apr-31 Jul; daily reports relating to assignments, transfers, decorations, awards, promotions; and other personnel matters.

Ia, KTB 2 mit Anlagen; Ic, IIa/b, TE. War journal, including orders and command directives pertaining to coastal defense, securing the rear area, regroupinq, training, formation of Feldersatz-Btl. 384, and supply matters in the Redon and Saint-Nazaire areas. Activity report of the intelligence branch and monthly reports concerning enemy military situation, propaganda, and morale of the French population; counterintelligence, self-mutilation, mail security, and troop entertainment and indoctrination; activity report of the personnel branch and orders of the day regarding awards, decorations, promotions, assignments, transfers, and other personnel matters; strength and status reports; casualty lists; and notes on command conferences

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