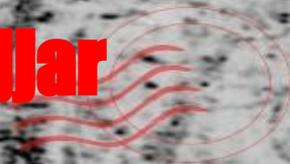




Non-Aggression Pact

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Key Dates and Events

- Signed on August 23rd, 1939.
- It fell apart in June, 1941
- U.S.S.R was invaded by Germany on June 22, 1941



(Hitler betrayed Stalin. That's why the pact fell apart)

Countries Involved



Germany



Soviet Union

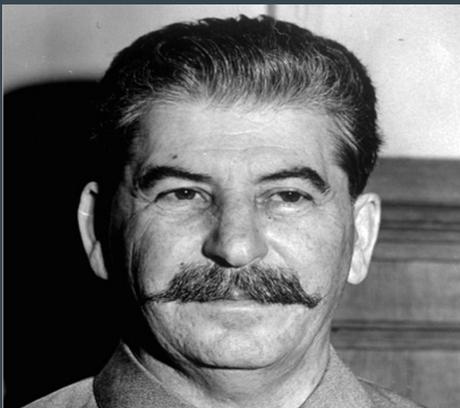
(These countries were involved because they both signed the Non-Aggression Pact, and Hitler invaded U.S.S.R. because he wanted to take over the eastern part of Europe)

People Involved

Joseph Stalin-communist dictator of Soviet Union (1879-1953)

Adolf Hitler-fascist dictator of Germany (1889-1945)

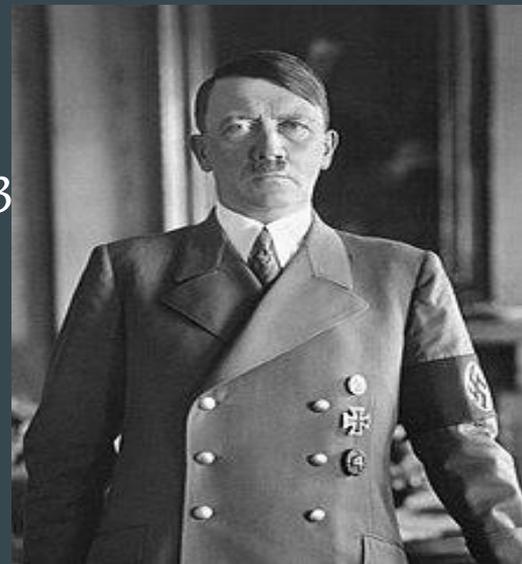
Nazi party -group lead by Hitler



Joseph Stalin



NAZI party



Adolf Hitler

Summary

On April 13, 1941 Joseph Stalin (Soviet Union) and Adolf Hitler (Germany) signed the Non-Aggression Pact that agreed to take no military action against each other for the next 10 years. They signed it because they both wanted to take over Europe. As a result, Hitler turned his back to Stalin because he (surprisingly) wanted to take over the eastside of Europe- the Soviet Union. Operation Barbarossa was a code name for the Germans to attack/invade the U.S.S.R.



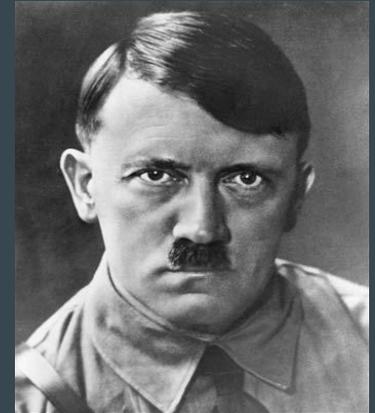
German Troops



Joseph Stalin about to sign the Non-Aggression Pact

Significance

- Germany and the U.S.S.R agreed to take no military action against each other for the next 10 years.
- As a result, Hitler turned his back on Stalin because he was anti-communist and Stalin was a communist.
- Stalin thought the Non-Aggression Pact was to make Germany and U.S.S.R peaceful.



Primary Source

<http://www.history.com/shows/wwii-in-hd/videos/battle-of-stalingrad>



More Facts:

1. The pact also contained a secret agreement in which the Soviets and Germans agreed on how they would later divide up Eastern Europe.
2. The pact was also called the Ribbentrop-Molotov Pact and the German-Soviet Non-Aggression Pact.
3. Hitler planned to launch his “blitzkrieg” (quick surprise attacks) on August 25, 1939.



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