

## ABBREVIATIONS AND CATALOGUES USED

Abbreviations		Catalogues used	
vg(c)	very good (condition)	ANK	Austria Netto Spezialkatalog
cat	catalogue(d)	Ferch	Ferchenbauer Handbook 2008
cds	circular date-stamp	SG	Stanley Gibbons
drs	double-ring date-stamp	Mü(ller)	Müller - Postmark Handbooks
fpc	field post card	Tabacaru	KuK Feldpost Mail Part 1
ppc	picture postcard	T&S	Tchilnghirian & Stephens
psc	postal-stationery card	Wurth	Special Postmarks handbook
p, pts	points	Rainer	Field postmarks handbook
POW	prisoner of War	Klein	Postmarks handbook 1867-1899
TPO	travelling post-office	Kühnel	Postablagen handbook

## INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS AND VENDORS

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You may bid by post or by e-mail (but not by telephone please). E-mail bids will be acknowledged; if you do not hear from me within three days, please contact me. The bidding-steps are at the top of the bidding-form. Bids not conforming to bidding-steps will be rounded up to the next step. Payment by UK buyers will normally be by sterling cheque. UK and overseas buyers may pay by VISA card or Pay-Pal, for both of which there is a service charge. Details of these charges can be seen in our journal **AUSTRIA** and will be sent with your invoice.

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