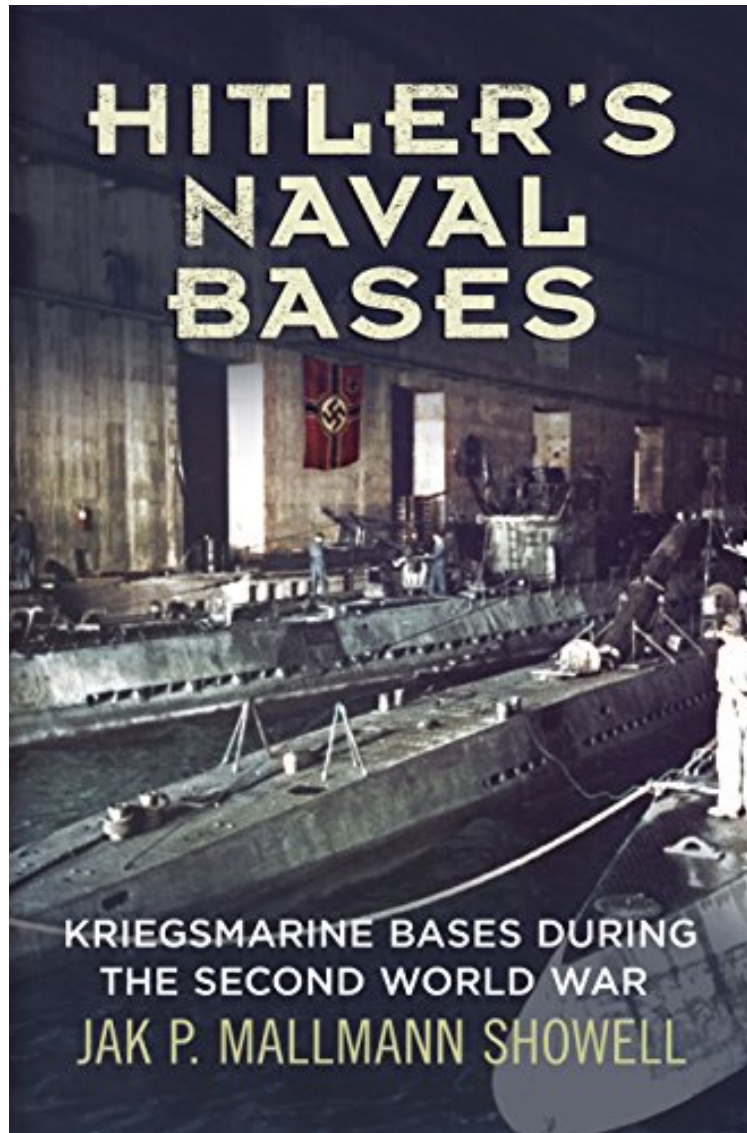


[Mobile book] Hitler's Naval Bases: Kriegsmarine Bases During the Second World War

# Hitler's Naval Bases: Kriegsmarine Bases During the Second World War

*Jak P. Mallmann Showell*

*DOC | \*audiobook | ebooks | Download PDF | ePub*



DOWNLOAD



+

READ ONLINE

#1563816 in Books 2014-03-19Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 9.80 x .90 x 7.00l, 1.80 #File Name: 1781551987256 pages | File size: 40.Mb

**Jak P. Mallmann Showell : Hitler's Naval Bases: Kriegsmarine Bases During the Second World War** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Hitler's Naval Bases: Kriegsmarine Bases During the Second World War:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The title of the book describes the book perfectly.By KosieZThe title of the book describes the book perfectly. It is a well researched and very detailed book about the Naval Bases of the

Kriegsmarine during World War 2. It tells about all the different kinds of bases, describes the history of the bigger bases used by the Kriegsmarine and also about the staff and sailors working there and life on the base. There are also lots of details about the different coastal artillery used and about the men manning it. A very unique book and recommended for readers that want to find out more about the "land" side of Hitler's navy. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By Ron McDonald EXCELLENT 6 of 8 people found the following review helpful. Great book By scott bailey A well written book that covers everything on naval bases for the German. This book covers all the extras not found in any other book. The locations of every naval station and unit assigned to it is listed. This book also covers German terms used by the navy and has an interesting section on life at the base and normal routines used, plus naval regulation are discussed as well. I found the most interesting by far is the amount of flak units used by the navy.

Throughout the Second World War, Hitler's U-boats and surface battleships - particularly the dreaded Bismarck and Tirpitz - were a constant threat to Allied shipping. They exacted a massive toll, despite being outnumbered by the Royal Navy. But the vital contribution of Hitler's naval bases, which constructed, supplied, maintained and protected the German fleet all over the world, is often neglected. Jak P. Mallmann Showell has spent over forty years researching the role played by these bases; he has interviewed hundreds of veterans, visited dozens of locations and has amassed a vast collection of photographs to form the most comprehensive and illuminating work on the subject to date. The planning and labor that went into the construction of Germany's network of naval bases and coastal batteries is remarkable, as is the degree of organization and discipline that induced their efficient operation. From utterly remote, unmanned positions consisting of little more than a hidden stock of supplies, to the immense naval complexes of Lorient, Kiel and Wilhelmshaven, Mallmann Showell describes with fascinating detail the various functions and departments, how they were run and organized, and what it was like to live and work on a German base in wartime. He also details the anatomies of the many coastal artillery batteries and the manifold duties of the men of the naval artillery and infantry. Beautifully illustrated with over 200 previously unpublished photographs, Hitler's Naval Bases is, without question, the definitive book on this principal branch of the Kriegsmarine.

About the Author JAK P. MALLMANN SHOWELL's first book (U-boats Under the Swastika) is one of the longest selling naval books in Germany and his second (The German Navy in World War Two) was named as one of the outstanding books of the year by the United States Naval Institute. His research is based exclusively on original documents such as logs, personal accounts written shortly after the events and interviews. His reviewers have named him as being 'the respected authority'. Jak has been awarded the Silver U-boat Badge by the German Submariners' Association in Munich. He has also presented lectures at special Battle of the Atlantic weekends and has helped with the production of TV and radio programmes.