

6. Infanterie-Division (6th Infantry Division)*

The 6. Infanterie-Division (1. Welle) was formed during the period 1934-35 in Bielefeld by expansion of Infanterie-Regiment 18 of the old Reichswehr. From May 1940 it was engaged

in the western campaign. It was transferred in June 1941 to the central sector of the eastern front and in the summer of 1943 it took part in the Kursk offensive.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Roll</u>	<u>1st Frame</u>
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte mit Anlagen z. KTB 5. Activity reports, with intelligence reports, interrogation summaries, directives, maps, and overlays pertaining to enemy operations, losses, training, leadership, tactics, fighting qualities, acts of espionage, partisan activity, and propaganda; military security; counterintelligence; control of the civilian population; exploitation of the Soviet economy; and troop entertainment. Also, copies of German propaganda leaflets; translations of orders of the People's Commissariat for Defense, Feb 22, 1942, and of Field Marshal Timoshenko, Aug 15, 1941; directives relating to antipartisan warfare; and activity reports of the Personnel Branch, Sep 16, 1941 - Mar 31, 1942.	Sep 1, 1941 - Mar 31, 1942	24210/10	2313	1
Ic, Anlagen 28-77 z. TB; Beilage 2 z. Anlagenband XIX. Counterintelligence instructions, summaries of interrogations of Russian spies and prisoners of war, copies of German and enemy propaganda leaflets, and interrogation reports of German soldiers who escaped from Soviet captivity.	Apr 3 - Dec 20, 1942	27419/22	2313	149
Ic, Anlagenband 2 z. TB z. KTB 7. Summaries of interrogations of captured Russian agents and prisoners of war and instructions and reports relating to ideological troop indoctrination and routine counterintelligence.	Jan 11 - Sep 22, 1943	37622/15	2313	348

* Most of the records of the 6. Infanterie-Division are described in Guide No. 45, p. 1 ff.