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## GERMAN PROGRAM

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## MODULE 9

### INTRODUCTION

This is the last module of the Headstart Program. Since most of you will have to function in a military environment in Germany, you should be familiar with some of the terminology used by our NATO partner, the Federal Republic of Germany.

Many of the phrases you are going to learn in this module will be useful to you in finding your way around the countryside, and in communicating with your counterparts in the  Bundeswehr, the Federal Defense Forces.

Take your time with this module, for it not only acquaints you with a portion of the German military scene, but also reviews important features of previous modules.

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#### Note on Page Numbering:

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## MODULE 9

### OBJECTIVES

At the end of this module, you will be able to:

- a. Ask how to get to particular German military facilities and units, ask how far they are, and understand general directions on how to get there by car.
- b. Understand and say the names of common German military facilities and units.
- c. Recognize and say most enlisted and officer ranks of the German Army and their respective command titles.
- d. Identify yourself in German as an American soldier or officer by rank, name, and unit.
- e. Answer the question Zu wem wollen Sie? (Whom do you want to see?) with Ich will zu ... (I want to see ...) adding rank, name, and military unit of the person you wish to see.

### EXERCISES

#### AT THE FREEWAY REST STOP

- Mike: Excuse me, captain, how do I get to the Grafenwöhr Military Training Area?
- German: Take the freeway towards Bayreuth, then Federal Highway 14.
- Mike: How far is it?
- German: From here only about 25 km on the freeway, 50 km from the exit to Hirschau, then 30 km to the north on the country road via Kaltenbrunn to Grafenwöhr.
- Mike: Is the joint command post also there?
- German: No, it is about 3 km to the west. Whom do you want to see there?
- Mike: I want to see the American liaison officer, LTC Jones.
- German: Oh, you want to go to Moltke Barracks.



IN EINER AUTOBAHNRASTSTÄTTE

- Mike: Entschuldigen Sie, Herr Hauptmann\*, wie komme ich zum Truppenübungsplatz Grafenwöhr?
- Deutscher: Fahren Sie die Autobahn Richtung Bayreuth, dann Bundesstraße 14.
- Mike: Wie weit ist es?
- Deutscher: Von hier nur etwa 25 km auf der Autobahn, 50 km von der Ausfahrt bis Hirschau, dann 30 km nördlich auf der Landstraße über Kaltenbrunn nach Grafenwöhr.
- Mike: Ist der gemeinsame Gefechtsstand auch da?
- Deutscher: Nein, der ist etwa 3 km westlich. Zu wem wollen Sie da?
- Mike: Ich will zum amerikanischen Verbindungsoffizier, Oberstleutnant Jones.
- Deutscher: Ah, da wollen Sie zur Moltke-Kaserne.

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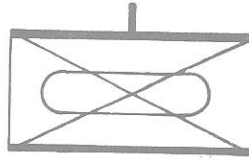
\*In addressing an enlisted soldier or an officer Herr is used before the rank. There is no equivalent to our "Sir" besides the combination of Herr plus the rank without the last name. The phrase "mein Herr" is never used in the military.

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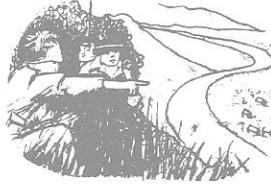
EXERCISE 14.

die Stabskompanie



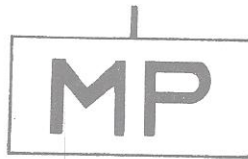
HQ company

die Beobachtungsstelle



observation post

die Feldjägerkompanie



military police company

die Versorgungsstelle



supply point

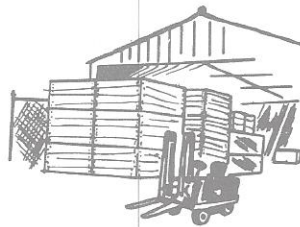
die Funkstelle



communication center

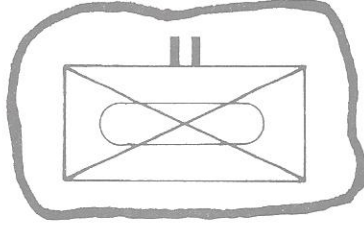
EXERCISE 17.

das Magazin



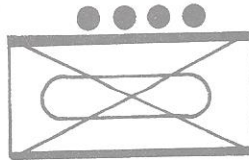
warehouse

der Verfügungsraum



assembly area

das Hauptquartier



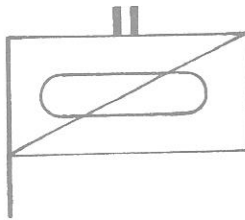
HQ

der Truppenübungsplatz



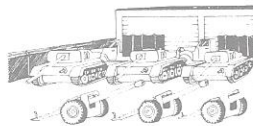
military training area

der Gefechtsstand



command post

das Gerätedepot



equipment depot

der Schießstand



rifle range

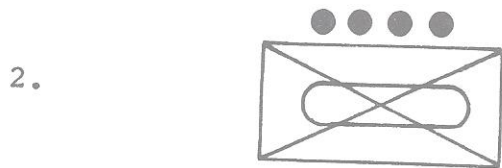


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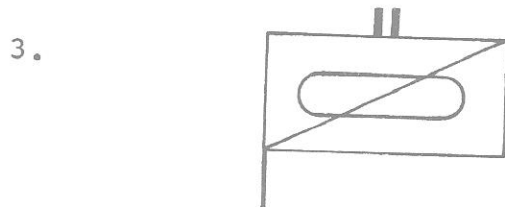
EXERCISE 21.



Feldjägerkompanie



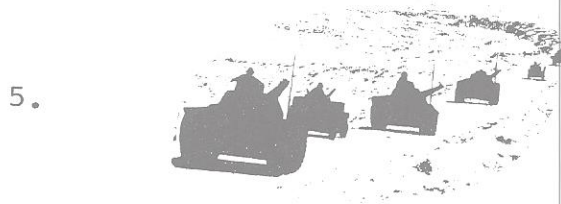
Hauptquartier



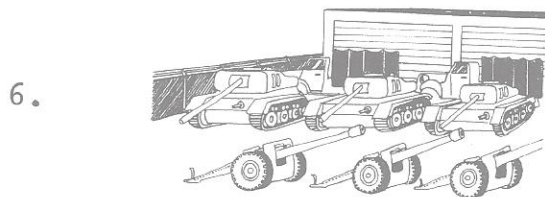
Gefechtsstand



Funkstelle



Truppenübungsplatz



Gerätedepot



Beobachtungsstelle

EXERCISE 23.

Autobahn	freeway, expressway
Bundesstraße	federal highway
Landstraße	country road, (secondary highway)

Fahren Sie die Autobahn **Richtung** Bayreuth,  
dann Bundesstraße 14.

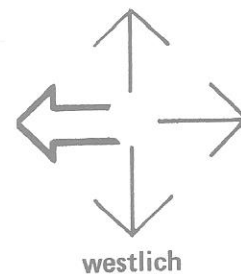
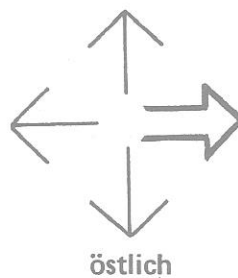
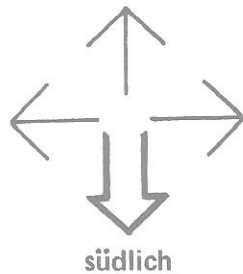
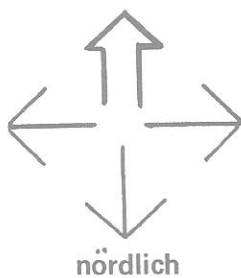
Fahren Sie die Bundesstraße 2 **bis** Bayreuth.

Fahren Sie die Landstraße **nach** Bayreuth.

Fahren Sie die Landstraße hier\* **über** Hirschau,  
dann Bundesstraße 14.

Richtung	in the direction of, towards
bis	as far as
nach	to
über	via, by way of

EXERCISE 25.




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\*die Landstraße hier translates as "the country road here" meaning "this country road."

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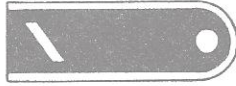
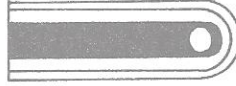
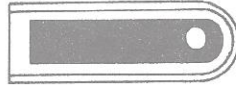
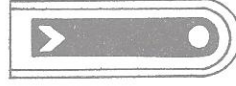




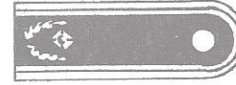
EXERCISE 27.

Mike:	Entschuldigen Sie, wie komme ich zum Truppenübungsplatz?	Excuse me, how do I get to the military training area?
Deutscher:	Fahren Sie östlich auf Bundesstraße 10 bis zur Landstraße nach Hirschau.	Take Federal Highway 10 to the east as far as the country road to Hirschau.
Mike:	Wie weit ist es von da?	How far is it from there?
Deutscher:	Etwa 5 km nördlich.	About 5 km to the north.
Mike:	Vielen Dank.	Thank you very much.

EXERCISE 28.

Ich bin <u>Amerikaner</u> .	I am <u>an American</u> .
Ich bin <u>amerikanischer Soldat</u> .	I am <u>an American soldier</u> .
Ich bin <u>amerikanischer Offizier</u> .	I am <u>an American officer</u> .
Sind Sie <u>Deutscher</u> ?	Are you <u>a German</u> ?
Sind Sie <u>deutscher Soldat</u> ?	Are you <u>a German soldier</u> ?
Sind Sie <u>deutscher Offizier</u> ?	Are you <u>a German officer</u> ?

EXERCISE 30.

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|------------------------|---|---------------------|
| 1. Schütze*            |    | Private             |
| 2. Gefreiter*          |    | Private First Class |
| 3. Unteroffizier*      |    | Sergeant            |
| 4. Stabsunteroffizier* |    | Sergeant            |
| 5. Feldwebel*          |    | Staff Sergeant      |
| 6. Stabsfeldwebel*     |  | Sergeant Major      |
| 7. Leutnant            |  | 2nd Lieutenant      |
| 8. Oberleutnant        |  | 1st Lieutenant      |
| 9. Hauptmann           |  | Captain             |
| 10. Major              |  | Major               |

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\*There are more enlisted ranks in the German Army than in the American Army. Therefore, there is no exact correspondence between German and American enlisted personnel ranks. The first six translations are only approximations.

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11. Oberstleutnant



Lt. Colonel

12. Oberst



Colonel

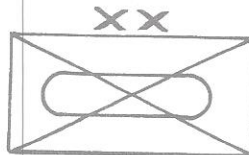
13. General



General

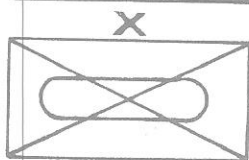
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die Division



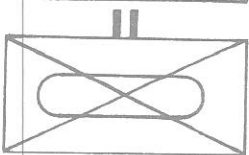
division

die Brigade



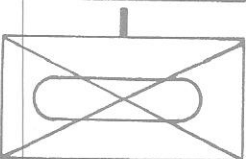
brigade

das Bataillon



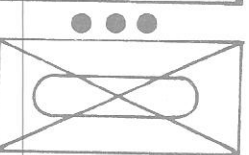
battalion

die Kompanie



company

der Zug

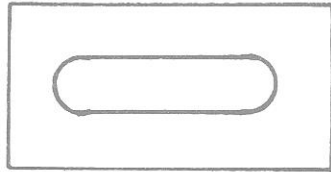


platoon

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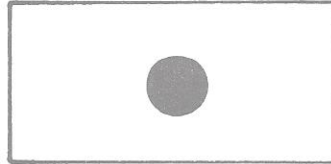
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Panzer



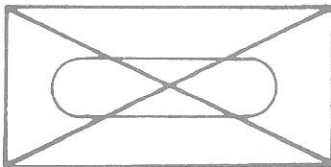
tank (armored or mechanized)

Artillerie



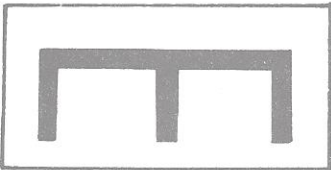
artillery

Grenadier



(mechanized) infantry

Pionier



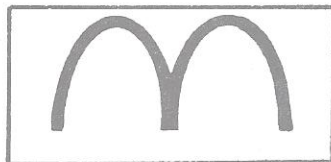
engineer

Feldjäger

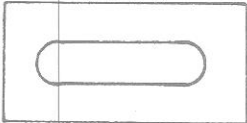
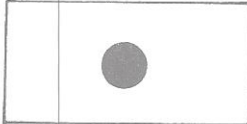


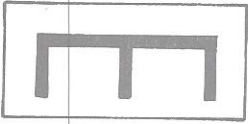
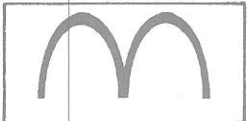


military police

Luftlandeeinheit



airborne unit

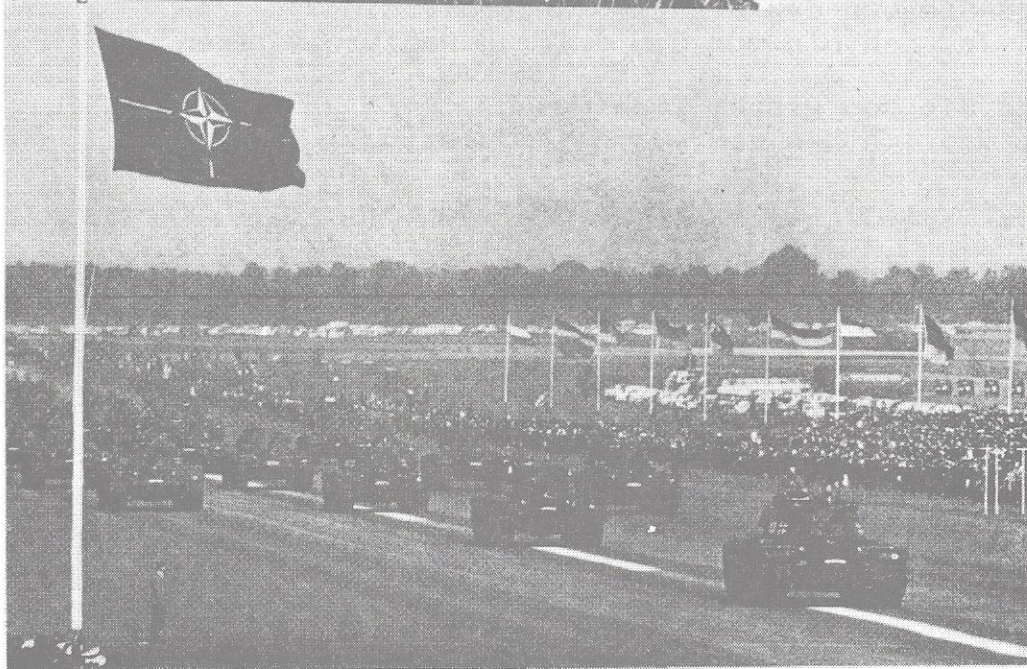
	XX	
1. die Panzerdivision		armored division
2. die Artilleriebrigade	X 	artillery brigade
3. das Panzergrenadierbataillon	 	armored infantry battalion
4. die Feldjägerkompanie	 	military police company
5. der Pionierzug	••• 	engineer platoon
6. die Luftlandedivision	XX 	airborne division

EXERCISE 37.

Sind Sie von der dritten Panzerdivision?  
Ja, ich bin von der dritten Panzerdivision.

Sind Sie vom ersten Pionierzug?  
Ja, ich bin vom ersten Pionierzug.





All Bundeswehr units are integrated into the NATO command structure in Western Europe

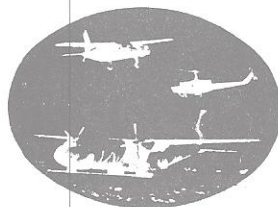


EXERCISE 39.

DIE BUNDESWEHR  
(FEDERAL DEFENSE FORCES)



das Heer  
(Army)



die Luftwaffe  
(Air Force)



die Marine  
(Navy)

der Zugführer

the platoon leader

der Kompaniechef

the company commander

der Bataillonskommandeur

the battalion commander

der Brigadekommandeur

the brigade commander

der Divisionskommandeur

the division commander

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wer?    who?

EXERCISE 42.

Example: Zu wem wollen Sie?

Zum Kompaniechef, Leutnant Schneider.

Ich will zum Kompaniechef, Leutnant Schneider.

1. ... zum Bataillonskommandeur, Oberstleutnant Braun.
2. ... zum Zugführer, Feldwebel Mayer.
3. ... zum Brigadekommandeur, Oberst Kessler.
4. ... zum Kompaniechef, Hauptmann Schneider.
5. ... zum Divisionskommandeur, Generalmajor Ziegler.
6. ... zum Zugführer, Unteroffizier Weiss.

EXERCISE 45.

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|----|------------|---|--|
| 1. | Mike:      | Wie komme ich zur Stabskompanie?                                      | How do I get to the headquarters company?                        |
|    | Deutscher: | Fahren Sie die Landstraße hier links.                                 | Take this country road to the left.                              |
|    | Mike:      | Danke schön.  | Thanks a lot.  |
|    | Deutscher: | Bitte sehr.   | You're welcome.  |
| 2. | Mike:      | Wie weit ist es zum gemeinsamen Gefechtsstand?                        | How far is it to the joint command post?                         |
|    | Deutscher: | Etwa drei Kilometer westlich von hier.                                | About three kilometers to the west of here.                      |
|    | Mike:      | Danke.  | Thanks.  |
| 3. | Mike:      | Wie komme ich nach Bayreuth?  | How do I get to Bayreuth?  |
|    | Deutscher: | Fahren Sie die Bundesstraße 300, dann die Autobahn Richtung Nürnberg. | Take Federal Highway 300, then the freeway towards Nuremberg.    |
|    | Mike:      | Ist es weit?  | Is it far?   |
|    | Deutscher: | Von Nürnberg bis Bayreuth etwa 80 Kilometer.                          | From Nuremberg to Bayreuth about 80 kilometers.                  |
| 4. | Mike:      | Wie komme ich von hier zum Truppenübungsplatz Grafenwöhr?             | How do I get from here to the Grafenwöhr Military Training Area? |
|    | Deutscher: | Fahren Sie die Landstraße über Hirschau.                              | Take the country road by way of Hirschau.                        |

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5. Mike: Wie komme ich zum Hauptquartier in Heidelberg? How do I get to headquarters in Heidelberg?
- Deutscher: Fahren Sie die Autobahn in Richtung Basel. Take the freeway towards Basel.
- Mike: Und dann? And then?
- Deutscher: Dann nehmen Sie die Ausfahrt Heidelberg und fahren die Bundesstraße 37 geradeaus. Then you take the Heidelberg exit and take Federal Highway 37 straight ahead.
6. Mike: Ist es weit zur Funkstelle? Is it far to the communication center?
- Deutscher: Nein, nur einen Kilometer auf der Landstraße hier. No, only one kilometer on this country road.
7. Deutscher: Sind Sie deutscher Soldat? Are you a German soldier?
- Mike: Nein, ich bin amerikanischer Soldat. No, I am an American soldier.
8. Deutscher: Ist Major Kessler Ihr Bataillonskommandeur? Is Major Kessler your battalion commander?
- Mike: Nein, Oberstleutnant Braun ist der Bataillonskommandeur. No, Lieutenant Colonel Braun is the battalion commander.
9. Deutscher: Wohin wollen Sie? Where do you want to go?
- Mike: Ich will zum Gefechtsstand. I want to go to the command post.
- Deutscher: Zu wem wollen Sie da? Whom do you want to see there?
- Mike: Ich will zum amerikanischen Verbindungs-offizier, Hauptmann Smith. I want to see the American liaison officer, Captain Smith.

10. Mike: Wo ist Ihr Zugführer?  
 Deutscher: Er ist da drüben auf dem Schießstand.  
 Where is your platoon leader?  
 He is over there on the rifle range.
11. Mike: Wo ist das 4. Panzergrenadierbataillon?  
 Deutscher: Es ist 3 km westlich vom Hauptquartier.  
 Where is the 4th mechanized infantry battalion?  
 It is 3 km west of headquarters.
12. Mike: Wo ist das Gerätedepot?  
 Deutscher: Es ist östlich vom Gefechtsstand.  
 Mike: Ist es weit?  
 Deutscher: Nein, nur 10 Minuten zu Fuß.  
 Where is the equipment depot?  
 It is east of the command post.  
 Is it far?  
 No, only 10 minutes on foot.
13. Mike: Wie komme ich zur Feldjägerkompanie?  
 Deutscher: Fahren Sie die Straße hier links und dann geradeaus.  
 Mike: Vielen Dank.  
 How do I get to the military police company?  
 Take this street here to the left and then straight ahead.  
 Thank you very much.
14. Mike: Wer ist Ihr Kompaniechef?  
 Deutscher: Oberleutnant Huber.  
 Mike: Wo ist er?  
 Deutscher: Er ist da drüben im Gerätedepot.  
 Who is your company commander?  
 1st Lieutenant Huber.  
 Where is he?  
 He is over there in the equipment depot.

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15. Mike: Ist das 6. Panzer-  
bataillon südlich  
oder nördlich von  
hier? Is the 6th armored bat-  
talion to the south or  
north of here?
- Deut- Es ist 6 km östlich  
scher: von hier. It is 6 km to the east  
of here.

Gen. Blanchard (right) presents an award to Bundeswehr Capt. Baron Karl-Gunther von Zedlitz, commander of Nachschubkompanie 740, an outstanding Project Partnership unit



## SELF-EVALUATION QUIZ

### PART I.

You will hear eight situations in English. For each you will hear three expressions in German. Select the German expression most appropriate to the situation by writing A, B, or C on a sheet of paper. Then check your answers with the key. If you made any mistakes, make a note of the item number and continue. Start your tape now.

1. You want to know how to get to the communication center. What would you say?
2. You want to know how far it is to the equipment depot. What would you say?
3. You want to know how to get to the headquarters company. What would you say?
4. You want to know how far it is to the supply point. What would you say?
5. You want to know how to get to the military training area. What would you say?
6. You want to know how far it is to the rifle range. What would you say?
7. You want to know how to get to the military police company. What would you say?
8. You want to know how far it is to the command post. What would you say?

### PART II.

You will hear eight German sentences. Each sentence will be said twice. From the three English statements, select the best translation by writing A, B, or C on a sheet of paper. After you finish Part II, check your selections with the key. All selections must be correct. If you made a mistake, make a note of the item number and continue. Start your tape now.

1. A. Take Federal Highway 10 to Stuttgart.  
B. Drive down this road 10 kilometers to Stuttgart.  
C. Take country road 10 to Stuttgart.

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2. A. Take Federal Highway 14 to Nuremberg.  
B. Take this highway 14 towards Nuremberg.  
C. Take Federal Highway 14 by way of Nuremberg.
3. A. Take this country road to the military police company.  
B. Take this country road to the communication center.  
C. Take this federal highway to the communication center.
4. A. The equipment depot is 3 km north of here.  
B. The rifle range is 3 km on the country road.  
C. The command post is 3 km from here.
5. A. The military training area is 30 km west of here.  
B. The rifle range is 13 km west of here.  
C. The command post is 30 km west of here.
6. A. The equipment depot is 8 km to the south of here.  
B. The equipment depot is 8 km to the north of here.  
C. The warehouse is 8 km to the north of here.
7. A. The assembly area is 5 km to the south of headquarters.  
B. The supply point is 5 km to the south of headquarters.  
C. The supply point is 15 km to the south of headquarters.
8. A. The assembly area is west of the command post.  
B. The training area is east of the command post.  
C. The assembly area is east of the command post.

### PART III.

Below are 10 names, ranks, and some units. Identify yourself in German by using either the names and units given, or by saying that you are from the unit indicated. Eight out of ten answers must be correct. If you made more than two mistakes, consult the "Guide for Review" and do the exercises indicated before going on to Part IV of this quiz. Start your tape now.

1. 1LT Jones, 4th Military Police Company
2. PFC Smith, 2nd Engineer Platoon
3. LTC Miller, 26th Armored Infantry Battalion
4. SSG Brown, 3rd Artillery Brigade
5. CPT Harris, HQ Company
6. SGT Smith
7. LTC Anderson, Battalion Commander, 26th Armored Battalion

8. 82nd Airborne Division
9. 1st Armored Infantry Division
10. SGM Brown

PART IV.

You will be asked to say that you want to see the six persons listed below. When you hear "STOP," stop speaking. If you didn't know what to say in the time provided, consult the "Guide for Review." Five out of six responses must be correct. Start your tape now.

1. LTC Miller, Battalion Commander, 26th Armored Infantry Battalion
2. American Liaison Officer, CPT Harris
3. SGT Schmidt, 2nd Engineer Platoon
4. COL Webster, 4th Airborne Brigade
5. MAJ Wilcox, 2nd Armored Division
6. 1LT Jones, Company Commander, 3rd Military Police Company

This is the end of the Self-evaluation Quiz. If you made no mistakes, --- congratulations! If you did make more mistakes than were allowed, check the "Guide for Review."

## KEY TO SELF-EVALUATION QUIZ

PART I.

1. B
2. B
3. C
4. C
5. C
6. C
7. A
8. A

PART II.

1. A
2. C
3. B
4. C
5. A
6. B
7. B
8. C



## GUIDE FOR REVIEW

If you missed more questions than were allowed in the parts listed below, do the exercises indicated.

Part I	Any question:	Do Supplementary Exercise A.
Part II	Any question:	Do Supplementary Exercise B.
Part III	More than two wrong:	Review Exercises 30, 35, and 39 in your book, and do Supplementary Exercise C.
Part IV	More than one wrong:	Review Exercises 30, 35, and 39 in your book, and do Supplementary Exercise C.

### SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISE A.

1. Cover the right column and translate the German units and installations into English.

a.	der Gefechtsstand	command post
b.	das Gerätedepot	equipment depot
c.	die Versorgungsstelle	supply point
d.	die Funkstelle	communication center
e.	der Schießstand	rifle range
f.	der Truppenübungsplatz	military training area
g.	die Stabskompanie	headquarters company
h.	die Feldjägerkompanie	military police company

Now cover the left column and say the English words in German.

2. Select the correct English question for each German one.

a. Wie komme ich zur Beobachtungsstelle?

- (1) How do I get to the observation post?
- (2) How do I get to the supply point?
- (3) How far is it to the observation post?

b. Wie weit ist es zum Schießstand?

- (1) How do I get to the command post?
- (2) How far is it to the warehouse?
- (3) How far is it to the rifle range?

c. Wie komme ich zum Gerätedepot?

- (1) How far is it to the command post?
- (2) How do I get to the warehouse?
- (3) How do I get to the equipment depot?

d. Wie komme ich zum Hauptquartier?

- (1) Where is HQ company?
- (2) How far is HQ company?
- (3) How do I get to headquarters?

e. Wie weit ist es zum Truppenübungsplatz?

- (1) Where is the troop assembly area?
- (2) How far is it to the military training area?
- (3) How far is it to the troop assembly area?

f. Wie komme ich zum Verfügungsraum?

- (1) How do I get to the assembly area?
- (2) How do I get to the military training area?
- (3) How far is it to the assembly area?

g. Wie weit ist es zum Gefechtsstand?

- (1) How far is it to the command post?
- (2) How far is it to HQ company?
- (3) How do I get to the command post?

h. Wie komme ich zur Versorgungsstelle?

- (1) How do I get to the assembly area?
- (2) How far is it to the observation post?
- (3) How do I get to the supply point?

- i. Wie weit ist es zur Funkstelle?
- (1) Where is the communication center?
  - (2) How far is it to the communication center?
  - (3) How do I get to the communication center?
- j. Wie komme ich zur Feldjägerkompanie?
- (1) How do I get to the military police company?
  - (2) How do I get to the assembly area?
  - (3) How far is it to the supply point?

KEY.

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|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| a. (1) | b. (3) | c. (3) | d. (3) | e. (2) |
| f. (1) | g. (1) | h. (3) | i. (2) | j. (1) |

SUPPLEMENTARY SELF-EVALUATION QUIZ A

Cover the right column and ask the questions in the left column in German.

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|---|---|
| 1. How far is it to the rifle range?            | Wie weit ist es zum Schießstand?        |
| 2. How do I get to the supply point?            | Wie komme ich zur Versorgungsstelle?    |
| 3. How do I get to the command post?            | Wie komme ich zum Gefechtsstand?        |
| 4. How far is it to the military training area? | Wie weit ist es zum Truppenübungsplatz? |
| 5. How far is it to the assembly area?          | Wie weit ist es zum Verfügungsraum?     |
| 6. How do I get to the headquarters?            | Wie komme ich zum Hauptquartier?        |

If you made no mistakes and do not have to do any other supplementary exercises, congratulations--you've finished.

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### SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISE B.

Cover the right column and translate the directions in the left column into English.

Fahren Sie Bundesstraße 37 nach Heidelberg.

Take Federal Highway 37 to Heidelberg.

Fahren Sie die Landstraße über Hirschau.

Take the country road via Hirschau.

Fahren Sie Bundesstraße 14 über Nürnberg, dann die Autobahn Richtung München.

Take Federal Highway 14 via Nuremberg, then the freeway towards Munich.

Der Gefechtsstand ist 3 km von hier.

The command post is 3 km from here.

Der Schießstand ist östlich von hier.

The rifle range is east of here.

Der Truppenübungsplatz ist 30 km westlich von hier.

The military training area is 30 km west of here.

Das Gerätedepot ist südlich von der Ausfahrt.

The equipment depot is south of the exit.

Die Versorgungsstelle ist fünf Kilometer nördlich vom Hauptquartier.

The supply point is 5 km north of the headquarters.

Der Verfügungsraum ist östlich vom Gefechtsstand.

The assembly area is east of the command post.

### SUPPLEMENTARY SELF-EVALUATION QUIZ B

#### PART I.

Select the correct German equivalent from the choices given.

1. Der Verfügungsraum ist östlich vom Gefechtsstand.
  - A. The supply point is east of the command post.
  - B. The assembly area is east of the command post.

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2. Fahren Sie die Landstraße hier zur Funkstelle.
  - A. Take the country road here to the communication center.
  - B. Take the federal highway here to the communication center.
3. Fahren Sie die Autobahn Richtung München.
  - A. Take the freeway via Munich.
  - B. Take the freeway towards Munich.
4. Das Gerätedepot ist 8 km nördlich von hier.
  - A. The supply point is 8 km north of here.
  - B. The equipment depot is 8 km north of here.
5. Fahren Sie Bundesstraße 14 über Nürnberg.
  - A. Take Federal Highway 14 towards Nuremberg.
  - B. Take Federal Highway 14 via Nuremberg.

KEY.

1. B    2. A    3. B    4. B    5. B

PART II.

Cover the right column, read the directions in the left column aloud and translate into English.

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. Der Gefechtsstand ist 40 km von hier.              | The command post is 40 km from here.               |
| 2. Fahren Sie die Autobahn Richtung München.          | Take the freeway towards Munich.                   |
| 3. Fahren Sie Bundesstraße 3 über Regensburg.         | Take Federal Highway 3 via Regensburg.             |
| 4. Fahren Sie die Landstraße nach Grafenwöhr.         | Take the country road towards Grafenwöhr.          |
| 5. Der Truppenübungsplatz ist 80 km südlich von hier. | The military training area is 80 km south of here. |

If you made no mistakes and do not have to do any other supplementary exercises, congratulations! If you did make mistakes, review Supplementary Exercise B.

SUPPLEMENTARY EXERCISE C.

1. Cover the right column and say the ranks in the left column in German.

a. Captain	Hauptmann
b. Major	Major
c. Sergeant	Unteroffizier
d. Staff Sergeant	Feldwebel
e. Private First Class	Gefreiter
f. Private	Schütze
g. First Lieutenant	Oberleutnant
h. Lieutenant Colonel	Oberstleutnant
i. Sergeant Major	Stabsfeldwebel
j. Colonel	Oberst

Do this exercise until you can translate without hesitation.

2. Cover the right column and say the units in the left column in German.

a. Military Police Company	die Feldjägerkompanie
b. Engineer Platoon	der Pionierzug
c. Armored Infantry Battalion	das Panzergrenadierbataillon
d. Artillery Brigade	die Artilleriebrigade
e. HQ Company	die Stabskompanie
f. Armored Battalion	das Panzerbataillon
g. Airborne Division	die Luftlandedivision

Do this exercise until you can say the units without hesitation.

SUPPLEMENTARY SELF-EVALUATION QUIZ C

Cover the right column and identify yourself in German as the person in the left column. Start your sentence with "Ich bin ..."

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|--|---|
| 1. 1LT Smith, 4th Military Police Company    | Oberleutnant Smith von der vierten Feldjägerkompanie      |
| 2. LTC Brown, 2nd Armored Infantry Battalion | Oberstleutnant Brown vom zweiten Panzergrenadierbataillon |
| 3. SGT Harris, 3rd Artillery Brigade         | Unteroffizier Harris von der dritten Artilleriebrigade    |
| 4. PFC Jones, HQ Company                     | Gefreiter Jones von der Stabskompanie                     |
| 5. CPT Miller, 4th Airborne Brigade          | Hauptmann Miller von der vierten Luftlandebrigade         |

If you made no mistakes and do not have to do any other supplementary exercises, congratulations! If you did make a mistake, review Supplementary Exercise C.

# VOCABULARY

amerikanisch amerikanischer Soldat	American American soldier
die Artillerie	artillery
die Artilleriebrigade	artillery brigade
die Ausfahrt	exit
die Autobahnraststätte	freeway rest stop (with a restaurant)
das Bataillon	battalion
der Bataillonskommandeur	battalion commander
die Beobachtungsstelle	observation post
bis	as far as
die Brigade	brigade
der Brigadekommandeur	brigade commander
die Bundesstraße	federal highway
die Bundeswehr	Federal Defense Forces
deutsch deutscher Soldat	German German soldier
die Division	division
der Divisionskommandeur	division commander
er	he
etwa	about, approximately
die Feldjäger (pl.)	military police
die Feldjägerkompanie	military police company
der Feldwebel	staff sergeant



die Funkstelle	communication center, radio station
der Gefechtsstand	command post
der Gefreite	private first class
gemeinsam	common, joint
der gemeinsame Gefechtsstand	joint command post
der General	general
das Gerätedepot	equipment depot
der Grenadier	infantryman
der Hauptmann	captain
das Hauptquartier	headquarters
das Heer	Army
die Kompanie	company
der Kompaniechef	company commander
die Landstraße	country road (paved), secondary highway
der Leutnant	2nd lieutenant
die Luftlandedivision	airborne division
die Luftlandeeinheit	airborne unit
die Luftwaffe	Air Force
das Magazin	warehouse
der Major	major
die Marine	Navy

nördlich nördlich von	to the north to the north of
der Oberleutnant	1st lieutenant
der Oberst	colonel
der Oberstleutnant	lieutenant colonel
der Offizier amerikanischer Offizier deutscher Offizier	officer American officer German officer
östlich östlich von	to the east to the east of
der Panzer Panzer-	tank, armor armored
die Panzerdivision	armored division
das Panzergrenadierbataillon	armored infantry battalion
der Pionier	engineer
der Pionierzug	engineer platoon
Richtung	in the direction of, towards
der Schießstand	rifle range
der Schütze	private
der Soldat	soldier
der Stabsfeldwebel	sergeant major
die Stabskompanie	HQ company
der Stabsunteroffizier	sergeant
südlich südlich von	to the south to the south of
der Truppenübungsplatz	military training area

über	via, by way of
der Unteroffizier	sergeant
der Verbindungsoffizier	liaison officer
der Verfügungsraum	assembly area
die Versorgungsstelle	supply point
wem	(to) whom
zu wem	to whom
Zu wem wollen Sie?	Whom do you want to see?
wer	who
westlich	to the west
westlich von	to the west of
der Zug	platoon
der Zugführer	platoon leader