

LXVII. Armeekorps (LXVII Army Corps)

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This Corps was formed as the LXVII. Reservekorps on September 25, 1942, in Hannover, Wehrkreis XI, and assigned to Leuven and Brussels, Belgium, in October 1942 for occupation duties and training. On December 27, 1943, the Corps was converted to the LXVII. Armeekorps, and was transferred on February 2, 1944, to Amiens, France, for coastal security and occupation duties on

the English Channel coast in the Abbeville area and along the Somme River. During the Allied invasion, June 6, 1944, the Corps was alerted to defend the coastal area in the Abbeville sector. By December 1944 it had retreated to the Monschau area south of Aachen.

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Ia, Tätigkeitsberichte mit Anlagen. Activity reports for the period Sep 25, 1942 to Jul 31, 1943, with reports and orders pertaining to the activation of the LXVII. Res.K. in Hannover, Wehrkreis XI, and its transfer to the command area of Belgium and northern France in Oct 1942, including activation, organization, movements, administrative duties, personnel changes, officers' duty assignments, promotions, replacements of Corps staff sections and units, supply, courier and postal services, training, and counterintelligence activity. Also, a memorandum concerning the appointment of Gen.d.Inf. Walter Fischer von Weikersthal as commanding general of the Corps; and directives relating to the registration, selection, training, care, and control of all military personnel from the field forces and replacement training army qualified as officers.	Oct 13, 1942 - Jul 31, 1943	35154	1533	1
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 1. War journal concerning the transfer from Brussels to Amiens on Feb 2, 1944, coastal security along the English Channel in the Abbeville area and along the Somme River in the Amiens-Naours area, conversion from the LXVII. Res.K. to the LXVII. A.K. on Dec 27, 1943, inspection of coastal defenses by Gen.Fm. Rommel and von Rundstedt between Mar and Jun 1944, and alert orders to the Corps on Jun 6, 1944, on Allied landings. The Corps was subordinate to OKH Chef H.Rüst. u. B.d.E. and AOK 15 during this period under the command of Gen.d. Inf. Walter Fischer von Weikersthal from Sep 25, 1942 to Jun 7, 1944, and Gen.d. Inf. Otto Sponheimer from Jun 7 to Dec 16, 1944.	Jan 15 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/1	1533	289
Ia, Anlagenband I z. KTB 1, Befehle, Anträge. Orders and notes on staff conferences concerning operations, reorganization, activation, subordination status, sector boundaries, transfer, readiness for action, defensive measures, training, missions, and assignments of the Corps and its subordinate units in the Abbeville, Amiens, and Naours areas.	Jan 15 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/2	1533	408

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Ia, Anlagenband III z. KTB 1, Gliederungen. Order of battle charts for the period from Mar 1 to Jul 1, 1944, and a unit historical record sheet.	Mar 1 - Jul 1, 1944	53534/4	1533	695
Ia, Anlagenband IV z. KTB 1, Tägliche Meldungen. Daily reports concerning defensive operations in the Abbeville, Amiens, and Naours areas.	Feb 5 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/5	1533	704
Ia, Anlagenband VI z. KTB 1, Wochenmeldungen. Weekly reports concerning defensive operations and construction of the Atlantic Wall along the English Channel in the Abbeville area, and information relating to enemy land and air operations.	Feb 7 - Jul 1, 1944	53534/7	1534	1
Na.Fü., Tätigkeitsberichte. Activity reports including orders and directives concerning radio communication exercises "Schwarzwald," "Kreuzotter," and "Edelweiss"; radio communication security and plan "München"; testing of radio communications; radio monitoring; requisitioning of signal equipment and codes; and sketches showing telephone, lateral traffic, optophone, and radio communication networks. Also, special directives concerning signal communication in the Corps sector.	Jan 15 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/8	1534	50
Ia/Stopak., Tätigkeitsberichte. Activity reports for the period May 1 to Jun 30, 1944; orders and directives concerning the manning of stationary heavy anti-tank guns, the assignment and possible areas of commitment of antitank weapons, antitank personnel training, issuing of antitank weapons having tactical numbers and identification marks to units, and the construction of road blocks.	Apr 24 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/9	1534	290
Ia/Stogas., Tätigkeitsberichte. Activity reports and reports concerning inspection trips relating to chemical defense readiness.	Feb 1 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/10	1534	340
Ic, Tätigkeitsberichte mit Anlagen. Activity reports and daily intelligence reports, intelligence bulletins, maps, and overlays pertaining to enemy operations, air activity, acts of sabotage, espionage, and terror; landing tactics; security violations; safeguarding security information; activities of the French resistance movement; counterintelligence; control of radio reception; and new types of enemy equipment, arms, and ammunition. Also, special directives concerning intelligence operations.	Jan 15 - Jun 30, 1944	53534/11	1534	361

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Ia, Anlagen z. KTB; IIa/b, Tätigkeitsbericht. Orders and overlays pertaining to operations, mission, assignments, regrouping, boundaries, supply problems, and battle conduct during the attack at Monschau and the proposed advance toward Eupen; special directives relating to traffic control and artillery tactics; a study concerning possible enemy countermeasures against Operation "Strassburg" (security of armament centers in the Ruhr and Saar areas); and an activity report of the Personnel Branch. The Corps was commanded by Gen.d.Inf. Otto Hitzfeld from Dec 15, 1944.	Dec 12 - 15, 1944	63798	1534	649