EINSATZGRUPPEN ROUTES, 1941

- German-Soviet border: September 1939-June 1941
- Paths of Einsatzgruppen in 1941
- Front-line on December 5, 1941

EINSATZGRUPPE A

EINSATZGRUPPE B

EINSATZGRUPPE C

EINSATZGRUPPE D
MAP OF GAS VAN OPERATIONS
On 29 December 1942, Himmler presented Hitler with the *Meldung an den Führer über Bandenbekämpfung* ("Report to the Führer on fighting against gangs") Nr. 51.

This report, which covered the period from August to November 1942, and which referred only to southern Russia, Ukraine and the district of Bialystok; included the following numbers concerning persons imprisoned or executed:

1. Bandits
   a) Established number of deaths after combat 1,337
   b) Prisoners executed immediately 737
   c) Prisoners executed after lengthy thorough interrogation 7,828

2. Gang helpers and suspects
   a) Arrested 16,553
   b) Executed 14,257
   c) Jews executed 363,211

This is one of the few Nazi records that explicitly mentioned the killing of Jews, without euphemisms.
A diagram drawn by an unidentified German soldier describes details of an Aktion at Zhitomir in the Ukraine, during which about 500 Jews were shot. As illustrated, Jews were forced to dig a ditch and then kneel at the edge. Each would be shot in the back of the head and then fall into the ditch.
Map from the Stahlecker Report, entitled, "Jewish Executions Carried out by Einsatzgruppen A," showing coffins and numbers of executions carried out in Europe.

This map was entered into evidence at the Einsatzgruppen trial.

The map shows the area between the German-Soviet Demarcation Line and the area of the farthest German Army advance in the Soviet Union at the time. A Summary Report of charts, maps, and illustrations were compiled by SS-Brigadier General Stahlecker. This information was presented to the Reich Security Main Office in Berlin in February 1942.

All of the deaths recorded in this map occurred between October 16, 1941 and January 31, 1942.
A chart prepared by Dr. Franz Walter Stahlecker, the first commander of Einsatzgruppe A, describing the ethnic make-up of the Baltic States as of 1935.

Date: 1941 October 15 - 1942 January 31