

## Surviving M53 Self-Propelled Guns

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Listed here are the M53 self-propelled guns and T97, T162 self-propelled guns prototypes that still exist today.



<http://www.hartziel.de/>

M53 – Artillery School, Idar-Oberstein (Germany)



Michael Wuttke, September 2008

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<https://socalamps.org/index.php/m53-spg/>

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M53 – American Society of Military History "Tankland", South El Monte, CA (USA)



"Paulhamus Photography", June 2008 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/fobbyphoto/3509443386/>

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M53 – Virginia War Museum, Newport News, VA (USA)



Kevin Webb - <http://www.pbase.com/dumrox/military&page=all>

### M53 – Anthony Aviation, Pompano Beach, FL (USA)

The vehicle in old camouflage: <http://www.com-central.net/index.php?name=Forums&file=viewtopic&t=8910&highlight=m53>

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Roger Davis

### M53 "Link the Forces" "Spirit of Ft. Lowry" – Camp George West, Golden, CO (USA)

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"joestone.perg", December 2008 - <http://www.flickr.com/photos/18247623@N07/3085890058/>

M53 – Energetic Materials Research and Testing Center (EMRTC), New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology, NM (USA)

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Chris "Toadman" Hugues, November 2009 - <http://toadmanstankpictures.blogspot.com/>

M53 – Unknown location

The vehicle was previously part of Jacques Littlefield Collection, Portola, CA (USA). It was sold on auction in July 2014.

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Lorén Hannah, April 2013 - [http://www.vgbimages.com/AFV-Photos/US-Army-Field-Artillery-MuseumB/29311722\\_3pwGvH#!i=2501913061&k=W9BxPF9](http://www.vgbimages.com/AFV-Photos/US-Army-Field-Artillery-MuseumB/29311722_3pwGvH#!i=2501913061&k=W9BxPF9)

**T97 – US Army Field Artillery & Fort Sill Museum, Fort Sill, OK (USA)**

The vehicle was previously at US Army Ordnance Museum, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD (USA)

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US Army Artillery Museum, January 2011

**T162 – US Army Field Artillery & Fort Sill Museum, Fort Sill, OK (USA)**

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I'm looking for photos of those vehicles:

Any vehicle that I forgot...

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