

274. INFANTERIE-DIVISION - UNIT HISTORY

DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1943/06/01	Drammen, Honefoss, Skien, Horten, Norway	Activation, formation	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Wilhelm Russwurm, 1943/06/01-1944/10/29
1943/07/15	Drammen, Honefoss, Skien, Horten	Operational readiness, training	
1943/08/20	Stavanger, Lyngdal, Kristiansand	Movement, quartering	
1943/09/30	Stavanger, Lyngdal, Flekkefjord, Sogndal, Valle, Lista, Farsund, Kristiansand	Coastal defense, security, training	

Records of the 274.ID (bo.) are reproduced on roll 1865 of Microfilm Publication T315 and are described following the unit history.

Although no records of this division dated later than 1943/12/31 were available in the National Archives, situation maps of Lage Norwegen und Daenemark and Skandinavien and the general officer personnel files show:

1944/01/01	Stavanger, Lyngdal, Flekkefjord, Sogndal, Valle, Lista, Farsund, Kristiansand	Coastal defense, security, training	Gen.Lt. Kurt Weckmann, 1944/10/27-1944/12/26
1945/03/18- 1945/05/11	Lyngdal, Lista, Farsund, Kristiansand	Coastal defense, security, training, regrouping	

CONTENTS	DATES	ITEM NO.	ROLL	1ST FRAME
Ia, TB. Activity report (first page missing) concerning operational readiness of the 274.ID, 15 Jul; training in the Drammen, Honefoss, Skien, and Horten areas, 18 Jul-14 Aug; movement to and relief of the 214.ID in the Stavanger, L yngdal, and Kristiansand areas, 18 Aug-29 Sep; and quartering, coastal defense, security activity, and training in the Stavanger, Flekkefjord, Lista, Farsund, Valle, Sogndal, and Kristiansand areas of Norway, 30 Sep-31 Dec 1943.	1943/07/01-1943/12/31	274.ID 45552/1	1865	1
Ia, Anlagen zum TB. Orders and reports pertaining to the formation of the 274.ID (bodenstaendig) by AOK Norwegen in Drammen, Norway, 1 Jun 1943, quartering, and operational readiness in the Honefoss, Skien, and Horten areas completed by 15 Jul; training, 18 Jul-14 Aug; movement to and relief of the 214.ID in the Stavanger, L yngdal, and Kristiansand sector, 18 Aug-29 Sep; and quartering, coastal defense, security activity, and training in the Stavanger, L yngdal, Flekkefjord, Lista, Farsund, Valle, Sogndal, and Kristiansand areas, 30 Sep-31 Dec 1943. Strength and status reports, order-of-battle charts, and reports regarding probable enemy intentions in relation to Norway.	1943/05/26-1943/12/31	274.ID 45552/2	1865	32
Ic, TB. Activity report concerning enemy air activity and acts of sabotage, control of the civilian population, military security, counterintelligence, Aktion Sonnenblume (the arrest of former Norwegian officers), and troop entertainment and indoctrination.	1943/07/01-1943/12/31	274.ID 45552/3	1865	198