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A history of the American and Allied, public and private projects in which these records were created or assembled, exploited, described and microfilmed can be found in: Robert Wolfe, ed., Captured German and Related Records, A National Archives Conference (Athens, Ohio: Ohio University Press, 1974) 279 pp. [ISBN 8214-0172-6] [LC 74-82495]

NATIONAL ARCHIVES COLLECTION OF FOREIGN RECORDS SEIZED RECORD GROUP 242

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Microfilm publications of records of the **German Foreign Ministry**, 1867-1945; papers of some **German diplomats**, 1833-1931, and records of the **Reichs Chancellery**, 1919-1945, are listed immediately below, under the finding aids that describe them. (Descriptions of Microfilm Publication **T120** are divided between two catalogs comprising five volumes).


- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State. Microfilm Publication **T120**. 5,485 rolls. (Includes records of the German Foreign Office, 1867-1945, and records of the Reichs Chancellery, 1919-1945).
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from St. Antony’s College (Oxford). Microfilm Publication **T136**. 144 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the University of Michigan. Microfilm Publication **T137**. 53 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Microfilm Publication **T138**. 31 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the University of California (AHA, Project I). Microfilm Publication **T139**. 452 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the University of California (AHA, Project II). Microfilm Publication **T140**. 17 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the University of California (Special Series). Microfilm Publication **T141**. 26 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the National de la Recherche Scientifique Belge. Microfilm Publication **T246**. 16 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Received by the Department of State from the British Museum. Microfilm Publication **T264**. 2 rolls.
- Records of the German Foreign Office Filmed for the University of London. Microfilm Publication **T1026**. 25 rolls.
- Microfilms of German Foreign Ministry Records Received by the Department of State on the German White Book, 1939, and from the Swiss Government, Australian Government, The London School of Economics, and for Dr. W. Carlgren, 1888-1920. Microfilm Publication **T249**. 7 rolls.

**Finding aid:** *List of Archival References to Material in the German Foreign Ministry Archives Filmed Under Grant From the Old Dominion Foundation* (American Historical Association Committee for the Study of War Documents, Whaddon Hall, U.K., 1958).

- Archives of the German Embassy at Washington, 1921-1938 (American Historical
CAPTURED GERMAN NAVY RECORDS MICROFILMED IN LONDON, ENGLAND, U.K.

- Records of the German Navy, 1850-1945, Received from the United States Naval History Division. Microfilm Publication T1022. 4,317 rolls.

Finding aids: Guides to the Microfilmed Records of the German Navy, 1850-1945:
- No.3: Records of the German Naval High Command, 1935-1945 (NARA, 1999). See also Microfilm Publication T1022, rolls 1-2, for other German navy records prior to 1930.
- No. 4: Records of German Navy Operational Commands in World War II (NARA, 2005).


CAPTURED GERMAN RECORDS MICROFILMED IN BERLIN, GERMANY

Non-biographic records of several offices of the NSDAP and some of its formations, affiliated associations and supervised organizations; private papers of some Nazi leaders, records of some Reich ministries and other government agencies, and records of some individuals and private corporations. Biographic records of NSDAP members and personnel records from many of its agencies, formerly held at the Berlin Document Center under Department of State custody, have been microfilmed and deposited in the National Archives (see Records Received from the Berlin Document Center).


Finding aid: T580, roll 999. Specific series with their roll numbers are as follows:
- Ahnenerbe des Reichsführer SS ........................................... 120 - 211
- Diary of Ahnenerbe Amtschef Wolfram Sievers, 1941-1945 . . . . 462 - 463
- Deutsche Arbeitsfront, Gau Bayr. Ostmark.......................... 992 - 998
- Einwandererzentrale (EWZ) Führungsstab, Paris................. 700 - 743
- Friedrich Flick-Konzern ................................................. 933 - 934
- Gauleiter Fritz Wächtler (Bayreuth)................................ 346 - 347
- Gauleitung Franken .......................................................... 921 - 933
- Hauptamt für Kommunalpolitik ....................................... 884 - 905
Captured German Documents filmed at Berlin for the Hoover Institution. Microfilm Publication T581. 155 rolls. (May be purchased only from the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace, Stanford University, Stanford, California 94305.)


Captured German Documents Filmed at Berlin (University of Nebraska). Microfilm Publication T611. 49 rolls. Finding aid: roll 1. Partial list of topics, roll numbers:
- SS Dienstalterslisten (1 Oct. 1942 - 1 July 1944) ........................................ 1-2
- Misc. SS Ordner (426, 429-435, 441-447, 458-461a, 474-489) .............. 2-18
- Rasse-und-Siedlungs-Hauptamt (RuSHA) Ordner .................................. 18-27
- Miscellaneous SS Material ........................................................................ 27-29, 43-47
- Reichskommissariat für die Festigung deutschen Volkstums (RKFDV) ...... 29-43
- Berlin Document Center Library Material .............................................. 48-49

Name Index of Jews Whose German Nationality Was Annulled by the Nazi Regime (Berlin Document Center). Microfilm Publication T355. 9 rolls.
The so-called “biographic” records of the Berlin Document Center consist of personnel and related records of the NSDAP and its affiliated organizations from 1920-1945. The records are arranged into general collections by organization and series, and then alphabetically (or, in some cases, phonetically) by family name of the individual(s) concerned.


NSDAP Ortsgruppenkartei. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series MFOK. 2,275 rolls.
NSDAP Gaukorrespondenz. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series NS-MIS. 119 rolls.
NSDAP Oberstes Parteigericht Akten. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series OPG. 1,292 r.
NSDAP Partei Korrespondenz. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series PK. 6,182 rolls.
NSDAP Rückwandereramt. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series RWA. 123 rolls.
NSDAP Reichsaeztekammer. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series RAK. 52 rolls.
NSDAP Miscellaneous Collection. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series NS-OG, 14 rolls and Series NS-OR, 27 rolls. Others, 10 rolls.
NS Lehrerbund Kartei and Akten. Microfilm Publication A3340, Series MF. 385 rolls.
Reichskulturkammer. Microfilm Publication A3339, Series RKK. 2,466 rolls.
Other SA Collections. Microfilm Publication A3341, Series SA. 67 rolls.
Einwandererzentrale. Microfilm Publication A3342, Series EWZ. 7,320 rolls.
SS Officer Personnel Files. Microfilm Publication A3343, Series SSO. 909 rolls.
SS Enlisted Men Personnel Files. Microfilm Publication A3343, Series SM. 1,738 rolls.
NS Frauenschaft/Frauenwerk. Microfilm Publication A3344, Series FS. 2,418 rolls.
(includes BDC Library collection; see also other NSDAP records)

CAPTURED GERMAN RECORDS MICROFILMED AT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, USA

Records of various German central, regional and local government agencies, military headquarters, commands and units; the Nazi Party, Party formations, affiliated associations and supervised organizations; papers of some private businesses, institutions and persons. The period covered is chiefly from 1920 to 1945.

Finding aids: Guides to German Records Microfilmed at Alexandria, Virginia (National
Archives, 1958-1993), Nos. 1-98. The Guides are out-of-print but are available for use or purchase on Microfilm Publication T733, roll 1 (Guides 1-20); roll 2 (Guides 21-40); roll 3 (Guides 41-55); roll 4 (Guides 56-65); roll 5 (Guides 66-70); roll 6 (Guides 71-73); roll 7 (Guides 74-78); roll 8 (Guides 79-84); roll 9 (Guides 85-88). Guides 85-98 are also available on individual microfiche. Relevant Guides are indicated by "GG" numbers below. See also:

- Data Sheets to Microfilmed Captured German Records. Microfilm Publication T176. 34 rolls.

CIVIL RECORDS

- Records of the Reich Ministry for Public Enlightenment and Propaganda, 1936-1944 (Reichsministerium für Volksaufklärung und Propaganda [RMVP]). Microfilm Publication T70. 133 rolls. (GG 22, 93 and T176/rolls 10 and 24)
- Records of the Reich Ministry of Economics (Reichswirtschaftsministerium [RWM]). Microfilm Publication T71. 149 rolls. (GG 1 and T176/rolls 1 and 24)
- Records of the Reich Ministry for Armaments and War Production (Reichsministerium für Rüstung und Kriegsproduktion). Microfilm Publication T73. 193 rolls. (GG 10)
- Records of the Office of the Reich Commissioner for the Strengthening of Germandom (Reichskommissar für die Festigung deutschen Volkstums [RKFDV]). Microfilm Publication T74. 20 rolls. (GG 2 and T176/roll 1)
- Records of the Todt Organization (Organisation Todt [OT]). Microfilm Publication T76. 7 rolls. (GG 4 and T176/roll 1)
- Miscellaneous German Records Collection, 1892-1945. Microfilm Publication T84. 491 rolls. (GG 5, 8, 36, 90, 98 and T176/rolls 6 and 29)
- Records of the Reich Air Ministry (Reichsluftfahrtministerium). Microfilm Publication T177. 52 rolls. (GG 13 and T176/roll 7)
- Fragmentary Records of Miscellaneous Reich Ministries and Offices, 1919-1945. Microfilm Publication T178. 28 rolls. (GG 11 & T176/roll 8; see also roll list below)

Reichsforschungsrat (RFR) ............................................................... 1-5
Auswärtiges Amt (AA) ................................................................. 6-8
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Reichsfinanzministerium (RFM) ..................................................... 14-16
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Reichsministerium für Wissenschaft, Erziehung und Volksbildung ..... 26-27

- Records of Former German and Japanese Embassies and Consulates, 1890-1945.
Microfilm Publication T179. 78 rolls. (GG 15 and T176/roll 13)

- Records of the Reich Office for Soil Exploration (Reichsamt für Bodenforschung). Microfilm Publication T401. 7 rolls. (GG 26 and T176/roll 16)
- Records of the Reich Ministry for the Occupied Eastern Territories (Reichsministerium für die besetzten Ostgebiete) 1941-1945. Microfilm Publication T454. 167 rolls. (GG 28, 97 and T176/rolls 20 and 24)
- Records of the Reich Commissioner for the Baltic States (Reichskommissar für das Ostland), 1941-1945. Microfilm Publication T459. 45 rolls. (GG 31 & T176/roll 16)

**MILITARY RECORDS**

- Records of Headquarters, German Armed Forces High Command (Oberkommando der Wehrmacht/OKW). Microfilm Publication T77. 1,687 rolls. (GG 7, 17-19, 78, 80, 84-86, 94, 99 (draft) and T176/rolls 2, 26-27)

**Army**

- Records of Headquarters, German Army High Command (Oberkommando des Heeres/OKH). Microfilm Publication T78. 993 rolls. (GG 12, 29, 30, 82, 87, 91, 96 and T176/rolls 18 and 28)
- Records of German Army Areas (Wehrkreise). Microfilm Publication T79. 344 rolls. (GG 34 and T176/rolls 22 and 24)
- Records of German Field Commands: Army Groups. Microfilm Publication T311. 305 rolls. (GG 40, 52 and T176/roll 21)
- Records of German Field Commands: Armies. Microfilm Publication T312. 1,696 rolls. (GG 14, 42-44, 47-50, 54, 56 and T176/rolls 12-12A)
- Records of German Field Commands: Divisions. Microfilm Publication T315. 2,379 rolls. (GG 41, 45, 63-74 and 76)
- Records of German Field Commands: Rear Areas, Occupied Territories and Others. Microfilm Publication T501. 363 rolls. (GG 38, 57 and T176/roll 25)
- German Military and Technical Manuals, 1910-1945. Microfilm Publication T283. 162 rolls. (Roll list available; T176/roll 14 covers only rolls 1-126)

**Air Force**

- German Air Force Records: Luftgaukommandos, Flak, Deutsche Luftwaffenmission in Rumänien. Microfilm Publication T405. 64 rolls. (GG 25 and T176/rolls 16 and 24)

**Navy** (see also German Navy records filmed in London)

- Records of Headquarters, German Navy High Command (Oberkommando der
NAZI PARTY AND SS RECORDS

- Records of the National Socialist German Labor Party (NSDAP) and the Deutsches Ausland-Institut, Stuttgart. Microfilm Publication T81. 741 rolls. (GG 3, 16, 20, 21, 35, 77 and T176/rolls 11 and 24)
- Records of Nazi Cultural and Research Institutions, and Records Pertaining to Axis Relations and Interests in the Far East. Microfilm Publication T82. 552 rolls. (GG 6, 93 and T176/rolls 1 and 24)
- Records of the Reich Leader of the SS and Chief of the German Police [RF-SS]. Microfilm Publication T175. 678 rolls. (GG 32, 33, 39, 81 and T176/rolls 5 and 24)

RECORDS OF PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS AND ENTERPRISES

- Records of Private Austrian, Dutch and German Enterprises, 1917-1946. Microfilm Publication T83. 248 rolls. (GG 23, 88, 93 and T176/roll 9) See also T82 above.
- Records of Private Individuals (Captured German Records). Microfilm Publication T253. 62 rolls. (GG 9, 88 and T176/roll 3)
  - Dr. Walter Lütgebrune..................................................... rolls 1- R33
  - Dr. Theo Morell........................................................ rolls 34- R45, 62
  - Dr. Karl Haushofer ..................................................... rolls 46- R61
- Collection of Correspondence of Herbert von Bismarck, 1881-1883. Microfilm Publication T972. 1 roll. (see T176/roll 33)
- Albums and Miscellaneous Material Relating to Joachim von Ribbentrop, 1893-1942. (#RG242-JRM, JRFA; in the Special Media Archives Services Division [NWCS]) 1 roll.

GERMAN MILITARY RECORDS ANTEDATING WORLD WAR II

- An Exhibit of German Military Documents from the Heeresarchiv Potsdam, 1679-1935. Microfilm Publication M129. 2 rolls.
- Prussian Mobilization Records, 1866-1918. Microfilm Publication M962. 5 rolls.
- Records of the Royal Bavarian War Ministry and Other Bavarian Military Authorities, 1866-1913. Microfilm Publication M963. 7 rolls.
- German Armed Forces Personnel Files, 1939-1945. Microfilm Publication A3356. 1849 rolls. (Personalakten of the OKH, Heeres-Personalamt). (see index)

Official and Personal Papers of Prussian Military Leaders (formerly in the Heeresarchiv)
- Braunschweig-Bevern, August Wilhelm, Herzog von (1715-1781), 1756-1762. Microfilm Publication M954. 1 roll.
- Gneisenau, August Graf Neithardt von (1760-1830), 1785-1831. Microfilm Publication M211. 43 rolls. (List on roll 1)
- Moltke, Helmuth Carl Bernhard Graf von (1800-1891), 1839-1891. Microfilm Publication M960. 6 rolls.
- Friedrich Wilhelm III, King of Prussia (1770-1840), 1787-1842. Microfilm Publication M955. 1 roll.
- Roon, Albrecht Graf von (1803-79), 1848-1866. Microfilm Publication M956. 2 rolls.

OTHER CAPTURED RECORDS

- German Reports on Synthetic Rubber, 1937-45. Microfilm Publication T948. 13 rolls.
- Transcript of Cossmann v. Gruber (Dolchstoss-Prozess), Munich, Oct. 19 - Nov. 17, 1925. Microfilm Publication T1173. 2 rolls.
- Miscellaneous Lists and Registers of German Concentration Camp Inmates, Originated or Collected by the International Tracing Service. Microfilm Publication A335. 189 rolls. (Roll List available)
- Selected Records and Materials of Miscellaneous Non-German Foreign Governments, 1900-1948. Microfilm Publication M2036. 13 rolls. (Roll List)

- Miscellaneous Russian Records Collection. Microfilm Publication T88. 4 rolls.


Papers of Count Ciano (Lisbon Papers) Received from the Department of State. Microfilm Publication T816. 3 rolls.
Personal Papers of Benito Mussolini, Together with Some Official Records of the Italian Foreign Office and the Ministry of Culture, 1922-1944. Microfilm Publication T586. 318 rolls. (Finding aid: roll 1; see also Microfilm Publication T120).

**RECORD GROUP 549: RECORDS OF U.S. ARMY, EUROPE**

Concentration Camp Flossenbürg Inmate Entry Registers, 1938-1945. Microfilm Publication M1935. 2 rolls. (DP)
Foreign Military Studies, 1945-1954. Microfiche Publication M1035. (Catalog) Manuscripts prepared by former German officers for the Historical Division, United States Army, Europe. The Studies consist of seven series as follows: ETHINT (European Theater Interrogations) 1-80; A 855-1000; B 001-850; C 1-102d; D 001-431; P 001-217 and T 1a-123K3. There are 1,737 items in English and 2,169 items in German (catalog available on paper and microfilm). Many of the studies have been published in *World War II German Military Studies*, 24 vols., Donald S. Detweiler, ed., (New York: Garland Publishing, 1979).

**GENERAL RECORDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**RECORD GROUP 59**

Records of the Department of State Special Interrogation Mission to Germany, 1945-1946 (DeWitt C. Poole Mission). Microfilm Publication M679. 3 rolls. (roll list)

**NATIONAL ARCHIVES COLLECTION OF WORLD WAR II WAR CRIMES RECORDS**

**RECORD GROUPS 153, 238 AND 549**

The United States conducted war crimes trials in Europe under three jurisdictions: the *International Military Tribunal (IMT)* at Nuernberg (RG 238), *U.S. military tribunals* at Nuernberg (RG 238) and *U.S. Army courts* (RG 153 & RG 549). The Nuernberg trial records include transcripts of proceedings, prosecution and defense exhibits, interrogation records, document books and court papers, including official court files, minute books, order and judgment books and clemency petitions. In addition, the Nuernberg trial records include the prosecution document series, from which most of the prosecution exhibits and some
defense exhibits were drawn. Descriptive pamphlets (DP) and Special Lists (SL) are noted for many of the listed microfilm publications.

**Records of the International Military Tribunal (IMT) at Nuernberg (RG 238)**

The nearly complete transcript of proceedings of the IMT, and most of the documentary evidence submitted to it, have been published in *Trial of the Major War Criminals Before the International Military Tribunal* (Nuernberg, 1947) 42 vols. NARA Publication PI 21, *Preliminary Inventory of the Records of the United States Counsel for the Prosecution of Axis Criminality*, is also available. Photographs, motion pictures and sound recordings of the IMT proceedings are held by the Special Media Archives Services Division (NWCS). **Finding aid:** Microfilm Publication M1137, 73 microfiche cards (in the Microfilm Room).

- Prosecution Exhibits Submitted to the International Military Tribunal. Microfilm Publication T988. 54 rolls. (Roll list available)
- War Diaries and Correspondence of General Alfred Jodl. Microfilm Publication T989. 2 rolls.
- Diary of Hans Frank, 1939-1945. Microfilm Publication T992. 12 rolls. (roll list)
- Concentration Camp Dachau Entry Registers (*Zugangsbuecher*), 1933-1945. Microfilm Publication M1938. 7 rolls. (DP)

**Records of U.S. Military Tribunals at Nuernberg (RG 238)**

Excerpts from subsequent proceedings have been published as *Trials of War Criminals Before the Nuernberg Military Tribunal Under Control Council Law No. 10* (U.S. Government Printing Office, 1950-1953), 15 vols. Motion pictures and photographs (some of which were entered as evidence) of sessions of the U.S. Nuernberg proceedings are available from the Special Media Archives Services Division (NWCS). Phone: (301) 837-3520.


**Records of the U.S. Nuernberg War Crimes Trials:**

- NM Series, 1874-1946. Microfilm Publication M936. 1 roll. (DP)
- NP Series, 1934-1946. Microfilm Publication M942. 1 roll. (DP)
- WA Series, 1940-1945. Microfilm Publication M946. 1 roll. (DP)
- Franz Guertner Diaries, 1934-Dec. 1938. Microfilm Publication M978. 3 rolls. (DP)
- Interrogations, 1946-1949. Microfilm Publication M1019. 91 rolls. (DP)
- Register Cards to the NG Document Series, 1946-1949. Microfilm Publication M1278. 3 rolls. (DP)
- Register Cards to the NOKW Document Series, 1946-1949. Microfilm Publication M1291. 2 rolls. (DP)
- Register Cards to the NI Document Series, 1946-1949. Microfilm Publication M1397. 8 rolls. (DP)

Records of the U. S. Nuremberg War Crimes Trials, United States of America v.:

- Karl Brandt et al. (Case I), Nov. 21, 1946 - Aug. 20, 1947. Microfilm Publication M887 (Medical Case). 46 rolls. (DP)
- Erhard Milch (Case II), November 13, 1946 - April 17, 1947. Microfilm Publication M888 (Milch Case--Luftwaffe). 13 rolls. (DP & Special List 38)
- Friedrich Flick et al. (Case V), Mar. 3 - Dec. 22, 1947. Microfilm Publication M891 (Flick Case--Industrialist). 42 rolls. (DP)
- Wilhelm List et al. (Case VII), July 8, 1947 - Feb. 19, 1948. Microfilm Publication M893 (Hostage Case). 48 rolls. (DP)
- Alfred Krupp et al. (Case X), Aug. 16, 1947 - July 31, 1948. Microfilm Publication M896 (Krupp Case--Industrialist). 69 rolls. (DP)
- Wilhelm von Leeb et al. (Case XII), Nov. 28, 1947 - Oct. 28, 1948. Microfilm Publication M898 (High Command Case). 69 rolls. (DP)

Records of U.S. Army War Crimes Trials in Europe

War crimes trial records for Germany were initially also collected and generated by the U.S. 3rd and 7th Armies, and later by special war crimes sections of the Judge Advocate General (JAG), Europe. Because these sections sent reports and other materials to Washington, some of the same records are in RG 153, Records of the Judge Advocate General (Army). The following publications belong to RG 549, Records of United States Army, Europe.

- German Documents Among the War Crimes Records of the Judge Advocate Division, Headquarters, United States Army, Europe. Microfilm Publication T1021. 20 rolls.

U.S. Army Investigation and Trial Records of War Criminals: United States of America v.
War crimes trial records relating to Japanese aggression in the Far East were created and assembled by a variety of jurisdictions in 1945-1949, including the International Military Tribunal for the Far East. Most of these records are found in Record Group 331, Records of Allied Operational and Occupation Headquarters, World War II, and are described elsewhere. Both microfilm publications listed below belong to Record Group 238.

- Selected Records of the International Military Tribunal for the Far East, 1946-1948. Microfilm Publication M1060. 253 rolls. (No roll list available)

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Because of the great variety and complexity of archival material, there are no convenient models that apply to all records. The initial citation, however, might consist of the following elements, as applicable: item, file unit or subseries, series title, originating office (and its higher administrative office), name of collection or record group number and title, and depository. Except for placing the cited item first, there is no general agreement on the sequence of the remaining elements in the citation. Publishers, professional journals and graduate faculties all prescribe their own styles. Whatever sequence is adopted should be used consistently throughout the same work, however. If in doubt, the researcher should confer with an archivist regarding elements necessary to cite records adequately.

Microfilm Publications

Citations of records reproduced in National Archives microfilm publications should generally provide the same information suggested above, to include publication, roll and frame numbers, as applicable. The following examples suggest possible initial and subsequent citations of the same document for each of five major microfilm projects reproducing captured German and related records.

1. Captured Records Microfilmed at Alexandria, Virginia

Initial Citation: Cds/Amt IVA1, Ereignismeldung UdSSR, Nr. 194, 20 April 1942, EAP 173-a-10/22a, National Archives Microfilm Publication T175, roll 235, frame 2724202. 
Subsequent Citations: Ereignismeldung UdSSR, Nr. 194, T175/235/2724209-10.

Initial Citation: I. AK, Ia, "KTB Nr. 2," Aug.-Oct. 1939, E201/1, National Archives Microfilm Publication T314, roll 34, first frame 389.
Subsequent Citations: KTB 2, Aug. 17, 1939, T314/34/397.

Item numbers such as EAP 173-a-10/22a or OKW 1015 are optional and serial numbers are unnecessary. Frames are sometimes unnumbered.

2. Foreign Ministry Archives and Records of the Reichskanzlei filmed at Whaddon Hall.

Initial Citation: Ambassador in Madrid (Stohrer) to Foreign Ministry, Berlin, Dec. 9, 1940, German Foreign Ministry Archives, Serial 136, frames D674515-516; National Archives Microfilm Publication T120, roll 146.
Subsequent Citations: Stohrer to GFM, 136/D674518, T120/146.

Initial Citation: "Verwaltung besetzter Gebiete in Serbien, 15.11.16-31.7.17," SA Reel 83, National Archives Microfilm Publication T136, roll 83, frames 17-24.
Subsequent Citations: SA/T136/83/19.

The serial number is the essential identification, whether the serial is of the interchangeable, unlettered, or H serials, or of the B, C, F, K, L or M serials. The terms "reel", "container" or "roll" are acceptable variations; "roll" is the term preferred by the
National Archives. When citing the Tripartite Project microfilm, NA Microfilm Publication T120, it is imperative to distinguish between serial and roll numbers. The four-volume *Catalog of Files and Microfilm of the German Foreign Ministry Archives, 1920-1945* has a serial-roll conversion list as a supplement for each volume. The Public Record Office (PRO) in London uses the same serial and frame numbers, though not always the same roll numbers, and the microfilm publication symbols GFM 2-5 instead of T120 for the Tripartite Project. The other Whaddon Hall microfilm projects use the same roll and serial numbers, as the "SA" (Saint Antony's College Project) serial example shown above indicates. The National Archives has substituted a microfilm publication number for project symbols.

3. Records from the German Naval Archives microfilmed by the United States Navy, Office of Naval Intelligence (ONI) at the Admiralty, London.

Initial Citation: "Schlachtschiff 'Bismarck' nachträglich entzifferte englische Funksprüche," 23.5. - 27.5.1941, PG 47893, National Archives Microfilm Publication T1022, roll 2791. Subsequent Citation: "Schlachtschiff 'Bismarck',' T1022/2791/PG 47893.


The PG number is the essential record item number; NARA Microfilm Publication T1022 plus the roll number is sufficient for identification. The original U.S. Navy microfilm designations, e.g. "T-1" or "TA-1" for each roll have been replaced by the T1022 roll number. There are no frame numbers in this microfilm publication.

4. Heeresarchiv-Potsdam Records Microfilmed at the National Archives.

Initial Citation: Groener to Alarich von Gleich, Papers of General Wilhelm Groener (Groener Nachlass), Bundesarchiv-Koblenz, National Archives Microfilm Publication M137, roll 7. Subsequent Citations: Groener to Gleich, M137/7.

5. National Archives Microfilm of Nuremberg War Crimes Trial Records.


The bibliography format should include the National Archives record group number, title, and the number and title of the microfilm publication, e.g.,


The National Archives appreciates receiving copies of books or articles based wholly or in part on the records in its custody. Such copies may be sent to the National Archives Library, Room 2380, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001.