

79. Infanterie-Division (Volksgrenadier) (79th Infantry Division /Volks Grenadier)

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The 79. Infanterie-Division (2. Welle) was formed in August 1939 in Hesse and went to the Saar sector for training and security of the German-French border in October 1939. The division invaded France on May 10, 1940, and took part in offensives across the Rhine-Marne Canal near Parroy and the Moselle River at Châtel. At the end of May it withdrew to the Saar area, and in June it participated in the attacks on the Maginot Line and ended the campaign with the capture and occupation of Epinal. On June 25, 1940, it transferred to the Troyes-Brienne-le-Château area and in August to the Langres, Joinville, and St.Dizier areas for occupation duty. In April 1941 the division was ordered to the Klagenfurt-Wolfsberg area. Arriving too late to participate in the Balkan campaign, it remained in southern Austria for training until its transfer in June 1941 to Poland. The division took part in the Russian campaign, southern sector, in the latter part of June 1941, advancing from Zamosc, Poland, to the Belgorod area via Korosten, Lutsk, Rovno, Piryatin, and Akhtyrka. From November 1941 to June 1942 it fought in the

Belgorod and Volchansk areas. The division then advanced from Volchansk via Valuiki, Rovenki, and Serafimovich to the Stalingrad area where from October 1942 to January 1943 it took part in the battle of Stalingrad. In January 1943 the division staff was withdrawn and the division was rehabilitated in the Taganrog and Mariupol areas. From May 1943 to January 1944 it participated in defensive actions in the Kuban, Melitopol, and Nikopol areas, transferring in January 1944 to the Berislav area for rehabilitation. Although no records of the division for the period February to August 1944 are available, situation maps of Lage Ost show that it withdrew from Berislav to the Beltsy area in the spring of 1944 and to the Zalau area in northwest Rumania by August 1944. According to the records of OKH, Allgemeines Heeresamt, Abwicklungsstab, T78, Roll 142, (H41/57), disbandment of components of the division began on October 24, 1944. On October 31, 1944, the division was redesignated as the 79. Volksgrenadier-Division in Thorn, Poland, and was transferred to the Mayen area.

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Ia, Anlagenheft II z. KTB 1. Organization, training activities, and the securing of the German-French border in the Saar sector. Supplements to the war journal and activity reports, Aug 26 - Oct 15, 1939, of the Signal Staff, Administrative, Medical, Motor Transport, and Postal Officers, the Supply Branch, and the Military Police. The formation of the division began on Aug 26, 1939, in Hesse, under the command of Gen.Lt. Karl Strecker, Sep 1, 1939 - Jan 12, 1942.	Aug 26 - Dec 31, 1939	W 588c	1103	1
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 2. Security and training activities in the Saar sector, the invasion of France on May 10, and offensive operations in the Moselle River area. In the latter part of May the division was relieved by the 167. Inf.Div. and was transferred to the Fraulautern, Saarlautern, Emsdorf, and Wallerfangen areas. The division was subordinate to the XXX. A.K. and Höh.Kdo. z.b.V. XLV, May 19 - 30, 1940, and subsequently to the XXX. A.K.	Jan 1 - May 31, 1940	W 588d	1103	104
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 2. Preparations for attack under the code name "Treibjagd," and division orders and directives concerning training, security, and reconnaissance activity in the Saar sector; reorganization; offensives in the Moselle River area; and transfer back to the Saar sector.	Dec 31, 1939 - May 31, 1940	W 588e/1	1103	159

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Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 2. Afteraction reports, orders, and maps concerning attacks in the Moselle River area, and a report on French defensive positions.	May 1 - 31, 1940	W 588f*	1103	242
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB. Corps orders, table of organization, maps, and overlays pertaining to the assembly of the division in the Lebach area, attack on the Maginot Line in the Sarregumines area, and Planspiel III (map exercise) relating to the penetration of the Maginot Line.	Jun 3 - 13, 1940	W 3161/2a*	1103	286
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 3, Operationsakten I, Heft 3 zu Planspiel III. Orders and directives relating to Planspiel III.	May 30 - Jun 14, 1940	W 3161/4*	1103	366
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 3, Operationsakten II, Durchbruch durch die Maginotlinie. Corps and division orders relating to the breakthrough of the Maginot Line and pursuit of French forces.	Jun 6 - 23, 1940	W 3161/6*	1103	421
Ib, Kriegstagebuch 1. Supply operations and a register of officers. (This record item filmed originally without frame numbers on MR 1163 has been assigned a simulated initial frame number.)	May 29 - Oct 14, 1940	W 3161/12	1103	1205
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 7. Offensive operations from the Bielka area via Korosten, the Pripyat River sector near Chernobyl, and Nosovka to the Piryatin area; a register of officers and combat and ration strength and casualty reports. The division was subordinate to the XVII. A.K., AOK 6, and the LI. A.K., successively.	Aug 5 - Sep 23, 1941	15245/2	1103	576
Ia, Kriegstagebücher 8 u. 9. Offensive operations in the Piryatin, Gadyach, Akhtyrka, Graivoron, and Belgorod areas and defensive engagements in November and December in the Belgorod area. Registers of officers and combat and ration strength and casualty reports. The division was subordinate to the LI. and XVII. A.K.	Sep 24 - Dec 31, 1941	15245/3-4	1103	698
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 6, Ein- und Ausladeübersichten, Vorbefehle. Orders and tables pertaining to the entraining of the division at Klagenfurt and Villach in southern Austria and detraining at Zamosc, Nisko, and Rudnik, Poland.	Jun 18 - 29, 1941	15245/5	1103	851

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Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 6, Operations-, Korps- und Divisionsbefehle, Lagekarten, Gliederung der 79. Infanterie-Division. Orders and maps pertaining to the division's advance into Russia from the Zamosc-Tomaszow area via Lutsk, Rovno, and Novograd-Volynskiy to Bielka, southwest of Korosten.	Jun 25 - Aug 3, 1941	15245/6	1103	926
Ia, Anlagenheft 3 z. KTB 6, Führungsanordnungen, Tagesbefehle, Zustandsberichte; Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte, Skizze über russ. MG Kampfstand u. Befestigungsanlagen im Abschnitt d. Division, Nachrichtenblätter. Orders concerning offensive operations from Jun 23 to Aug 4, 1941, in the Lutsk, Rovno, and Novograd-Volynskiy areas to Bielka, west of Korosten. Activity report of the Intelligence Branch, Jun 25 - Jul 31, 1941, with interrogation summaries and intelligence reports pertaining to enemy operations, movement, unit identification, and tactical situation; and counterintelligence activity. Activity report of the Personnel Branch, Jul 1 - 31, 1941, with casualty reports.	Jun 23 - Aug 28, 1941	15245/7	1104	1
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 7, Korps- und Divisionsbefehle, Gliederung der Division von 11.9.41, Lagenkarten.	Aug 5 - Sep 23, 1941	15245/9	1104	72
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 8, Korps- und Divisionsbefehle, Lagekarten, Luftbilder.	Sep 24 - Nov 26, 1941	15245/13	1104	284
Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 8, Führungsanordnungen, Tagesbefehle, Zustandsberichte; Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte, Erfahrungen Ostfeldzug. Orders concerning offensive operations in the Piryatin, Akhtyrka, Graivoron, and Belgorod areas and defensive engagements in the Belgorod area in November. Activity report of the Intelligence Branch, Oct 1 - Nov 30, 1941, relating to enemy operations, unit identification, and tactical situation; and counterintelligence activity. Activity report of the Personnel Branch, Oct 1 - Nov 30, 1941, with afteraction and casualty reports.	Sep 24 - Nov 26, 1941	15245/14	1104	447
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 9, Korps- und Divisionsbefehle, Zusammenstellung über abgewehrte Feindangriffe, Lagenkarten.	Nov 27 - Dec 31, 1941	15245/16	1104	569
Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 9, Führungsanordnungen, Auszüge aus d. Tagesmeldungen d. Nahauklärungszuges, Täuschungsgespräche, Zustandsberichte; Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte. Daily reports concerning defensive operations in the Belgorod area. Activity reports of the Intelligence and Personnel Branches, Dec 1 - 31, 1941.	Nov 27 - Dec 31, 1941	15245/17	1104	626

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Ia, Kriegstagebücher 10-12. Defensive operations in the Belgorod area, a register of officers, and combat and ration strength and casualty reports. The division was subordinate to the XVII. A.K. under the command of Gen.Lt. Richard von Schwerin, Jan 12, 1942 - Jun 10, 1943.	Jan 1 - Apr 30, 1942	21561/1-3	1104	729
Ia, Anlagenheft A z. KTB 10-12, Befehle, Anordnungen vorgesetzter Dienststellen.	Jan 1 - Apr 30, 1942	21561/4	1105	1
Ia, Anlagenheft B z. KTB 10-12, Befehle, Anordnungen der Division, Berichte, Erfahrungen, Zustandsberichte, Stärken, Truppeneinteilung.	Jan 1 - Apr 30, 1942	21561/5	1105	223
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte als Anlagenheft D z. KTB 10-12. Enemy operations, unit identification and strength, propaganda leaflets, and personnel losses; counter-intelligence activity, and troop entertainment and indoctrination. Activity reports of the Personnel Branch.	Jan 1 - Apr 30, 1942	21561/7	1105	409
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 13. Defensive operations in the Volchansk area. The division was subordinate to the XVII., XXIX., and VIII. A.K. during this period.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/1	1105	558
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 13, Befehle und Anordnungen vorgesetzter Stellen.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/2	1105	723
Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 13, Befehle und Anordnungen der Division.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/3	1105	917
Ia, Anlagenheft 3 z. KTB 13, Meldungen, Anordnungen unterstellter Verbände.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/4	1106	1
Ia, Anlagenheft 4 z. KTB 13, Meldungen, Berichte, Truppeneinteilung, Stärken.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/5	1106	346
Ia, Anlagenheft 5 z. KTB 13, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/6	1106	458
Ic, IIIa, Tätigkeitsberichte als Anlagen z. KTB 13. Enemy operations, unit identification and strength, captured equipment and supplies, armament, and tactical situation; counterintelligence activity, troop entertainment; and an activity report of the Personnel Branch, with a register of officers and a casualty report.	May 1 - Jun 24, 1942	26008/8	1106	561
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 14. Offensive operations in the vicinity of Volchansk, Valuiki, Rovenki, and Serafimovich on the Don River as far as Veshenskaya. The division was subordinate to the XVII., VIII., and XXIX. A.K., successively.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/9	1106	588

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Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 14, Befehle und Anordnungen vorgesetzter Stellen.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/10	1106	718
Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 14, Befehle und Anordnungen der Division.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/11	1106	856
Ia, Anlagenheft 3 z. KTB 14, Meldungen, Anordnungen unterstellter Verbände.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/12	1106	1069
Ia, Anlagenheft 4 z. KTB 14, Meldungen, Berichte, Truppeneinteilung, Stärken.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/13	1106	1339
Ia, Anlagenheft 5 z. KTB 14, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/14	1107	1
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsbericht als Anlagen z. KTB 14. Activity report, with intelligence bulletins, concerning enemy operations, unit identification, weapons, captured equipment and supplies, combat methods, and tactical situation; and counterintelligence activity. Activity report of the Personnel Branch, Jun 25 - Jul 31, 1942, with a register of officers and casualty reports.	Jun 25 - Jul 28, 1942	26008/15	1107	191
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 15. Defensive operations in the Don River sector between Serafimovich and Kletskaya. The division was subordinate to the XVII. A.K., 5. rumänische Div., and the XI. and VIII. A.K., successively.	Jul 29 - Oct 16, 1942	26008/16	1107	212
Ia, Anlagenheft 1 z. KTB 15, Befehle und Anordnungen vorgesetzter Stellen.	Jul 28 - Oct 10, 1942	26008/17	1107	296
Ia, Anlagenheft 2 z. KTB 15, Befehle und Anordnungen der Division. Orders relating to defensive operations in the Don River sector between Kletskaya and Serafimovich.	Jul 27 - Oct 10, 1942	26008/18	2351	1
Ia, Anlagenheft 3 z. KTB 15, Meldungen, Anordnungen unterstellter Einheiten.	Jul 29 - Sep 19, 1942	26008/19	1107	420
Ia, Anlagenheft 4 z. KTB 15, Meldungen, Berichte, Truppeneinteilung, Stärken.	Jul 29 - Oct 10, 1942	26008/20	1107	577
Ia, Anlagenheft 5 z. KTB 15, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	Jul 29 - Oct 6, 1942	26008/21	1107	715
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte als Anlagen z. KTB 15. Activity report, with intelligence bulletins, concerning enemy operations, unit identification, troop				

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	fighting quality, weapons, aircraft, tanks, and tactical situation; counterintelligence activity, and troop entertainment. Activity report of the Personnel Branch, Aug 1 - Oct 17, 1942, with a register of officers and a casualty report.	Jul 29 - Oct 16, 1942	26008/22	1107	877
Ia,	Kriegstagebuch 16. Division engagements during the battle for Stalingrad. On Jan 7, 1943, the remnants of the division were transferred to the 305. Inf.Div., which took over the 79. Inf.Div. sector in the Razgulyayevka area near Stalingrad. The division was subordinate to the LI. A.K.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/1	1107	907
Ia,	Anlagenheft A z. KTB 16, Befehle und Anordnungen vorgesetzter Dienststellen.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/2	1108	1
Ia,	Anlagenheft B z. KTB 16, Akte: Geheime Kommandosachen. Corps and division orders.	Nov 4, 1942 - Jan 3, 1943	33077/3	1108	200
Ia,	Anlagenheft C z. KTB 16, Tägliche Meldungen der Division an das LI. A.K.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/4	1108	320
Ia,	Anlagenheft D z. KTB 16, Befehle und Anordnungen der Division.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/5	1108	569
Ia,	Anlagenheft E z. KTB 16, Meldungen unterstellter Verbände.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/6	1108	845
Ia,	Anlagenheft F z. KTB 16, Meldungen, Berichte, Skizzen, Kriegsgliederungen, Stärken, Artillerie-Feuerpläne, Feindartillerie.	Oct 22, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/7	1109	1
Ic,	Tätigkeitsbericht mit Anlagen als Anlagenheft H z. KTB 16. Intelligence bulletins, interrogation summaries, and reconnaissance reports concerning enemy operations, unit identification, losses of men and equipment, and tactical situation; counterintelligence activity, and troop indoctrination and entertainment. A German translation of an order by the People's Commissariat for Land Defense of the U.S.S.R. and enemy propaganda leaflets.	Oct 17, 1942 - Jan 8, 1943	33077/9	1109	283
Ia,	Kriegstagebuch 17. Withdrawal of the division staff from the battle for Stalingrad, assignment of units from Rostov to the division staff, and the continuation				

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of its operations in the Novocherkassk area. Early in March the division was relieved of its sector by the 15. Luftwaffen-Felddivision and was refitted, assigned new units, and transferred to the Volnovakha area via Taganrog and Mariupol for training. The division was subordinate to Pz.AOK 4 and the XXIX. A.K.	Jan 12 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/11	1109	472
Ia, Anlagenheft A z. KTB 17, Befehle und Anordnungen vorgesetzter Dienststellen.	Jan 9 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/12	1109	533
Ia, Anlagenheft B z. KTB 17, Befehle und Anordnungen der Division.	Jan 14 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/13	1109	642
Ia, Anlagenheft C z. KTB 17, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	Jan 14 - Mar 11, 1943	33077/14	1109	971
Ia, Anlagenheft D z. KTB 17, Tägliche Meldungen unterstellter Einheiten.	Jan 9 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/15	1109	1126
Ia, Anlagenheft E z. KTB 17, Meldungen, Berichte, Kriegsgliederungen, Stärken.	Jan 9 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/16	1110	1
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte als Anlagenheft G z. KTB 17. Activity report, with intelligence bulletins, interrogation summaries, and maps, pertaining to enemy operations, unit identification, losses of men and equipment, and tactical situation; counterintelligence activity, military security, control and evacuation of the civilian population, and troop indoctrination and entertainment; and enemy propaganda leaflets. Activity report of the Personnel Branch with a register of officers.	Jan 9 - Mar 14, 1943	33077/18	1110	136
Ia, Tätigkeitsbericht mit Anlagen. Activity report, with orders, reports, and messages, pertaining to rehabilitation and training of the division in the Volnovakha area south of Stalino and an order for the division's transfer on May 13 to the H.Gr. A sector. Strength reports, order of battle charts, and maps showing the tactical disposition of division units.	Mar 15 - May 13, 1943	33077/19	1110	248
Ic, IIa, Tätigkeitsberichte. Activity reports, with directives and intelligence bulletins, concerning the enemy military situation, unit identification, weapons and equipment, and partisan warfare; counterintelligence activity, and troop entertainment and indoctrination. Activity report of the Personnel Branch, with a register of officers and a history of the 79. Inf.Div., Aug 25, 1939 - Feb 2, 1943.	Mar 15 - May 13, 1943	33077/20	1110	438

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IVa, Tätigkeitsbericht. The breakthrough of the Russians on the Don River front, leading to the encirclement of AOK 6 and the eventual withdrawal of remnants of the 79. Inf.Div. to the Kuban bridgehead.	May 1, 1942 - Oct 31, 1943	38994	1110	552
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 18. Defensive operations in the area south of Rostov, the Kuban River sector, and the area south of Kerch. The division was subordinate to AOK 6 and the XLIV. A.K., under the command of Gen.Lt. Friedrich Weinknecht, from Sep 1, 1943, to Sep 1, 1944, when he was captured by the Russians.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/1	1110	589
Ia, Anlagenheft A z. KTB 18, Abtransport der Division aus dem Aufstellungsraum Wolnowacha, südl. Stalino.	May 13 - 29, 1943	41960/2	1110	697
Ia, Anlagenheft B z. KTB 18, Geheime Kommandosachen. Division orders, directives, overlays, and maps.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/3	1110	743
Ia, Anlagenheft C z. KTB 18, Divisionsbefehle. Orders, messages, and overlays.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/4	1110	979
Ia, Anlagenheft D z. KTB 18, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/5	1110	1047
Ia, Anlagenheft E Akte 1-2 z. KTB 18, Tägliche Meldungen unterstellter Einheiten.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/6-7	1111	1
Ia, Anlagenheft F z. KTB 18, Meldungen, Berichte der unterstellten Einheiten.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/8	1111	681
Ia, Anlagenheft G z. KTB 18, Fern- u. Funksprüche, Ferngespräche.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/9	1111	830
Ia, Anlagenheft H z. KTB 18, Stärkemeldungen, Zustandsberichte.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/10	1112	1
Ia, Anlagenheft I z. KTB 18, Gefechtsstärken, Zustand und Einsatzbereitschaft der Truppenteile.	May 13 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/11	1112	56
Ic, Tätigkeitsbericht, Heft 1 als Anlagenheft L z. KTB 18. Activity report, with reconnaissance reports, charts, and maps, pertaining to enemy operations, movements, order of battle, tactical disposition, and unit identification in the Kuban River area near Krymskaya and Abinskaya; counterintelligence activity, troop indoctrination and entertainment, German propaganda, and firing charts.	May 14 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/13	1112	283

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Ic, Tätigkeitsbericht, Heft 2 als Anlagenheft L z. KTB 18. Activity report, with intelligence bulletins, concerning enemy operations, order of battle, unit identification, equipment, armaments, and tactical situation. Reports relating to German propaganda, counterintelligence activity, and troop entertainment, and enemy propaganda leaflets.	May 14 - Sep 29, 1943	41960/14	2351	153
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 19. Operations during the transfer to the Melitopol area, defensive engagements in the Melitopol and Nikopol areas, and the transfer to the Berislav area in January 1944 for rehabilitation. The division was subordinate to the XXXIX. and IV. A.K.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/1	1112	378
Ia, Anlagenband 1 z. KTB 19, Geheime Kommandosachen, Befehle.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/2	1112	512
Ia, Anlagenband 2 z. KTB 19, Teil I Divisionsbefehle, Teil II Organisation.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/3	1112	559
Ia, Anlagenband 3 z. KTB 19, Tägliche Meldungen der Division.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/4	1112	837
Ia, Anlagenband 4 z. KTB 19, Tägliche Meldungen der unterstellten Truppenteile und Einheiten.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/5	1112	993
Ia, Anlagenband 5a z. KTB 19, Eingegangene Fern- und Funksprüche.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/6	1113	1
Ia, Anlagenband 5b z. KTB 19, Abgegangene Fern- und Funksprüche.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/7	1113	298
Ia, Anlagenband 7 z. KTB 19, Sonstiges (Berichte, Erfahrungen).	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/10	1113	561
Ia, Anlagenband 8 z. KTB 19, Stärken und Zustandsberichte.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/11	1113	621

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Ia, Anlagenband 9 z. KTB 19, Rückwärtiger Trossraum, Verlegung der Division im neuen Einsatzraum. Reports about the rear transport area located west of Nikopol and the transfer of the division to the Berislav area.	Nov 15, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/12	1113	842
Ic, Tätigkeitsbericht mit Anlagen z. KTB 19. Activity reports, with intelligence reports and bulletins, interrogation summaries, and maps, pertaining to enemy operations, unit identification, troop strength, order of battle, propaganda leaflets, and tactical situation in the Melitopol area; counterintelligence activity, and troop entertainment and indoctrination.	Sep 30, 1943 - Jan 13, 1944	44800/13	2351	451
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB. Operations orders, reports, directives, and messages.	Jan 11 - 25, 1945	77569	1113	1009
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB. Orders, reports, and messages concerning division defensive operations in the Prüm, Kyll, Bitburg, and Hamm areas and the breakthrough of the German line at Hüttingen, Gondorf, and Metterich, near Trier, by U.S. forces on Mar 3, 1945.	Feb 19 - Mar 3, 1945	77570	1114	1
Ia, Kriegstagebuch. Defensive operations in the Kautenberg, Übereisenbach, and Untereisenbach areas. The division was subordinate to the LXXXV. and LIII. A.K., and the LVIII. Pz.K. at various times during this period.	Jan 11 - 25, 1945	77603	1114	148
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB. Orders, reports, messages, charts, and maps pertaining to the redesignation of the division as the 79. Volksgrenadier-Division, its reequipping, strength, organizational breakdown, and order of battle; division operations during the transfer from Thorn, Poland, to the Mayen area, assembly west of the Our River, Dec 22, 1944, defense of the bridgehead at Bourscheid, Luxembourg, and the regrouping in the Sauer River sector to stop an American attack, Jan 2, 1945. Daily intelligence reports, Mar 3 - 16, 1945, concerning enemy operations and unit identification in the Hasenberg, Riol, and Goldberg areas. The division commander was Gen.Maj. Alois Weber.	Sep 8, 1944 - Mar 16, 1945	77604	1114	188