

The Eleventh Army was activated on October 2, 1940. Its first commander was General Eugen Ritter von Schobert. From Germany the army was sent via Rumania to the southern sector of the eastern front, where, in September 1941, it came under the command of General (later Field Marshal) Erich von Manstein. It carried out the successful assault on Sevastopol in 1942. On November 21, 1942, the army was redesignated Army Group Don. In late March 1945, the former Eleventh Panzer Army was redesignated the Eleventh Army. It fought on the western front under the command of General Walter Lucht until it was disbanded on April 21, 1945.

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Ia, Kriegstagebuch 1. War journal concerning operations of the 11th Army while it was subordinate to Army Groups "South," Apr 1 - Jul 6, 1942, and "A," Jul 7 - Aug 23, 1942, in the Ukraine, Crimea, and Sevastopol, including information on the effects of environment on the various arms and services and air and naval activities in support of ground forces.	Apr 1 - Aug 23, 1942	28654/1	1691	1
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders relating to the operations, supplying, and order of battle of 11th Army units in the Sevastopol and Crimea area and in Operation "Trappenjagd" (plans to break through the enemy lines between Feodosiya and Parpach); an appraisal of the enemy tactical situation; and maps (1:50,000 and 1:100,000) showing the tactical disposition of German and Soviet forces and the main line of resistance in the 11th Army sector.	Apr 1 - 23, 1942	28654/2	1691	259
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations, order of battle, subordination, reorganization, and supplying of 11th Army units in the Crimea and Sevastopol; and Operation "Trappenjagd." Appraisals of the enemy tactical situation and maps and overlays (1:100,000) showing tactical grouping of own and enemy units.	Apr 24 - May 11, 1942	28654/3	1692	1

\* The greater part of the records of the 11th Army are described in Guide No. 44, Armies (Part IV).

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Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders pertaining to operations and order of battle of 11th Army units in the Sevastopol and Kerch areas and to Operation "Störfang" (plans to attack "Festung Sevastopol"). Appraisals of the tactical disposition of 2d Army units around Sevastopol and in the Kerch area.	May 12 - 25, 1942	28654/4	1692	557
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations and order of battle of 11th Army units in the Crimea and Operation "Störfang." Reports on experience gained during Operation "Trappenjagd" and the reconquest of the Kerch Peninsula and maps (1:100,000) showing the tactical grouping of 11th Army units around Sevastopol and Kerch.	May 26 - Jun 8, 1942	28654/5b	1693	1
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations including the battle for Sevastopol, order of battle, casualties, and antipartisan action by the 11th Army units in the Crimea. Also, a map showing road conditions in the Sevastopol area.	Jun 9 - 22, 1942	28654/6	1693	427
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations, order of battle, dispersal and subordination of 11th Army units, and coastal defense activities of 11th Army units in the Crimea, and the conquest of Sevastopol. Also, an overlay (1:300,000) showing the location of activities of Rumanian units against partisans in the Simferopol area and a map showing the tactical grouping of enemy units southeast of Sevastopol.	Jun 23 - Jul 9, 1942	28654/7	1694	1
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations, order of battle, and training of 11th Army units in the Crimea and the area south of Krasnodar; a report on the conquest of Sevastopol; and a military-geological sketch of the road from Anapa to Tuapse.	Jul 10 - Aug 10, 1942	28654/8	1694	744
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland. Reports and orders pertaining to the operations and subordination of 11th Army units on the Taman Peninsula and in the Simferopol area, reports on experiences gained by military geology units during their operations with the 11th Army and by the XXX Corps in the battle for Sevastopol, special signal communications directives, and a report on preparations for Operation "Georg."	Aug 11 - 24, 1942	28654/9	1695	1

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Ia, Anlagen z. KTB 1, Russland, Vorbereitung für Übergang über Strasse Kertsch. Operation "Wintersport" und "Blücher I und II". Reports, orders, and maps concerning the activities of the German Army, Navy, and Air Force in preparations for carrying out Operations "Wintersport" and "Blücher I and II" (the crossing of the Kerch Strait, and the conquest of the Taman Peninsula).	Nov 19, 1941 - Aug 23, 1942	28654/11	1695	169
Ia, A.Pi.Fü., Anlagen z. KTB 1, Mappe Parpatsch. Reports and orders relating to the assignment of Engineer units in the execution of Operation "Trappenjagd," offensive action to break through the enemy "Parpatsch" position, and the reconquest of the Kerch Peninsula. Appraisal of the enemy tactical situation on the Kerch front, and maps (1:50,000, and 1:100,000) showing the tactical grouping of own and enemy forces, location of enemy defenses in the Parpach and Feodosiya areas, and the progress of the battles for the Kerch Peninsula.	Apr 25 - May 22, 1942	28654/12	1695	717
Ia, Anlagen z. KTB, Untersuchung bei der 46. Infanterie Division. Reports and orders on the operations of 11th Army units on the Kerch Peninsula and the results of an investigation regarding the leadership and conduct of the 46th Infantry Division during withdrawal from the Kerch Peninsula.	Dec 10, 1941 - Feb 22, 1942	28654/13	1695	770
Ia, Kriegstagebuch 2, Russland. War journal pertaining to the transfer and operations of 11th Army units on the northern front, and Operation "Nordlicht" ("Georg") (plans to destroy Soviet forces between the Gulf of Finland and the Neva River Bend, on the Neva and Finnish fronts and in Leningrad and thereby remove the Leningrad front). Also, daily weather reports.	Aug 21 - Nov 11, 1942	33167/1	1696	1
Ia, Anlagenband 1, Kriegsranliste. Officers' register, including name, rank, date of rank, assignment, and date of assignment.	Apr 1 - Nov 30, 1942	33167/2	1696	322
Ia, Anlagenband 2 z. KTB 2, Russland. Reports and orders concerning tactical operations, the military situation, training, order of battle, and antipartisan actions by 11th Army units in the Petrokrepost (Shlisselburg), Pushkin, and Krasnogvardeisk areas; and preparations and intended execution of Operation "Georg." Report on inspection trip to the Leningrad front concerning the planned Operation "Feuerzauber" (the capture of Leningrad), analysis of the military situation by Field Marshals Keitel and Manstein, special directives for artillery engagements, and maps (1:50,000, and 1:100,000) showing the tactical disposition of 11th Army units on the Leningrad front.	Aug 27 - Sep 20, 1942	33167/3	1696	339

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Ia, Anlagenband 3 z. KTB 2, Russland. Reports and orders concerning the operations, training, combat readiness, order of battle and casualties of 11th Army units; and maps (1:50,000 and 1:100,000) showing the tactical disposition of 11th Army units in the Petrokrepost (Shlisselburg) area; and daily reports on German Air Force operations.	Sep 21 - 30, 1942	33167/4	1697	1
Ia, Anlagenband 4 z. KTB 2, Russland. Reports and orders concerning operations, combat readiness, training, assignment, casualties, antipartisan actions, and preparations for winter; maps (1:100,000) showing the tactical disposition of 11th Army units in Petrokrepost (Shlisselburg) area; reports on the anti-aircraft situation; and special directives for signal communications.	Oct 3 - 18, 1942	33167/5	1697	556
Ia, Anlagenband 5 z. KTB 2, Russland. Reports and orders relating to operations, combat readiness, training, order of battle, strength and casualties, and anti-partisan action by 11th Army units on the northern front; enemy troop identification; appraisal of the combat readiness of an Air Force Field Division; and Operations "Taubenschlag II" (an offensive action in the Velikiye Luki and Toropets areas), "Feuerzauber," and "Nordlicht." Also, a Hitler order concerning the destruction of Soviet sabotage and terror troops.	Oct 19 - Nov 15, 1942	33167/6	1698	1
Ia, Anlagenband 6 z. KTB 2, Russland. Reports on operations, combat readiness, training, and antipartisan actions in the Velikiye Luki area. Directives and a map pertaining to the Operation "Affenkäfig" (action against partisan units in the 11th Army sector).	Nov 16 - 20, 1942	33167/7	1698	706
Ia, Anlagenband 7 z. KTB 2, Lagenkarten Russland. Maps (1:25,000 and 300,000) showing the tactical disposition of 11th Army units in the Lomonosov (Oranienbaum), Velikiye Luki, Toropets, and Petrokrepost (Shlisselburg) areas, Sep 30 - Nov 11, 1942; location of quarters of 11th Army units on the northern front, Aug 28, 1942; the tactical grouping of 11th Army units for Operation "Taubenschlag"; and the tactical disposition of Soviet forces facing the 11th Army sector, Sep 5, 1942. Also, an aerial photograph of Leningrad showing the location of fortifications and gun positions.	Aug 28 - Nov 6, 1942	33167/8	1698	811
Ic/AO, Anlagenband 2 z. TB, Einsätze, Berichte. Reports on sabotage activities; security of transportation and industrial facilities, routes of advance, and				

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supply lines; setting up of native units to protect occupied cities and guard prisoners of war by Abwehr II/6. Lehrregiment Brandenburg z.b.V. 800/Zug Eher and 1e. Pi. Kp., Lehrregiment Brandenburg z.b.V. 800, Organisation Roland, and Abwehrtrupp 201; Operation "Tamara" (plans to establish an insurrection movement in Georgia); and tactical operations of 11th Army units in the Mogilev area.	May 29, 1941 - Jan 22, 1943	35774/3	1698	882