

## 147. RESERVE-DIVISION - UNIT HISTORY

DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1939/00/00	Augsburg, Wehrkreis VII	Formation of the 147.ErsD, training (source: <u>Order of Battle of the German Army</u> (Washington, March 1945))	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Rudolf Sintzenich, 1942/04/01-1942/12/25 Gen.Maj. Paul Mahlmann, 1942/12/25-1943/08/01
1942/09/10	Augsburg, Wehrkreis VII,	Redesignation as 147.ResD	Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. VII, 1942/09/10-1942/10/09
1942/10/10	Novograd-Volynski, Radomyshl, Malin, Korosten, Kiev, Russia	Transfer, antipartisan operations, railroad security, training	AK 62 Res, 1942/10/10-1943/12/31
1943/04/01	Mezhirichi, Korets, Olevsk, Malin, Shepetovka, Korosten, Novograd-Volynski, Kiev	Securing railroads and harvest, antipartisan operations, training	
1943/10/01	Mezhirichi, Korets, Turchinka, Malin, Korosten, Novograd- Volynski	Securing railroads, antipartisan operations, defensive engagements, training, reorganization	C.O.: Gen.Maj. Paul Hoffmann, 1943/08/01-1943/09/17 Gen.Lt. Otto Matterstock, 1943/09/17-1944/01/10
1943/12/22	Novograd-Volynski, Lutsk, Vladimir-Volynski	Demobilization, release of three grenadier regiments for the formation of the 394.FldAusbD and four battalions for the formation of the 364.ID	
1944/01/01	Novograd-Volynski	Defense	Subordinate to: PzAOK 4, 1944/01/01-1944/01/20
1944/01/06	Staro-Konstantinov	Movement	
1944/01/14	Staro-Konstantinov	Disbandment of the 147.ResD	
1944/01/19	Truppenuebungsplatz Sued Deba, Poland	Transfer and disbandment of the division staff	

Records of the 147.ResD are reproduced on roll 1436 of Microfilm Publication T315 and are described following the unit history.

The following manuscript in the Foreign Military Studies series contains references to the 147.ResD:

MS D-276 ("Movement and combat activity of the 147th Reserve Division prior to and after the beginning of the Russian winter offensive 1943-44 in the Zhitomir, Korosten, Novograd-Volynski, and Shepetovka areas") by Gen.Lt. Otto Matterstock.

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Ia, TB 1 mit Anlagen. Activity report and orders pertaining to the reorganization of the Ersatzheer dividing it into Ersatz- and Ausbildungstruppenteile on 9 Sep 1942 and an order of AK 7 assigning the Ausbildungstruppenteile to the eastern front as reserve units and designating the division staff as the 147.ResD, 10 Sep 1942. Transfer to Novograd-Volynski, Korosten, and Kiev, 10-30 Oct 1942; combat against partisans, railroad security, and training in the Novograd-Volynski, Korosten, Malin, Radomyshl, and Kiev areas. Periodic strength reports.	1942/09/10-1943/03/31	147.ResD 31320/1	1436	1
Ia, Anlagen zum TB 1 Band I. Orders and reports concerning transfer, billeting, equipping, road and railroad security, and combat against partisans in the Novograd-Volynski, Korosten, Malin, Zhitomir, and Kiev areas; afteraction critiques pertaining to the reorganization of the Ersatzheer; afteraction reports and critiques relating to antipartisan action; a list of officers duty assignments; a register of officers; a casualty report; order-of-battle charts.	1942/09/09-1943/03/31	147.ResD 31320/2	1436	117
Ia, TB 2. Securing railroads and harvesting crops, combat against partisans, training, and transfer of recruits in the Olevsk, Shepetovka, Novograd-Volynski, Korosten, Malin, and Kiev areas.	1943/04/01-1943/09/30	147.ResD 38838/1	1436	450
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Ia, TB 4. Defense of Novograd-Volynski, movement to Staro-Konstantinov on 6 Jan 1944, disbandment of the division on 14 Jan and assignment of remaining personnel to PzAOK 4, and transfer of the division staff from Staro-Konstantinov to the Truppenuebungsplatz Sued Deba, 19-21 Jan 1944. Activity reports of the administrative and veterinary officers and the supply branch, 1-19 Jan 1944.	1944/01/01-1944/01/21	147.ResD 42454	1436	1046