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## "Etudiez Les Parachutistes Allies" Leaflet

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	National Air and Space Museum Archives
<b>Title:</b>	"Etudiez Les Parachutistes Allies" Leaflet
<b>Date:</b>	1944
<b>Identifier:</b>	NASM.2000.0031
<b>Extent:</b>	0.05 Cubic feet (1 folder)
<b>Language:</b>	French .
<b>Summary:</b>	During World War II, the Allies dropped leaflets on France to help the populace recognize Allied paratroopers. This item is a leaflet, entitled "'Etudiez les Parachutistes Allies," which was dropped by the Allies in France on June 4, 1944.
<b>Digital Content:</b>	<a href="#">Image(s): "Etudiez Les Parachutistes Allies" Leaflet</a>

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Gaston A. Schmidt, Gift, 2000, NASM.2000.0031.

### Processing Information

Arranged and described by Patricia Williams, 2000. Updated and encoded by Jessamyn Lloyd, 2022.

### Preferred Citation

"Etudiez Les Parachutistes Allies" Leaflet, NASM.2000.0031, National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution.

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## Biographical / Historical

During World War II, the Allies dropped leaflets on France to help the populace recognize Allied paratroopers.

## Scope and Contents

This item is a leaflet, entitled "'Etudiez les Parachutistes Allies," which was dropped by the Allies in France on June 4, 1944. It was found by the donor in the forest of St. Germain-en-Leye on June 5, 1944. The booklet, which is eight pages long and measures approximately 4 by 5 inches, consists of instructions, in French, of what to do in case of an Allied landing, with corresponding pictures of United States and British equipment, military uniforms, and ranks.

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## Arrangement

Collection is a single item.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Aeronautics  
World War, 1939-1945

Types of Materials:

Pamphlets