

## 141. RESERVE-DIVISION - UNIT HISTORY

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DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1939/00/00	Insterburg, Wehrkreis I	Formation of the 141.ErsD, training	
1940/09/00	Prague, Czechoslovakia	Transfer, training	
1941/07/00	Wehrkreis I	Return, training	
(Source: the above information was taken from the <u>Order of Battle of the German Army</u> (Washington, March 1945))			
1942/09/05	Koenigsberg, Wehrkreis I, Kaunas, Siauliai, Lithuania Daugavpils, Latvia	Reorganization as the 141.ResD, movement, security against partisans, training	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Heinz Hellmich, 1942/04/01-1942/12/09 Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. I, 1942/09/03-1942/09/19 AK 61 Res, 1942/09/20-1942/12/12 C.O.: Gen.Lt. Otto Schoenherr, 1942/12/10-1944/02/20
1942/12/13	Brest, Baranovichi, Minsk, Borisov, Soviet Union	Transfer, railroad security, antipartisan operations, training	Subordinate to: AK 61 Res, Vilna and tactically to Kdtr.d.Sich.Geb.Weissruthenien (O.F.K. 392), Minsk, 1942/12/13-1943/10/14
1944/01/01	Brest, Baranovichi, Minsk, Borisov, Truppenuebnungsplaetze Demba, Sued Deba, Mielau, Doeberitz	Railroad security, antipartisan operations, training, relief, transfer, assignment to the 68.ID	AK 61 Res, Vilna and tactically to the Kom.Gen.d. Sich.Tr.u.Bfh.i.Weissruthenien, Minsk, 1943/10/15- 1944/02/12
1944/02/12	Doeberitz	Disbandment	

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<p>1a, PB. Activity report, including an order dated 1 Sep 1942, summoning the 141.ErsD staff to Königsberg, Wehrkreis I, on 3 Sep for reorganization of the division as the 141.ResD, carried out 5-19 Sep 1942. Movement to Kaunas, Lithuania, via Tilsit, Taurage, Siauliai, and Marijampole and to Daugavpils, Latvia, 20-28 Sep; training and security against partisans and airborne troops, 29 Sep-31 Oct; execution of Unternehmen Brunhilde-Ost (formation and training of reserve units for assignment in the eastern campaign); planned transfer to Belorussia. A strength report; an order-of-battle chart; a detraining survey; a register of officers.</p>	1942/09/01-1942/12/12	141.ResD 32384	1434	1
<p>1a, KTB 1 Teil 1 mit Anlagen. War journal and orders pertaining to the transfer to Belorussia to secure the Brest and Borisov railroad line; combat against partisans; training, billeting, equipping, and regrouping in the Minsk area, 17 Feb 1943; and execution of Unternehmen Tannenberg (formation of a reinforced regiment for special assignment). Order-of-battle charts; activity reports of the intelligence and personnel branches and the signal staff officer, 1 Jan-31 Mar 1943; 10-day intelligence reports; casualty reports.</p>	1942/12/13-1943/03/31	141.ResD 34407/1	1434	26
<p>1a, KTB Teil 2 mit Anlagen. War journal and orders pertaining to securing the Brest and Borisov railroad line, combat against partisans, training, and the formation of mobile units. Activity reports of the intelligence and personnel branches and the signal staff officer; 10-day intelligence reports; afteraction reports on Unternehmen Cottbus (action against partisans north of Minsk, 23 May-4 Jun 1943); casualty reports.</p>	1943/04/01-1943/06/30	141.ResD 45770/1	1434	320

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