

USAG BAVARIA ENVIRONMENTAL FACT SHEET



USAG Bavaria Environmental Division

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Protecting our natural heritage



Managing hazardous material and waste



Protecting our cultural heritage



Monitoring and remediation



Education and outreach

Our Mission: The ultimate goal of the USAG Bavaria's environmental program is to ensure all military training requirements are met, while at the same time protecting the environment for future generations.

The Environmental Division oversees hazardous material and waste management, monitors and remediates contaminated sites, conserves natural and cultural resources, conducts environmental training, and instills a sense of awareness in the public.

Support the Military Mission and Ensure Sustainability

The Garrison follows the Army's sustainability vision with a systematic approach to the triple bottom line of mission, environment, and community. Military use has priority on USAG Bavaria installations, but that does not have to come at a cost to the environment. Responsible stewardship of natural resources on military training installations is an essential part of the military mission. Our role is to ensure the USAG Bavaria community complies with all necessary environmental requirements while receiving the best training and living opportunities.

Facts and Figures

- ◆ Grafenwoehr Training Area
- ◆ Tower Barracks
- ◆ Rose Barracks

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DPW Environmental Division

Tower Barracks
Bldg. #389
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<https://home.army.mil/bavaria/index.php/environmental>

The Base	
Base population	25,562
Units coming to Grafenwoehr for training each year	Approximately 180,000
Number of different nations that train in Grafenwoehr	36
Environmental Division	
Staff	16
Approximate annual budget	\$10.5 million
Grafenwoehr Training Area	
Acres of land	56,567
Acres of land protected under Natura 2000	47,619 (84.2%)
Open land and facilities	45%
Forest	55%
Ranges	44
Technical Infrastructure	
Hazardous materials storage areas	190
Hazardous waste accumulation points	174
Hazardous waste storage areas	2
Recycling centers	2
Contaminated soil storage area	1
Motor pools	55
Maintenance and refueling pads	42
Sewage treatment plants	1
Wash racks	6
POL separators	165
Underground/aboveground storage tanks	345
Remediation	
Surface water sampling points	26
Surface water monitoring stations	8
Groundwater monitoring wells	350
Water protection areas (outside the training area)	10
Natural Resources	
Eco-account value (environmental compensation)	\$2.24 million
Plant/animal species determined through surveys	>3,000
Legally protected plant species	673
Legally protected animal species	116
Endangered plant species (Red List)	356
Endangered animal species (Red List)	577
Fish monitoring	Every 7 years
Cultural Heritage	
Archeological sites	92
Building monuments	2