

27. Panzer-Division (27th Panzer Division)

The 27. Panzer-Division was formed about August 29, 1942, in the Voronezh area from Panzer-Regiment 140 of the 22. Panzer-Division, which was variously designated Kampfgruppe Michalik

and Brigade 22. It participated in defensive operations in the area south of Voronezh and north of Voroshilovgrad until it was disbanded on February 9, 1943.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Roll</u>	<u>1st Frame</u>
Ia, Kriegstagebuch, Band 1 u. 2. Conversion of Kampfgruppe Michalik to the 27. Panzer-Division in accordance with an order dated Sep 1, 1942; the setting up of a staff on Oct 1 to carry out the activation of the division in the Voronezh area; participation in defensive operations in the Rossosh, Boguchar, Pavlovsk, Kantemirovka, Svatovo, Starobelsk, Novaya Astrachan, Proletarsk, and Artemovsk areas; and an order of Feb 9, 1943, from the III. Pz.K. for disbandment of the 27. Panzer-Division and assignment of its subordinate units to the 7. and 19. Panzer-Divisionen. The division was subordinate successively to the 323. Inf.Div., the VII. A.K., AOK 2, H.Gr. B, Ital. AOK 8 from Dec 9 to 18, 1942, and from Jan 14 to 19, 1943, to the 385. Inf.Div., and the 19. Pz.Div., under the command of Oberst Helmut Michalik until Dec 4, Oberst Tröger until Jan 21, Oberstleutnant von Kronhelm until Jan 24, and Oberst Schmidt thereafter.	Oct 1, 1942 - Feb 10, 1943	29194/1-2	829	1
Ia, Anlagenbände 1-9 z. KTB. Messages, orders, directives, maps, and overlays.	Sep 2, 1942 - Feb 9, 1943	29194/3- 29194/11	829- 831	222, 311
Ia, Anlagenband 10 z. KTB, Divisionsbefehle u. Gefechtsberichte.	Dec 5, 1942 - Jan 24, 1943	29194/12	831	561
Ia, Anlagenband 12 z. KTB, Gefechts- und Verpflegungsstärken, Kriegsranliste, Verlustlisten.	Oct 1, 1942 - Feb 9, 1943	29194/14	831	688
Ic, Tätigkeitsbericht mit Anlagen als Anlagenband 15 z. KTB. Intelligence bulletins and reports, interrogation summaries, maps, and a German translation of a defense order by Stalin pertaining to enemy operations in the Voronezh, Pavlovsk, Kantemirovka, and Starobelsk areas. The intelligence detachment was ordered disbanded on Feb 9, 1943.	Oct 1, 1942 - Feb 9, 1943	29194/15	831	944